The Colorado Chapter of ASMP, the American Society of Media Photographers, is the best organization for professional (and amateur) photographers hoping to sell their work. Membership information can be found on their website, www.asmpcolorado.org.

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The Clear Creek Land Conservancy is soliciting images for the 2014/2015 Calendar. The submission deadline is September 1st. Details can be reviewed at: http://clearcreeklandconservancy.org/

2014 Monthly Meetings
2nd Wednesday of the month, 7:00 p.m.
AMC, 710 10th St. #200, Golden, CO
$20 Annual Dues

Meeting WEDNESDAY, July 9, 7:00 p.m.

The shooting theme for the month is Wildflowers/Flowers and Mountains (demonstrating hyperfocal distance).

Please submit one or two images to Janice at bennettjanice@mac.com by Sunday, July 6, with your name as part of the file name.

The Shooters Choice presenter for the July meeting is Fred Larke.

Call for trip leaders to schedule photo hikes:
Don’t forget there are close destinations like Roxborough, Evergreen, Waterton Canyon and Barr Lake.
If you are not leading a bike, you need not be a trip leader to setup an event. Photography events can be gallery visits, a stationary gathering to photograph the moonset or moonrise, wildlife sanctuary tours, Botanical Garden visit, etc.
Join Us for Our Gathering on WEDNESDAY, July 9

The next meeting is on Wednesday, July 9th, at 7:00 p.m. Image theme for July’s meeting is Wildflowers/Flowers and Mountains (demonstrating hyperfocal distance). Please submit one or two images to Janice at bennettjanice@mac.com by Sunday, July 6th, and include your name as part of the file name. The Shooters Choice presenter for the July meeting will be Fred Larke.

Should you desire to present a sampling of your images to the group as a shooter’s choice presenter, or have another presentation you would like to have considered for one of our meetings, please notify Dan Orcutt at orcuttpscmc@gmail.com.

Camping and Photography at Arches National Park this October

Frank will lead a camping and photography excursion to Arches National Park in Utah, Oct 20th through 23rd. Camp with us at the campground in the park or stay in town and drive into the park for photography hikes.

Note of thanks from Andy Dolan

The Section had its second annual The Basics of Nature Photography class in early May. This year there were eighteen enrollees, which represents a 50% increase over last year. We attribute this to the assistance we got from several sources in getting the word out, including members of the section. We thank you all for your efforts in that regard.

The feedback so far has been very positive, but we will be looking over the evaluation forms carefully to pick up ideas for improvement next year.

Thanks again to all for your help in recruiting students to the course and members to the Section. Thanks especially to the volunteer faculty who spent two days in the classes and many hours in preparation. This doubtlessly contributed to the positive feedback we have gotten.
**Photo Section Outing to Francie’s Cabin**

Trip # 27569  
Trip Date Start  7/6/2014  
Trip Date End   7/7/2014  
Trip Difficulty   Moderate B

Outing for Photography Section members to Francie’s Cabin. We will hike in approximately three miles on the road Sunday morning and come out late the next day (Monday). There are 16 slots available at this time in the hut, but this can change quickly. You will need to get your hut reservation and liability release form completed before signing up for this hike. Go to www.huts.org, then call and make a reservation at Francie’s Hut, for July 6-7, 2014 (Sunday night). We are not saving spaces for this trip, so you are paying $37.02 directly to the Hut system (they do not refund any money). Then contact the trip leader Frank at fburzynski@comcast.net to complete the signup for the trip. Registration for the trip will close at 5:00 p.m., June 25th, so that we can coordinate the meal and drivers.

Photo opportunities include numerous fields of wildflowers, high mountain peaks, Crystal Lake up the valley, and night sky images.

Mileage   6  
Elevation  1200  
Drive Distance  190  
Trip Type   Backpack  
Meeting Time   9:30AM  
Meeting Location   TBA  
Leader   Frank Burzynski

**Mt. Evans Newborn Critter Photo Hike**

Trip Date  7/8/2014  
Trip Difficulty   Easy B  
Start Time   7:30 a.m.  
Leader    Andy Dolan, 303-733-0180, akd@seanet.com  
Elevation Gain  300  
Drive Distance  60

We will go to the Summit of Mt Evans with possible stops along the way, depending on the prevalence of critters and their newborn. This is a hike sponsored by the photo section of the Denver Council. The emphasis will be on photography— not hiking— but there will be some hiking to get to places to see the wildlife.

Bring cameras and binoculars, along with water and snack foods. We will probably leave Mt Evans around noon or earlier depending on weather conditions.
Photo Section Outing to Ice Lake Basin

CMC Trip #24377
Ice Lake Basin
Trip Date Start   7/17/2014
Trip Date End    7/20/2014
Trip Type      Car Camp and Backpack
Trip Difficulty Difficult B
Trip Title     Ice Lake Basin
Long Description Photo Backpack Trip (thru Sunday Evening). First night; Primitive Car Camp along Mineral Creek, surrounded by the very colorful San Juan Mountains where at night you can clearly see the Milky Way. Next day backpack in AM, on one of the most scenic hikes in Colorado (Ice Lake Basin). It offers everything: streams, waterfalls, three levels of basins, a glacial lake, every type of Rocky Mountain wildflower imaginable, spectacular views. Hike start time to be determined by local weather. Set-up backpack camp for two nights at the lower Ice Lake Basin. Excellent photography for sunset and sunrise and wildflowers during the day. Next day, entire day to be spent photographing both lower and upper Ice Lake Basins. The upper basin has many lakes surrounded by 13ers, including Island Lake which has a very large rock in it. Out of this world views. Following day spend morning photographing, followed by backpacking back to the trailhead.

Car Pools to be arranged from Denver, according to availability, will drive out Wednesday if possible, but if you can’t get off work, join us on Thursday.
Mileage    7
Elevation   2400
Drive Distance  700
Meeting Time  12:00 PM
Meeting Location   Ice Lake Trailhead: across from U.S.F.S. Mineral Creek C.G. 7 miles NW of Silverton.
Leader     Mark Haugen
Leader Phone  303-744-0625
Register With Leader No
Guest Ok    Yes
Available Tickets  8
Roster Notes
Special Notes If you are interested in this trip CALL ME anytime after June 9th at 303-744-0625

—Mark