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## Photo Meet: “Burgers, Barrels & Beverages” July 15<sup>th</sup> at the SC Equestrian Club

Two club members made it out to the June “Burgers, Barrels & Beverages” at the Sunshine Coast Equestrian Club and there were great opportunities to photograph some equine action at a broad range of rider levels. There are two more opportunities if you are up for it: July 15<sup>th</sup> and August 12<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 pm – 9:00 pm (<https://www.bcscec.com/event-list>)

Plan to go right to the event and keep your eyes open for fellow camera club members. We will have an image review in the fall to see what members have come back with. Try to position yourself so you don’t distract the horse and rider.

To get to the Equestrian Club take Hwy 101 and turn north onto Largo Road. On the right-hand side about a kilometer up the road you will see a Sunshine Coast Equestrian Club sign. Drive through the open gate. At the end there is limited parking; or park at the gate and walk in.

## ON1 Special Interest Group

Several members have expressed an interest in having an introduction to ON1. We don’t know what form this might take: from one-on-one mentoring to a sit-down computer workshop; but we do have an idea that we can help each other, particularly in getting started. If you use ON1

and wish to participate, email me (at [millpondsailor@gmail.com](mailto:millpondsailor@gmail.com)) with an idea of what might work best for you, and we'll see what we might do together.

## Canadian Association of Photographic Art (CAPA) June Newsletter

The June CAPA Newsletter is now available: <https://mailchi.mp/capacanada.ca/monthly-news-jun-2026-english-10346609>

## Planning the 2026-27 Season - Ideas? Send them in.

Our executive will be meeting shortly to plan the program and activities for the 2026-27 season. If you have ideas for the club: things you liked, things you are not so keen on, suggestions for speakers, or topics, brand new ideas and not just for meetings but for activities too. Please send them along ASAP ([millpondsailor@gmail.com](mailto:millpondsailor@gmail.com)).

## From the June Newsletter

Since you all have so much time on your hands during the summer (Ha!), here are some "Learning Opportunities" and a couple of reminders.

### See the Celebration of BC Photography – Showcasing BC Clubs

Sixteen BC photo and camera clubs were featured in a Celebration of BC Photography held on zoom on the evening of May 29<sup>th</sup>. Each club submitted a presentation highlighting some of the work of their members. See what other photographers in clubs across BC are doing; get inspired. The event was recorded and is available for viewing in two parts:

[https://us06web.zoom.us/rec/share/trM\\_7LuhawmPJZAn7hw0rBCplCDuic9oRoFAHC1OORgySAezgdUaumko8OeOgYYq.VwUHWZaXnb\\_690WM?startTime=1780106408000](https://us06web.zoom.us/rec/share/trM_7LuhawmPJZAn7hw0rBCplCDuic9oRoFAHC1OORgySAezgdUaumko8OeOgYYq.VwUHWZaXnb_690WM?startTime=1780106408000)

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[https://us06web.zoom.us/rec/share/trM\\_7LuhawmPJZAn7hw0rBCplCDuic9oRoFAHC1OORgySAezgdUaumko8OeOgYYq.VwUHWZaXnb\\_690WM?startTime=1780110915000](https://us06web.zoom.us/rec/share/trM_7LuhawmPJZAn7hw0rBCplCDuic9oRoFAHC1OORgySAezgdUaumko8OeOgYYq.VwUHWZaXnb_690WM?startTime=1780110915000)

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### Video Learning Opportunities:

At our last meeting we were discussing options for the evening since our Members' Showcase presentations were short and few. I showed a list of videos that members have suggested as useful for viewing at club meetings. In our discussion someone suggested that I distribute the list so that they could view them at home. We also recognised this wouldn't preclude viewing them at our meetings since most of them probably bear watching more than once.

Enjoy!

P.S. If you find any of these not worth watching definitely let me know ([millpondsailor@gmail.com](mailto:millpondsailor@gmail.com)) and also let me know if you have suggestions of other good videos.

**Landscape:**

- **7 Simple Composition Tips for Woodland Photography - Nigel Dansen - 18 min**  
[https://youtu.be/lk6-hmQ\\_qQI?si=1XxKhrwpYse5HxQQ](https://youtu.be/lk6-hmQ_qQI?si=1XxKhrwpYse5HxQQ)
- **Landscape Photography In The Redwoods with Michael Shainblum - 15 min**  
[https://youtu.be/0Hc\\_OHnzyA0?si=rTsS11T6\\_hjzQu9e](https://youtu.be/0Hc_OHnzyA0?si=rTsS11T6_hjzQu9e)
- **4 Types of Light to Master Landscape Photography - Mark Denny - 14 min**  
[https://youtu.be/BIO8LQ6Sm0?si=jW\\_UdBFJd63PQHcd](https://youtu.be/BIO8LQ6Sm0?si=jW_UdBFJd63PQHcd)
- **Landscape Photography: 50 Tips in 15 minutes - Schubert Photography – 16 min**  
[https://youtu.be/y8WymTM-PK0?si=HoBA\\_H1W7pNd-mLS](https://youtu.be/y8WymTM-PK0?si=HoBA_H1W7pNd-mLS)
- **Landscape Photography: My Top 10 Personal Favorite Foggy Forests Photos Photo Tom – 15 mins** <https://youtu.be/oe1lgoKoyHQ?si=uGn-jVq6HxMskpci>
- **Tips For Seascape And Beach Photography William Patino – 11 min**  
[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=opA5\\_OkSW0Y](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=opA5_OkSW0Y)

#### **Bird and Flower:**

- **3 SIMPLE REASONS Your Bird Photos Aren't Sharp! (And How to FIX Them) - Paul Miguel–9 mins** <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KZr5KdeXkOs>
- **Bird Photography Ideas - How Planning Leads to Better Photos - [Paul Miguel Photography](#) 10 mins** <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=O5VumC5TNu0>
- **Flower Photography Tips for Beginners & Macro Photography Ideas [B&H Photo Video Pro Audio](#) 3 mins** <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eJLD3hQMwkU>
- **Ian Plant interviews wildlife and landscape photographer Richard Bernabe.(1hr, 16 min)** <https://youtu.be/MAhQCmCcle8?si=LHp3WBE8IH6qvzey> –

#### **Macro, Long Exposure, Focussing & General Improvement**

- **Macro Photos at Home – TheCameraStoreTV – 10 Min**  
[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xuMK1NZJQLE&list=PLXXi\\_TcH1NoF4-PnbrYQ5SGqK8m1JlNgO&index=4](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xuMK1NZJQLE&list=PLXXi_TcH1NoF4-PnbrYQ5SGqK8m1JlNgO&index=4)
- **How to take CREATIVE LONG EXPOSURE photos - Jamie Windsor - 22 mins**  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DURnMRCLZ4M>
- **Focusing Techniques for Serious Sharpness - Henry Turner - 14 min**  
[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=AeV-vY3nbDs&list=PLXXi\\_TcH1NoEKO8TticLxz-21bnBpFN2y](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=AeV-vY3nbDs&list=PLXXi_TcH1NoEKO8TticLxz-21bnBpFN2y)
- **Stop Taking Boring Photos! Ordinary Subjects, Extraordinary Results - Mads Peter Iversen - 16 mins.** <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Nli7w0C3aBE>
- **7 Simple tips for EPIC PHOTOS in ANY LIGHT - Nigel Danson – 14 min**  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Um5C35fSxa8>
- **The 5 photography techniques that got me this crucial image. - Peter Evans - 25 mins**  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=aLynF3TePxo>
- **9 tips for BETTER PORTRAITS - Jamie Windsor - 15 mins**  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=H79c5jPAuX8>
- **Street Photography Tips - Minimalistic Approach Peter Forsgård – 13 mins**  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=x9DaDNMI1BQ>

## And a few we've already watched

- **18-March-2025: 15 Elements of Composition - Peter Evans - 31 min**(a bit long but very informative) <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gok-dqLx3vY>
- **20-May-2025: Mastering Moody Landscapes - Mads Peter Iversen - 18 minutes:**  
[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5tFEvSZG\\_gA](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5tFEvSZG_gA)

### London Drugs Discount Agreement – 30% off on most processing

We now have 30 members eligible for the 30% discount on most processing at the Gibsons store. The agreement also includes a 10% discount on most equipment and printer supplies. The discount does not apply to work which London Drugs contracts out, e.g. slide and photo scanning.

To take advantage of the discount, at the photo counter indicate that you are a member of the Sunshine Coast Camera Club and wish to receive the discount. If the staff person seems unfamiliar with the agreement, you might ask them to check with a manager, (I've worked with Claire Robinson). You will need to show ID, which they will check against the list of members' names. If there are questions or wrinkles to work out, get in touch with me (705-772-9438) or Phil Harrison.

### Use the IGA Cash Cards; help keep Club Fees low.

A reminder that when you use the club IGA cash cards, the club receives a percentage back. Even if you don't usually shop at IGA in Wilson Creek, Gibsons, or Madeira Park, step in sometime and use the card to buy even a few items; every little bit helps. If you have friends who shop at IGA and might be interested in helping the club; consider asking them if they would use an IGA card for us.

If you don't have an IGA card, please get in touch with Nancy Nederlof ([nnederlo@gmail.com](mailto:nnederlo@gmail.com)). You "load" them with your funds, by cash or credit or debit card, at a cashier, or the service desk, and then pay for groceries with the card. If you are uncertain about your balance, ask the cashier to check before they start ringing in your purchases. When the balance on the card gets low, see a cashier about reloading it. It's simple and helps keep our membership fees low.