

APRIL

DAGMAR & SCOTT ROBERTSON

*Our Journey into the
Wild and Beyond*



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APRIL SPEAKERS

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OUR JOURNEY INTO THE WILD AND BEYOND

Members of NPC since 2016, Dagmar and Scott Robertson are both self-taught photographers who began their path in photography while in their teens.

Dagmar initially photographed mainly family. As she grew older and traveled, she captured images from around the world.

Scott got his start as a teen, taking a night class with his father. His interests were trains, old buildings and Americana. His assignments in the Air Force took him and his camera around the globe.

A common interest in photography brought the two of them together in Germany where Dagmar lived and Scott was stationed. Their journey together has taken them to many interesting places. They enjoy photographing just about anything, but it could easily be said that they are obsessed with wildlife and nature.

Join the streamed NPC meeting on April 21 to hear about their journey into the wild and beyond.





CHECK THEM OUT ON THE WEB

[Flickr.com/photos/mugmarphoto](https://www.flickr.com/photos/mugmarphoto)

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Calendar of Events

CLUB MEETING – ONLINE ONLY!

Tuesday, April 21, 6:30pm
Online-only this month. Check your email late in the afternoon on April 21 for a link to a Zoom meeting.

SPEAKERS: Scott & Dagmar Robertson

PHOTO OF THE MONTH THEME: Before It's Gone

DIGITAL FOCUS GROUP

Thursday, April 23 • The meeting will be on Zoom.
 Time and content to be determined.

CLUB MEETING

Tuesday, May 19, 6:30pm
Watkins College of Art HOPEFULLY!!!
 2298 Rosa L. Parks Boulevard, Nashville, Tennessee

SPEAKER: Peter Cavanagh, *Photographing Birds in Flight*
PHOTO OF THE MONTH THEME: Seeing Red

DIGITAL FOCUS GROUP

Thursday, May 28, 6:00pm • Goodlettsville Public Library,
 205 Rivergate Parkway, Goodlettsville, Tennessee

A NIGHT AT THE MUSEUM – CLUB MEETING AND ANNUAL PICNIC

An afternoon and evening to photograph foreign cars and have our meeting as well as the annual Club picnic
 Tuesday, June 16, 4–8pm
 Lane Motor Museum
 702 Murfreesboro Pike, Nashville, Tennessee

Admittance to the Museum is free for NPC members
 \$5 for dinner—menu will be announced closer to the date
 Registration opens on May 1 through the NPC website

PHOTO OF THE MONTH THEME: Crank

DIGITAL FOCUS GROUP

Thursday, March 26, 6:00pm • Goodlettsville Public Library,
 205 Rivergate Parkway, Goodlettsville, Tennessee

NPC meets at 6:30pm on the third Tuesday of each month January through November. We will meet at Watkins College of Art through May, 2020. Watkins will close its doors in May. Club leaders are seeking a suitable venue. The Digital Focus Group meets on the fourth Thursday of each month, March through October, at the Goodlettsville Public Library.

HITTING THE LINKS

NPC T-shirts are available on Amazon

Four designs—each available in five different colors

Sold at cost for \$13.07

The shirts are made to order and will arrive about 7 days after you order.



Click on the bright blue letters to link to the design on Amazon. Or find all four with a search of "Nashville Photography Club t-shirt" on the Amazon site.

PHOTO OF THE MONTH CONTESTS FOR MARCH AND APRIL ARE NOW OPEN ONLINE.

Submit by April 19. Vote on April 20. Winners announced April 21.

Thanks to the efforts of Roger Pruitt, we are now able to conduct the Photo of the Month contest online as we practice social distancing and conduct this month's meeting online. Use these links to enter your photo for each:

March NPC Photo of the Month / Theme "MUSIC MAKERS"

tncps.com/march-npc-photo-of-the-month-contest-theme-music-makers/

April NPC Photo of the Month / Theme "BEFORE IT'S GONE"

tncps.com/april-npc-photo-of-the-month-theme-before-its-gone/

- Photos may be submitted through April 19th for both contests.
- Voting will begin Monday April 20th and end at midnight.
- Winners will be announced during the online NPC club meeting April 21st.

Most of the usual rules apply:

- You may submit ONE photo for each contest
- Be sure it was taken in the 12 months prior to the contest month
- You must be an NPC member with dues paid up to date
- Photos will be resized automatically if they are larger than the maximum size allowed, so don't worry about size
- \$50 cash prize for first place.

PHOTO OF THE MONTH

RULES

- 1 You must be a member with dues paid up to date.
- 2 Photograph must pertain to the Monthly Theme (April's theme is Before It's Gone).
- 3 Image size limits: Minimum 4"x 6" to Maximum 12" (long side).
- 4 Slip ONE photo into the container provided for judging.
- 5 Photograph needs to be taken within the 12 months prior to the contest month.
- 6 You must be present to win.

UPCOMING THEMES

- MARCH:** Music Makers
APRIL: Before It's Gone
MAY: Seeing Red
JUNE: Crank
JULY: See Through
AUGUST: Slow Shutter
SEPTEMBER: Doorways
OCTOBER: Alternate Perspective
NOVEMBER: Decay/Decrepit
JANUARY: Cell Phone Photos
FEBRUARY: Landscape



"To me, photography is an art of observation. It's about finding something interesting in an ordinary place... I've found it has little to do with the things you see and everything to do with the way you see them."

— ELLIOTT ERWITT
American photographer and filmmaker

PARTING SHOT



MOSCOU. LE KREMLIN
TRANSLATION:
[THE KREMLIN TOWARDS
THE PLACE ROUGE,
MOSCOW, RUSSIA]

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1890 AND 1900

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