

**Susquehanna Valley Shutterbugs
Newsletter**

Ask the "Experts?"

Well ask the guys at the front of the room....you get the idea. For Monday nite's prgroam ,Ralph, Brent, and Wayne will conduct a panel in which you get to pick their brains on the issues in photography that you want to learn about. Bring you cameras and other equipment. They will delve into the subjects of when to take your camera off automatic, depth of field, framing, film based or digital, you pick the topics. If the subjects are numerous we can break into specialty groups.

This "clinic" will be useful to everyone, no matter what level of competence you think you are. Take advantage of the experience these three have to offer. Maybe you can even teach them a thing or two.

This promises to be an interesting, enlightening and perhaps even an entertaining evening for all. You won't know unless you come to Monday's meeting.

Also don't forget you can pick up any entries you may have hanging on the wall.



UPCOMING SHUTTERBUG MEETING PROGRAMS

February

Jerry Ziedler

"Nature Photography: A Sampler"

March

Terry Gohl from Hoyer's

Buying Used Photography Equipment:
What to Look for and What to Avoid

April

John Troisi

**President
Brent Shirk**

**Vice President
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**Secretary
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**Treasurer
Elizabeth Dewney**

Brent's Babble

Thanks to all who helped with our very successful December show, particularly, Stephanie and her committee.

The December show was our best ever attended show, with more than 250 attendees. Shows like this continue to raise our profile in the art community, as well as the rest of the community. I think the addition of work from Paul Barrett's students added a nice touch to our show.

Start thinking about selecting work for our upcoming spring show. Remember those of you who had work in the show, you need to pick it up at Monday's meeting. If you can't pick up your work, please make arrangements or give PMI a call at 321-9660.

Our first ever Christmas party at the Olive Garden was a big success. Everyone who attended it had a good time. The white elephant gift exchange was a hit. Daryl's fish was the hit of the evening. This is something we probably want to continue next year.

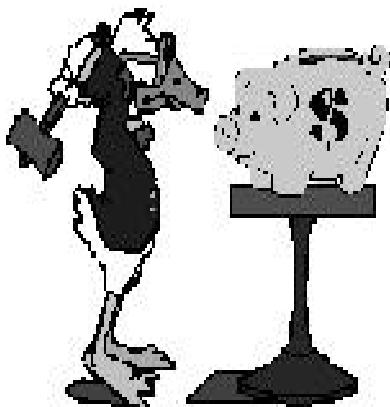
It's time to pay your 2003 dues. At our February meeting we will have to come up with a committee to nominate new officers and we need lots of help. We will be having several officers' vacancies and would urge anyone who is interested to consider running for an office.

See ya Monday!!

Keep Shooting!

Brent

Treasurer's Report Elizabeth Anstadt Downey



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| December Meeting - Balance in Account | \$1,208.83 |
| Deposit, Bassett \$4.00 fr Single-Use Show Entries | |
| Holiday Entry fee of H. Price \$6.00 | \$10.00 |
| Mail Boxes, Etc: Nov Newsletter 27.77 and | |
| Holiday Show Printing Expenses 125.14 | \$152.91 |
| Deposit fr Muncy Bank & Trust for Holiday Show ad | \$100.00 |
| January Meeting - Balance in Account | \$1,160.92 |

**SUSQUEHANNA VALLEY SHUTTERBUGS
SHOW FINANCE REPORT**

Name of Show: Holiday 2002

Show Chairperson: Stephanie Carey

Date: December 2002

INCOME:

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| Show entries, patron funds & show catalog ads | \$2301.00 |
| Donations collected at opening | 65.00 |
| Expected additional income from ads | 185.00 |
| (Muncy Bank & Trust \$100.00; Wmspt Sun-Gazette \$50.00; Derek & Tanya Johnson \$10.00; Coffee & Tea Room \$25.00) | |
| Total Income: | \$2551.00 |

EXPENSES:

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| Publication of entry forms, show catalogs/programs, reply cards, invitations, ballots: (Joe Gatsche \$81.73; Stephanie Carey \$40.29 for postage; Printing at Mail Boxes of entry forms, invitations, ballots, catalogs \$125.14) | \$ 247.16 |
| Prize Money: | \$1350.00 |
| Ribbons/Trophies: | \$ 78.40 |
| Incentive Frames: | ? |
| Refreshments for Show Opening Reception (Brook Mann \$28.00; Lisa McNerney \$95.83; Maddi Dunlap \$202.09 [\$117.57 = wine]) | \$ 325.92 |
| Labor expense for museum employees: | 20.00 |
| Live entertainment – Doug McMinn | \$ 75.00 |
| Total Expenses: | \$2096.48 |

EXPECTED PROFIT FROM SHOW: \$ 454.52

Report Finalized By Elizabeth Anstadt Downey, SVS Treasurer, January 12, 2003

WEBB COMMUNICATIONS SEEKS PHOTOGRAPHS

Webb Communications, Inc. will be distributing a weekly classified newspaper to 50,000 homes in Lycoming County. It will be a full color tabloid sized publication that will be mailed to the residents of Lycoming County.

They are seeking to make their publication an appealing and informative classified newspaper that supports the communities of Lycoming County. And they also want to promote the area's scenic beauty by including photographic images on our cover. Their cover will have a magazine type design that will superimpose text over the image. They will provide a credit line on the cover. I.E. "Photo courtesy of Joe Smith" Photos of recognizable persons should also have a standard photo release form attached. This sounds like a great opportunity for you have your work shown to a wide audience.

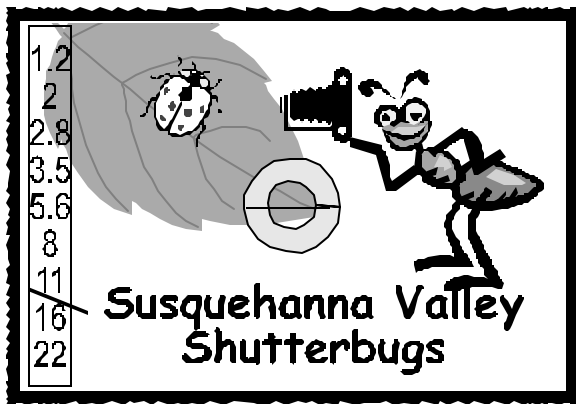
Please send a non-returnable color print to:
Richard James, Art Director
Webb Communications, Inc.
One Maynard Street
Williamsport, PA 17701

P.S. They may be looking for freelance photographers in the near future to take photos of businesses, business owners, automobiles, etc.

About The SVS Newsletter

The Susquehanna Valley Shutterbugs Newsletter is published monthly. The club meets monthly at the Lycoming County Historical Museum on the fourth Monday of each month at 7:00 P.M. The address of the museum and the club is: SVS, c/o Lycoming County Historical Society, 858 West Fourth Street, Williamsport, PA 17701. The newsletter is created by Wayne Palmer (321-9660) and assisted by Stephanie Carey, Brent Shirk, and Lou Hunsinger. Submissions for the newsletter are welcome and must be submitted by the 10th of each month. Past issues and articles of interest and other club information can be found on the Web at:

www.palmermultimedia.com/SVS.htm



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**January 26th, 7:00 PM
at the Museum**