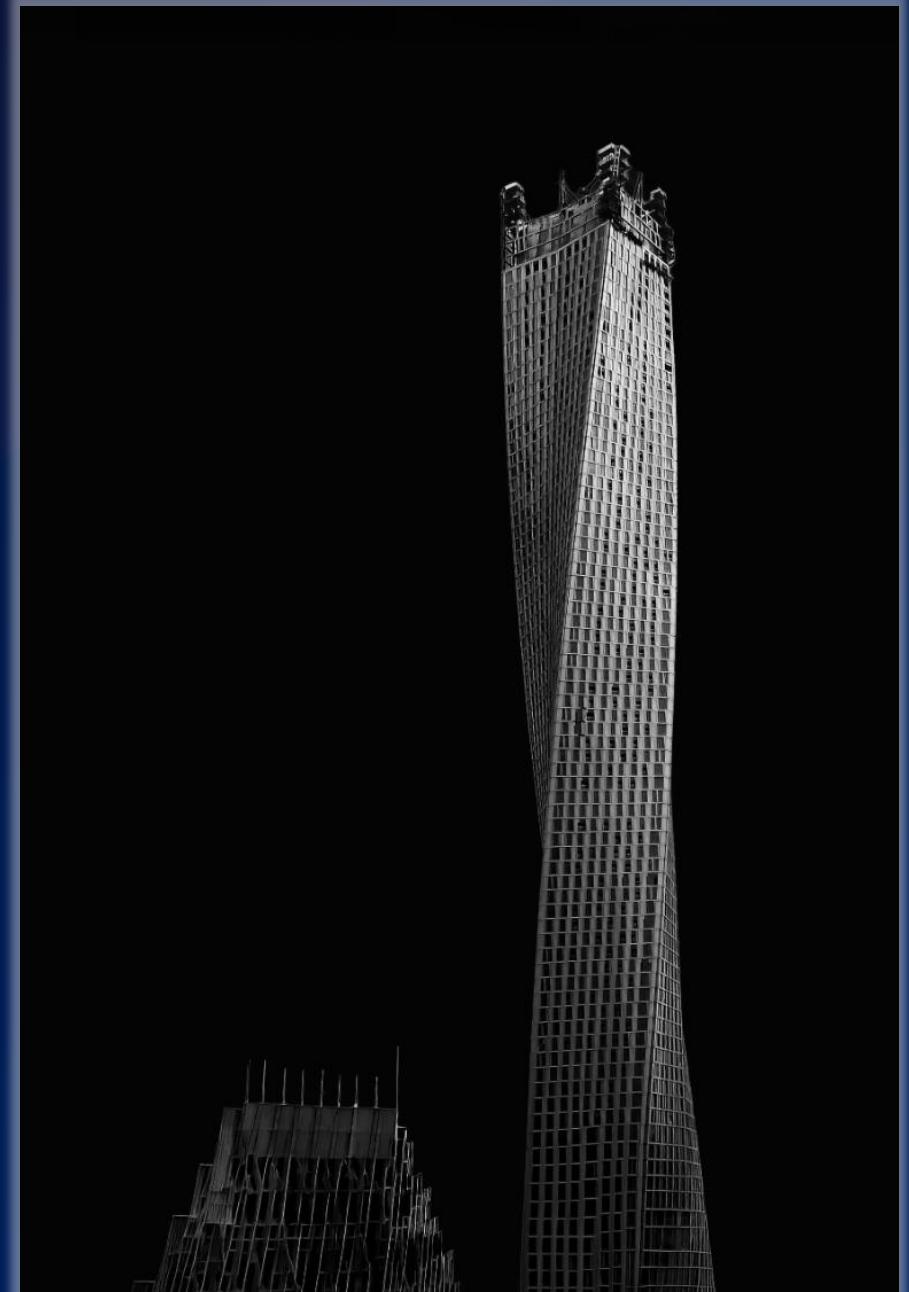


CPOPC Monthly Meeting May 2026

May 9th, 2026



Ramesh Chauhan

Welcome !

- Welcome members, new members, guests and prospective members
- **Ambassadors:** JP Lauzon and Johan Carignan
- Please join in, ask questions and participate
 - Be respectful of others and the person speaking
- Although presentations will be in **English**, please feel free to also ask questions in **French**



John Miner

Agenda

- Speaker : Allan Cameron
- Break
- Challenge
- Interclub Competition Images
- Technique
- Images from Waterfalls Outing
- Photo 101 – Vertical Panorama
- Member Contribution
- Notices
- Next Meeting



James Peverley

Featured Speaker
- Allan Cameron-
*Landscape Photography:
A Personal Perspective*

Club Photo



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Photo Club



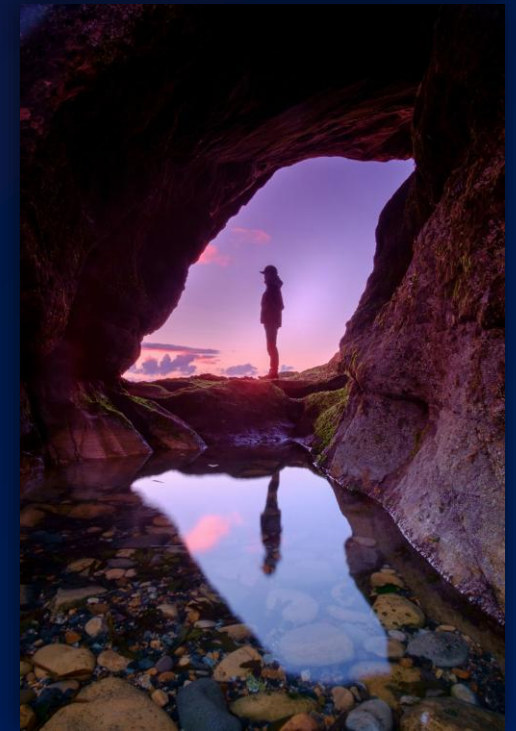
Break

Jean Moore

May Challenge – Reflections

- Image uses a reflective surface to capture a mirrored image of the subject. This can be a natural element such as water/ice or a man-made object like glass, metal or a mirror. If the photographer wishes, the image can focus only on the reflective element.
- **Off Topic:** Any image that has no clear reflection element or is a very small part of the image. A person reflecting on a thought.
- Submission deadline: **Saturday, May 2th (midnight)**
- Voting deadline: Thursday, May 7th (midnight)
- Archived photos are allowed.

Juan Davila,
Unsplash



Luke Leung
Unsplash



Spring Competition– Furred and feathered friends

- Includes a wide range of birds and animals who possess either fur or feathers. They can be from the wild, a farm or your home.
- **Off Topic:** Any member of the animal kingdom that does not possess fur or feathers, e.g insects, reptiles, fish, amphibians, whales, dolphins, etc.
- Up to 3 images can be submitted.
- **Must have been taken since June 2025.**
- Submission deadline: **Saturday, May 30, 2026 (midnight)**
- Voting will be done by recruited judges



Boris
Smokrovic,
Unsplash



Edgar,
Unsplash

Interclub Competition Images

- April 2026 -

Inter-club competition

April 14, 2026

- Picture is worth 1000 words and General Category
- Total of 153 images
- 12 people participated from CPOPC with 34 images
- Three CAPA judges



First Place – General Category

Congratulations to Scott Udle!



Cochrane Street United Church



Congratulations to Sherwyn Solomon!

Second Place – General Category



Horsehead Nebula

Congratulations to Beverley Dawson!

Honourable Mention
Picture is worth 1,000 words



9-11 Memorial

Picture is worth 1,000 words – 101 images from all clubs

In the
top
third

In the
top
20%

Member	Score out of 30	Member	Score out of 30
Ramesh Chauhan	25.5	Marianne Pethke	23.0
Johan Carignan	24.5	Yoline Joseph-Hoskin	22.0
Ramesh Chauhan	24.5	Marianne Pethke	22.0
Jean-François	24.0		
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Sharon Fry	23.5		

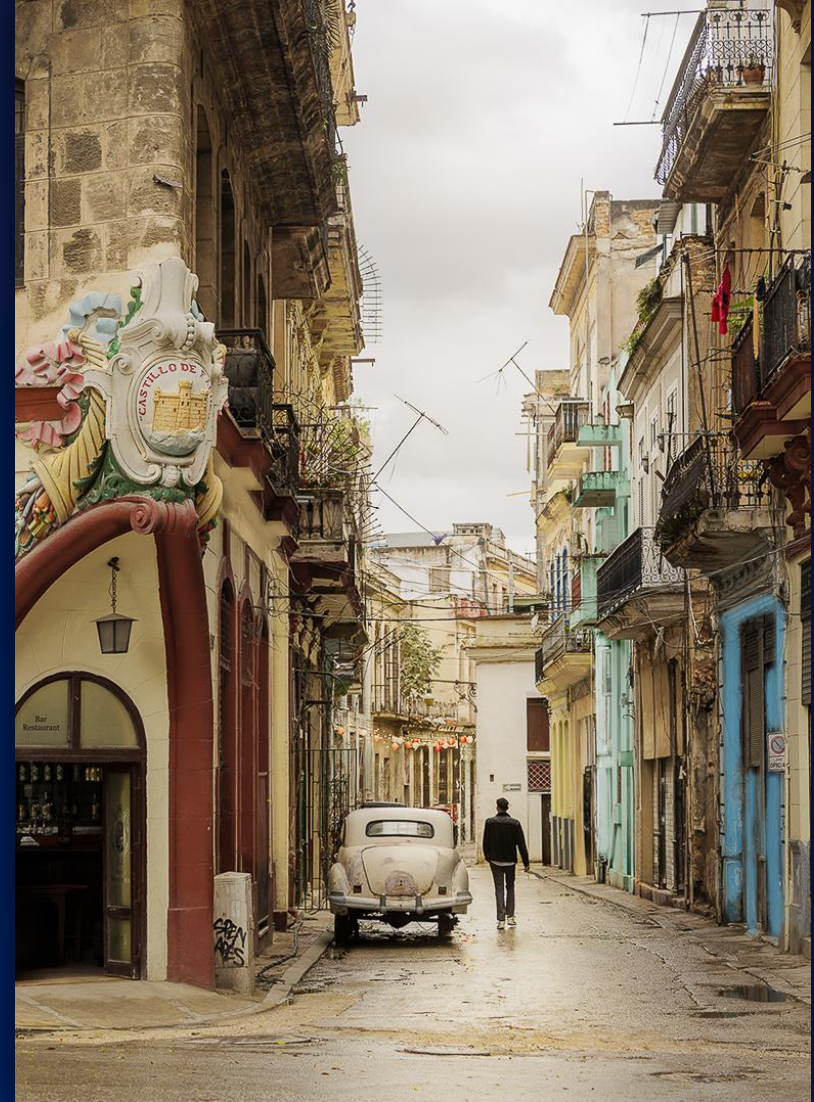
Cross country obstacle jump, Ramesh Chauhan



Winter vigil,
Ramesh
Chauhan



Havana Breaks, the Light
Persists, Johan Carignan



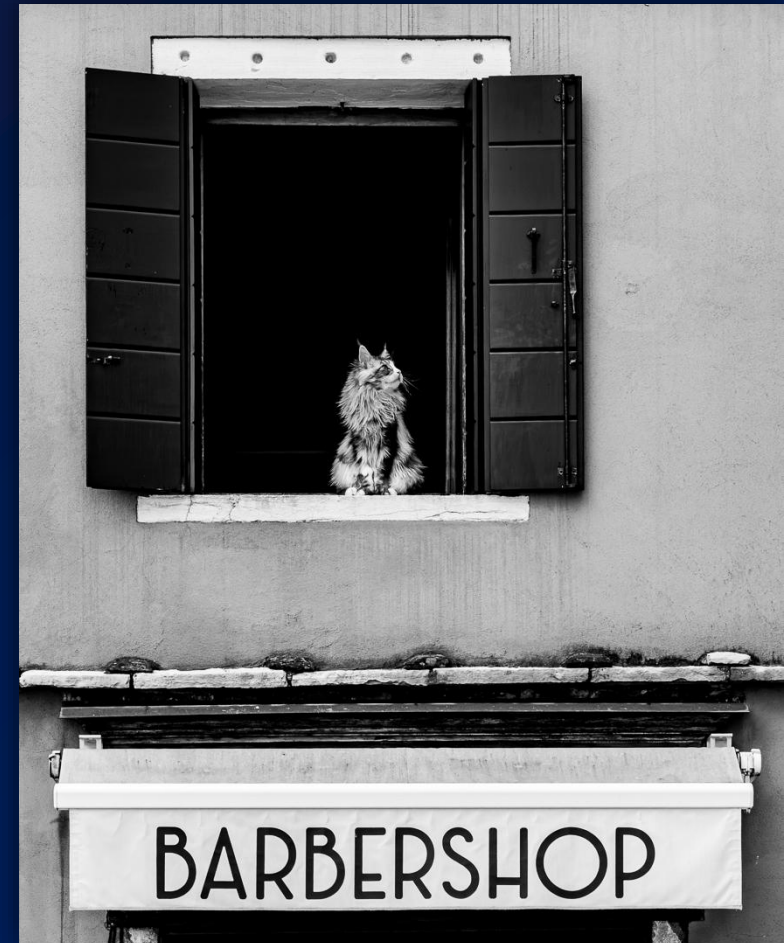


The Fastest, Jean-François Riel

Time for a Cut,
Jean-François Riel



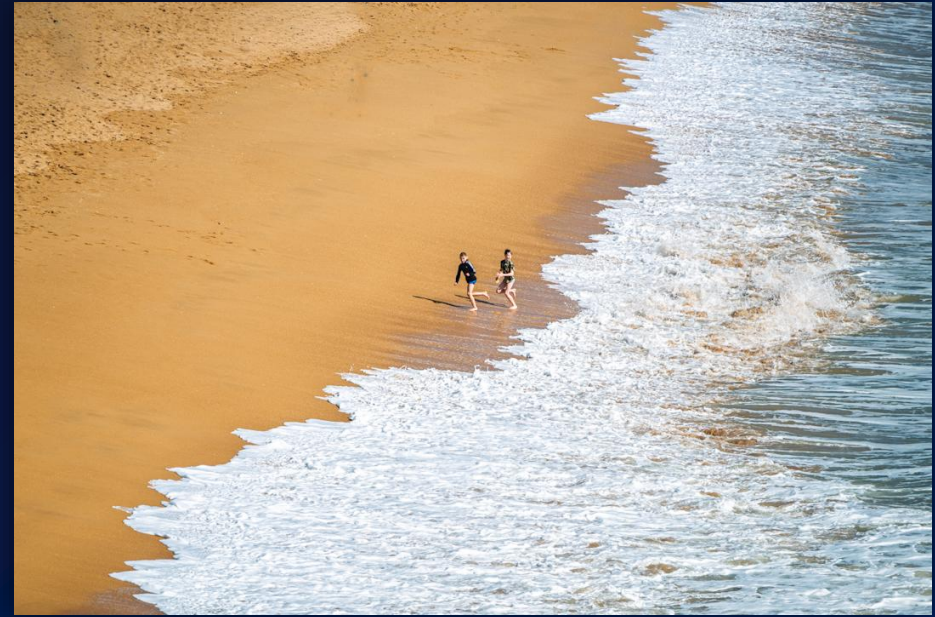
Surprise!,
Sharon Fry



The Hunter's Prize, Marianne Pethke



At the edge, Yoline Joseph-Hoskin



Precarious
Washer Delivery
Patricia Parsons

To The Thunderer His Arms, James Peverley

Breakfast, lunch & dinner!
Lynda Buske

Anniversary gift, Chris Taylor



Family Watching the
Sea, Scott Udle

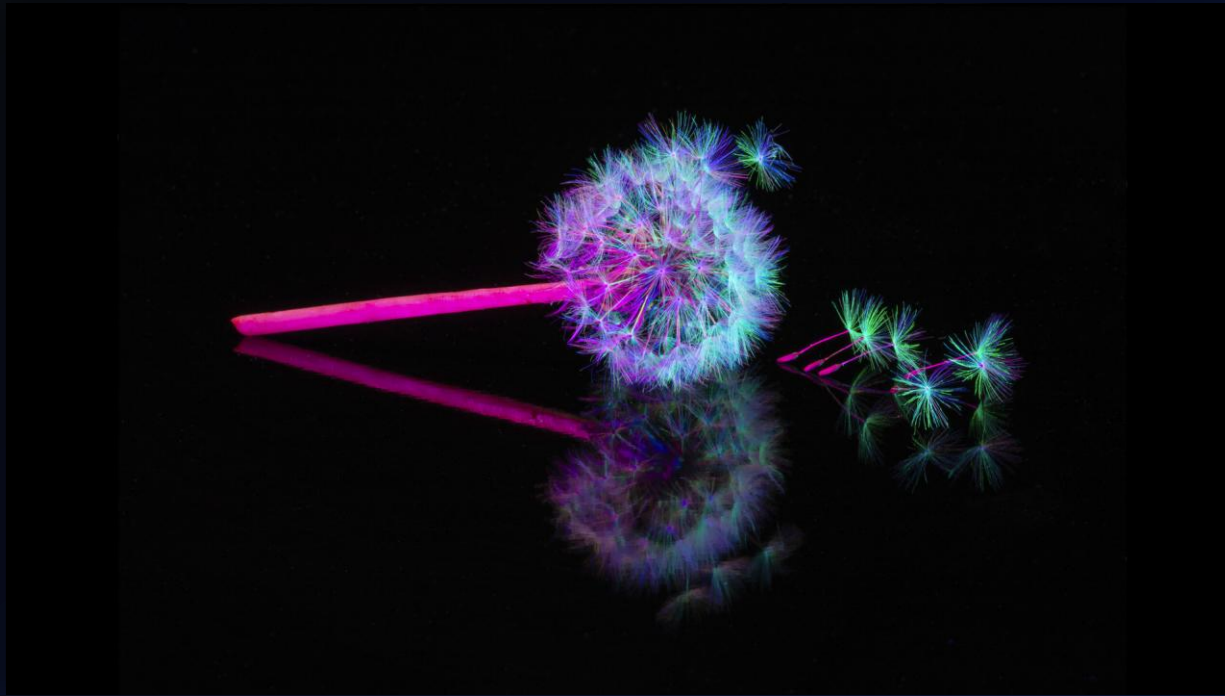


General category – 52 images from all clubs

Member	Score out of 30
Scott Udle	27
Sherwyn Solomon	26.5
Marianne Pethke	25.5
Patricia Parsons	25
Lynda Buske	24.5
Sharon Fry	24.5

Within top 25% of all entries

Within top third of all entries



MultiColoured Dandelion,
Patricia Parsons

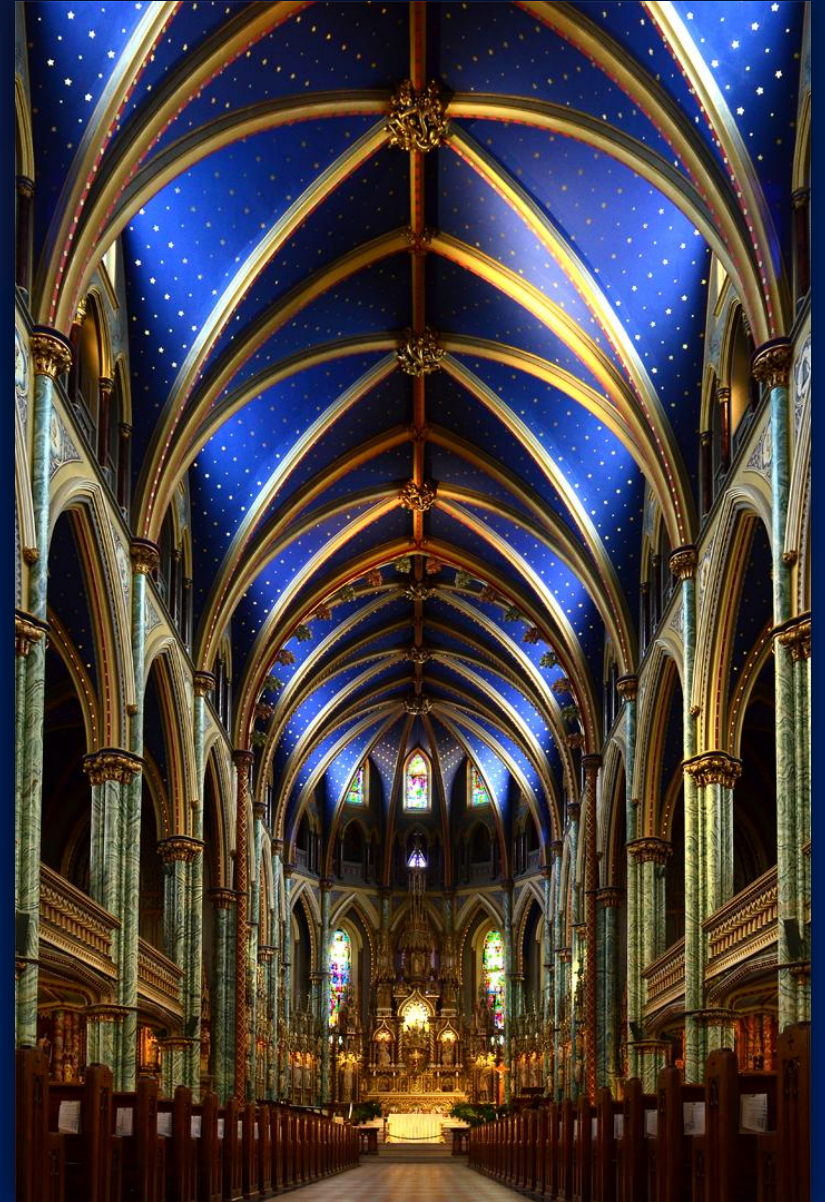
Mid-Preen Contemplation, Marianne Pethke



Good to the last drop, Lynda Buske



Notre Dame
Cathedral,
Sharon Fry





Source of Life,
Jean-François Riel

Garden visitor, Chris Taylor



Fall Solitude,
Ramesh Chauhan



Passing it on,
Yoline Joseph-Hoskin



Golden Bales,
James Peverley



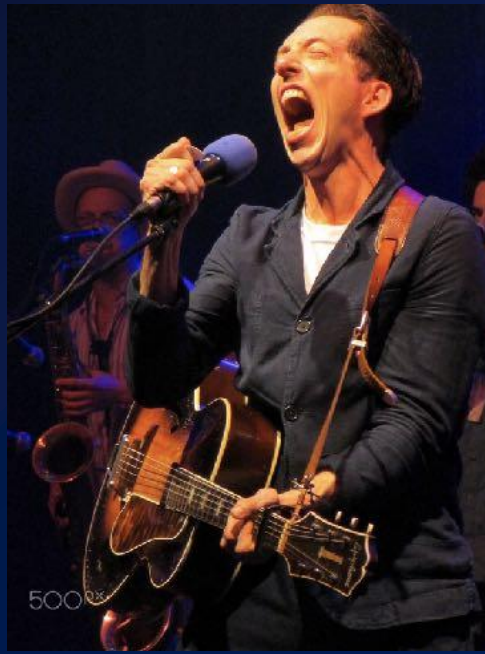
Don't Touch, Johan Carignan

May Technique – The Decisive Moment

- An image of an old bridge can make for a great picture. But if you wait for the moment when someone rides a bike over the bridge into that perfect spot of light then you have a much better story to tell. The decisive moment could be the interaction between birds, a child's burst of laughter or a stranger stepping into the light at the perfect moment. Henri Cartier-Bresson was a master at this technique.



Oleksandr Kuzmin - Unsplash



Scott Udle



Scott Udle



Lynda Buske



Peggy Wareham



Jean Moore



Ken Udle



Johan Carignan



Yoline Joseph-Hoskin



Ramesh Chauhan



Jean-Francois Riel



Scott Udle

Princess Louise Waterfalls Images - April 2026 -



Joyce



JF Riel



JF Riel



JF Riel



Marianne Pethke



Marianne Pethke



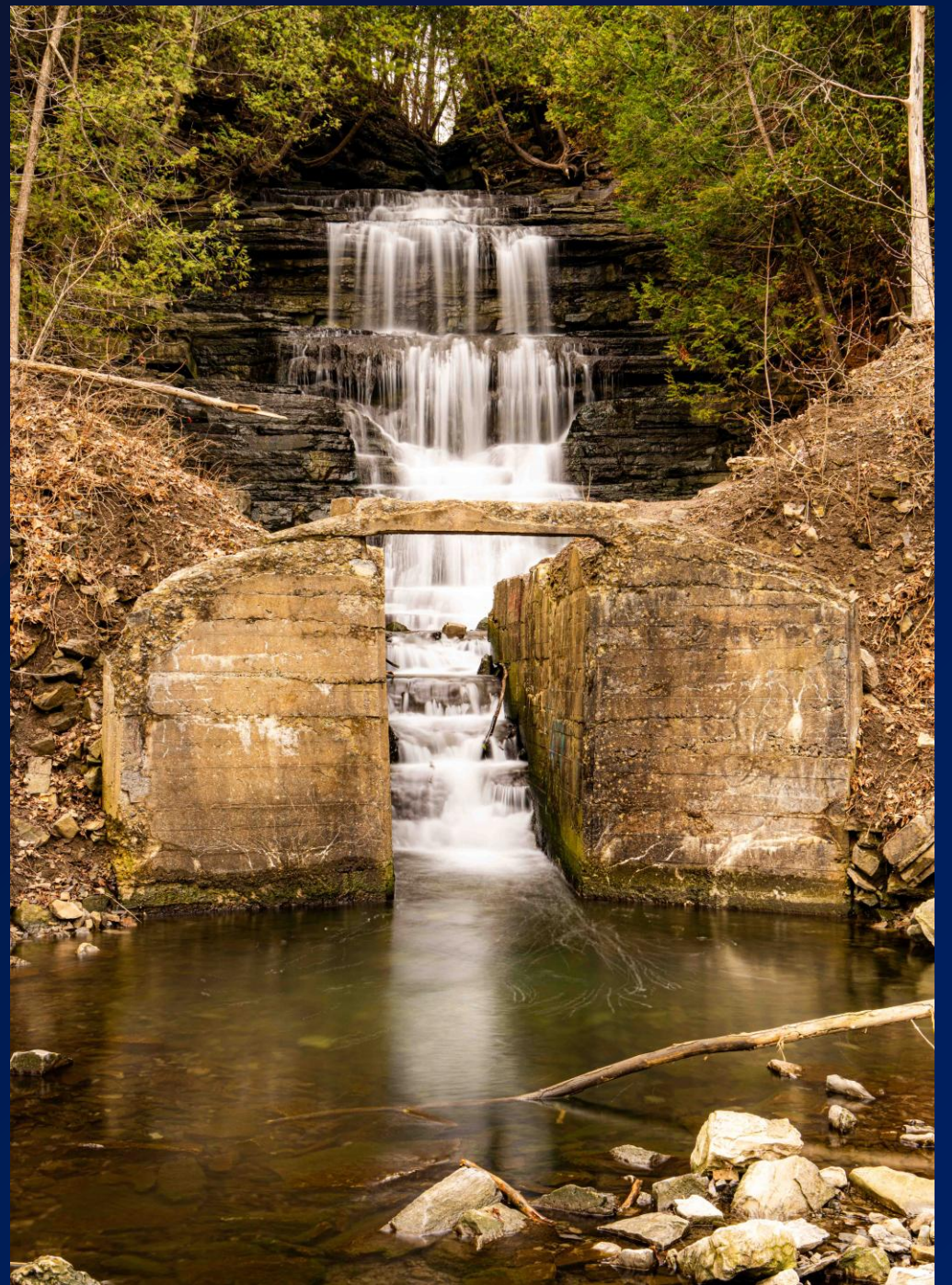
JP Lauzon



Johan Carignan



Darren Bessette





Johan Carignan



Johan Carignan

Photo 101

Vertical Panorama

Member Contribution

- Lynda Buske -

Notices



Elizabeth Kaminska

CAPA Membership

- CPOPC is a member of CAPA
- This entitles our members to a free limited membership in CAPA
- You have to register yourself as a member of a CAPA club
- You will be able to read the digital Canadian Photography magazine and submit articles to it
- You can also enter their club competitions

**Canadian Association For Photographic Art**

Menu

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May 2026 Outing: Glengarry Renaissance Festival

Outing facilitator: Johan Carignan

- **Date:** Saturday, 30 May 2026
- **Timings:** 9:30 AM - 2:00 PM
- **Location:** Maxville Fairgrounds,
35 Fair Street, Maxville ON
- **Participant Limit:** Unlimited



Knights of Valour

Experience the excitement and wonder of the Middle Ages in a festival like no other. , this event will transport you back in time to a world of knights, princesses, and medieval marvels.

- **Access:** Entrance Fee \$25.37
- **Contact me:** johcarignan@gmail.com

May 2026 Outing: Heart of Orleans Market

Outing facilitator: Johan Carignan

- **Date:** Sunday, 31 May 2026
- **Timings:** 9:30 AM - 2:00 PM
- **Location:** 250 Centrum Blvd, Orleans ON at the Gravel Pit, corner of Preston Dr & Centrum Blvd
- **Participant Limit:** Unlimited



Street and market photography, come practice candid moments, environmental portraits, colour, texture and story telling

- **Access:** Free (no entrance fee)
- **Register now**

CPOPC Communications

Communications Director: John Ingold



- Monthly Newsletter + deadline reminders
- Facebook: **Orleans Photo Club**
 - Challenge and Competition winners' photos, event updates
 - <https://www.facebook.com/CPOPC>
- Instagram: **Orleans_Photo_Club**
 - Member contributions photos, event updates
 - https://www.instagram.com/orleans_photo_club/?hl=en
 - Thank you to Trish Parsons for helping post member contributions



Why Join the CPOPC Forum?

- Ask a question
- Share a link
- Buy / sell gear
- Discuss any aspect of photography



Contact Chris at: Chris.Taylor@opcug.ca or VP@cpopc.ca

Presentations at Ottawa Public Library by Lynda Buske & Chris Taylor

FREE but best to register at

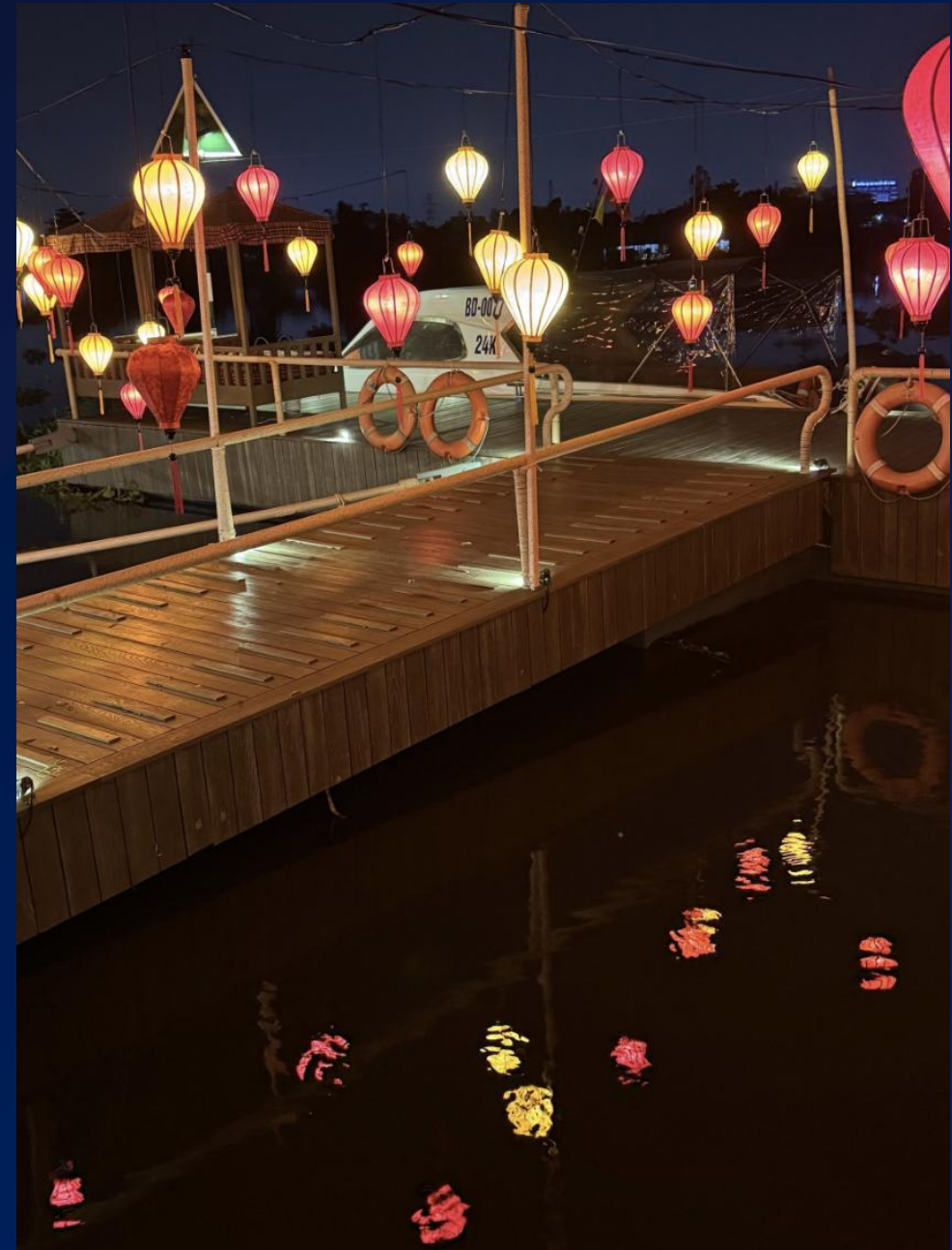
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- Mon May 11, 6pm, [How to buy a camera](#), Carlingwood
- Thurs May 14, 6pm, [How to take better vacation photos](#), Alta Vista
- Sat May 16, 2pm, [Tips & techniques](#), Cumberland
- Tues May 19, 6pm, [AI: Fun & useful tips](#), Blackburn Hamlet
- Friday May 22, 1:30pm, [Armchair travel Newfoundland](#), Sunnyside
- Monday, May 25, 6pm, [Macrophotography](#), Carlingwood
- Sunday, May 31, 11am, [How to make a photo book](#), Orleans
- Other computer-related presentations available as well.

If not registered, can still attend but contact lbuske@sympatico.ca to confirm it has not been cancelled.

Photo News

- CAPA's Canadian Photography Conference 2026
 - 13-16 July 2026 in Calgary
 - In-person and virtual options
 - www.CanadianPhotographyConference.ca



More Photo News

- Walk with Suliman Workshop
 - Chasing the Light
 - Seeing the light first, recognizing strong light, using contrast
 - Hands-on, outside
 - Byward Market Area
 - May 14th, 5:30 - 7:30 pm
 - \$45 pp, max 5 participants
 - <https://www.facebook.com/search/top?q=chasing%20the%20light%20photography>
 - Chadirjis@gmail.com



Marianne Pethke

AGM – June 13th

- It's important that you attend !
- Annual report of past activities
- New Executive Team
- CPOPC Constitution Update
- Look Ahead to Next Year
- POTLUCK !!



John Ingold

Next Meeting and Annual General Meeting

- Saturday, June 13th at 10:00am
IN PERSON at QHCC (Bob Monette)
- **Competition:** Furred or Feathered Friends - submit by May 30th
- Annual General Meeting
- Potluck !



Emily Udle

Final Words

"Great photography is about depth of feeling, not depth of field."

– Peter Adams

*Thank you and see you soon !
Merci et à bientôt !*



Andrea Fisher