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The monthly newsletter of the **Louisville Photographic Society**



Photo Credit: Mary Beth Culver
"Here I Am Mom"

DECEMBER EVENTS

MEMBER'S CHOICE SLIDESHOW

In addition to the regular monthly competition ("Red") we will also have the annual Member's Choice slideshow. This replaces the Alphabet Competition from previous years. Any topic is acceptable. The slideshow should be restricted to 3 minutes and may have music. Slideshow should be submitted on a thumb drive in an envelope with your name on it or with a tag attached with your name to ensure that we get it back to you. However, REMEMBER not to put your name anywhere in the slideshow itself. The slideshows will be shown during the meeting and members will vote on the top three. Prizes will be awarded.

ANNUAL BOOK COMPETITION

December is the deadline for the Annual Book Competition. The books may cover any topic and they can be any length. The photos can come from any time, not just this year. Also, the book itself can be published in any year as long as it has never won points. Plaques will be awarded. Winners will be announced at the February 2017 monthly meeting.

YEAR END JUDGING

Please bring all print winners from the 2016 year (including Honorable Mentions) for Year End judging. They should be exactly the same image that won the points. If you can't remember what winners you had, please check <http://www.louisvillephotographic.org/galleries-winners/winners-2016/>. Prints will be returned at the February 2017 monthly meeting. If you will not be at the meeting, prints may be dropped off at Outdoor Photo Gear (where we used to meet) by December 14. Call first to make sure that they will be there. <https://www.outdoorphotogear.com/>.

2016 MONTHLY LPS PHOTO CATEGORIES

Jan:	Scenic
Feb:	Member's Choice
Mar:	Macro
Apr:	Architectural Decay
May:	Louisville Landmarks
June:	Plants or Flowers
July:	Workshop (no competition)
Aug:	Workshop (no competition)
Sep:	Wheels
Oct:	Panorama
Nov:	Celebrations
Dec:	Red

Also in December: The Annual Member's Choice **Slide Show Competition** (formerly the "Alphabet Competition,") and the **Photo Book Competition**.

TELL US WHAT YOU'RE UP TO!

Do you have a gallery opening you'd like us to know about? Are you working on a photography project you'd like to share with others? If so, [email the editor](#) and let us know! We'll include it in the newsletter!

LPS MEMBERSHIP DUES NOW DUE

LPS dues for the year are \$35 per family. You can pay at the meeting, or you can mail your check to:

Louisville Photographic Society
P.O. Box 43731
Louisville, KY 40253

Remember, if your dues are not paid, you may not compete in 2017.

***“The Earth is Art, The Photographer is only a Witness.” -
Yann Arthus-Bertrand***

DON'T FORGET

Don't forget to submit an entry form when entering the monthly competitions at the LPS meetings.

They are available for download [on our website](#).

Just print one out, fill it out, and bring it with you to the meeting.

2017 Categories

January	Scenic (no restrictions)
February	Member's Choice (open)
March	What Is It?
April	Bokeh
May	Fences
June	Bridges
July	Seminar, no monthly competition
August	Seminar, no monthly competition
September	Parks
October	Insects
November	Candids—must include person(s)
December	Reflections
	Member's Choice slideshow (3 minutes)
	Annual Book Competition

December 2016

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14 LPS Meeting	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

HINT for the December monthly competition “Red” - Remember that the division is called “Monochrome” and not “Black and White”. This month’s competition will be judged by our LPS members.

DON'T FORGET TO SUBMIT YOUR BEST SHOT!

You can enter up to five digital images each month into the “Your Best Shot” category. These submissions are not judged and do not count in points, but they are a great way for members to share something they are proud of and that may not fit a particular category. The photos can be from any time but should be your original work. Feel free to speak up and say a little about your photos when the images are shown at the meeting. Your “Best Shot” digital images are due as late as the day before the monthly meeting. Please limit your submissions to no more than five images. Send to bestshot@louisvillephotographic.org.

IN PHOTOGRAPHY NEWS

Louisville Photo Contest

Submit your best Louisville photos for a chance to be featured on a month for the 2017 calendars!

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The best National Parks for photography: [http://
www.poppphoto.com/best
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photography-2016](http://www.poppphoto.com/best-national-parks-photography-2016)

ABOUT THE LOUISVILLE PHOTOGRAPHY SOCIETY

Membership in LPS is open to everyone. You must be a member of LPS to submit photos for competition. The areas of competition are Color Prints, Monochrome Prints, and Digital submissions. No more than 6 entries may be submitted, with no more than 2 entries in each group.

A Novice Division has been created for people just entering photography. People entering the Novice Division may not also enter any of the above groups except Digital submissions, where they may submit two photos. Members of the Novice group may submit a total of three prints. The prints may be in color or monochrome. See the LPS website for complete rules, www.louisvillephotographic.org

MEETING INFO

The Louisville Photographic Society meets the 2nd Wednesday every month at 7:30 p.m. LPS meetings are held at the new ARGI Financial building, 2110 High Wickham Place. Take the Old Henry exit off the Gene Snyder Freeway and go east. Turn right onto High Wickham Place, just past Terra Crossing Blvd.

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- 1440 Bardstown Road
- The Summit
- Shelbyville Road Plaza

www.murphyscamera.com



Two Louisville locations:

- 9541 Westport Rd, S116
- 3965 Taylorsville Rd

www.motophotoky.com



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WINNERS FROM THE NOVEMBER DIGITAL
COMPETITION— “CELEBRATIONS, INCLUDING
PEOPLE”

1st—Deborah Brownstein
“Merry Music”



2nd—Robert Klein
“Pop the Cork”



3rd—Eileen Strenecky
“Bubbles”



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- * Eric Baker
- * JoAnn Staashelm
- * Sarah Water