

“Living the Wildlife in SD County”

by Ernie Cowan

Wednesday, October 22 @ 6:30 p.m.



Ernie Cowan is a noted photographer, lecturer, instructor and author. He began his photography career as a journalist, operated a photography studio, was a photography instructor at Palomar College and has led tours to Alaska, the Caribbean, Hawaii, Japan and Hong Kong in addition to many

Packtrain Photo Tours in the Southwest. His intimate knowledge of the Anza-Borrego Desert makes him a recognized authority on that region. He brings an astounding depth of technical knowledge along with the keen eye of a veteran outdoor photographer.



He is a skilled teacher who enjoys helping photographers

progress to the next level by mastering their technical controls as well as opening their creative eyes. He writes a weekly Outdoors column for the UT San Diego in addition to a monthly Backyard Bird-Watching column for the UT.

Ernie will be making a presentation of the best nature and outdoor photography locations in Southern California.



MEMBER SHARE by James David Phenicie

October: “End of Summer”

We had a bit of a malfunction at the last Member Share and so we weren't able to see most of the submissions for the theme, “What I Found!” So, never fear, we have it resolved and we will be showing those images at our October meeting, along with your submissions for “End of Summer.”

This hot weather is not conducive to the thought that the summer has ended; rather, it seems like we are still in summer! But still, with school in progress and the rest of the country experiencing “fall,” I think we can find some images which will give us the feeling that the end of summer is near. Please submit your two images this month to the projectionist for our monthly Member Share.

Our final theme for the year will be “POV” (Point of View). Begin to look about you and come up with some interesting and different *Points of View* for a subject of your interest.

November: “Point of View”

Welcome, new member Alex Curtis of San Diego!

President's Message by Kathleen Nash

I just returned from a 3-week trip to Europe where I kept asking myself, "Is the purpose of travel to make great pictures or to have a great holiday?" One can't always choose what time of day we visit a place, nor do we get a chance to go back.

I viewed all the places we went as great "photo shoot" opportunities. Others in my group were not thinking about photos at all. I knew that would be the case before I left home. So I bought a sensible "point and shoot" camera and decided to travel light. I have a love/hate relationship with this new camera. I love that it doesn't weigh very much at all, but I hate that I don't have the control I'm used to with my "real camera".

I keep looking for the magic solution to not having to lug around all the heavy camera equipment. I do think the solution is coming soon in the form of the new mirror-less systems. If any of you have experience with them, please let me know.

Attention Members!

Our 19th Annual Members' Show is well under way. This year, visitors to the show at the Encinitas Library will be inspired while viewing a room full of outstanding images in eight categories!

The show will hang from Tuesday, October 14 through Saturday, November 22, 2014.

Don't miss the opening reception on Sunday, October 19 from 1:00-4:00 p.m. Everyone is invited! Bring a friend or two. It is open to the public. Don't forget to cast your vote for the Viewers' Choice Award. There will be finger foods, mellow music and good company.

It is easy to invite your friends. Just go to our website at www.nc-photo.org and on the home page there is a link to the e-card you can send. If you have work hanging, don't forget to pick up your photographs at the end of the show

on Sunday, November 23 from Noon – 2:00 p.m. If you have difficulty doing so at that time, please feel free to contact me beforehand so we can discuss options.

Looking forward to seeing everyone at the reception!
BEST OF LUCK!

Sandy Zelasko
Member Exhibition Coordinator
slzphoto@sbcglobal.net



Important Dates:

Delivery of framed photographs

Sunday, Oct. 12, 2014, 12:00--2:00 p.m.

Monday, Oct. 13, 2014, 12:30--2:00 p.m.

Opening Reception

Sunday, Oct. 19, 2014 1:00--4:00 p.m.

Exhibition Ends

Saturday, Nov. 22, 2014

Pick up Your work

Sunday, Nov. 23, 2014, Noon--2:00 p.m.

PHOTOSHOOT FOR OCTOBER

Dia de los Muertos at Mission San Luis Rey

Date: Sunday, October 26, 2014

Time: 9:45am to 1:00pm

Location: Mission San Luis Rey, 4050 Mission Ave, O-side

Dia de los Muertos, or "Day of the Dead," is a Mexican cultural celebration that each year transforms the Old Mission San Luis Rey into an all-day community event. Photo ops include mariachi



bands, dancing groups, Aztec entertainers, elaborate altars and a special custom low-rider display by the Por Siempre Car Club, showcasing traditional altars in their trunks commemorating loved ones who have

passed. Check out <http://mslrdiadelosmuertos.com/> for more info and a link to a map. Parking is \$5. We will meet at 10:00 at the fountain located between the Mission and the stage. Expect there to be big crowds so no tripods. For any questions contact Dan Nougier at photoshoots@nc-photo.org or cell 619-884-1359.

Digital Photo Classes

NCPS member Mike McMahon continues his series of digital photo classes:

Carlsbad Senior Center 760-602-4650

Fire Evacuation Tips.....Oct. 15@10:00 a.m.

iPhoto, Part I.....Oct. 15@1:00 p.m.

iPad Q&A.....Oct. 22@10:00 a.m.

Video Editing (WinMM).....Oct. 22@1:00 p.m.

Free, no reservations, 1-hour duration

Visit Mike's web site:

www.mikemctechguy.com for more information and directions for all classes.

Our NCPS members thank these sponsors for supporting our Annual Photo Exhibition. Please show your appreciation by visiting them!

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NCPS is delighted to welcome a new sponsor, **Citrus Frame Shop**, owned and operated by Vern Elmore. Vern is a long-standing NCPS member and has served as a volunteer to the club in several capacities, including digital projectionist and VLT member. Citrus Frame Shop is fully stocked with glass, mats, frames and professional design assistance. On-site frame assembly and computerized mat cutting are readily available. Call ahead to visit the full capability of custom framing now available to NCPS members.

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**Please Note: Our November meeting is
Wednesday, November 19
The THIRD week in November!**

Tech Tip by Mike McMahon "Watching a Pro at Work"

Local pro photographer, Tim Mantoani, is featured in a program airing on KPBS television. The program does an excellent job of following Tim as he approaches photo projects right here in San Diego. Watch KPBS listings for the program 'Snapshot'.

Alternatively, you might want to visit the program's web site where you can view the full episodes online:
www.snapshotsd.com/blog

NCPS Dues Increase Effective January 1, 2015

Single membership \$30

Dual membership (same address) \$35

October Meeting Wednesday, October 22 @ 6:30 p.m.

San Diego Botanic Garden
(formerly Quail Gardens)
230 Quail Gardens Drive, Encinitas, CA 92024
Meet in the Ecke Building Meeting Room

Enter at the Front Gate - Exit at the Rear Gate Only
The Front Gate is Locked at 7:00 p.m.

6:00 p.m. - Front Gate Opens

6:30 p.m. - Announcements

6:45 p.m. - Presentation

7:45 p.m. - Break & Refreshments

8:00 p.m. - Member Share

8:45 p.m. - Meeting Adjourns

First-time guests Free
Returning guests \$3.00

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***Save the date!* January 31, 2015 -- Time for the NCPS 'Kick Off' Party!**



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