

Workshop Schedule

September

- Saturday Sept. 12 , 2009 8:30 am—4:30 pm
at The Olympia Center Room 103
Computer Techniques I
- Saturday Sept. 19, Field Trip
Woodard Bay Reserve
See www.photo-elegance for details

October

- Saturday October 17 8:30 am—4:30 pm
at The Olympia Center Room 200.
The Camera's Eye I
- Saturday October 24 , 2009 9 am — 5 pm
at The Coach House
Computer Techniques II

November

- Saturday November 9 am — 5 pm
at The Coach House.
Holiday Photo Computer Class
See www.photo-elegance for details
Special Price: \$40.00 for full or 1/2 day. A
materials fee will be charged for supplies used.

Driving Directions

The Coach House

211 SW 21st Avenue
Olympia, WA 98501

From Interstate 5 in Olympia: Take Exit 105, following the "State Capital/City Center" route. Go through a tunnel, (get in the left hand lane) and turn left on Capital Way. Turn right on 22nd Avenue The museum is on the right in a stucco mansion. The Coach House is directly behind the Museum.

The Olympia Center

222 Columbia St. NW
Olympia, WA, 98504

I-5 Northbound Exit 105 (Port of Olympia)
I-5 Southbound Exit 105 B (Port of Olympia)
Left at stoplight onto Plum St. Left on State Ave.
Right on Columbia St.

Rosalind Philips, photographer, has pursued her love of the outdoors through photography. Inspiration started early in childhood from reading Gerald Durrell's animal travelogues, Ernest Shackleton's journal about the *Endurance*, and Charles Darwin's *Voyage of the Beagle*; and from the exploration of nature during family picnics and at summer camp. Photography was a family activity. Many days were spent learning how to capture the magic of family vacations with the camera. Rosalind began to focus on birds during her teens and has become an avid birdwatcher. Therefore, much of her photography focuses on birds, particularly on the Heron family.

Rosalind taught mathematics and science for 20 years. She traveled the country teaching other teachers how to use technology as an integral part of the classroom. For the last 12 years Rosalind has worked in IT as a database administrator and web programmer.



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Photography & Computer Workshops Fall 2009

Snapshots to Photographs



Penguin Friends

*King Penguin Colony
St. Andrews Bay
South Georgia Island ©2000*

Rosalind Philips, Photographer



Take Photographs, Not Snapshots

Take a Workshop!

In the age of digital photography it is easier than ever to take pictures. Unfortunately sometimes we are disappointed with the results. The landscape is not quite as beautiful as we remember it or that person/ animal/flower looked a lot closer when we clicked the shutter.

Photo Elegance workshops will teach you to take photographs instead of snapshots. Each workshop is a combination of classroom time and shooting time. In both photo technique and computer technique workshops, each concept is followed by time to practice the concept. Participants are encouraged to share their work. We learn best from each other.

Details:

The cost is \$80 per workshop except where noted. Workshops are limited to 15 participants. You can register on the website (www.photo-elegance.com) or by telephone (360-790-2814). Payment by check or credit card can be made at the class.

Cancellation Policy:

Participants canceling 15 or more days before the start of the workshop will receive a full refund. Participants canceling 14 days or less before the start of the workshop will receive a 75% refund unless you find someone to take your place.

Descriptions

The Camera's Eye I

This workshop is for beginning and intermediate digital photographers. Film photographers are welcome; most of the information is basic photographic principles with emphasis on how to apply them to digital photography. Topics discussed include how to interpret your manual, design and composition, exposure settings and how to evaluate your work.

The Camera's Eye II

This workshop is for intermediate and advanced-intermediate digital photographers. Film photographers are welcome; most of the information is more advanced photographic principles with emphasis on how to apply them to digital photography. Topics discussed include design and composition, lighting, and advanced camera settings.

Computer Techniques I

This computer workshop is for beginning and intermediate photography computer users. Photoshop Elements 7 is the program that will be used. Other applications will be mentioned. Topics include design and composition, color correction, removing undesired objects and printing tips.

Computer Techniques II

This computer workshop is for more advanced photography computer users. Photoshop Elements 7 is the program that will be used. Other applications will be mentioned. Topics include design and composition, color calibration, removing undesired objects and digital workflow.

Descriptions

Holiday Photo Computer Workshop

Get ready for the holidays with this workshop! Hone your candid and group photo techniques, avoid red-eye, make cards, calendars, t-shirts, mat and frame photos. This is a good workshop for children to attend so that they can make holiday gifts. Children will only be charged for materials.

Equipment to bring for workshops:

- Your camera and camera manual.
- At least one media card (roll of film).
- Comfortable shoes and appropriate clothing for the weather. We meet rain or shine.
- 10-15 of your images that have been digitized. Half the images should be ones with which you are pleased and half ones with which you are not so pleased.
- A laptop computer with photo manipulation software. A trial version of Photoshop Elements 7 is on the workshop CD. The facility will be locked whenever we are away from it.
- Your photo software manual.

I will have a laptop and projector. I hope that some of you will be willing to share your images with the group. There will be several laptops available for participant use. Please let me know if you need to use one.

Each participant will receive a CD with workshop materials, example photos and a reference list.

The workshops are from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. with one hour for lunch. Lunch is not included.