

# The Image

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## Meeting Notice

The February meeting will be held at the Paramount Arts District, 913 West St. Germain, St. Cloud Minnesota, February 23rd at 7 p.m. There is a photo assignment for this meeting with the title "Black and White." All members are encouraged to bring up to three prints to share. Larry and Steve will also be giving a short talk / demonstration at the beginning on macro and flower photography.

The executive meeting will be held at 6:30 pm to discuss administrative issues. All are welcome to attend this also.

Keep your copy of The Image, because the information about upcoming shows and events may not be repeated.

For those who don't use computers and email, LaVona Sherarts has offered to telephone members with information. Her phone # is 320-255-1964. Let her know if you would like to be called.

## Program:

The January meeting brought speaker Duane Paulson to the club. If you haven't yet had a chance take a look at the camera Club website – as well as photos of Mr. Paulson's presentation Barry has also made some very impressive changes.

St. Ben's Show:

The description of the show was finalized. Members of the group got together to discuss their photos and how they relate to the show's topic. Also reviewed were the artist statement's and resumes. Members will meet again February 16<sup>th</sup> at the gallery lounge at St Ben's. The show will be April 12<sup>th</sup> with an April 23<sup>rd</sup> reception. Please bring photo framed and ready to hang to March's meeting.

Bill reminded the group to shoot and gather images for our spring show and a possible club-published calendar.

WJON's Web site has a gallery for images of Central Minnesota. Go to <http://www.wjon.com> and click on "Gallery" to see.

The March 23 meeting program will be a presentation by Howard Christopherson, owner of the Icebox Gallery in Minneapolis. He will talk about pricing your photography and marketing your work. You may submit questions to Howard ahead of time by e-mailing Carol Weiler at [image@cloudnet.com](mailto:image@cloudnet.com) or phoning her at 320-251-9083. You can also ask questions at the meeting.

If you would like to learn more about Icebox Quality Framing and Gallery please visit their website at:

<http://www.iceboxminnesota.com>

Paramount Show Reminder: Paramount Gallery has an opening for March, so here are the guidelines:

1. Bring your work to the February meeting ready to hang.
2. Framing must have wire for a hanger.
3. All framed images must have some kind of label on the back (see below for content.)
4. For price, put the "retail price" on the label. The gallery selling price is what you put on the label.
5. Paramount Gallery takes 40%, this is why we are asking you to select the retail price.
6. Mandy is the contact and will need help hanging the show, so those who can help, please contact her.
7. As always, "quality" framing and matting.
8. Your work is a self portrait, sign your work with excellence!

Label Information to be included (minimum):

Name of Photographer:

Title of Image:

Medium: (Color, B&W, Digital, Toned B&W, "Silver Gelatin", Pin Hole, Large

Format(4x5, 8x10)...etc.

Price or NFS (Not For Sale)

Photographer Contact Info.: address, phone, email.....etc.

Location of Photograph: North Shore, Japan, Lake Wobegon.....etc.

Contact : Mandy Brannan by e-mail at [mandybooks@yahoo.com](mailto:mandybooks@yahoo.com)

Setup: Feb 26<sup>th</sup>, Opening Reception: 6-8p on Saturday, Feb. 28<sup>th</sup>.

Call or e-mail Carol Weiler with other suggestions for programs: 251-9083 or [image@cloudnet.com](mailto:image@cloudnet.com). If you have a short topic you would like to share / discuss this can be set up for just about any meeting.

All submissions for The Image should be submitted to Steve Fines by 10 days before the meeting. E-mail to [Steve Fines](mailto:Steve Fines), mail them to the Camera Club mailbox, or call at 320-266-0785.

### **Treasurers Report:**

Checking: \$4.80 Misc.

Carol Paid for Enlarger: \$50

Checking on hand: \$1152.19

Check Written for speaker Duane: \$50.00

### **Camera Club Website:**

Barry has done a fantastic reworking the web site.

**Please** bring your photos on a CD to the meetings so that they can be included on the site. **For example** – this's months photo assignment – bring the photos on CD to the meeting! **Also** – if you have any other photos you would like included please

bring these also. And of course make sure to pay the site a visit – <http://www.cameraclubmn.com>

- As a way to save on mailing costs, if you would like to have the newsletter sent via email contact [Steve Fines](mailto:Steve Fines) by e-mail or phone at 320-266-0785. The newsletter will be posted as an Adobe pdf file on the Camera Club website each month.

### **Information:**

**Field Trip:** The Camera Club field trip to the Icebox Gallery and MN Center for Photography is scheduled for this Saturday. We will meet at the parking lot across from the Camera Shop downtown St. Cloud. We will be leaving promptly at 9:30 a.m. We will stop for a "Dutch Treat" lunch in NE Minneapolis. I can take 5 passengers in my van. We'll have to carpool if more members plan on attending. Please call me or email me to confirm by Friday afternoon. Thanks!! (320) 656-6490 (work) 968-6898 (evenings) [minerich@ecenet.com](mailto:minerich@ecenet.com)

**Resumes and Artist Statement's:** Lavona has offered her expertise in assisting anyone with their resumes and or artist statements call or talk to her at the meetings

**Adobe PS Class:** Carol had an email sent to her about an Adobe Photoshop conference for March 2<sup>nd</sup> at the Minneapolis convention center. Cost is \$49 in advance \$79 at the door Sponsored by Software Cinema - contact Carol for more information.

**Web link for the month:** Submitted by Angela – especially for its portraits:

<http://www.footprintsphotography.com>

Hope to see you at the meeting! -Steve