

## About us

The Peoria Camera Club was created in 1954 for anyone in the Peoria-area and neighboring communities who has an interest in photography and provides an environment for social and cultural exchange.

Our mission is to help anyone with a desire to develop their photographic skills through mutual help, learning and encouragement.

The club is affiliated with the Photographic Society of America (PSA) and the Central Illinois Camera Clubs Association (CICCA).

## Membership

Peoria Camera Club is open to anyone with an interest in photography with any level of experience.

Membership is educational, fun, and offers a great way to meet new people who share a common interest.

The Club offers learning programs, image competitions and critiques, PhotoOutings, exhibitions, and more.

Be our guest, attend a few meetings and get to know us. Dues are only \$25 annually.

*"The camera need not be  
a cold mechanical device.  
Like a pen, it is as good  
as the man who uses it.  
It can be an extension of  
the mind and heart..."  
— John Steinbeck*

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Creative Division



## Membership

Pandemic Edition - Year two



"Gone But Not Forgotten"

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[www.PeoriaCameraClub.com](http://www.PeoriaCameraClub.com)  
[www.facebook.com/peoriacameraclub/](http://www.facebook.com/peoriacameraclub/)

## Meetings

The heart and soul of the club are the member meetings.

Club meetings offer opportunities to learn through informative programs from experienced guest photographers and club members, and through image competition critiques — all designed to help you make better images.

Topics may cover:

- **Technical Skills.** Learn about equipment, camera settings, and shooting techniques to achieve your vision and get the results you want.
- **Composition.** Learn to “envision” the image before clicking the shutter button and use compositional techniques to captivate the viewer’s interest.
- **Image Processing.** Learn to develop stronger images using a variety of software and techniques by participating in live image editing sessions and demonstrations.
- **Image Critiques.** Learn to improve your skills, from subject, to composition and point-of-view, to cropping and editing by participating in club competitions judge’s feedback on how to improve your image.

Find out what’s happening. Check out our PCC website and Facebook page for the latest information.

## Competitions

The club offers digital image competitions in four categories: Open, Nature, Photojournalism, and Creative.

Themed digital competitions are offered throughout the year. Our four print categories are large and small color, large and small monochrome.

## PhotoOutings

We will plan on socially distanced outings with usually local and occasionally regional destinations.

## Social Activities

Peoria Camera Club kicks off the year with a picnic in August, a Holiday banquet in December and End of Year banquet in May.

## When and Where We meet

1st Tuesday in-person meeting at First United Methodist Church on 116 NE Perry in Peoria, IL.  
3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday Zoom meeting using your internet connected device.  
We meet at from September to May at 7 PM.

Visitors are welcome at our meetings. For information about the Club or to attend a meeting, contact Dave (309) 645-4489 or email [membership@peoriacameraclub.com](mailto:membership@peoriacameraclub.com)

## Become a member

To sign up as a member, complete this Membership Form. Mail it with a \$25 check for the yearly fee, payable to Peoria Camera Club.

Mail to:  
Peoria Camera Club  
c/o Alan Rogers  
PO Box 47  
Deer Creek, IL 61733

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Name

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Address

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