

ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING – MAY 5, 2026

In addition to the normal material presented, the officers for 2026–2027 will be elected. Their positions will be effective June 1 of this year. The nominating Committee has proposed the following:

President: Jim Whitehead Secretary: Carol Sandt (Incumbent)
Vice President: Tom Loane (Incumbent) Treasurer: Heather Franz (Incumbent)

We'll also be showing the pictures used in the Traveling exhibit.

Water Scenes



Tuesday, May 5, 2:00 p.m. in the Cultural Center Education Room.
Club members, friends, family, guests, and all Willow Valley residents are welcome.

PHOTO CHALLENGE FOR JUNE 2

Trees



Photos submitted by noon Saturday, May 30 will be included in the slide show at the Camera Club meeting on June 2. Please send entries to ccwvchallenge@gmail.com

FUTURE CHALLENGES (subject to change)

June: Trees

September: Birds

October: Leading Lines

November: Doorways

December: Curves

PREVIOUS CHALLENGE PICTURES

Previous Challenge pictures continue to be shown weekly on the Entertainment Channel, Campus TV 4/Comcast 956, at 11:00 a.m., 3:30 p.m., and 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. This month we'll be showing *It has Four Legs or More*, *My 2021 Summer Favorites*, *It Starts with the Letter B*, and *Frames*.

STUDIO OPEN DOOR

The Open Door session at the Studio will be held on Wednesday, May 6 and is open to all residents.

The sessions are typically held the first Wednesday of the month from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. at Lakes B-312. You can receive help with photography questions, have a few pictures printed or edited, or see the resources available to Club members.

PHOTO EXHIBITS

If you have an exhibit and would like it included here, please let us know.

Jane Koester will have an exhibit of photos from Lube, Maine at the Manor Club for May, June, and beginning of July.



Each month, the Five Fine Fotos are showcased on the lower level of the Cultural Center, near the elevators. When it's your turn to submit, you'll receive a request—members are invited in alphabetical order.

They will also be displayed at Meadow Ridge, the Glen, and the Studio.

The Club's 2026 Traveling Exhibit will be displayed in North through May. Then it will move to Meadow Ridge for June. The displayed pictures are from the 38 pictures selected from the 2024 and 2025 Five Fine Fotos.

SIG MEETINGS

The next Lightroom/Photoshop SIG will be May 21 at 10:00 a.m. via Zoom. We'll answer any questions, look at video tutorials, and explore editing photos using the wide range of tools and techniques available in LR/PS. If you'd like more information or would like the link to join the meetings contact tonypoulos3@gmail.com.

SPRING RENAISSANCE CLASSES

Classes will be held in the Cultural Center Education Room. Register using ERS (Event Registration). The classes are on page 74.

February 11, 10:00 a.m. *Introduction to Google Photos*, Ron Dillon.

May 6, 1:30 p.m. *Great Photographers, Part 10: The Modern Documentary* Carolyn Bausinger.

MAY EVENTS

- 5 Our regular meeting
- 6 Studio Open Door – Lakes B-312, 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
- 21 Lightroom/Photoshop SIG at 10:00 a.m.
- 27 Executive Council Meeting, 2:30 in the Spring Run Conference Room.

April 7 MEETNIG

The meeting was held in the Cultural Center Education Room. There were 48 in attendance. The *Landscapes* Challenge photos were presented (57 contributors and 197 slides).

OUR WEBSITE cameraclubwv.com

Our website contains Events, Club Info, Photos, Education, Studio, Organization, Current Challenge Theme, Help, Helpful Links, Current InFOCUS newsletter, and new Membership Application.

OFFICERS FOR 2025–2026, CURRENT MEMBERSHIP

President: John Comey

Secretary: Carol Sandt

Vice president: Tom Loane

Treasurer: Heather Franz

There are 163 current members.

QUESTIONS? Contact Tony Poulos, tonypoulos3@gmail.com