

**Yes! I would like to become a member of the Niagara Falls Camera Club!**

Simply fill out the form below and bring this form with you to the next Camera Club meeting in the LaMarsh Room at the Niagara Falls Public Library on Victoria Avenue.

We look forward to seeing you there.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

May we add you to our e-mail contact list?

Yes:  No:

**NIAGARA FALLS  
CAMERA CLUB**



Photo by Anita Hubbard



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2018 Sept. 10 6:30 PM	<b>The Streets of Havana – Peter Ferguson</b> Old cars, colourful people and fascinating buildings make Havana a paradise for photographers. Share in the experience with images and anecdotes from this colourful island city.
Sept. 24	Monthly Competition #1 6:30 PM
Oct. 1 6:30 PM	<b>Understanding Light – Ray Sopczuk</b> Ray will give us a thorough explanation of light and its qualities and how to put it to practical use. There will be an opportunity to shoot, so bring your cameras.
Oct. 15	Monthly Competition #2 6:30 PM
Nov. 5 6:30 PM	<b>Studio Portrait Lighting – Charles Vandersluys</b> Our very own Charles will bring in some studio lighting and teach us how to use a light meter and how to create great portrait.
Nov. 9	Monthly Competition #3 6:30 PM
Dec. 3 6:30 PM	<b>Finding Your Creative Self – Doug Hansgate</b> This program will focus on taking your images beyond what your camera sees. Learn how to explore a more full and complete understanding of how we can become creative artists, not just photographers. I have for years said that I don't take pictures but rather create images. Let me show you how to explore your creative nature, in camera and in post-production.
Dec. 17	Monthly Competition #4 and <b>Christmas Potluck</b> 6:30 PM
2019 Jan. 7 6:30 PM	<b>Macro Oil and Water by Cheryl Belczak</b> We'll have fun trying to mix them! Tips, tricks and ideas for creating impactful images with two simple ingredients. Join us for a short presentation and then to give it a try yourself! There will be three workstations so bring your camera, tripod and macro lens (if you have one). This is a fun and engaging way to photograph during the cold winter months when you want to stay home and warm.
Jan. 21	Monthly Competition #5 6:30 PM
Feb. 4 6:30 PM	<b>Composites – Bill Carpenter</b> Extraction, background selection and fine tuning.
Feb. 25	Monthly Competition #6 6:30 PM
March 4 6:30 PM	<b>Impactful Landscapes – Dave Lindey</b> By diligently planning, we will give ourselves the best opportunity to capture the best light that a scene demands. Making an artful landscape is a process.... Plan, Visualize, Compose, Shoot and Experiment!
March 18	<b>Digital Image and Print of the Year Competition</b> 6:30 PM
TBD	<b>29th Annual Rainbow Competition</b>
TBD	<b>NFCC Annual Awards Banquet</b>



The 2018 - 2019  
**NIAGARA FALLS  
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All Meeting will start at **6:30 PM** this year.

# COME JOIN THE FUN



Photo by Pearl Bacso

## ABOUT US

Since 1954, the Niagara Falls Camera Club has gathered for interested persons to learn, enjoy, discuss and explore photography.

Over the years, the Club has met in various locations. In 1975, it found its present home at the Niagara Falls Public Library on Victoria Avenue.

The Niagara Falls Camera Club is part of, and one of the founding clubs, of the Niagara Frontier Regional Camera Clubs (NFRCC). This group comprises eighteen Canadian and American camera and photographic clubs situated along the Niagara Frontier. Annually, each club takes part in various competitions throughout the year as well as digital image/ print salons at the annual NFRCC Convention.



Photo by Shiree Jetha

The Niagara Falls Camera Club invites you to explore the many facets of photography through programmes, workshops, critiques, competitions, and the exchange of ideas. The purpose of the Club is to improve the members' photographic skills through sharing of ideas and experiences. Members range from beginners to widely experienced photographers.

Meetings are held at **6:30 PM** (refreshments at 6:00 PM) September through March, generally on the 1st and 3rd Monday of each month in the LaMarsh Room at the Niagara Falls Public Library on Victoria Avenue.

The Club holds monthly competitions open to all paid members. There are also "Digital Image" and "Print of the Year" competitions in March.

The annual "Rainbow Competition" between Niagara Falls Camera Club and Twin Cities Camera Club (located in Tonawanda, New York) is held in mid-April with the two clubs taking turns as host.

## WE OFFER

- A variety of guest speakers who discuss various topics of interest.
- Six Monthly competitions per year, critiqued by skilled photographers.
- Diverse workshops, instructed by skilled photographers.
- Club socials.
- Like-minded people that share photographic knowledge and experiences - receive answers to your questions.



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