



FREDERICKSBURG PHOTOGRAPHY CLUB

December 2022

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The Fredericksburg Photography Club will hold its Holiday Party at the monthly meeting on Tuesday, December 13, 2022, at 6:30PM at the Dorothy Hart Community Center. The club will provide sandwiches and beverages, please bring a side dish or dessert.

By COB on Sunday, Dec 11, send up to 10 of your photographs to jlfatta@gmail.com for a slide show which will run continuously during the holiday party.

2023 topics for newsletter photos. Use your own creativity to take photos that illustrate your interpretation of each topic.

January	Childhood
February	Frames
March	Hats
April	Street Art
May	Industrial
June	A Different Perspective
July	Shadows
August	Triangles
September	City Scenes
October	Chairs
November	In the Kitchen
December	Holiday Lights

FPC Website Gallery Submissions

Instead of individual subpages, the main gallery page will feature one example of each member's art.

Webmaster has editorial license on the first picks

Each image is in a larger format.

To switch out an image, email a replacement.

If you are a member, send in an image!

[Fredericksburg Photography Club - Galleries \(fbgphotoclub.com\)](http://fbgphotoclub.com).

Webmaster Mike Fleckenstein

December photo subject - Monochrome

Mike Fleckenstein



Abby-Shropshire UK



**Kingston Baptist
Church, Conway SC**

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Helen Schwartz

Gaye



**Grayson
Highlands**

Argentina Herd



Norma Woodward

Marine Museum



Dippers

Taylor Cullar

Airport Rush



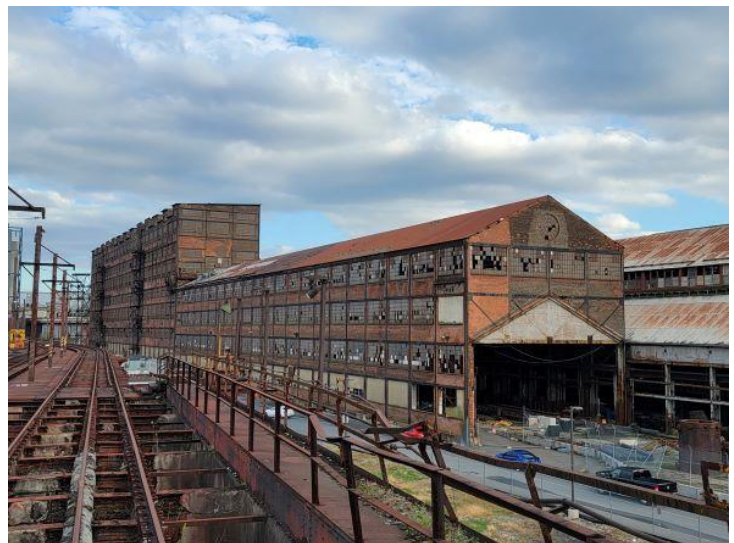
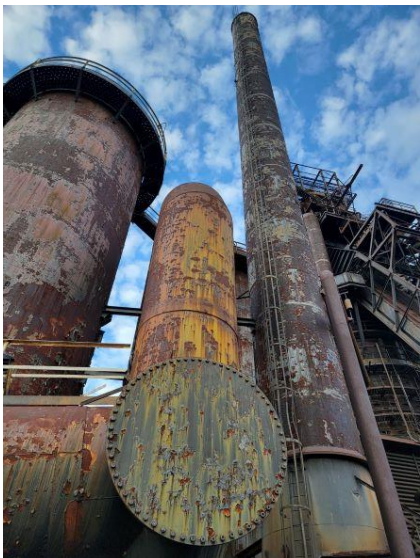
Spring Shower

Ferry Birds



Judy LaFratta

I recently stumbled on the following event while looking for a pitstop on a road trip to see the US Women's Soccer Game in Harrison NJ and picked the Allentown/Bethlehem PA area. This presentation at the National Museum of Industrial History (<https://www.nmih.org>) in Bethlehem, PA, "Capturing Steel: Bethlehem Steel Photography with Peter Treiber" turned out to be a great target. Not only learning about what the corp of photographers for Bethlehem Steel did, but also you learned about the steel industry itself. Mr. Treiber and an associate have this history captured in "Inside Bethlehem Steel: The Final Quarter Century". After the presentation, we toured part of the museum and did our own tour of the Hoover Mason Trestle that travels along the Stacks. A tour rich for photographic opportunities. I did my best to capture "Industrial" The presentation was recorded and is available at <https://youtu.be/5C6dxGKyAug>.



Penny A Parrish – Book Review

Milton Gendel was an American photographer (1918-2018) who never had a home until he was 58. He lived in Rome for 70 years and “Just Passing Through: The Diaries and Photographs of Milton Gendel” highlights his work and his “Dolce Vita” friends. I enjoyed the B&W photos – one on every-other page. Mostly of people, but some interesting shots of flea markets and statues in Rome as well. His diaries were filled with encounters with famous people” Gore Vidal, Princess Margaret and dozens of the famous upper-crust. I ended up looking at the photos and read only about a third of the diary entries because of all the footnotes explaining who everyone was. I have a copy if anyone wants this.

Norma Woodward – Book Review

“Desert Realty” Author/Photographer Ed Freeman

The frequently abandoned buildings in the desert speak of an untold history of those who lived there. Ed Freeman drove many miles through deserts, mainly in California, photographing such structures. After taking the photos, he altered or completely substituted the background to eliminate everything except the structure itself. The result is an amazing collection of images in a large format book. It was published in 2007 and bought “used” through Amazon.

Judy LaFratta had 2 photographs selected for the December 2022 / January 2023 "Cold of Winter" All Media Exhibit at FCCA. "Chill in the Air" and "Frozen Trash" .

Chris McClintock also had a photograph accepted in the FCCA show.

Calls for Entry

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813 Sophia Street
Fredericksburg, VA 22401

Call For Entries

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NATIONAL JURIED EXHIBITION

All Photography
February 2023—All Photography
DIGITAL ENTRIES ONLY
Due January 6, 2023

Deadline

**January 6, 2023
4 p.m.**

All entries must be received by the deadline. Please allow for any holiday mail delays. All work must remain on display for the duration of the exhibit.

The Joseph Miller Center for the Photographic Arts is proud to announce its THIRTEENTH ANNUAL juried abstract photography exhibit for May 2023. ALL interested photographers are invited to submit entries for this prestigious annual event.

Further details will be posted as they are published.

Liberty Town Arts

All That I Adore, a National Juried Exhibition
Deadline January 21
Info: LibertyTownArts.com.

Love, is love, is love. Love comes in many shapes and many sizes. We can love people and animals. We can love our hometowns, or a great bar. We can love ourselves, or our journeys. We can love in big ways, and in small. This February, show us what you love and how your love manifests through your art. All mediums welcome.

“When people ask me what equipment I use - I tell them my eyes.”

– Anonymous



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