SANP FEBRUARY 2014 NEWSLETTER

FEBRUARY MONTHLY MEETING

Date: Tuesday, February 25, 2014

Time: Social time 6:30pm/Meeting 7:00pm

Location: Goins Auditorium, Pellissippi State Technical Community College

Our presenters this month are SANP Members Brad and Sharon Cottrell. They will be presenting two programs based on their 2013 European tour, "Voyage of the Vikings" and "Romantic European." Their 2013 trip was very different from their 2011 trip, and Sharon gave the following locations that will be included in each program:

"Voyage of the Vikings" which includes travels to the Fjords and Waterfalls (Norway), Copenhagen (Denmark), Stockholm (Sweden), Helsinki (Finland), Kristiansand (Norway), Tallinn (Estonia), and St. Petersburg (Russia), Cobh, Belfast, and Dublin in Ireland, Djupivogur, Heimaey, and Reykjavik in Iceland, Nanortalik, Greenland, and St. Anthony and St. Johns in Newfoundland.

"Romantic European" which includes Rothenburg (Germany), Prague (Czech Republic), Budapest (Hungary), Bratislava (Slovakia), Cinque Terre (Italy) and a few new pictures from Paris, Rome, Florence, Lucerne, Venice, and London.

For someone thinking about a trip to these areas, these programs will give an overview of some of the best these countries have to offer. For all of us, these programs will give a great look into both the natural and cultural beauty of the "Old World."

BIOS

Brad and Sharon have been photographers for many years selling photographs in galleries in Gatlinburg and Townsend, and winning many local photography contests. Since retiring they have traveled extensively throughout the United States, Canada, British Isles, and Europe using photography to document the beautiful scenery enjoyed during these travel opportunities.

Brad started in photography over 40 years ago. He has earned the Certificate in Photography from Pellissippi State Community College and has won many Dogwood Arts Festival photo contests. His interest is primarily in landscape and wildlife photography. Sharon started in photography about ten years ago and since then she has won over 50 photo contests, including ten winning photos for the Knox Heritage Art and Architecture Tour. Most recently she won the 2012 Insight Vacations International Photo Contest with her photo of *Santorini*, which has been published in the Insight Vacations 2013 Tour Catalog and in the AAA *Going Places* Magazine. Both of them have also judged photography contests for most of the East Tennessee area photography clubs.

2014 SALON DINNER REGISTRATION

The 2014 Salon Dinner Registration Form is included at the end of this newsletter. The 2014 SANP Salon Dinner is scheduled for Friday, April 11, 2014. Please order your tickets by April 4, 2014.

2014 SALON VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Our annual SANP Salon is scheduled for Friday, April 11, 2014. As usual, we need members to volunteer for various duties required for the day of the judging and for the event itself. The Salon judging will be held on Saturday, March 22, 2014 at First United Methodist Church of Knoxville on Kingston Pike.

For several years now the same members (for the most part) have been involved with bringing this event to fruition. They have done an excellent job, and there is a good template already in place for the logistics of the process. I would ask each member to consider helping with this event.

If you are willing to help, please contact Kendall Chiles at kchiles@knology.net or Ed Dumas at ed@eddumas.com.

WINSTON HALL PHOTOGRAPHY WORKSHOP WEEKEND

SANP is pleased to announce that veteran nature photographer Winston Hall will be presenting a workshop weekend for us on Saturday and Sunday, May 3 & 4, 2014. Each day will be a distinctly different workshop.

On Saturday, May 3 Winston will be presenting a classroom workshop entitled "Understanding, Describing, and Creating with Light" in the Goins Auditorium at Pellissippi State Technical Community College. Unlike most classroom workshops, this workshop will include some hands-on photography throughout the day, so be sure to bring your camera gear ready to shoot. This workshop is limited to 150 people (capacity of Goins Auditorium). Cost for the Saturday workshop is \$75 for SANP members and \$90 for non-members, and includes lunch at the PSTCC cafeteria. A one-year SANP membership is also included in the non-members registration.

Registration will be limited to SANP members only until February 15. After February 15, registration will be open to the public, and we will be sending information to other photography clubs in the East Tennessee area.

On Sunday, May 4 Winston will lead a hands-on field workshop. The exact locations will be determined the week of the workshop, but the most likely places will probably be in Cherokee NF or Great Smoky Mountains NP. This workshop will be limited to 12 participants and will cost \$75 per person. Registration is on a first come basis and payment is required at time of registration. You must attend the Saturday, May 3 workshop to be eligible to attend the Sunday, May 4 workshop. This Sunday workshop will be open to SANP members only.

To register for this workshop please complete the registration form at the end of this newsletter. Checks should be made payable to SANP. Please mail your registration

form and check to Bob Turney at the address on the registration. He will confirm your registration.

CAMERA CLUB COUNCIL OF TENNESSEE (3CT)

Many of you may not be aware that SANP is a member club of 3CT. 3CT is a network of photography clubs from all across the state. Their newsletters include information about meetings and events all over the state. Please check out their website at www.act.org, and their newsletters can be viewed on the community page.

FUTURE 2013 MEETINGS

March 25, 2014 Kris Light

April 11, 2014 Salon Dinner Banquet

May 27, 2014

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SANP 2014 Salon Competition Dinner Meeting Order Tickets by April 4, 2014

The SANP 2014 Salon Competition dinner meeting will be held on Friday, April 11th at Buddy's Bar-B-Q Banquet Hall (Bearden), 5806 Kingston Pike, Knoxville TN. The banquet hall will open at 6:00 P.M. for social time and viewing of the color and black & white print entries. The buffet dinner will be served at 6:30 P.M. Afterwards, the projected entries will be shown.

Tickets to the SANP 2014 Salon Competition dinner meeting must be ordered and paid for by April 4, 2014. The cost is \$20.00 per person, members and guests. Make your check payable to SANP and mail it to:

SANP c/o Jim Britt 12604 Ridgepath Ln Knoxville, TN 37922

Advanced **ticket orders are required**. Jim must **receive your payment by April 4, 2014**. Upon receipt of your payment a confirmation letter will be sent via email or U.S. Postal Service. Bring this letter/receipt to the competition dinner. It will be your admittance ticket.

REMINDER: SANP will NO	OT have a monthly meeting on Tuesday,	April 29!
DINNER I	MEETING TICKET RESERVATION	
NAME:		
ADDRESS:		
EMAIL:		
PHONE:		
NUMBER OF DINERS:		
AMOUNT ENCLOSED:		

WINSTON HALL NATURE PHOTOGRAPHY WORKSHOP Saturday, May 3, 2014

Southern Appalachian Nature Photographers (SANP) is pleased to present a workshop by veteran nature photographer Winston Hall on Saturday, May 3, 2014 in Knoxville, Tennessee.

Winston's classroom workshop will be held in the Goins Auditorium on the Hardin Valley campus of Pellissippi State Technical Community College (PSTCC). This workshop will be limited to 150 people (capacity of Goins Auditorium). Cost for the workshop, which includes lunch at the PSTCC cafeteria, will be \$75 per person for SANP members and \$90 per person for non-members. Advanced registration is required for everyone (No registration at the door).

Registration and payment for the Winston Hall classroom workshop will be limited to SANP members only until February 15, 2014. After February 15 registration will be open to the public. Make your check payable to SANP and mail it to:

SANP c/o Bob Turney 200 Skyview Dr Lenoir City, TN 37772

Advanced registration and payment is required. Bob must **receive your registration form and payment by April 25, 2014**. Upon receipt of your payment a confirmation letter will be sent via email or U.S. Postal Service. Bring the confirmation letter/receipt to the workshop. It will be your admittance ticket.

Cut on line below and submit the bottom section together with you payment.

WINSTON HALL WORKSHOP REGISTRATION		
NAME:		
ADDRESS:		
EMAIL:		
PHONE:		
SANP MEMBER?:	YES NO (check one)	
NUMBER OF PEOPLE:		
AMOUNT ENCLOSED:	\$	