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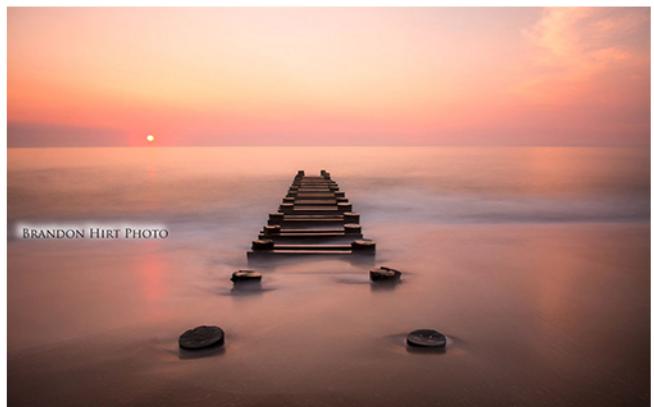
Four club members won photography awards at the Blair County Arts Festival:

1st place: Randy Klobetanz

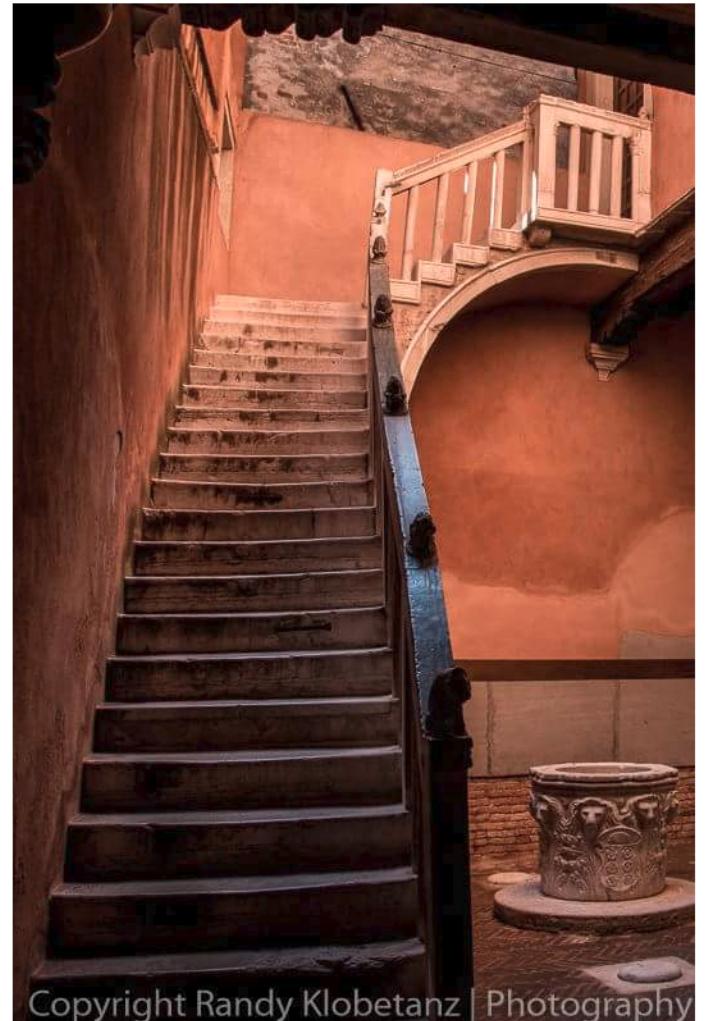
3rd place: Dave Hammaker

Hon. Mention: Mary Beth Landis

Hon. Mention: Brandon Hirt



Randy Klobetanz Takes 1st Place in Blair County Arts Exhibition





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Your 2016 Officers

President: Brandon Hirt

VP of Competitions: Sally Becker

VP of Programs: Marge Seymour

VP of Outings: Bob Airhart

Treasurer: Margie Navarro

Secretary: Loretta Storm

Assistant Treasurer/Secretary: Nancy Smith

Newsletter Editor: Eric Gaston

Upcoming Meetings

**July 5th: (Tuesday) Picnic and Evening/Night Shoot
at Loretta Storm's House**

July 18th: Black and White Photography Presentation

Aug 1st: Member's Choice Presentations

Aug 15th: Favorite Photographer Night

Matt Stich Wins 2016 ABCPS Print Competition

16 members entered 72 Prints

**They were judged by: Britt Baker, Photographer
And, Michael Strueber, Artist in Other Media**

There was no Best of Show because of a three way tie.

Matthew Stich	208	Sally Becker	185
Margie Navarro	204	Janet Klingbeil	184
Brenda Sanner	200	Randy Donlan	183
Cindy Schaner	197	Ken Becker	181
Loretta Storm	196	Diane Kelley	180
Marge Seymour	195	Randy Klobetanz	127 *
Brandon Hirt	193	Eric Gaston	111 *
Connie Wirlf	193	Nancy Smith	37 *

***entered fewer than 5 images**



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Member Q&A With Loretta Storm

1) How long have you been into photography?

I have been taking pictures for over 40 years. I started with my first child being born, like all mothers. That info just dated me. Oh, well. Then it went from flowers, birds in the flower garden to sports my children where in, then senior pictures of friends, family and others. I have also done baseball team and single players pictures, also did some wedding photography.

2) What was your first camera?

It's been toooo long ago. The first big pro camera was a pentax total manual (film of course) and I still have it.

3) What camera(s) do you shoot with now?

I have a D750 Nikon, which I use most of the time. I just returned from Las Vegas and I took my Nikon d40 because I wasn't able to keep camera with me at all times (if I lost a camera I preferred to lose the d40) but I got some really nice photos from the trip.

4) What is your favorite subject to photograph?

That's a broad subject. Anything that moves (deer, dogs, elk, my grandkids), landscapes (remember I just came home from Las Vegas, saw Hoover Dam, Western Grand Canyon, Death Valley Nat'l Park), flowers. I'm not into street photography it feels like I am doing sneaky photos.

5) If you were given the opportunity to photograph any place on the planet, where would you head to first?

I would love to go to Alaska, from Ice to Bald Eagles but mostly The Northern Lights.

6) If you could go back in time and photograph any historical figure, who would you choose?

Not sure on this one, maybe Teddy Roosevelt, Abe Lincoln or John Wayne.

7) If you could spend a week being taught by any pro photographer, who would you choose?

Not sure on this one either. Sometimes I learn a lot just hanging out with fellow photographers and talking about photos, what each of us sees, what we look to photograph about a scene. Everyone sees something different when looking at the same thing.



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Next Club Outing

We will be doing a WWII era photo shoot at Rockhill Trolley Museum on Saturday July 30 at 5:30pm. The cost is \$20. Participating groups so far are members of Keystone Pinup Girls and some members of Furious Fourth. There maybe be more.



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Members' Photos on Display

Dave Hammaker is a finalist in the PA "Art of the State" exhibition at The State Museum of Pennsylvania in Harrisburg. The exhibit runs through September 11 and includes 123 works of art by 117 artists from 34 counties.

Brandon Hirt will have a photo on display in the Central PA Festival of the Arts Juried Exhibition. The exhibition will hang in Schlow Centre Region Library and in the Woskob Family Gallery of the Penn State Downtown Theatre Center in July.

Mary Beth Landis had three photos juried into the Laurel Arts 29th Annual Juried Art Competition. Her photo "Ride Blue" won an award. The exhibit will run through August 12th at the Philip Dressler Center For The Arts in Somerset.



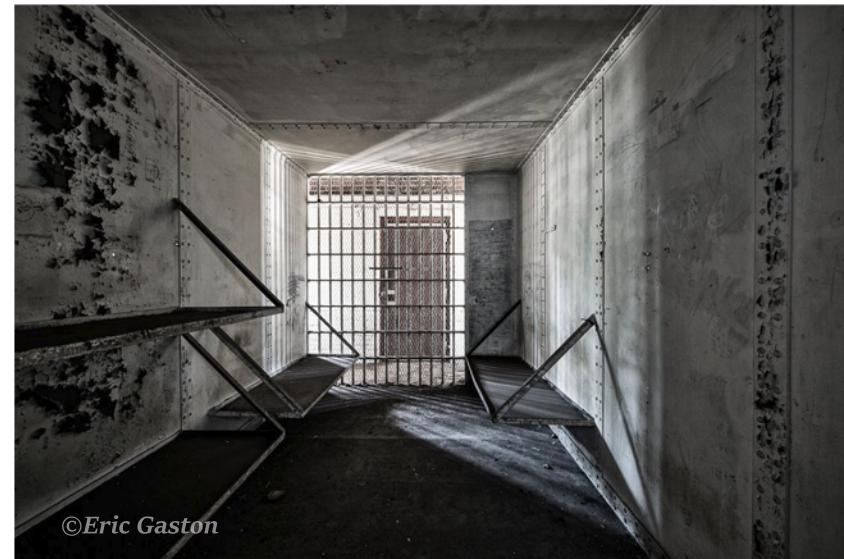
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Club Outing

On June 13th, several club members got a chance to photograph the old Bedford County Jail. Here are some of the images from that trip.





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Gigantic 1000mm NASA Lens For Sale

Camera collector Jim Headley is selling a one of a kind lens. The lens is a NASA-made Birns and Sawyer 1000mm f/4.5. It was manufactured in 1964 and was meant for recording space launches from a safe distance. It weighs 72 pounds and takes 2 to 3 people to use it in the field.

No price has been set yet. It will go up for auction this fall.



Member Photo Spotlight

Cindy Schaner recently showed several beautiful photos taken with her new Tamron 150-600mm lens. When shopping for a new lens, don't ignore the 3rd-party manufacturers like Tamron and Sigma. They make some very nice equipment.

