

Tuesday, Sept. 3, 2019 – Club Information

Night: Introduce executive; show clinic topics; discuss outings; discuss Bragging Rights; discuss clinic and contest submissions; discuss editing rules as they apply to clinics and contests. Bring your camera and manual.

Tuesday, Sept. 17, 2019 – Member Summer

Scrapbooks: Bring up to five of your summer photos on a thumb drive to share with the club.
Bragging Rights – Summer

Saturday, Sept. 21, 2019 – Weekend Outing:

Art & Architecture of Victoria Square, Brantford. Join Brian Moore of the Brant Historical Society as he shares unusual features and history of the square area, highlighting elements just waiting to be photographed. 10 a.m. to noon. Meet at the Joseph Brant statue. \$10 for members, \$15 for non-members

Tuesday, Oct. 1, 2019 – Member Photo Feed-

back Session: Members are asked to submit one photo on any topic. Experienced members will provide tips, feedback and answer questions.

Tuesday, Oct. 15, 2019 – Bird photography

with Art Ward. A resident of Winona, Art is a master member of the Hamilton Camera Club who specializes in nature photography.

Bragging Rights – Digital Art

Clinic 1 entries are due.

Saturday, Oct. 19, 2019 – Weekend Outing:

Halton County Radial Railway Museum, 13629 Guelph Line, Milton. A full-size operating electric railway and museum, featuring historic electric railcars operating on two kilometers of scenic track. Guided tour at 10 a.m. Price TBA

Tuesday, Nov. 5, 2019 – Macro Photography

with Gail MacLellan. The Caledonia-based pho-

tographer provides tips and tricks to photograph the little things around us.

Tuesday, Nov. 19, 2019 – Results from Clinic 1:

We'll look at the images and read the judges comments on how the images could be improved.

Bragging Rights – Fall Colours

Saturday, Nov. 23, 2019 – Weekend Outing:

Behind the scenes of the Sanderson Centre. Meet at the front doors at 9 a.m. \$10 for members, \$15 for non-members

Tuesday, Dec. 3, 2019 – Landscapes – Dave

Evans: Our very own Photographer of the Year provides insights into how to take great landscapes.

Tuesday, Dec. 17, 2019 – Christmas Potluck:

Members will have the opportunity to sit and get to know one another while enjoying a potluck dinner.

Bragging Rights - Christmas

Tuesday, Jan. 7, 2020 – Member Photo Feed-

back Session: Members can submit one photo on any topic. Experienced members will provide tips, feedback and answer questions.

Tuesday, Jan. 21, 2020 – Road trip: Brant Mu-

seum & Archives See artifacts from our community's fascinating history. \$10 for members, \$15 for non-members.

Clinic 2 entries are due.

Saturday: Jan. 25, 2020 Weekend Outing: Ice

Wine Festival in Niagara-on-the-Lake. Niagara-on-the-Lake's historic Queen Street transforms into a winter wonderland for the festival with sculptures and food and wine tents. Time TBA. \$5 for members, \$10 for non-members \$10.

Tuesday, Feb. 4, 2020 – Hands-On Workshops:

A series of workstations will be set up to help you learn new ideas and techniques.

Tuesday, Feb. 18, 2020 – Results from Clinic 2:

We'll look at the images and read the judges comments on how the image could be improved.

Bragging Rights - Love

Saturday, Feb. 22, 2020 – Weekend Outing:

Thak Ironworks A foundry that produces everything from artworks to armour. 2282 Floradale Rd, Floradale. Up to \$35 for members, \$40 for non members. Limit of 20 participants.

Tuesday, March 3, 2020 – Member Photo

Feedback Session: Members are asked to submit one photo on any topic. A panel of experienced members will provide tips, feedback and answer questions.

Tuesday, March 17, 2019 – Seeing Things with

Colleen Rintoul: Ignite your photography! Through the use of gear at hand, techniques and mindfulness learn how to refine your ability to see. Practice pre-visualizing and seizing the moments to take photos that resonate with the viewer and leave a lasting impression.

Bragging Rights - Dreams

Verginnia Barrie Contest entries due.

Saturday, March 28, 2020 – Weekend Outing:

Butterfly Conservatory, 500 Kossuth Rd, Cambridge. Discover thousands of free-flying butterflies in this indoor oasis. 10 a.m. Price TBA

Our April presenters will be Brad Thorne on black and white photography and Trish Gillings on mirrorless cameras. Schedule TBA.

Tuesday, April 7, 2020

Tuesday, April 21, 2020

Bragging Rights—Black & White

Saturday, April 25, 2020 – Weekend Outing:

Historic Paris Walking Tour, Paris Take a walking tour of the historic community known as the prettiest town in Canada with Nathan Etheridge of the Brant County Museum. Time and location TBA. \$10 for member, \$15 for non-members

Tuesday, May 5, 2020 – Panel Presentation –

Topics TBA. We'll be asking for your ideas on some topics that can be covered in a panel presentation by our own experts.

Nominations for the 2020-21 Executive.

Tuesday, May 19, 2019 – Feedback Night and

Elections: Let the executive know what you would like to see in 2020-21. Choose your executive for the next two years.

Bragging Rights – Open

Saturday, May 23, 2020 – Weekend Outing:

Historical Brantford Canal and Watts Hydro Plant. Beach Road, Brantford. 10 a.m. to noon. \$10 for members, \$15 for non-members

Tuesday, June 2, 2020 – Annual Banquet:

We will present awards for our Photographer of the Year, Photo of the Year, Digital Artist of the Year, Rookie of the Year, People's Choice Awards, and Verginnia Barrie competition winner. VB results will be shown during the dinner.

Weekend outing and guest fees

Weekend outing fees include admission or donation charges plus a \$5 club fee.

Non-members can join us at one of our meetings or outings by paying a \$10 guest fee. If you enjoy the event and decide to join, the fee will be applied to your membership.

Clinics and competitions

Clinic 1: October 2019

Choose two categories plus Digital Art*. Limit of one photo per category selected.

Categories:

- Open
- Abandoned
- Fairs & Festivals
- Golden Hour

Submit via BCC website by Oct. 15.

Clinic 2: January 2020

Choose two categories plus Digital Art*. Limit of one photo per category selected.

Categories:

- Open
- Frozen
- Self Portrait
- Street People (black and white images)

Submit via BCC website by Jan. 21.

Verginnia Barrie Contest: March 2020

Choose five categories plus Digital Art*. Limit of one photo per category.

Categories:

- Night Sky
- Black on Black
- Black and White
- Traditions & Cultures
- Contrasting Colours
- Architecture
- Dance
- Hot
- Global Warming
- Landscapes

Submit via BCC website by March 17.

*Scores for Digital Art entries only count toward Digital Artist of the Year award, not Rookie or

Photographer of the Year Awards.

Clinic and contest judging: This year we are moving to an online system for judging clinics and contests. Details will be available at meetings.

Grand Valley Image Battle

An annual competition involving ten camera clubs in southern Ontario. Live judging in November. Time and location to be determined.

Eggbert Competition

An annual competition, carrying on a friendly rivalry between the Brant Camera Club and the Grand River Imaging & Photographic Society (GRIPS). Live judging in Spring 2020 with time and location to be determined.

2019-20 Membership Fees

- Single membership — \$60
- Additional family members — \$20 each
- **NEW**—Student members — \$40
Student memberships are available to full-time students 16 and older with a current student card.

OCCC membership

The Brant Camera Club is a member of the Ontario Council of Camera Clubs. Our members can compete in OCCC competitions, attend workshops and seminars and take advantage of discounts and other deals.

For more information go to the OCCC website at <https://o3c.ca>

About the Brant Camera Club

Founded in 1957, and originally known as the Brantford Guild of Colour Photography, the Brant Camera Club has a rich tradition of offering its members instruction, fellowship and a place to share the love of photography.

For 2019-20 we continue this tradition with a diverse program of guest speakers, workshops and learning nights.

Whether you are new to photography, or it's been a passion for you for many years, there is always room to learn something new. We put an emphasis on learning, with an aim to raise the skill level of members to new heights through presentations and the sharing of knowledge among members.

The Brant Camera Club welcomes photographers of all skill levels. Challenge your abilities by entering one of our clinics or competitions. Gain feedback on your images and suggestions to help boost your skills.

www.brantcameraclub.com

Meeting information

First and third Tuesday of each month
Sept. 3, 2019 to June 4, 2019
7:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.

Polish Hall – 154 Pearl Street, Brantford



*Photo of the year #1
"Rock Solid at 50 Point" by Dave Evans*



**2019-20
Program**

**Learn and share the love
of photography with us**



*Photo of the year #2
"Friends at Sunset" by Dennis McKinnon*