

FOOTHILLS PHOTOGRAPHY GROUP

Monthly Newsletter

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Photo Provided by FPG Member, Barbra Johns

From our President.....

Good evening Foothills Photography Group, thank you everyone that attended the Christmas Party it was one great night and for those who were not in attendance this will be my last year as president. Thank you everyone for all of your support over the two years that I've been president.

Now's the time of the year when there's not a lot to photograph. Snow hasn't gotten here and spring is still months away, so now's the time to replace those batteries get your cameras clean and prepped for a busy spring season. Reorganize those bags and take the trash out of those little pockets on the sides of your camera bag. The snow and spring will be upon us faster than you think and there's nothing worse than seeing your opportunity for a great shot and going to pull out that lens and it's dirty and you have to rush through trying to find a cleaning cloth. You may be missing an opportunity. Don't let this happen to you go ahead and clean your stuffLOL.

I look forward to seeing you all at the next meeting where we will be taking nominations for positions that have come available on the board if anyone would like to serve this would be the time to make your presence known. Once again thank you for a wonderful year hope to see you all at the next meeting.

Matt King President,
Foothills photography Group



Quote of the Month:

“Look for the extraordinary in the ordinary.”

— **Matthew Knisely, Framing Faith: From Camera to Pen, An Award-Winning Photojournalist Captures God in a Hurried World**

Members Christmas Party



Foothills Photography Group News:

Next Meeting: January 21, 2020

Member Showcase January 2020: Jeff Gore

January Program: Anna DeStefano - "It's all in the Details"

Nationally bestselling author **Anna DeStefano** has searched her entire life for the soul of the matter at the heart of her world's mysteries. As a small child, she drew from her experiences, senses, and dreams to paint a lush fantasy world, filled with endless possibility and characters of her own creation. Putting pen to paper, Anna transforms these inner landscapes into rich storytelling.



Recovering from sudden illness, she found renewal in the healing power of nature. Wandering our magical world and capturing each surprise she encountered became her passion—and Affirmation Photography™ was born.

Soon friends, galleries, retail spaces and art consultants came calling—charmed by the inspirational message conveyed by her unique vision. Her artist's eye ever-expanding, Anna revels in her calling: bringing the magic she discovers at every turn into others' everyday lives.

Yearly membership dues are due by March, lots of great speakers and events to look forward to. So see Wendy.

It is also time for officer elections!! If you are interested in getting more involved and taking a more active role in the club please notify Daniel Short, Wendy O'Connor, Matt King, John Martin, or Tanya Smith. You could serve on a committee, as a committee chair, or officer.

Foothills Photography Group Membership Application

NAME/s _____ DATE _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____

ZIP _____

HOME PHONE _____ CELL PHONE _____

EMAIL ADDRESS _____

Please print clearly. (The email address is for your newsletters and all group notifications)

Are you interested in becoming an activities leader or other supporting roles? Yes ♦ No ♦

Referred to join Foothills Photography Group by _____

Annual Dues: \$40 (Adult) \$50 Family* \$10 (Student/Youth - minimum age thirteen (13) years old)

- All Family members MUST be in the same household.
- Adult ♦ Family ♦ Student/Youth ♦
- Amount Paid: \$ _____ Check ♦ Cash ♦
- MAKE CHECK PAYABLE TO: Foothills Photography Group

Address: Foothills Photography Group For more information:

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I, _____, intending to be a legally bound member of the Foothills Photography Group (FPG); do hereby, for myself and my heirs, release all rights and claims for personal injuries or damages I incur while participating in FPG sponsored activities. I agree with these terms. Signature/s of Parent/s or Legal Guardian/s, (if applicable) are legally bound to this agreement: _____

Photographic Interests

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| ♦ <i>Architectural</i> | ♦ <i>Landscape Photography</i> | ♦ <i>Stock Photography</i> |
| ♦ <i>Astro/Low-Light/Night</i> | ♦ <i>Macro/Micro Photography</i> | ♦ <i>Street Photography</i> |
| ♦ <i>Baby Portraits</i> | ♦ <i>Model Photography</i> | ♦ <i>Travel Photography</i> |
| ♦ <i>Event Photography</i> | ♦ <i>Pet Photography</i> | ♦ <i>Underwater Photography</i> |
| ♦ <i>Family Portraits</i> | ♦ <i>Photojournalism</i> | ♦ <i>Urban Exploration</i> |
| ♦ <i>Fashion Photography</i> | ♦ <i>Portrait Photography</i> | ♦ <i>Wedding Photography</i> |
| ♦ <i>Fine Art Photography</i> | ♦ <i>Sports Photography</i> | ♦ <i>Wildlife Photography</i> |
| ♦ <i>Food Photography</i> | ♦ <i>Still Life Photography</i> | ♦ _____ |