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IMPORTANT NOTICE!! Our December meeting location has changed to the First Parish Church in Wayland Center due to a scheduling conflict at Traditions.First Parish is located at Wayland Center, the junction of Routes 27, 20, and 126.Enter either the front or back of the church. Doors open at 6:30.

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.

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# Schedule of upcoming SVNP programs

#### Dec. 13, 2012 Bob Diefenbacher – Images of Antarctica

#### NOTE LOCATION CHANGE ABOVE!

The program is an armchair trip to Antarctica by way of Buenos Aires and Ushuaia presented by Bob Diefenbacher who joined a Lindblad National Geographic expedition to the Antarctic Peninsula in December 2011. The trip was to visit and learn about the Great White Continent, and to photograph the landscape and wildlife. The show includes a brief PowerPoint introduction and then a "Ken Burns" style presentation. Bob will bring some prints from the show as well as maps and materials that provide more detail about his exciting adventure.

Jan. 10, 2013Charlie Burke – CAMNATs 2012 Award Winners

Feb. 14, 2013 Semi-annual "member images night" – topic TBD

## Notes from November Meeting

Dave Mangels presented stunning images from a variety of locations in Utah and Arizona, including Canyonlands and Arches National Parks, Dead Horse State Park, Cedar Mesa, and Antelope Canyon. By popular demand after that, he shared some of his work from a recent trip to Iceland as well.

Much of Dave's work is the result of converting color images to black and white, primarily using Nik Silver Effects Pro. He shoots with a Canon EOS 60D, and makes only limited use of high dynamic range (HDR) techniques.

Dave's work can be seen at <u>www.fourcrowsphotography.com</u>, and at Denault Studios on Nason Street in Maynard, MA.

## (Uncharacteristic) advance announcement of theme for our November, 2013 Raytheon Room exhibit!!!

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In support of the 375<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the establishment of the town of Wayland, SVNP has offered to dedicate our November 2013 group exhibit at the Wayland Library to photographs made on the many public/conservation lands within the town. This is your opportunity to start thinking about that now, while you have four seasons in which to be creative. A list of these properties, along with maps and other information, may be found at <u>http://www.wayland.ma.us/Pages/WaylandMA\_Conservation/areas</u>.

### Announcements

WE STILL URGENTLY NEED A NEWSLETTER EDITOR! Unfortunately our previous editor, Suzie MacKenzie, has now moved to Nashville, TN. The job is made easier by both Wayne and Betsy chipping in, and providing details that you might have missed, and it is always possible to find a substitute if you're not going to be at the meeting. Please consider doing it, and let Wayne or Betsy know you'll be the new editor! Otherwise this may be our last newsletter for awhile (Wayne is a little overloaded...)

## **Exhibits of Interest**

The Davis Museum, Wellesley College, 130 photographs from their collection, until December 16. Check the Wellesley College web site or call 781-283-2051 for museum hours. Free and open to the public.

National Heritage Museum, Lexington, MA – images of the Grand Canyon by 26 photographers, through January 6.

# SVNP Exhibit Calendar

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

Individual Member Exhibits

<u>Date</u>

<u>Member</u>

Betsy Moyer

Exhibit Location

January 2013

First Parish Church, Wayland Center (intersection of Routes 20 and 27/126) – front hallway

(send announcements to svnp@waynehallphotography.com)

SVNP Group Exhibits

Date

Exhibit Location

Ongoing Traditions, 10 Green Way, Wayland, MA

Other Exhibits in which SVNP Members are Participating

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