
Photography Club, Field Guide & Contest Rules

About this Community

The Photography Club exists to help members grow at every stage whether you're holding your very first camera or preparing for your first gallery show. We believe that photography thrives in a culture of shared learning, respect, and ethical practice. This guide ensures every member understands how critiques work, how gear sharing is handled, and how to shoot ethically and safely in any setting.

We also run monthly photo contests designed to inspire creativity and skill development. Our judging process is fully transparent, and we maintain strong editing ethics so every image is represented honestly and fairly.

Inside, you'll find:

- Model release and location permit templates to protect both photographers and subjects

- Drone and aviation guidelines for safe and legal aerial photography

- Wildlife ethics and park rules for respectful nature photography

- Gear-sharing...

Sample Rules / Principles

• Accessibility & Inclusive Events

Route difficulty labels; seating; quiet hours for sensory needs; and livestream options for talks. Purpose: clarify expectations and reduce friction for members. Measurement: publish quarterly participation, incident...

• Publishing, Licensing & Credits

Creative Commons options; credit lines; basic RF/RM primer; and takedown procedures for mistakes. Purpose: clarify expectations and reduce friction for members. Measurement: publish quarterly participation, incident...

• Safety & Weather Thresholds

Lightning, surf, and heat/snow cutoffs; hydration rules on photowalks; first aid kit locations. Purpose: clarify expectations and reduce friction for members. Measurement: publish quarterly participation, incident...

• Data Backup & Archiving

3-2-1 backup guidance, checksum verification, and long-term formats; club NAS usage terms. Purpose: clarify expectations and reduce friction for members. Measurement: publish quarterly participation, incident counts,...



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