



## Monthly Meetings

Our meetings are held on the 3rd Thursday of every month. The program begins at 6:30pm but you may arrive as early as 6:00 for social time and chatting with our members. The first hour of the program consists of a guest speaker with the second hour containing announcements and a member slideshow. After the program, you can hang out for more social time. Bring images to share with everyone as well as old copies of your favorite photography magazines to pass along to others.

**June 16th Meeting at  
Asbury United Methodist Church  
5400 W. 75th Street, Prairie Village, KS**

## Future Meetings

June 16<sup>th</sup> - Gerald Crabtree will discuss posing techniques. A national award winning photographer, Gerald is striving to provide the highest caliber of professional photography in the area.

Gerald was named Photographer of the Year in Iowa and in 1979 was among the first select group of nine photographers in the state of Iowa to receive his certification as a Certified Professional Photographer from the Professional Photographers of America, Inc. At the time there were less than 100 photographers in the United States who were certified.

The Master of Photography degree, the highest honor bestowed upon a photographer by his peers, was awarded to Gerald in January 1983 by the Professional Photographers of America. The degree is given to those photographers whose photographs have been judged, over a period of several years, to be worthy of exhibition on a national level.

Since 1990 Gerald has owned Visual Images. The studio specializes in Wedding Photography, Family Groups, Copy and Restoration of old photographs and special event photography.

Future Meetings:

July 21<sup>st</sup> - Framing

Aug. 18<sup>th</sup> - Auto Show photography "intimate views" of car parts

Sept. 15<sup>th</sup> - Black and White Photography

## Monthly Photo Technique Presentation

June: Kelvin Color Temperature, Thomas Kimble

July: Mat cutting by Steve Wall

August: LensBaby

September: Square, credit card reader for your cell phone

October: iPad panel discussion

If you have a photo technique (in camera or post production) you would like to present at a meeting please email it to Thomas Kimble, [tkimble02@yahoo.com](mailto:tkimble02@yahoo.com)

*Bring your cameras to the meetings.*

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## Organizing Committee

*Bruce Bean*

*John Caulfield*

*Dennis Chapman*

*Beth Dawson*

*Robert & Sherry Falke*

*Gary Goodman*

*Diane Henderson*

*Mark Higgins*

*Thomas & Fonda Kimble*

*Andy McDonald*

*Irene Niehorster*

*Larry & Dara Russell*

*Joe Sands*

*Lee Scott*

*Steve Wall*

## Membership

Members, please make sure your dues are up to date.

Not a member yet? You can join Digital Dimensions at any meeting. Membership runs from June to May the following year. Dues are pro-rated for new members.

Dues:

Individual - \$30/yr

Family - \$40/yr

Senior - \$20/yr (over 60)

Student - \$15/yr

Benefits of membership:

- Attendance at all monthly meetings
- Attendance at all field trips
- Attendance at year end shoot and holiday party
- 10% discount on most items at Overland Photo Supply
- 7x Sensor Loupe and a Giottos Rocket Blower. (Available for use before meetings.)

**Our 'dues year' is June 1 to May 31<sup>st</sup>.**

**Member Benefit** - the club has purchased a 7x Sensor Loupe (from Visible Dust) and a Giottos Rocket Blower. These will be available, before meetings, from approx 6 to 6:30, for members use. Members can use the loupe to inspect their own camera sensor and, if needed, use the blower to try and dislodge any dust.

## We Need You

New people are needed on the planning committee. We are looking to make the transition in January 2012. Please let John Caulfield know if you are interested in helping.

**Our Monthly Shooting Themes:** (Suggested shooting themes for each month. Please don't feel limited to these themes when submitting images.)

June: Recycling or Panning

July: Posing

## Monthly Member Photo Slideshow

Each meeting we have a slideshow of photos submitted by members. We hope that most members will submit images.

- Up to 5 images per member will keep the time interesting and stimulating. Note that the images you submit will also be posted on the Digital Dimensions website.
- Be prepared to share some of your technical data. You need not include all your metadata but be prepared to mention aperture, shutter speed, lens, and why you feel the image has impact and is enjoyable to you.
- We would appreciate it if you would resize your images before sending them. Please keep them at 639x962 (8x12) at 72dpi.
- Email your images to [ddkcsideshow@gmail.com](mailto:ddkcsideshow@gmail.com) or you may give them to Andrew (jpeg format) on a disk or flash drive at the meeting before 6:20pm

You are also encouraged to bring hard copies of your photos to share before and after the meeting at a table in the foyer.

## Field Trips

Future field trips in the planning stages:

July : [Great Midwest Balloon Fest](#), Olathe

Aug: KC West Bottoms

Sept: [Huff 'n Puff](#), Topeka

Oct: [Truman Library and home](#)

Nov. 5: Garment District Walking Tour

**Discount on Digital Labrador Classes:** Shari Hartbauer at Digital Labrador has offered all club members a \$5 discount on any class offered by Digital Labrador. The discount code is DD0211. Be sure to check out their classes at <http://digitallabrador.com/blog/>.

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