



Upcoming Events

August 20th - Insect Salon Closing Date

August 23rd - Picnic at the Glen Oak Park Pavilion. N-1 and O-1 are due.

August 27th - Insect Salon Judging

It's time for a Picnic!

It's time to kick off the new Peoria Camera Club season with a picnic at the Glen Oak Park Pavilion. This is a potluck so bring a dish to share as well as your own "entree", drink and table setting. This grand event is scheduled from 6:00 - 9:00 pm on August 23th. Last year's picnic was so much fun that ***it hurt!*** Will this year be any different? Only one way to find out - come join the fun! **Note that this is also the turn-in date for N-1 and O-1!**

The red-headed lady says "Dues are due"

This is the time to pay your club dues for 2015-2016. At \$20, it is one of the best bargains in town for access to programs and fellowship for improving your photography skills. Payment of dues is expected as soon as possible in the club year (September-to-May).





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SATURDAY, AUGUST 13TH 9AM-5PM
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**The third annual
IGNITE Peoria is just
around the corner!**

Don't miss this fun filled event or you'll regret it for the rest of your life... maybe even longer.

Just the other day, I asked Joe Virbickis what this "IGNITE" thing is all about. Joe very calmly put down his asparagus/wheat germ smoothie and explained "This celebration of creativity features events that will inspire innovation, release artistic vision, and spark the passionate imagination of our community."

Nuff said... See you there!

We need a "Social Chairman" volunteer in charge of food, snacks, banquet arrangements, etc. Call or e-mail Dave Bowers at 309-263-7355 or dbowers@mtco.com.

Volunteers!



Competition News

August 23rd is the turn in date for entries in Nature 1 and Open 1 digital competitions. September 6th is the turn in date for PhotoJournalism 1, and September 20th is the turn in date for Open 2. Check the website for guidance on submitting images (if this is your first try at competition) or if you need to know where to submit images. **Please note that there have been changes in the competition handlers!**

Contact Bill Snyder if you'd like to get an item posted in the PCC Classifieds

Be a part of the 2016 Insect Salon!

Fellow PCC Members,

The deadline for entries for the 2016 Insect Salon is fast approaching....August 20th.

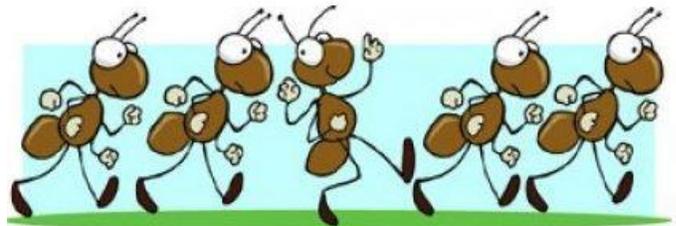
The entry portal, with instructions and eligibility criteria can be found on the club website. There is no need for club members to pay when entering through our website. Club members pay just \$2, which can be given to me as our meetings start.

So, get you images ready and submitted!

Joe Virbickis

Insect Salon Chairman

PCC Past President



Here it is... the PCC schedule for 2016-2017!!!

Here's the schedule for the upcoming club year. If it's not there already, it'll soon be on the website. You will note the meeting titles have changed. The "Competition Night" has gone away. Competition results are still be shown but not necessarily on the 2nd meeting night. Thanks to Rich Seeman for all his hard work in putting this together.

PCC Meeting Schedule

For more information see latest PhotoChatter newsletter

Competition Codes in this Schedule

O = Open, N= Nature, C = Creative, PJ = Photojournalism, P = Prints
 SP = Smart Phone, PS = President's Special, CL = City Landscape

For Image Handlers go to PCC website > "Club Documents" > "Membership Directory" > "Competition Personnel"

*Competition entries received after the "Turn In" date might not be entered in that competition.

Date, Day & Time			Topic	Speaker &/or Club Contact	Competitions	
					*Turn In	Show
JULY						
7/26/16	Tue	7:00 - 8:30pm	BOARD MEETING	Dave Bowers		
AUGUST						
8/20/16	Sat	11:59pm	Insect Salon Closing Date	Joe Virbickis	Insect Sal.	
8/23/16	Tue	6:00 - 8:00pm	PICNIC at Glen Oak Park pavilion. Bring dish to share, your own meat, drinks and dinnerwear.	Dave Clark	N-1, O-1	
8/27/16	Sat	8:00am - TBA	Insect Salon Judging	Joe Virbickis		
SEPTEMBER						
TBA	TBA	11:59pm	CICCA Fall Salon deadline. Watch for information in PhotoChatter and email.	Scott & Colleen Dunham	CICCA	
9/6/16	Tue	7:00 - 9:00pm	GENERAL MTG. - <i>Demonstration of new Peoria Camera Club website . &</i>	Jin Burnham	PJ-1	
9/20/16	Tue	5:30 - 7:00pm	BOARD MEETING	Dave Bowers	O-2	
		7:00 - 9:00pm	GENERAL MTG. - Program - <i>All About Competitions</i>	Carl Close		
9/27/16	Tue	7:00 - 9:00pm	GENERAL MTG. -		C-1	
OCTOBER						
10/4/16	Tue	7:00 - 9:00pm	GENERAL MTG. -		CL	
10/18/16	Tue	5:30 - 7:00pm	BOARD MEETING	Dave Bowers		
		7:00 - 9:00pm	GENERAL MTG. -	Carl Close	N-2	O-1, N-1
10/22/16	Sat	TBA	CICCA Fall Salon	Colleen & Scott Dunham		
10/25/16	Tue	7:00 - 9:00pm	GENERAL MTG. -			
NOVEMBER						
11/1/16	Tue	7:00 - 9:00pm	GENERAL MTG. -		O-3	
11/5/16	Sat	9:00am - 4:00pm	Portrait Workshop	Carl Close		
11/15/16	Tue	5:30 - 7:00pm	BOARD MEETING	Dave Bowers		
		7:00 - 9:00pm	GENERAL MTG. -	Carl Close	P-1	O-2, PJ-1
11/22/16	Tue	7:00 - 9:00pm	GENERAL MTG. -			C-1

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DECEMBER						
12/6/16	Tue	7:00 - 9:00pm	GENERAL MTG. -		+	
12/14/15	Wed	11:59pm	PCC, QCPC, KodaRoamers Challenge deadline.		N-3	CL
12/20/16	Tue	6:00 - 9:30pm	Christmas banquet & program. Bring dish to share. Club provides meat, drinks and dinnerwear.		Challenge	
JANUARY						
1/3/17	Tue	7:00 - 9:00pm	GENERAL MTG. -		O-4	
TBA	TBA	TBA	Kodaroamers, PCC, QCPC Challenge. Judging at Location TBA.			
1/17/17	Tue	5:30 - 7:00pm	BOARD MEETING	Dave Bowers		
		7:00 - 9:00pm	GENERAL MTG. -	Denise Romansburger & Carl Close	P-2	P-1, N-2
1/24/17	Tue	7:00 - 9:00pm	GENERAL MTG. -		C-2	
FEBRUARY						
2/7/17	Tue	7:00 - 9:00pm	GENERAL MTG. -		SP	
2/11/17	Sat	9:00am - 4:00pm	Still Life Workshop	Carl Close		
2/21/17	Tue	5:30 - 7:00pm	BOARD MEETING	Dave Bowers		
		7:00 - 9:00pm	GENERAL MTG. -	Carl Close	PJ-2, N-4	O-3, N-3
2/28/17	Tue	7:00 - 9:00pm	GENERAL MTG. -			
MARCH						
3/7/17	Tue	7:00 - 9:00pm	GENERAL MTG. -			
3/18/17	Sat	8am - 5:00pm	PCC Annual Photography Seminar	Bryan Peterson Joe Virbickis		
3/21/17	Tue	5:30 - 7:00pm	BOARD MEETING	Dave Bowers		
		7:00 - 9:00pm	GENERAL MTG. -	Denise Romansburger & Carl Close	P-3	P-2, O-4
3/28/17	Tue	7:00 - 9:00pm	GENERAL MTG. -	Carl Close		C-2
APRIL						
TBA	TBA	11:59pm	CICCA Spring Salon deadline. Watch for announcements in PhotoChatter	Colleen & Scott Dunham	CICCA	
4/4/17	Tue	7:00 - 9:00pm	GENERAL MTG. - PCC Annual Business Meeting & show Smart Phone competition with live judging by members at meeting.	Dave Bowers & Ray Keithley	PS	SP
4/18/17	Tue	5:30 - 7:00pm	BOARD MEETING	Dave Bowers		
		7:00 - 9:00pm	GENERAL MTG. -	Carl Close		N-4, PJ-2
4/25/17	Tue	7:00 - 9:00pm	GENERAL MTG. - Program <i>Composing Your Photographs</i>	Ray Keithley & Rich Seeman Denise Romansburger		P-3
MAY						
5/2/17	Tue	7:00 - 9:00pm	GENERAL MTG. -		O, N, C, PJ - EOY	
TBA	Sat	9:00am - TBA	CICCA Spring Salon judging.	Colleen & Scott Dunham		
5/16/17	Tue	5:30 - 7:00pm	BOARD MEETING	Dave Bowers		
		7:00 - 9:00pm	GENERAL MTG. - Show President's Special. Live judging by former Presidents.	??	P-EOY	PS
5/23/17	Tue	7:00 - 9:00pm	GENERAL MTG. -			
JUNE						
6/3/17	Sat	9:00am - 3:00pm	EOY Judging	Carl Close		All EOY
6/3/17	Sat	6:30 - 9:30pm	EOY Banquet and show winning images. Bring dish to share. Club provides meat, drinks and dinnerwear.			Winning EOY
6/6/17	Tue	7:00 - 8:30pm	BOARD MEETING	Dave Bowers		

A Little Something Extra...

Special thanks to Chris Coulter



Portrait of Corporal Hiram Warner Jr. of Company A, 108th Illinois Volunteer Infantry Regiment, organized in Peoria, Illinois mustered on August 28, 1862 until August 5, 1865. The 108th was engaged at Battle of Arkansas Post, Battle of Fort Blakely, Battle of Champion Hill, Battle of Chickasaw Bayou, Battle of Port Gibson, and the Yazoo Pass Expedition. CPL CO A 108 ILL INF Civil War. Married to Rosalthe Lydia Amsbary Warner (1838 - 1931). Buried at Tennessee Point Cemetery, Tremont, Tazewell County, Illinois, USA. (Peoria Historical Society Collection, Bradley University Library).