

Schedule / Meeting Locations:

NOTE – IN GENERAL, MEETINGS ON THE 2ND MONDAY WILL BE HELD IN PERSON. ALL OTHER MEETINGS WILL BE VIRTUAL. (Unless otherwise noted in the schedule.)

Board Meeting:

1st Monday of the Month* 7:00 PM (virtual)

In Person Meeting:

2nd Monday of the Month* 7:15 PM
First Baptist Church of West Hartford
90 North Main Street
West Hartford, CT 06107

Competition:

3rd Monday of the Month* 7:15 PM (virtual)

General Meeting:

4th Monday of the Month* 7:15 PM (virtual)

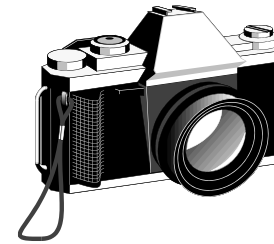
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Meetings are held from September to May (except December)

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Charter Oak Photographic Society, Inc.



Schedule of Events

2025-2026 Season

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2025-2026 Schedule

Month	In Person Meetings**	Competition Judging (Virtual by Zoom)	General Meetings (Virtual by Zoom**)	Other Activities
September	Monday, September 22, 2025 “Photographing Models” with Tom Cuchara, HonNEC of Hamden, CT	N/A	Monday, September 29, 2025 “Finding Your Creative Voice” by Richard Lewis of New Jersey	Check the FOCUS for details on other opportunities as they come up.
October	Monday, October 13, 2025 “Small Group Photo Sharing and Critiques” by COPS Members	Monday, October 20, 2025 Specified Topic: PSA Nature	Monday, October 27, 2025 “Printing Demystified” by Robert Chaplin of Florida	
November	Monday, November 10, 2025 “In the Style of...” by Stan Tetrault of Tolland, CT; “Favorite Places to Photograph in CT” by COPS Members	Monday, November 17, 2025 Specified Topic: Intentional Camera Movement	Monday, November 24, 2025 “A Foundation for the Macro World” by Doug Johnson of Colorado	
December	 No Meetings in December (Happy Holidays!)			
January	Monday, January 12, 2026 “TBD”	Monday, January 19, 2026 Specified Topic: Within 30 Minutes of Your Home	Monday, January 26, 2026 “Inside Smart Photo Editor” by Hazel Meredith of Tennessee	*Note: Special Dates for These Events **Unless otherwise noted
February	Monday, February 9, 2026 “Small Group Photo Sharing and Critiques” by COPS Members	Monday, February 16, 2026 Specified Topic: Geometry in Nature (Macro)	Monday, February 23, 2026 “Photographing Nome Alaska” by Henry Doyle of Kentucky	
March	Monday, March 9, 2026 “Zoo Photography” by Meredith Harris of Farmington, CT	Monday, March 16, 2026 Specified Topic: Cell Phone Photographs	Monday, March 23, 2026 “Nightscape/Astro Photography” by Royce Bair of Utah	
April	Monday, April 13, 2026 “TBD” by Phil Atiyeh of Cheshire, CT	Monday, April 20, 2026 Specified Topic: In the Style of Famous Photographers	Monday, April 27, 2026 “Capturing Motion” by Betsy Wilson of Pennsylvania	
May	None	Monday, May 11, 2026* Judging for Annual Awards JUDGES ONLY – CLOSED TO MEMBERS	Monday, May 18 2026* “Mini Shows” by COPS Members (IN PERSON)	
..... No Meetings during the Summer				

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