



May
2013

GSFC Photography Club Newsletter

Club Meeting

Wednesday May 8th
12:00-1:00pm, B12 Rm. N112

Topic: Slideshow Software

Tyler Evans

- Have you ever been overwhelmed by folders full of photos and no way to show them all?
- Have you been intimidated by trying to put together a slide show with music?
- Did you know there are automated slideshow creators that are as simple as “drag and drop”?
- Have you thought about making a graduation slideshow for kids in school?

Featured Photographer

The featured photographer will be TBD giving a 5-10 minute showcase of their work

Snap & Share

Wednesday May 22nd
12:00-1:00pm, B12 Rm. N112

May theme is “**Animals**”

- Suggestions include: Conowingo Eagles, birds of prey, etc.
- Upload up to 5 photos to club Flickr site
- Include your name in description
- Potential to be showcased in B1 café display!

Future topics

- **June:** [Single-color](#) theme or [pop/splash](#) of color in black and white photos
- **July:** TBD

Future topic ideas include:

- Fireworks, Landscapes, People, Vacations, Transportation (planes, trains, automobiles)

In other news...

Birds of Prey Outing

- Saturday May 4th from 10:30-12pm
- At 1901 Ridgetop Road, Baltimore, MD
<http://goo.gl/maps/hkl7l>
- Spend the day with birds of prey! Take pictures of injured and orphaned birds in natural settings. Whether you are a professional or a novice, take advantage of taking pictures of beautiful animals up close
- Registration \$12 per photographer, \$5 others
- Contact [Karen Smale](#) if interested

We need volunteers for more photo outings!

Ideas include: Kenilworth Aquatic Gardens, National Zoo, Eastern Market, DC monuments at night, etc

-Contact [Dorlisa Hommel](#) if interested

-All it requires is committing to when and where you are going so people can meet up!

Meeting location due to parking lot construction

-The club is looking for a new meeting location due to B12 parking lot construction for summer meetings

-Let us know if there is a good conference room in your building that is regularly available 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of the month 12pm to 1pm and has a TV or projector

Reminders

-Check the club website for a calendar, announcements, and helpful information:

<http://gewa.gsfc.nasa.gov/clubs/photo/>

-Our photo safari outings are **free and fun!** It is a great way to go take pictures **without causing friends** and family to be **annoyed** having to wait on you. You can also **learn** from other club members and see what catches their eye.

Club Website: <http://gewa.gsfc.nasa.gov/clubs/photo/>

Flickr Website: <http://www.flickr.com/photos/gsfcp/photo/>

Photography Joke of the Month

You might be a photographer if...

- You fall and your first thought is “save the camera”
- Your camera bag costs more than your purse
- Your eyesight from staring at the computer has gone from F11 to F1.8

Credit:

<http://photography.about.com/od/photographybyoccasion/qt/photographerjokes.htm>