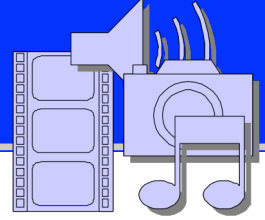


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Sign Up for DACC's Photography Tour to Southern Illinois

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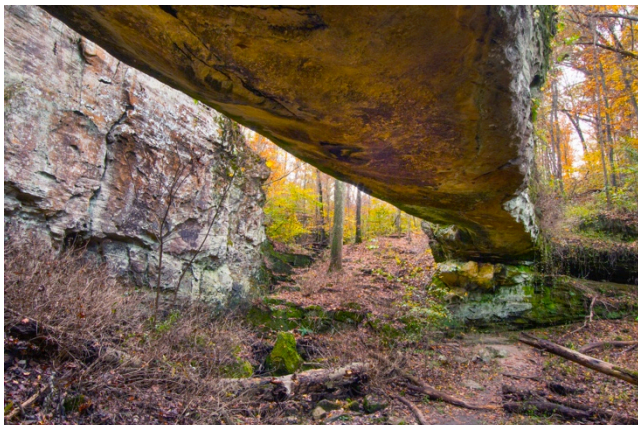
Danville Area Community College is sponsoring a photo excursion to Southern Illinois with Les Woodrum as your guide. The trip is scheduled for October 26-27, 2016.

Come explore scenic Southern Illinois during the peak of the fall foliage color season with photographer Les Woodrum. The trip will include special instruction and critiques during the two day's photo shoots.

Transportation, lodging and instruction fees are included in the price. Cost of meals are extra. This photo opportunity is only \$300.00 per participant.

Les Woodrum has photographed Southern Illinois since 1976. Early in his career, he was the scientific research photographer for The Illinois Natural History Survey, which part of his job was to document in photographs the natural beauty of all scenic areas of Illinois. Les spent many months in Southern Illinois photographing the many wonders. The tour will lead you to both the popular spots that people love to photograph, plus many lesser-known sights that only the "locals" know about.

For questions about this photo tour, contact Les Woodrum at lesw@woodrum-media.com To sign up, Call the DACC Community Education Department at 217-554-1668 or 217-554-1667



Fall Photo and Computer Imaging Classes at DACC

There is a full slate of photography and digital imaging classes scheduled this semester at Danville Area Community College. All classes are either four weeks or eight weeks in length. All classes are taught at the DACC Village Mall office. Classes start August 31, 2016. Read on to see exact class schedule.



Photography "THE BASICS"

This course of study introduces the student to: The use and handling of 35mm as well as digital cameras; a working knowledge of film and

digital imaging; the basic elements of a photograph; an understanding of lighting, both natural and artificial (flash); basic portrait lighting and posing; and the care, storage, and display of printed photographs as well as digital images.

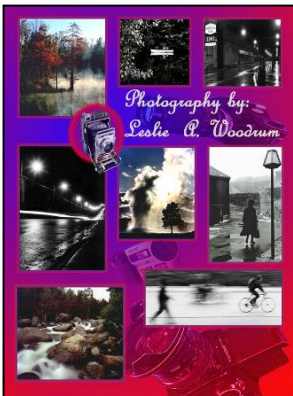
Requirements: digital camera with interchangeable lenses.

Class Schedule - Wednesday nights 6-8:00pm,
August 31 through October 19
At the DACC Village Mall Office

Digital Photography

Traditional film is almost a thing of the past. This workshop will emphasize digital photography techniques, explain digital photography terms, camera operations and settings, basic photo manipulations, and file management of digital images.

Class Schedule - Thursday nights 6-8:00pm,
September 1-22
At the DACC Village Mall Office



PHOTOSHOP CS

This class will introduce you to the basics of working with Photoshop CS for retouching photographic images. Students will be able to use techniques for selecting images in order to edit and retouch images, and prepare images for inclusion in a website or for printed documents. Students will be able to edit images using the painting tools, clone stamp and drawing

tools, and they will be able to create new images using the pen tool and the drawing and painting tools. Participants will also be able to create and edit images using layers and make photo composites and montages.

Class Schedule- Thursday nights 6-8:00pm,
September 29- October 20
At the DACC Village Mall Office

Photoshop Elements

Photoshop Elements is a program that comes with many new digital cameras and scanners. It can perform many of the functions that the more expensive Photoshop CC or CS can do, but is more user friendly to amateur artists and photographers. The class will teach how to view and organize, fix, and enhance photos, and produce photo creations and composites.

Class Schedule - Monday nights - 6-8:00pm,
November 7-28
At the DACC Village Mall Office

DACC Sponsors One-Day Photography Tour of Illiana



Come along with Photographer Les Woodrum on Saturday, October 22nd for his Illiana Fall Photo Tour. This is an excellent opportunity to tag along with Les and photograph some of the scenic sites of the Illiana area. This is a hands-on workshop that gives you the opportunity to get pointers as you shoot. It will also take you to some places in the Danville and Western Indiana area that you might not have known existed.

The workshop will start out from DACC at 7:00 a.m. There will be a stop for lunch (price for lunch not included) and the workshop should finish around 4:00 p.m. The cost for the one-day workshop is only \$50.00. Transportation will be provided. Class size is limited.

Tour participants should expect a lot of walking. Also, you will need to be able to carry your own equipment. Although there will be many stops on the tours, each stop may require walking 1 to 1.5 miles. It is also suggested that participants have their own tripod.

To enroll in any of these classes offered through Danville Area Community College, contact the Community Education department at 217-554-1668 or 217-554-1667.

Deadline for registration is one day prior to the starting date of any photo classes. Tours must register at least two weeks prior to the tour.

For questions about any of the classes or tours, contact Les at lesw@woodrum-media.com

Exhibit Schedule for the Rest of the Season



Les will be exhibiting in three more art shows in the 2016 Show Season. Upcoming exhibits will include:

Taste of Champaign - August 19-20 at West Side Park in Champaign, IL. Friday night, the show runs from 5:00-11:00 p.m. and Saturday the show runs from 11:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m. Besides over 24 artists selected to exhibit in this show, there is also over 24 food vendors and live entertainment throughout the show.

Ravenswood Artwalk - September 10-11 in the Ravenswood neighborhood of Chicago. Ravenswood is an area with a wide collection of artists, studios and galleries. There are both indoor and outdoor exhibition areas, plus food booths and live music all weekend. I will be in exhibiting in the outdoor Artist Market.

Saltfork River Art Festival - September 24-25 at the Sleepy Creek Vineyard south of Oakwood. This show features 50 local artists and of course the wine. They have a full entertainment schedule all weekend. This show is always a great way to cap off the summer art show season.

Senior Portrait Season



Are you looking for someone to photograph your high school senior? I like to highlight area seniors in outdoor locations. Although I am available to do senior portraits, the number I will photograph is limited.

You will find my prices competitive with other photographers. You will also find my 40 years experience second to none.

I have been photographing Senior Portraits since 1976. You can see my portrait price list at <http://www.woodrum-media.com/portrait%20brochure.pdf>

Art Prints Available for Sale On-Line



Art Prints are now available for sale on the Woodrum-Media web site. You can visit the site at <http://www.woodrum-media.com/photoart/index.html>

There are currently eight photos on the web page to choose from. Each print is available in different sizes and can be ordered with or without a black metal frame. Prices vary from \$75.00 to \$200.00.

Purchased prints are ready for delivery in a week. Shipping is included if needed.

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Photo of the Quarter



Morning Fog at Garden of the Gods © 2016

**Camera - Canon 70D with 75-300mm lens at 95mm
Exposure - 100 ISO - 1/25 sec at f/16**

In July, our family rented a cabin just minutes away from Garden of the Gods. So one morning while everyone was still sleeping, I snuck off at 5:30 a.m. to one of my most favorite places to photograph. It was wonderful at that hour to be the only one in the park.

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