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About SVNP

The Sudbury Valley Nature Photographers is an informal group of more than one hundred talented advanced amateur and professional photographers from the western suburbs of Boston, brought together by their passion for capturing the beauty and power of nature through photography.

The group was established in 1995, and regularly exhibits its members' work throughout eastern Massachusetts and on the Internet.

Meetings are held the second Thursday of every month at 7:00 PM in the Great Room in the Main House at Traditions Senior Living Facility, 10 Green Way, Wayland, Massachusetts.

Schedule of upcoming SVNP programs

December 8, 2010	Warren Bailey – "Images of Yellowstone" NOTE: This meeting is on WEDNESDAY at Traditions, as we cannot get space on Thursday this month. Same time – 6:30 for chatting, 7 meeting.
January 13, 2011	TBD – probably our semi-annual "member images" night
February 10, 2011	Susan Majors – Recent Work from Macedonia and Albania

November Meeting Notes

Chris Rowan gave a fascinating presentation, "Ephemeral Scapes: Still Life Images Using Natural and Unnatural Elements,"

We learned how he sets up and shoots his unusual photographs. Feathers, roots, vines, bowls, window sills and boots have transformed into amazing subjects and props. The more images we saw, the more we "got lost" in these truly unique "photo-scapes". Thanks, Chris, this was a treat!

Wayne showed his images of close ups in the woods and Sue had her images of the SVNP whale watch, as well as a photograph she cleverly created the whale's tail that had been missed in the image the first time.

Announcements

Please bring images on memory stick when showing images at the meeting. If you need to use a CD, make sure you call or email Don Sherman in advance so he can bring the right equipment to be able to show them (don@donaldsherman.com; 978-443-9450)

Carol Walsh is continuing to pursue the possibility of photographing raptors in January in the Western part of Ma. We've discovered another possible raptor venue so more details and date in next newsletter.

Please feel free to change out the displays on the walls at Traditions at any meeting!

Exhibition space will be available in the Raytheon room of the Wayland library in 2011, in the months of February, March, June, July, August and November. January may possibly also be available. If anyone is interested in the space, contact George Brawerman (brawerman@verizon.net).

The foyer of the Wayland library will also be available for exhibits next year. There are openings for the months of May through September, plus November and December. If you are interested, contact George Brawerman (brawerman@verizon.net).

YOU ARE INVITED

The Boston Camera Club is pleased to present an exhibition of the work of its members. Please join us for the opening reception on December 9th.

The Boston Camera Club is presenting a photography exhibition from December 4, 2010 through January 3, 2011, at the Brookline Public Library, on the second floor in Hunneman Hall. The library is located at 361 Washington St., Brookline, MA 02445, **617-730-2370.** Twenty two photographers will be exhibiting eighty photographs that reflect the varied interests of the photographers.

Opening reception: Thursday December 9th 6:30-8; please join us for refreshments and tour of the exhibit with the photographers.

Viewing times for club members and guests have been reserved on Wednesday December 15 and Thursday December 23, 5:30-8:30. Although Hunneman Hall is open during library hours, *it is best to call for viewing hours at Hunneman Hall or see schedule of event on the library's web page at <u>brooklinelibrary.org</u>, click <u>Calendar</u> in the upper right-hand corner.*

Please click the link below fro a virtual tour of the exhibit

http://www.bostoncameraclub.org/site/content/view/235/100/

SVNP Exhibit Calendar

Individual Member Exhibits

SVNP members - please notify Wayne Hall (<u>wah@waynehallphotography.com</u>) of your upcoming individual exhibits for posting on the SVNP website.

<u>Date</u> <u>Member</u> <u>Exhibit Location</u>

SVNP Group Exhibits

<u>Date</u> <u>Exhibit Location</u>

Ongoing Traditions, 6 Green Way, Wayland, MA

Other Exhibits in which SVNP Members are Participating

December 4 – Jan 3, 2011 Arlene and Henry Winkleman Boston Camera Club Exhibit

Main Library, Brookline, MA

December, 2010 Susan MacKenzie Sign of the Dove Holiday Store

Chestnut Hill Mall

Ongoing Susan MacKenzie Clever Hand Gallery

Wellesley, MA

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