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Fresno Camera Club



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Death Valley #7 by Jonathan Rollins

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Meetings for June:

Program Night June

No Program Night in June, July or August

Horn Photo Education Center
230 W. Fallbrook Avenue #105 in Fresno

Monthly Meeting

June 21st at 7 p.m.
550 E. Shaw Avenue in Fresno
Digital Competition

Dinner before the meeting:

At the Spaghetti Factory, 1610 E. Shaw Avenue in Fresno before the monthly FCC meeting at 5 p.m. We will be done in time for the meeting.

FCC—Fresno Camera Club
SJVCCC— San Joaquin Valley Camera Club Council

Upcoming Dates:

June 12—SJVCCC Meeting
June 14—FCC Digitals Due
June 14—Board Meeting
June 20—FCC Meeting
July 12— Art Hop Meeting
July 16— Summer BBQ

Meeting Location:

University California Center
550 E. Shaw Avenue in Fresno

Don't forget, dinner at the Spaghetti Factory, 1610 E. Shaw Avenue in Fresno before the monthly FCC meeting at 5 p.m. We will be done in time for the meeting.

June 2016

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1	2	3 SJVCCC Digitals Due	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12 SJVCCC Meeting 10 a.m.	13	14 BOD Meeting Digitals Due	15	16	17	18
19	20	21 Monthly Meeting 7 p.m.	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		

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Hello all,

Well, summer is officially here. I feel for all of you who had to attend graduations that were held outside in this very hot June.

I see on Facebook that a lot of you are already out there traveling the country. I'm sure we will be enjoying your adventures in the months to come. As

for me, I will be spending the summer pool side with a good book.

Not a lot to report on right now. Remember that the June meeting will be digital and I hope a lot of you plan on sharing the one song digital show. Have some fun with it.

Just as a reminder, there will not be any program night June, July and August.

I'm sure that lots of you will be having fun this summer, camping, boating, traveling. So take lots of photos and be safe on your travels.

Mov'n On

Dee



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May Competition Results

Dennis Montejano judged 14 Monochrome prints and 34 Color Prints and Selected *Death Valley #7* by **Jonathan Rollins** as print of the night.

Monochrome

Rosemary Aguinaldo

Danyelle 10 3

Elizabeth Bedard

Walt Disney Concert Hall
Walkway 10

John Greening

Aftermath of Rough Fire 10

Dee Humphrey

Zabrisi Point #2 8
Concert Hall in Monochrome 9

David Hunter

Surface of the Moon 10
Springville Rodeo 8

Patrick Rhames

Rolling Sky over Kilcrea
Abbey Run 10

Jonathan Rollins

Rodeo Cowboy 10
Yosemite Reflections 10

Art Serabian

Devil's View of the Panaments 10
Bristlecone Pine No. 3 9

Beth Smiley

Photographer at Work 8
Time out to Reload 9

Color Prints

Elizabeth Bedard

Firefalls Close Up 10
Snorkeling in Maui 10

Nikolle Brown

Camouflage 9
Nesting Burrowing Owl Pair 8
Elves Chasem 8

Jim Coppinger

Pretty Poppies 8
Crashing El Arco 8
Mirrored Swallowtail 9

Tom Fowler

North Shore Woodie 8
Red Nash 9
Mimi's Café 10

John Greening

Fiery Rebirth 10

Dee Humphrey

Albuquerque Balloon Fiesta 10

David Hunter

Poppy Hill 10 2

Carol LaGue

Dream Lover 10
Civil War 3 Star General 10
Faithful Servant in Repose 10

Patrick Rhames

Driftwood and Beachgrass 9
Autumn on the Merced 10

Jonathan Rollins

Death Valley #7 10 1

Art Serabian

SS Palo Alto 9

Beth Smiley

Santa Barbara Sunset 9

Paul Smiley

Lincoln at Night 9
California Poppy 9
Known but to God 10

Loye Stone

Calling Wren 10
Pueblo Ladder 10
Wilson's Warbler 10

Shelley Stone

Sylized Spotted Succulent 9
Sitting Pretty 9
Fern Spring 2016 9

Dave Youngs

Soap Film Image #1 8
Seascape #1 8
Sierpinski Triangle 9



Dee Humphrey and Dennis Montejano

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May Meeting Recap

Judge: **Dennis Montejano**

Visitors: Lance MacKay

Dee Humphrey called the meeting to order at 7 p.m. May's program night on Model Lighting was very informative (see Page 9) There will be no Program Night in June, July and August. In June we will be having a Board Meeting on June 14th at 6:30 p.m.

Dr. Ning Lin won Earth Shots of the Day for May 16th (see here <http://www.earthshots.org/2016/05/yosemite-falls-under-moon-light-by-ning-lin/>) Congratulations Dr. Lin.

David Hunter is offering a night time star photography class on May 28th. Starting around 5 pm and going until midnight. Cost \$100, please let David know if you are interested.

Dee announced that the One Song Digital Slide show will be back next month in June, compile those videos and bring them to next months meeting.

Beth Smiley announced our visitor, Lance MacKay. We hope to see him again.

Aaron Rogers was to be our judge this evening, but he had a conflict so **Dennis Montejano** stepped in to be our judge. He judged 48 Prints and selected Death Valley #7 by **Jonathan Rollins** as image of the night.



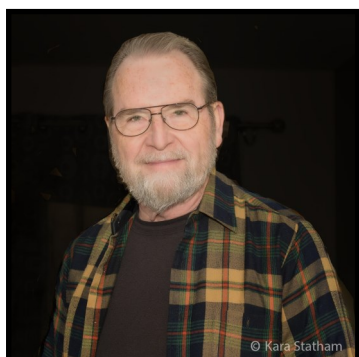
David Hunter



Rosemary Aguinaldo



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Death Valley #7

By **Jonathan Rollins**

Image of the Night



Death Valley #7 by **Jonathan Rollins**

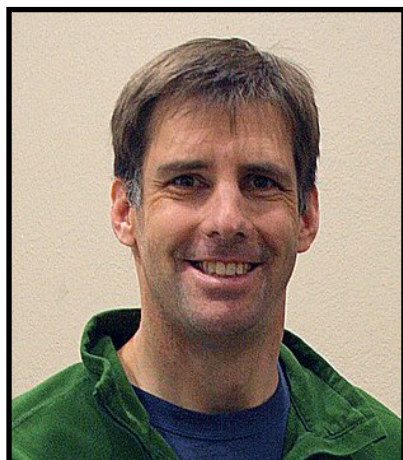
Sandy and I went to Death Valley Feb 22, 2016 to shoot the 'super bloom', and came away with this shot of a beautiful pile of rocks. Lots of flowers but I could not resist shooting this image as well. The colorful landscape with these amazing rocks in the foreground just stood out from the surrounding background. These rocks reminded me of another place in Death Valley called 'Artist's Pallet'. Each time I go to Death Valley, I always see something different.

Camera is a Nikon D800E, lens is a Nikon 24 to 70mm 2.8; shot at 70mm and ISO 200. Camera was mounted on a carbon fiber tripod with a Really Right Stuff ball head.



Horn Photo offers Fresno Camera Club members a 15% discount on film developing and photo printing (not specialty items)

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Poppy Hill

By **David Hunter**

This picture was taken on the Austin and Mary Ewell Fine Gold Creek Preserve in Madera County just north of Finegold Creek that runs into Miller-ton Lake. The preserve is managed by the Sierra Foothill Conservancy. I was contacted by them to alert me to this poppy bloom and I photographed it the following weekend. This was 1/1000 of a sec @ F8, ISO 200, 24mm on a Nikon D800.



Poppy Hill by **David Hunter**



New Member

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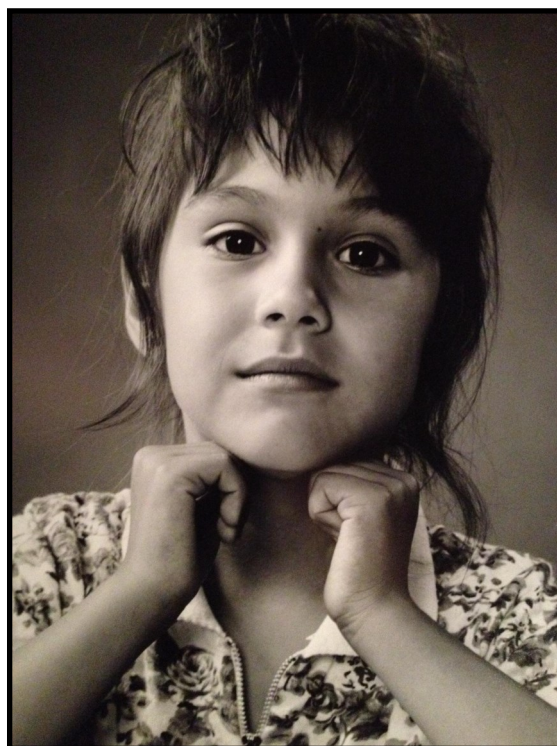


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Danyelle

By **Rosemary Aguinaldo**

This is a photo of my niece who at that time was around 6 or so was taken in one of my photo classes. I was attending Allan Hancock College in Santa Maria CA where I grew up. My photo teacher Mr. Dickerson had asked all students who wanted to use the studio lighting to bring their camera and model. My niece who loves having her picture taken became my model. I don't remember what camera, lens, f-stop or anything else that was used at the time.



Danyelle by **Rosemary Aguinaldo**

Upcoming Events and Workshops

<u>Date</u>	<u>Title / Information</u>	<u>Fees</u>	<u>More information</u>
6/9	Black Bear Safari	\$180	www.amwestphoto.com
6/12	Burrowing Owl Safari	\$70	www.amwestphoto.com
6/14	Explore! Safari	\$100	www.amwestphoto.com
6/17	Black Bear Safari	\$180	www.amwestphoto.com
6/21	Sony A6000/A6300 Essentials	\$50	www.amwestphoto.com
6/23	Getting to know your Nikon DSLR Camera	\$50	www.hornphoto.com
6/24	Black Bear Safari	\$180	www.amwestphoto.com
6/25	Canon Discovery Day: Basic 101	\$50	www.hornphoto.com
6/25	Canon Discovery Day: Basic 102	\$50	www.hornphoto.com
7/6-7	Two Day Black Bear Safari	\$400	www.amwestphoto.com
7/8	Half Day Agricultural Safari	\$80	www.amwestphoto.com
7/12	Mineral King Safari	\$180	www.amwestphoto.com

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Program Night

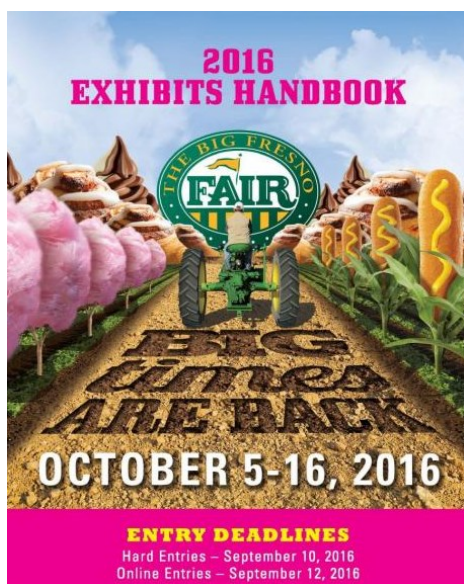
Aaron Rogers from Horn Photo put on a great workshop on Model Lighting



Art Hop

We will be having an Art Hop meeting on Tuesday, July 14th at 7 p.m. at the Horn Photo Education Center. We will be going over the event and discussing logistics. If you signed up, you will be getting an email with the details.

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2016 FAIR THEME

NOT COUNTED TOWARD OVERALL
MAXIMUM OF ENTRIES

“HOMEGROWN HAPPINESS”

<u>ENTRY FEE</u>	None
<u>ENTRY FORM DUE</u>	September 10, 2016
<u>ONLINE ENTRY FORMS DUE</u>	September 12, 2016
<u>LIMIT</u>	Open to any Photographer One Entry per Exhibitor

DIVISION 1003 SPECIAL THEME SECTION

Class

1. Any Subject Relating to the 2016 Theme
“HOMEGROWN HAPPINESS”

PHOTOGRAPHY

SUPERINTENDENT - THEODORE SCRIBNER
theodorescribner@gmail.com

OPEN TO FRESNO COUNTY RESIDENTS ONLY 18
YEARS & OLDER MAXIMUM OF TEN PRINTS PER
EXHIBITOR ALLOWED; NO MORE THAN TWO ENTRIES
MAY BE SUBMITTED IN THE SAME CLASS

<u>ENTRY FEE</u>	\$7.00 per Entry (Non-Refundable)
All Fees Due at the Time of Entry Form Submission	
<u>ENTRY FORM DUE</u>	September 10, 2016
<u>ONLINE ENTRY FORMS DUE</u>	September 12, 2016
<u>LIMIT</u>	Two Entries per Class per Exhibitor
<u>PHOTOGRAPHY RECEIVED</u>	The Art Gallery
	September 13, 2016
	September 14, 2016
	September 15, 2016

ALL ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED UNLESS NOTIFIED

DISPLAYED ENTRIES WILL BE RELEASED

October 17, 2016	10 AM - 7 PM
October 18, 2016	10 AM - 7 PM

Owners must collect items in The Fine Arts and Photography Building on the above days. The Big Fresno Fair is not liable for exhibits and will not be responsible for items left. Items will not be stored.

PROFESSIONAL PHOTOGRAPHY

A person who engages in an event or activity as a livelihood rather than a hobby. As stated in the rules for photography, the professional entrant is allowed two properly framed or mounted photos that must be ready for hanging. There are no size limitations; however available space dictates the number of entries that can be exhibited for this category. Photos and/or matting cannot have photographers business or website information printed on.

<u>ENTRY FEE</u>	\$7.00 per Entry (Non-Refundable)
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All Fees Due at the Time of Entry Form Submission

<u>ENTRY FORM DUE</u>	September 10, 2016
<u>ONLINE ENTRY FORMS DUE</u>	September 12, 2016
<u>LIMIT</u>	Two Entries per Exhibitor

<u>AWARDS OFFERED</u>	1 st thru 3 rd Ribbons
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<u>CASH AWARDS OFFERED</u>	None
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DIVISION 1004 PROFESSIONAL

Class

1. Any Subject

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DIVISION 1001 COLOR

This division is for color photographs including more than two (2) colors (other than black and white or sepia).

Class

1. **Landscape & Waterscape**
Views of natural inland scenery (includes lakes, rivers, waterfalls, coast or ocean)
2. **Sunrises/Sunsets**
Views primarily of sky
3. **Architecture**
View of a building or part of a building, a city or section
4. **Animals**
Pets or animals common to the home, wild animals or birds
5. **Agriculture**
Agricultural scenes, including equipment, crops, produce, animals, etc.
6. **Flowers**
Domestic or wild
7. **Plants & Trees**
Domestic (orchards, yards, or wild, etc.)
8. **Humans**
Adults/children either posing or candid
9. **Transportation**
Autos, planes, boats, train, etc.
10. **Photojournalism**
Image tells a story, including but not limited to sports action, disaster, etc.
11. **Macro**
Close-up or magnified subject, insects or butterflies
12. **Still Life**
Subject matter is inanimate
13. **Creative**
Photo of subject not as the eye typically sees it or mirrored images
14. **Photographer's Choice**
Subject not fitting in above categories, must not be categorized by the above classes
15. **Digitally Manipulated**
Any subject matter added to photograph
16. **35mm Film**
17. **35mm Film Self Developed**
Photos developed by Exhibitor in personal dark room

DIVISION 1002 MONOCHROME

This division is for images consisting of not more than two (2) primary colors (black and white or sepia).

Class

1. **Landscape**
Views of natural inland scenery (includes lakes, rivers, waterfalls, coast or ocean)
2. **Architecture**
View of a building or part of a building
3. **Animals**
Both domestic & wild
4. **Flowers**
Domestic or wild
5. **Plants & Trees**
Domestic orchards, yards or wild
6. **Humans**
Adults/children either posing or candid
7. **Photojournalism**
Image tells a story, including but not limited to sports action, disaster, etc.
8. **Still Life**
Subject matter is inanimate
9. **Creative**
Photo of subject not as the eye typically sees it or manipulated by a computer
10. **Photographer's Choice**
Subject not fitting in above categories, must not be categorized by the above classes
11. **Digitally Manipulated**
Any subject matter added to photograph
12. **35mm Film**
13. **35mm Film Self Developed**
Photos developed by Exhibitor in personal dark room



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San Joaquin Valley Camera Club Council - SJVCCC



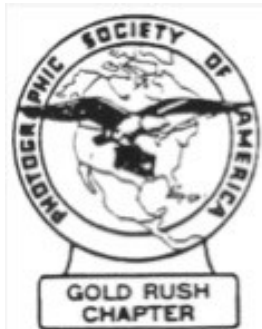
May's council meeting was the May Gold Rush meeting.

Some of the topics presented were:

1. San Joaquin International. One section each of their Nature and Color Divisions
2. Pete Oxford from South America
3. Shirley Ward: PSA's 365 Challenge; Jan 1st to April
4. Charlie Willard: The "White Pocket" of Page, AZ area
5. Truman Holtzclaw: The Sculptures of Borrego Springs

June digitals are due on June 3rd, the June meeting will be on the 12th.

No meetings in July and August. Because of the Gold Rush meeting, the September meeting will be a competition meeting instead of the Digital Workshop.



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2016 PSA Conference of Photography

Saturday, September 10, 2016 - Saturday, September 17, 2016

Wyndham San Antonio Riverwalk
210-354-2800
111 E Pecan St.
San Antonio, Texas 78205

For detailed information about the many great tours click on the TOUR Details tab above; click the MEAL Details tab for meals information; click the REGISTRATION Information tab for the registration desk hours.

Conference Hotel Information can be found on the PSA Website.

Registrants are responsible for making their own hotel reservations. Once the PSA hotel block is full, PSA cannot guarantee rooms at the initial group rate.

Rollover hotel options may become available as the Conference Hotel rooms fill up. Check the PSA Website often for hotel information.

DEADLINE: Reservations must be received on or before the date of August 25, 2016.

LATE REGISTRATION FEES:

After August 14, add \$25.00

Onsite registration, add \$40.00

Information online: <http://psa-photo.org/index.php?2016-psa-conference>



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PSA Information

Are You a Member of the Photographic Society of America (PSA)?

"ADVANTAGES OF HAVING PSA MEMBERSHIP

PSA has a **Personalized Image Evaluation Service**. This service is especially helpful if the maker wants to have his/her skills evaluated, if the maker would like to know what constitutes an acceptable image in one of the PSA Divisions, or for previewing Images before entering them in club competition or a PSA recognized Exhibition.

PSA also has an **Image Analysis Course**, which is helpful in judging ones own photos or becoming a certified judge.

These are free services offered by PSA to members. Need a Mentor? Go to <http://psa-photo/org.php?member-education-mentor-service>

Become a member of PSA today!

PSA Galleries

PSA has several galleries on this website where members can share their photography with others.

PSA Member Galleries - For All PSA Members Each State, Province, or Country may contain individual member galleries that showcase members' work. Individual images and bios in galleries may be updated by members as often as they would like. A list of available galleries is accessed from the left pane of this webpage, grouped according to PSA Member Area. They can also be accessed from a state/province/country and some chapter pages on the site.

Each PSA member can create a gallery of up to 6 images and a biography with a link to a personal web gallery. **Member galleries stay on the PSA site for as long as a member remains a PSA member in good standing.**

Any questions, just ask me, as I am the PSA Rep for this area.

Lee H. Cates, FPSA
Assistant SMD



New PSA Definition for Photo Travel Effective January 2016

Clarifications concerning the Updated Photo Travel Definition:

A Photo Travel image expresses the characteristic features or culture of a land as they are found naturally. There are no geographic limitations. Images from events or activities arranged specifically for photography, or of subjects directed or hired for photography are not appropriate. Close up pictures of people or objects must include features that provide information about the environment. Techniques that add, relocate, replace or remove any element of original image, except by cropping, are not permitted. The only allowable adjustments are removal of dust or digital noise, restoration of the appearance of the original scene, and complete conversion to grayscale monochrome. Other derivations, including infrared, are not permitted. All allowed adjustments must appear natural.

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Fresno Camera Club 2016 Officers and Board

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Dennis Montejano, Jonathan Rollins, Art Serabian

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Contribute to the Websites!

Check out www.fresnocameraclub.org Email **Elizabeth** if you have any articles for the Fresno Camera Club website.

Craig J. Hadfield is webmaster of www.sjvccc.org. and he would like to have your interesting articles to post on the website, email him at bcard@bobsbunker.net.

“Highlights” Submission

Do you have an article you would like published in an issue of “Highlights”? Do you have a suggestion for something you would like to see in “Highlights”? If you do, feel free to contact **Elizabeth Bedard** at elizabeth@bedardcontrols.com.

Submissions for inclusion in the next month’s “Highlights” should be received by the 15th of the previous month to insure inclusion in the next issue. This includes change of address, etc. All constructive criticism and corrections are welcome

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It is distributed to members by email in a PDF format. Printed copies are mailed to those who do not have email or who request it. A number of printed black and white copies are available at club meetings.

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Fresno Camera Club 2016 Schedule of Competitions and Programs

May 10	Program Night		7 p.m.
May 17	Prints, 3 max		7 p.m.
June 14	Board Meeting / Digitals Due		6 p.m.
June 21	Digital, 3 max/ one song slideshow		7 p.m.
July 16	BBQ - Prints, 3 max	\$15	4 p.m.
September 20	Prints, 3 max		7 p.m.
October 11	Digitals Due		
October 18	Digital, 3 max		7 p.m.
November 15	Prints, 3 max		7 p.m.
November 26	Digitals Due for Year End		
December 3	Year End Awards Luncheon	\$15	10 a.m.

Fresno Camera Club Membership for January 1 – December 31, 2016

The completed form below, together with your check/cash, will pay your dues for the year 2016 and/or renew your membership.
Remember Horn Photo gives a 15% discount on developing and printing to members of the FCC.

Name: _____

PSA Member Yes No

Address: _____

Street Address / Apartment

City State Zip

Home Phone: _____

Cell Phone: _____

Email: _____

Make checks payable to: **Fresno Camera Club** and mail to:

Rosemary Aguinaldo
2229 N. Arthur Avenue,
Fresno, CA 93705

New Membership Renewal Amount Paid \$ _____ Cash Check # _____

DUES SCHEDULE—Join in:

January, February, March, April

Single: \$30 Family: \$45

Full time student \$15

May, June, July, August, September

Single: \$15 Family: \$22.50

Full time student \$7.50

October, November, December

Fair Special! Pay for 2016 and
get the rest of 2015 for Free!

Single: \$30 Family: \$45

Full time student \$15