The Wilderness Center Nature Photo Club The January 28, 2023 meeting was called to order at 9:30 by president Gary Conner. There were 37 in attendance with 3 visitors.



There were no minutes of the December meeting at The Amish Door.

Treasurer's report was approved. Checking Account \$ 2,960.63 Certificate of Deposit Petty Cash \$ 35.00 ------Total \$ 2,995.63

Photo Contest Winners at Tuscarawas County Center for the Arts

- Michelle Wittensoldner was awarded first place and second places in the open category and an honorable mention in the landscape category.
- Dan Lux was awarded first place in the animal/insect category; second place in the landscape category and an honorable mention in the people category.
- Levi Keim was awarded first place in the nature category and an honorable mention in the animal/insect category.
- Bill Roloff was awarded second place in the nature category and an honorable mention in the open category.
- Suzanne Lux was awarded an honorable mention in the nature category.

Photo Contests Coming Up

Huston Brumbaugh Nature Center – deadline is February 21. Zanesville Museum of Art juried competition – deadline is March 28.

Business

Next month's program will be Michelle Wittensoldner with ways to do more with your images. March's program will be Dan Lux's trip to Scotland. April will be focus stacking.

Volunteers are still needed for the bulletin board and refreshments for this year.

Thank you to Marla Neiss and Cathy Fenstermaker for the refreshments and Bill Roloff for the bulletin board.

Paul Keske is doing well following his hip replacement.

Photo topic

Christmas Lights was postponed to next month.

Program

Terry Barnhill shared how he approaches judging photo contests. Following that he critiqued the (50) photos in animals, landscapes, flowers, birds, and anything goes categories brought in by members.

Next meeting

Meeting adjourned at 11:49 a.m. The next meeting will be February 25, 2023.

Respectfully submitted, Lora Davis, Secretary