



PC NEWS

January 2017 Newsletter

Happy New Year to the 1960 PCUG Members! Hope you have a most wonderful and prosperous year. We have had many changes and amazing happenings in our club, technology, and the entire world! Just think of all the advances since this club has been in existence. "PC" is a more or less passé term. So many devices are available, especially the smart phone, which can do many times the functions of our original personal computers. Does anyone use a camera anymore? I do, but the phone is multifunctional and captures fantastic images that can be edited, shared, and printed all from the phone commands. My, how our world has changed! Just imagine what the world will be like in the next few years ---- incomprehensible!



Rolling into the New Year

Photo by Ed Latawiec

General Meeting and Digital Photography SIG

Thursday, January 5, 2017 at 7:00pm

Note: New Meeting Location

Cypressdale Club House, 4815 Elmbrook Drive, Spring, TX 77388

TOPIC: Japan: A Brief Survey of its Shrines, Temples, Parks & Historic Places

PRESENTER: Rich Pollock

6:30 PM:

- Membership sign-in, pay dues, and greet visitors.
- Spend time with other members and share your questions and answers (refreshments will not be provided at this time)

7:00 PM to 7:15 PM:

- General Meeting Announcements

7:15 PM to 9:00 PM:

- Digital Photography SIG

One of our own members, **Rich Pollock**, has stepped up to the plate and is prepared to hit a home run with his presentation in January entitled "**Japan: A Brief Survey of its Shrines, Temples, Parks & Historic Place.**" Rich and his lovely wife Ginny have traveled extensively over the years, and he has shared many of his photos with us in the past (in 2014 he did "Morocco: People & Places," then in 2015 "Photographic Tour of Italy" and most recently in 2016 "Israel: Christian, Jewish & Secular Sites").

Rich has a keen eye for things photogenic, and he does a masterful job in post-processing his images. His presentations are always a feast for the eyes, especially for those of us who haven't traveled as widely. I hope to see all of you on **Thurs. Jan. 5th at 7:00 PM.**

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Rich Pollock

Technology SIG

Tuesday, January 10, 7-9 p.m. Sam Sanderson, Leader

Cypressdale Club House, 4815 Elmwood Drive, Spring 77388

At the Technology SIG we have discussions on a wide variety of subjects pertaining to all technology new and old and of course many topics surrounding all versions of the Microsoft Windows operating systems. The primary subject matter will be driven by the specific questions or request from the attendees.

No subject is off limits; we cover it all. Come and join us. The topics are always interesting. It is amazing all of the technology know-how that exists within our club members.

This SIG is becoming more popular with members as Sam leads the group to solve problems, learn current information, answer questions, and shares the latest technology. You will be amazed at how much fun we have at this meeting. Attend the SIG and discover a vast amount of new information.



Jim Kelly



Photography Articles for January

Here are the latest selections from Jim Sandham:

“Common Traits That Make Great Photos, Part 1

<http://tinyurl.com/jqwu3ve>

“Common Traits That Make Great Photos, Part 2

<http://tinyurl.com/hmc5sijk>

“7 Common Questions About Long Exposure Photography Answered”

<http://tinyurl.com/hyftb4>

“How to Find Fulfillment as an Amateur Photographer”

<http://tinyurl.com/jmvlrqj>

“Tips for Creating a Killer Vacation Photo Book”

<http://tinyurl.com/hllool7>

We appreciate Jim taking the time to select articles to help you with photography questions and tips.



Judith Tooth



Art Rothenberg



Jim Sandham



Jim Kelly

Genealogy SIG

Thursday, January 26, 7-9 p.m., Lee Smith, Leader

Cypressdale Club House, 4815 Elmwood, Spring 77388

Watch for an upcoming announcement regarding the January 26th meeting. Lee always has an interesting topic planned.



Ed Latawic



David Gustine

Wishing you all a safe, healthy, and Happy New Year from the Board of the 1960 PCUG. Come out to our new location for one or more of our monthly meetings.

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