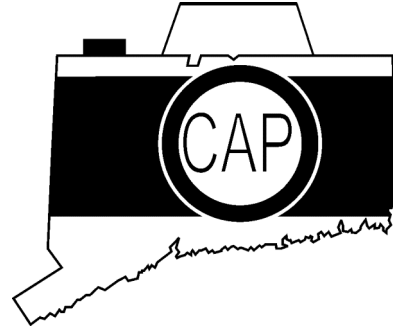


# The CAPtion

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## Fall Dinner Meeting & Program

*Featuring American Light by Joe LeFevre*

*Saturday, November 21, 2009*

*Crowne Plaza Hotel*

**1284 Strongtown Road, Southbury, CT**

**5:00 p.m. cocktails; 6:00 dinner & program**

You are in for a special treat for the Fall Dinner meeting of the Connecticut Association of Photographers with the debut performance of *American Light* by **Joe LeFevre**. Joe LeFevre is a free-lance landscape and nature photographer from New York, where he is a professor of chemistry at the State University of New York (SUNY) at Oswego. In 1994 Joe received the coveted Chancellor's Award for Excellence in Teaching, SUNY's highest teaching award. Many of you have enjoyed the camera college programs Joe has presented for the New England Camera Club Council's Annual Conference where his skills as a teacher and photographer are evident as his program of stunning imagery unfolds.

*American Light* is a program celebrating the beauty and diversity of the North American landscape. Containing nearly 300 of Joe's favorite images and original piano music by concert pianist Cindy Josbena, the program is divided into several segments. Beginning with a section entitled Intimate Landscapes, it proceeds through Transitions, Panoramas, Morning Light, Behold the Waters, and ends with Evening Light. Available on DVD (at the dinner) in 16x9-format for wide-screen TVs, you are sure to enjoy seeing this program over and over again. As part of this evening's presentation, Joe will explain how the panoramas were created.

You can find more information on Joe at [www.joelefevrephoto.com/Home.html](http://www.joelefevrephoto.com/Home.html).

We are pleased to present awards during the business portion of our dinner to the clubs who won first and second place in the **Connecticut Invitational Salon's Print and Digital Slide Competitions**. The prints will be displayed and the digital images shown. Awards will also be presented to those photographers whose print and digital images which won first and second place. Honorable Mention certificates will also be presented this evening.

Dinner is at the Crowne Plaza Hotel, 1284 Strongtown Road, Southbury, CT with cocktails at 5pm, business meeting at 5:30pm and dinner at 6pm. Dinner includes Entrée, Salad, Sides, Dessert, Coffee & Tea. Entrée choices are Sliced Tenderloin of Beef with béarnaise sauce, Chicken Florentine which is a chicken breast stuffed with Boursin cheese and spinach, and Crab Crusted Cod with a creamy lobster sauce. All dinners are \$30.

See the Reservation Form at the end of the newsletter. Dinner reservations are due by November 12<sup>th</sup>. Mail your check to CAP Inc, PO Box 124, Cheshire, CT 06410.

### **Directions to the Restaurant**

The restaurant is located at 1284 Strongtown Road, Southbury, CT.

**From Southern CT:** Take Route 8 north to Exit 22. Take Route 67 North toward Southbury. Take a right on Strongtown Road (Route 188). After you cross under I-84 the hotel is approximately ¼ mile on right.

**From I-84 east or west:** Take Exit 16. Take a right off the exit. The hotel is approximately ¼ mile on the right.

## **Combo Field Trip to Magic Wings & Wing Masters**

**Led by Deb Donofrio**

On November 7, 2009, (with a rain date of Nov. 14, 2009) join us for an exciting "double feature". We will have Magic Wings all to ourselves from 7-9 a.m, then have breakfast at their Monarchs Restaurant. Afterwards, we'll head over to Wing Masters in Springfield to shoot from 11-1 (approx). This trip is limited to 20 people (CAP members have first preference before guests). Based on 20 people, the price for Magic Wings is \$15 per person and Wing Masters is also \$15 per person.

Please contact Deb Donofrio to reserve your spot at 203-934-3547 or ddonofrio@snet.net *no later than November 1st.*

## **Connecticut Invitational Salon**

**Organized by Paul Peterson, MNEC**

Attention Camera Clubs! The 27<sup>th</sup> annual CT Invitational Salon will be held on Tuesday, November 17, 2009. This competition, open to all Connecticut camera clubs, will be hosted by the Castle Craig CC at the D.A.V. Hall, 80 Hall Ave., Meriden, at 7:30 P.M.

Clubs will compete in two categories: projected digital images and prints. More information will be sent to individual clubs by Paul Peterson, but for now each club should start thinking about gathering 6 digital images and 6 prints for the competition.

CAP would like to see every club in the state represented in this competition, so start planning now. Castle Craig CC invites anyone interested in watching the competition to join them at their November 17 meeting.

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The awards from this presentation will be presented at the Fall Dinner Meeting on Saturday evening, Nov. 21, 2009.

## Dues are Due

**By Jim Dionne, MNEC, Membership Chairman**

In early August I sent out bills to all CAP members. Please send in your check so you won't miss out on a single issue of the CAPtion. In early December I move all unpaid members to an inactive file. This means that you will no longer get the CAPtion. We have exciting field trips and events planned for the coming year. Send in your \$8.00 so you don't miss out on anything.

If you're in doubt if you have paid your dues or not just send me an email and I will let you know if you are current ([jimski42@sbcglobal.net](mailto:jimski42@sbcglobal.net)).

## About *The CAPtion* and CAP

*The CAPtion* is published several times a year by CAP, the Connecticut Association of Photographers. CAP is a state-wide organization with both clubs and individuals as members. CAP is associated with the Photographic Society of America and the New England Camera Club Council. Annual membership dues in CAP are \$8.00 per year and include all issues of this publication.

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**RESERVATION FORM**

\_\_\_ Tenderloin of Beef    \_\_\_ Chicken Florentine    \_\_\_ Crab Crusted Cod

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Guest Name \_\_\_\_\_

Number of attendees \_\_\_ x \$30 each = \$ \_\_\_\_\_ total enclosed

Send Reservations and Check to:  
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**PLEASE - RESERVATIONS DUE NO LATER THAN**  
**November 12!**

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