

January 2023



Blythe Ferry, © Theresa Williams

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Another year has come to a close. It's been wonderful to return to in-person meetings after the Covid pandemic dictated that we not gather in 2020 & 2021. We look forward to many more gatherings in 2023.

After not meeting in December, we eagerly look forward to our January meeting – the SANP Annual Meeting, Print Salon, and Banquet at Bridgewater Place on January 21, 2023.

See page 2 for more information about the Salon and reserving your place for dinner.



Northern Harrier in Cades Cove, © Ron Shrieves

SANP 30th Anniversary Celebration Annual Meeting, Print Salon, and Banquet

January 21, 2023 at 6:00 PM
Bridgewater Place, Henley Hall
205 Bridgewater Road
Knoxville, TN 37921

After two long years of waiting, SANP is hosting a salon and dinner again, the first since February 2020. The salon will be in an exciting new location this year. Bridgewater Place is a beautiful banquet facility, ideal for enjoying a delicious meal and viewing all 163 of the gorgeous prints submitted in the salon competition. Also, the stunning images from the 2022 digital salon competition will be projected on the 11 foot screen for your enjoyment.

A highlight of the evening will be the presentation of service awards. The Chester A. Massey Distinguished Service Award will be presented to one or more members in recognition of at least five years of outstanding contributions to the spirit and objectives of the club. The Presidential Citation will be presented to one or more members in recognition of outstanding service to the club during the previous twelve months.

Another important part of the evening will be the annual meeting of the club. A slate of candidates for the Board of Directors will be presented for your vote.

Registration is online only. Online registration and payment are required by **January 7**. If you have any questions about the registration procedure, see the instructions at the bottom of the event page. Online registration and payment must be completed by **January 7**. **Registration will not be available at the door.**



Additional information about the event and online registration can be found on the SANP Website: [30th Anniversary Celebration](#) Your table is waiting. Make your reservation today!

SANP Photo Challenge

by Ron McConathy

The next SANP Photo Challenge will be held at Stanley's Greenhouse on February 11, 2023. Stanley's is a family owned and operated garden center and plant farm located in South Knoxville. The vast greenhouses at Stanley's will be filled with late winter and early spring plants and many decorative items for gardening enthusiasts. Stanley's offers all kinds of inspiration for the photographer, not to mention temptations for those with green thumbs. It's a great place to beat the winter blues by surrounding oneself in a colorful array of flowers. Details about the Photo Challenge and registration information will be posted on the event page of the website very soon. An email will be sent once registration is open.



*Hydrangea at Stanley's Greenhouse, ©
Kristina Plaas*

February 2023 SANP Photo Challenge

Sponsor: Ron McConathy,
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(mobile)

Location: Stanley Greenhouse, 3029
Davenport Rd, Knoxville, TN 37920, 865-573-
9591

Date & Time: 11 February 2023, between 12
noon and 3 PM.

Purpose of this Challenge: The purpose of this challenge is to photograph the flowers, plants, and other items inside the greenhouse. Most of the subjects will be best photographed as closeup or macro, but other compositions are possible. Flowers and plants are obvious subjects, but decorative pots and garden decorations are also present. Photos of the greenhouse space and people may also be interesting.

Election of Directors

Each year three of the SANP directors complete their three year term of office and three new directors are elected by the membership. The SANP board of directors and a board-appointed nominating committee have recommended Bob Howdeshell, Dale Potter and Jerry Whaley for election to a three year term on the board of directors at the January 21 annual meeting. These candidates are enthusiastic and active members of SANP, and they have all expressed a desire to make positive contributions to the club. All of them have skills and talents that unquestionably qualify them to be directors of our organization. Your support is requested in their election and in the future as they volunteer their service for the betterment of the club.

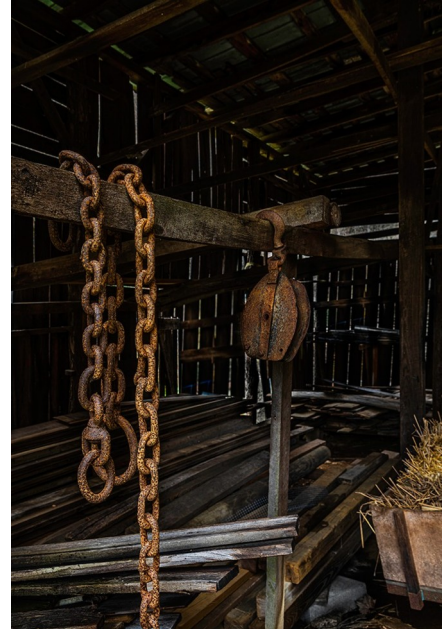
SANP Members Corner



Sandhill Cranes, © Jeff Parlow



Change of Plans, © Chris Cannon



Inside the Barn, © Jack Benhayon



Foothills Parkway Milky Way, © Nawras Baban



Sholom Park in Ocala Florida, © Mark Frankel

Upcoming Club Meetings

January 21, 2023 Print Image Salon,
Banquet
& Annual Meeting
February 28, 2023 TBA
March 28, 2023 TBA

SANP Officers

President: Ed Stickle
Vice President: Open
Secretary: Charles Samuels
Treasurer: Sharon Cottrell

Volunteer Managers

Community Outreach: Ron Sentell
Field Events: Dale Potter
Librarian: Ann Barber
Membership: Brad Cottrell
Newsletter: Kristina Plaas
Photo Challenges: Ron McConathy
Programs: Kendall Chiles
Salon: Ed Stickle
Social Media: Chris Cannon
Website: Shawn Grant
Workshops: Open

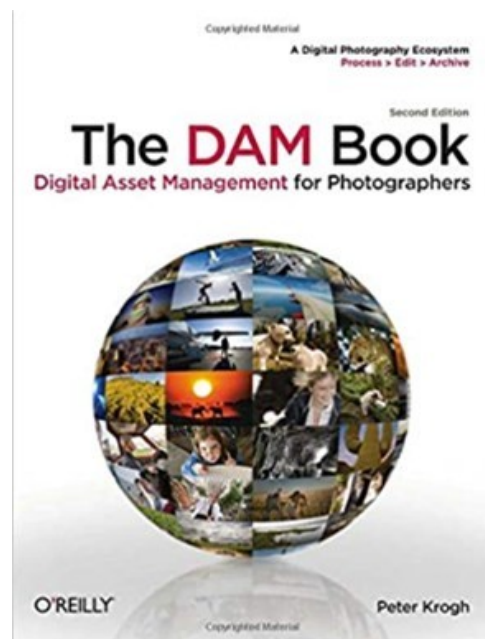
Board of Directors

The board meets on the 2nd Monday
each month

2020-2022: David Boruff
Kristina Plaas
Dale Potter
2021-2023: Chris Cannon
Gretchen Kaplan
Marcy Wielfaert
2022-2024: Jack Benhayon
Yvonne Dalschen
Clay Thurston

Camera Club Council of Tennessee (3CT)

SANP is a member of 3CT, a network of camera clubs across Tennessee and neighboring states. Their monthly newsletter is filled with information about meetings and events for member clubs. Details can be found on their website www.3ct.org or on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/CameraClubCouncilOfTennessee>



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