## GCD PHOTOGRAPHY SCHEDULE 2017 - 2018

Photos for all sweeps and exhibitions to be 8x10 color with white matte border unless otherwise specified. Plant material, if used or required, to be identified by common and botanical name. An underlying theme for our photographs this year is water. However, you should feel free to interpret the titles as liberally or narrowly as you wish.

Tues Sept 12, 2017. Judged Sweep (Joint judging with New Canaan)

Theme: "Splash"

Tues Oct 10, 2017. Judged Sweep (Joint Judging with New Canaan)

Theme: "Reflections"

<u>Tues Nov 15, 2017</u> Joint meeting with New Canaan. Exhibition Only. Photos to be 8x10 color with *black* matte border.

Theme:."Nature's Bounty"

"You don't take a photograph, you make it." Ansel Adams
A still-life featuring vegetables/fruit/nuts/flowers of the Autumn harvest
New Canaan photography will use the same theme

<u>Tues December 12, 2017 Christmas Tea</u>. No photo exhibition/sweep. Sometime before December 12, we will print cards from photos we have previously exhibited to sell at the tea for charity or give to DCA store for selling. The cards would be on show at the tea.

Tues January 9, 2018. No photo exhibition/sweep.

Tues February 13, 2018. Judged Sweep (Joint judging with New Canaan)

Theme: "The tree that is beside the running water is fresher and gives more fruit." Saint Teresa of Avila

<u>Tues March 13, 2018</u>. Judged Sweep (Joint judging with New Canaan). In order to accommodate New Canaan meeting schedule, we will have judging a week earlier than our meeting.

Theme: "Work at the same time on sky, water, branches, ground, keeping everything going on an equal basis... Don't be afraid of putting on colour... Paint generously and unhesitatingly, for it is best not to lose the first impression." Camille Pissarro

<u>Tues April 17, 2018</u>. No photo exhibition/sweep. FD will hold an "Art in Bloom" competition which will be based on one or more photos from our earlier competitions.

Tues May 8, 2018. GCD exhibition only.

Theme: "I'm really quite simple. I plant flowers and watch them grow... I stay at home and watch the river flow." George Harrison

<u>Tues June 5, 2018</u>. Annual Meeting. Judged Sweep – Judges for GCD only.

Theme: Roses

Classes: Macro Rose, Multi Rose, Single Rose, Manipulated Rose

## **WORKSHOPS**

• Introduction to Photography Committee. Juliet Cain, 81 Locust Hill Rd, September 6, 2017. 5pm followed by wine and appetizers.

Aimed at new members of photography committee but all welcome. Will cover how to find/complete entry cards, clerking, newsletter write-ups and other frequently asked questions.

- iphone Workshop with Julie Stauffer in Fall 2017. Tentatively Sept 26/28
- Workshop with Susie Brewer and/or field trip. Date TBC