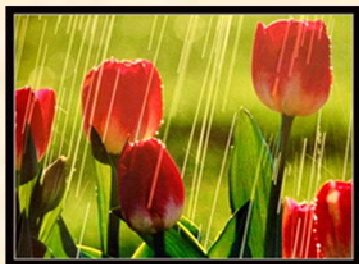


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CENTRAL IOWA CAMERA CLUB

Marshalltown, Iowa



Well...here we are into April, never thought I would be addressing Covid-19 cancellations in the newsletter!!! This is a very serious virus as I am sure we all have figured out by now. Covid-19 has impacted us tremendously in MANY areas of our lives. The club will continue to play its part in protecting ourselves, families, others in our communities, the more "mature" members of society and our health care workers. We need to be in compliance with CDC's recommended guidelines in limiting gathering in large groups also. This is a very difficult position to be in. I have frequented many other N4C websites and found majority have cancelled meetings through May and some have paused till the fall. I also did a poll of some of our group and found majority felt they would continue to be cautious through May/June or until it is safe. I also have talked to FCC and found most room reservations have been cancelled through May. And BTW room A does have a fresh coat of paint!

CANCELLED. All April meetings.

CANCELLED! N4C Spring Mini Convention. April 24-26th. Out of respect and concern for members and the community they decided to cancel this.

CANCELLED. May 7th meeting & board meeting

PENDING. June 4th depends on what mandates will be implemented late May.

Sent all an email earlier this week. Check your email for the following.

Due May 7th April contest photos to Brent, Insects, Butterflies and Bees. Prints later.

Due May 7th I sent you all a list of contest titles that I asked you to pick out 4 choices.

Due May 7th Election of Officers. You can submit your name for one of the positions on the board. Send me your request and those will be voted on by the board by electronic votes. Don't be shy!

Webmaster! Honorary Member Mary Jane Charlton has agreed to take over in the fall since Jim Svec has resigned in June. I talked to her and this will work for some time, as she will be resigning also at some point.

Digital Scores! Running laptop that projects the digital scores during the contests. Needed five times through the year. This position is really, really needed.

The above picture is not mine. It is one of my most admired rain pictures. It came out of one of my scripture books and photo credit was not given. But to challenge you all a bit we do have a weather contest in June, thought maybe you could practice. Try and capture the birds or flowers when raining.

Stay well, stay safe everyone. We can do this!!!

Don't forget your camera and mask when you head out the door!

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May
CANCELLED

Fisher Community
Center
7:00 pm
Marshalltown

Statement of Purpose

The Central Iowa Camera Club exists to promote the understanding and practice of photography in Central Iowa.

Membership is open to persons without regard to their photographic knowledge, experience, sex, age, race, or creed.

Meetings are held at Fisher Community Center at 7:00 p.m., the first Thursday of the month - September through June. Programs are planned to be of interest to beginning through advanced

Membership Dues

Student Membership
\$10.00
Single Membership
\$20.00
Family Membership
\$27.00

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CLUB CONTESTS

2019-2020

October	Open
December	Winter
February	Old and / or Abandoned
April	Insects, Butterflies and Bees
June	Weather

Impact

Originality, imagination

*interpretation, subject,
interest, mood, humor,
etc.*

Composition

*Arrangement of all
elements within the
picture area so that the
subject matter is
presented as a
harmonious well balanced
photograph.*

Technique

*Focus, Lighting, color
rendition, exposure, print
quality, mounting.*

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