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November Monthly Meeting—Join us Tues, Nov 24, at 7p for a virtual ZOOM meeting featuring Tony Sweet

At the November meeting, Tony Sweet—known throughout the United States and Canada as an in-demand speaker on photography and creativity—will share a program with us he calls “Compelling Composition: Isolate and Simplify.” This program is a tour de force of compositional techniques and creative applications for greatest visual impact. Per Tony, the overriding concept is to learn to isolate and simplify the subject.

Among the topics discussed will be the power of perspectives, the power of line in visual design, creating visual drama, the use of strong graphics to enhance visual interest and drama. This presentation will hopefully increase attendees’ attention to detail in creating clean, direct, compelling compositions. Tony encourages participants to ask questions during and after the seminar (using the Zoom chat feature).



Tony Sweet, November presenter (bio p.2)

If you plan to attend, please email sanpinfo@sanp.net. Then look for an email on Sunday afternoon, Nov. 22, with the Zoom link. Social time begins at 6:45. Be sure to connect before 7.

Information about this program and other club events is also available on the [SANP website](http://sanp.net).

Bio: Tony Sweet, SANP Presenter for November

Coming from an artistic background as a professional jazz artist and professional close-up magician (sleight-of-hand artist), Tony has always sought creative, deeply personal endeavors.

The transition from jazz artist to nature photographer was a seamless transition as both require an improvisational nature and an ability to adapt to quickly changing conditions. The rhythms and sound shapes of jazz are comparable to the rhythms and graphic shapes captured in photography.

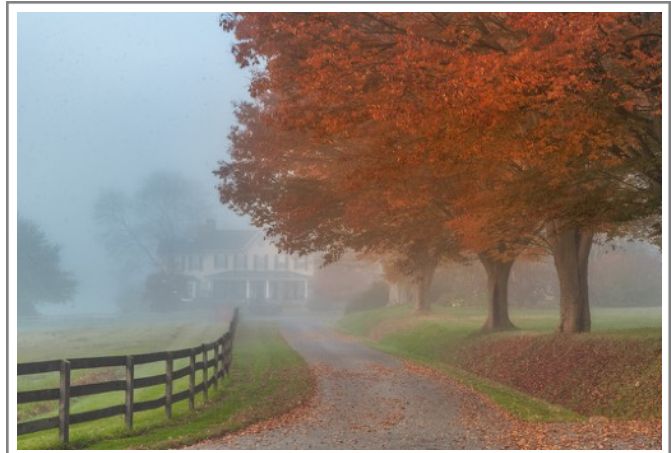
Tony's photography, which is published worldwide in every medium, is represented by Getty Images. Tony's images are also used by Nikon, Exposure Software, Singh Ray, Topaz, Lensbaby and others for national ad campaigns.

Tony was named as a Nikon Legend Behind the Lens and has been published worldwide for over 35 years. He has authored eight books, contributed to many others, co-produced an educational DVD series, and teaches and lectures throughout the United States, Canada, Iceland, and Cuba.

Tony is co-owner, along with Susan Milestone, of their Visual Artistry Location Workshops Series, Creativity Seminars, Zoom Presentations, Online workshops, and Private 1 on 1 sessions.

An interview with Tony on macro photography was published in The New York Times.

Please visit <http://tonysweet.com> for more information about his photography and his workshops and seminars.



Some examples of Tony Sweet's photographs, illustrating compelling composition, all copyright Tony Sweet.



Note from Dale Potter, Salon Coordinator: Salon 2021 will be here quickly — time will fly by with the upcoming holidays. Remember to pay your dues so you can participate. Check out our [website](#) and pay your dues online. The special category in digital is **panoramas** with a minimum 2 to 1 aspect ratio. If you are interested in being an assistant salon coordinator, please contact [me](#) or [Kendall](#).

About our SANP website...

The following two articles by Brad Cottrell, Membership Manager, are designed to help us all become better acquainted with our new website. Questions? Ask Brad, sanpmembership@gmail.com.

Membership renewal just got a lot easier!

Thanks to the SANP Membership Management system, you can renew your membership on the SANP website.

For most of you, your membership renewal date is January 1, 2021, and in early December you will receive an email reminder that your membership is about to expire.

To renew your membership, click the green **Renew your membership** button and complete your renewal online with a credit card payment. For payment by check, follow the instructions in [How to renew your SANP Membership](#) (PDF). (If your renewal date is other than January 1, 2021, you will receive a reminder to renew about thirty days before your membership expires.)

Renewal is a good time to change to the convenience of Automatic Renewals. It's easy: just follow the instructions in [How to Change to Automatic Renewals](#) (PDF).

While you are renewing your membership, I urge you to review your profile and complete any missing information. I especially encourage you to upload a photo of yourself, enter your bio, and check off your favorite photographic interests. All these things will help others in the club get to know you better.

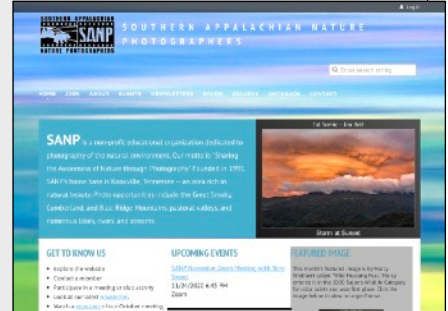
SANP in your pocket

A mobile app has been added to the SANP Membership Management system. The new app will provide convenient access to the following features:

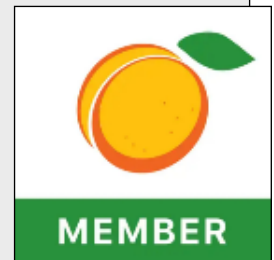
- Renew your membership
- View the member directory
- Email your fellow members
- View the calendar of upcoming events
- Register for events
- Add events to your calendar app
- View and update your member profile
- View your membership card

To get the app, go to the Apple App Store or the Google Play Store and install the app called Wild Apricot for Members. Log in with the same email and password that you use for the SANP website. The app is easy to use. If you have questions about any of its features, you can find answers in either of these user guides, [SANP Mobile App for Members \(iOS\)](#) or [SANP Mobile App for Members \(Android\)](#).

All the PDFs mentioned in these articles are also available from the [Membership Management Help](#) page of the website, located under the [Members](#) navigation link.



SANP website homepage



Mobile App Icon

Future 2020 Meetings

Nov Tony Sweet
 Dec No meeting

SANP Officers

President: [Kendall Chiles](#), 865-363-1525
 Vice President: Ed Stickle
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Community Outreach: [Ron Sentell](#)
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 Workshop Organizer: Open
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2020: Ed Dumas
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 Ed Stickle
 2022: David Boruff
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For Sale by Ron McConathy

Canon equipment, all fully functional and in excellent condition:

- EOS R camera (body only) \$1285
- Powershot G10 camera \$80
- EF 28-70mm f/2.8 L USM lens \$480
- EF 24-105mm f/4L IS USM lens \$450
- EF-S 15-85mm f/3.5-5.6 IS USM lens \$260
- EF 28-135mm f/3.5-5.6 IS Macro USM lens \$155
- Battery Charger CB-2LW \$18

Check Craig's List Knoxville or call Ron at 865.376.3976 for details.

CAMERA CLUB COUNCIL OF TENNESSEE (3CT)

SANP is a member club of 3CT, www.3ct.org, which is a network of photography clubs from across Tennessee and neighboring states. Their [monthly newsletter](#) (over 20 pages) includes information about meetings and events for member clubs. You can also visit their Facebook page at www.facebook.com/CameraClubCouncilOfTennessee.

Update on SANP Member Dennis Sabo:

If you were not yet aware of Dennis Sabo's art career, please take a few minutes to check out this recently completed video, "The Art of Seeing — The Photographic Art of Dennis Sabo." This video showcases Dennis's journey as an artist, provides comments from collectors, and shows examples of some of his favorite photography.

https://youtu.be/Dg_Bm9g57VQ

"My wish is to stay always like this,
 living quietly in a corner of nature."

—Claude Monet



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