

Minutes from the April meeting of the Northwest Tennessee Photography Club

President Roger Hughes called the meeting to order. Roll was called with 13 members present.

The business meeting was opened with discussion and a presentation of the T-shirt and cap embroidered with the club logo. No definite action was taken at this time. It will be discussed again at the May meeting. Questions arose as to the cost of these items and these questions will be referred to Becky Caldwell to report back at the next meeting or via email.

The next field trip of the club will be **Saturday, April 25th** to Shiloh where there is an Eagle's nest with a very accessible view. If you plan to go please let Sherri Drake know. Everyone will meet in Martin at the Wal-Mart parking lot by the Murphy gas station pump at 7:15. **They will LEAVE at 7:30 a.m.**

The May field trip is still in question pending information regarding details about the Botanical garden in St. Louis. Info will be forwarded via email. Please let Sherri Drake know if you are interested and the best dates you could go.

The May club meeting will be in Martin on May 5th. Our speaker will be Tom Biggs, renowned photographer of waterfalls and landscapes. He has recently been published in OUTDOOR PHOTOGRAPHY magazine. Look for future emails regarding the room location. It may change from our normal room to accommodate a larger crowd. Dr. Gallien will be contacted to try to secure the larger room. You may view Mr. Biggs work at **TRBphotography.com**

The June meeting will be held back in Union City at the Obion County Library. Our speaker will be Jeremy Giles, a commercial photographer who works in advertising. You may view his work at **jeremygilesphotography.com**

President Hughes urged all members to upload photos to our website. We have much talent within our club and we need to share our work. If you have any difficulty or questions you may address them to Dr. Edd Joyner at eddjoyner@charter.net.

Mr. Albert Markham announced that there is a workshop the 30 and 31st of May in Nashville. Information can be obtained by googling Digitaldays, Nashville, TN.

Mr. Markham also asked how to send a photo or document to all the club members. Dr. Joyner responded by saying that you could send it email to : list@nwtpc.org from your email account.

The business meeting concluded and Dr. Paul Marsidi was introduced. He presented a video slide show of his visit to Komodo island, the dragons and their habitat along with some prints of his underwater subjects.

The meeting was adjourned.

