One of the images from our January Night Riders outing, this one by Peter Chow, see inside for more.

Please Join Us!

Our next meeting is March 3rd, 6:30PM to 9:00PM in the Community Room of the Urban Ecology Center at 1500 East Park Place in Milwaukee.

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Room for More!

Dates to Remember
Jan 11th: Village at Manor Park Exhibit opens
Jan 16: WACCO Exhibit at the Blue opens
Mar 3: UECPC Meeting
Mar 5: WACCO Mike Moats Seminar
Mar 12: WACCO Exhibit at the Blue take down
Mar 13: PSA-Wisconsin chapter meeting
Apr 23: WACCO Spring Competition entry due
May 7: WACCO Spring Competition
June 4: Leenhouts Gallery exhibit opens

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Night Riders January

First a meal at the Iron Horse Hotel, then a trip to the Domes for their Music Under Glass polka night.

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(more available at http://tinyurl.com/jtpb52q)
Tips for Photographers

Darby Harn gives great advice to writers. And photographer Scott Bourne believes Darby's advice is easily co-opted for photographers. Here are some of his variations on the original tips.

1. Find your weaknesses. Have trouble shooting macro? Shoot more macro. Have trouble getting the nerve to ask a stranger to appear in a portrait? Go out and ask a stranger to appear in a portrait. Saying it is hard to do something does not get it done or make it easier. It is the DOING of it that makes it easier. So find your faults as a photographer and fix them!

2. Look at lots of pictures. Don't just thumb through them. Look at them. Put yourself in that spot and ask yourself, what would you have done differently. This feeds your creative mind. You don't want to necessarily copy these photos. Just look at them for inspiration.

3. Pay attention. Darby calls this “listening” but in the context of this essay I want to call it being observant. Look at all the small details in the houses, trees and flowers you pass during the day. Notice the cracks in the skin of your old neighbor. Pay attention to the smallest, simplest, easiest to overlook bits of life and you will see photo ops you never saw before.

4. Shoot for yourself first. Do not make photographs that you think will sell. Make photographs that move you. Not every photographer needs to be a professional photographer and not every photograph needs to be published. There is value to doing photography for photography's sake.

5. Be real. Do not copy others. Your vision is what matters. Do not worry about being new, worry about being you.

Photo Quotes

“Life is like a camera. Focus on what's important. Capture the good times. And if things don't work out, just take another shot.” – Ziad K. Abdelnour

“No matter how sophisticated the camera, the photographer is still the one that makes it.” – Doug Bartlow
Night Riders February (Part 1)

Meeting up first at Cafe Benelux and then shooting at the Milwaukee Market and the surrounding Third Ward, with more images next month.

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Crab Legs at St. Paul's Fish Market

Fresh Seafood at St. Paul's Fish Market
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Historic Third Ward

Swig - Third Ward
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The Oil and Vinegar Store

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