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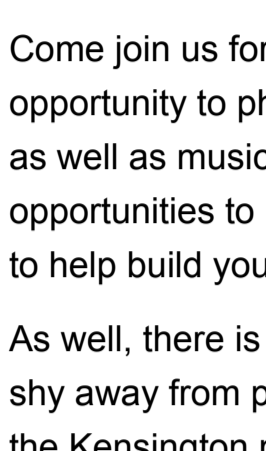
TCC News

Join us on Sunday for a local outing to Kensington Market for a great opportunity to photograph people, graffiti, murals and the Kensington neighbourhood with Andrew Wodzinski and other Club Members.

More outings are planned! See below for more information.

Our next Summertime Zoom Meeting will be taking place on August 6th. It is open to both non-members and members. We look forward to seeing your images for the theme: *Seasons*.

Please Welcome our newest member:
Uzair Ahmad



Upcoming Local Outing – Street Photography at Kensington Market

- Host: **Andrew Wodzinski**
- **Sunday, July 27, 2025**

Come join us for a walk through Kensington Market. It's a great opportunity to photograph interesting people, personalities, characters, as well as music bands and other performers. There are plenty of opportunities to practice your people photography and an opportunity to help build your confidence when photographing strangers.

As well, there is interesting graffiti and murals to photograph (if you shy away from people photography). You can venture on your own in the Kensington neighbourhood, or through observation you can walk with Andrew and other Club Members and see how to approach this type of photography.

We will meet just before 1:30pm at the corner of Spadina Avenue and St. Andrew Street. We will also visit a local pub for snacks and drinks around 3:00pm (*location to be determined*). It is still unclear whether Pedestrian Carless Sunday is back at Kensington Market this month. We will keep you posted on Facebook and WhatsApp.

RSVP if you are interested in joining us, please send an email to Andrew at Andrew.Wodzinski@torontocameraclub.com or LocalOutings@TorontoCameraClub.com

Thank-you,
Pat Gerada
Co-Chair, Local Outings Toronto Camera Club

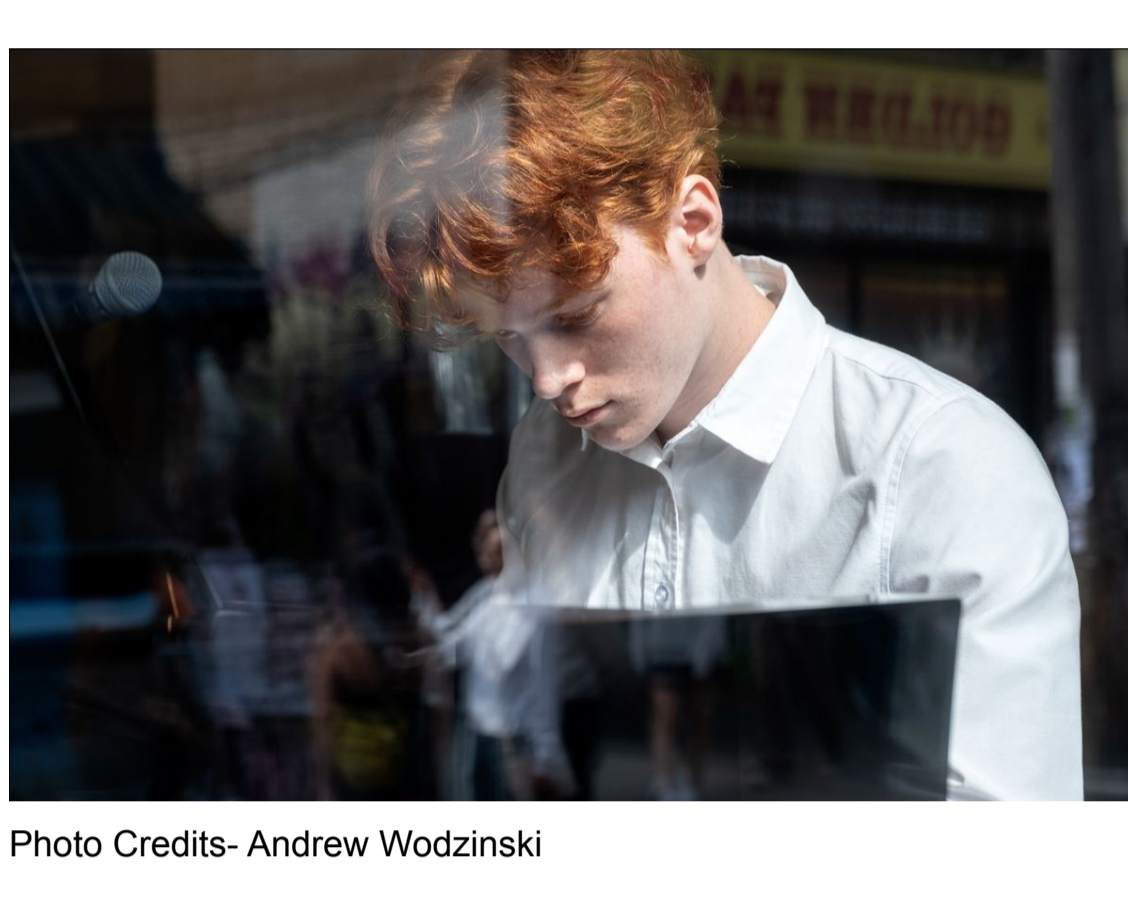
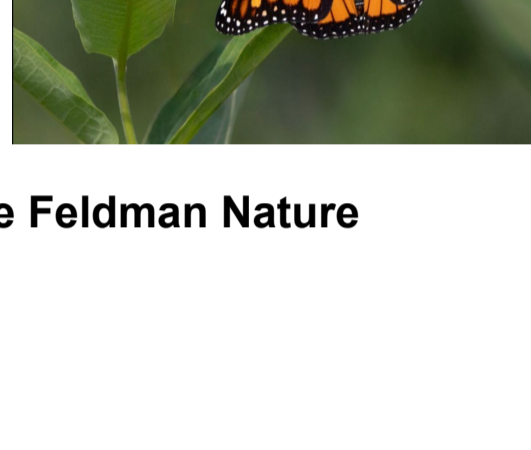


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FLASH Local Outing: Goldie Feldman Nature Reserve

- Date: Sunday August 3, 2025
- Time: 6 am to noon
- Host: **Carolyn Ireland**

The Goldie Feldman Nature Reserve, located in Happy Valley Forest is the largest remaining intact forest of its kind on the Oak Ridges Moraine. The meadows, forests and wetlands are vibrating with life at the moment. We recently found beetles, butterflies, moths, bees, caterpillars and other wild creatures – all to a soundtrack of Indigo Bunting, Eastern Towhee, Ovenbird, Common Yellowthroat and other birds that nest there.

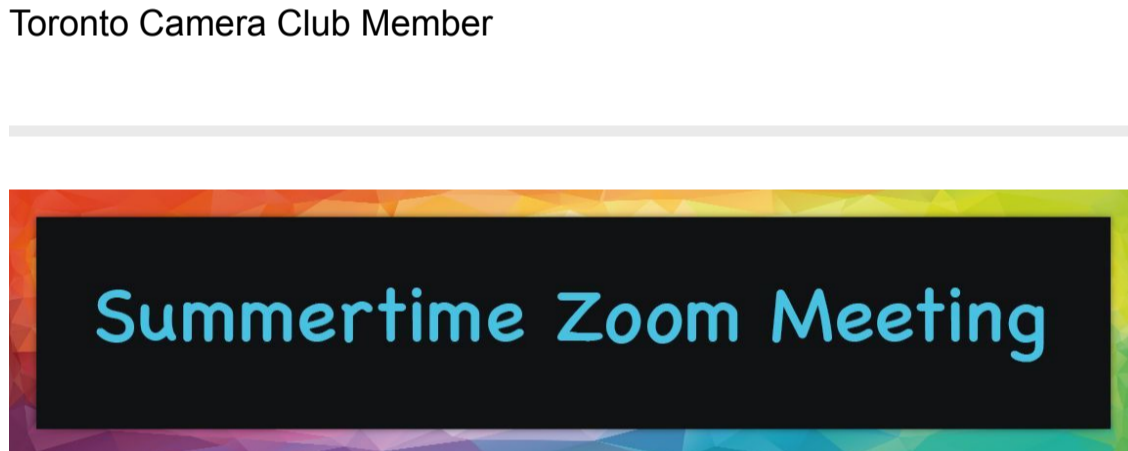
We're planning to get an early start to capture the beasties while they are most placid.

Part one: We plan to spend approximately two hours at Goldie Feldman Nature Reserve, then break for coffee and bathrooms in nearby Schomberg. The gravel trail through the habitat is great because it's easy to set up a tripod without walking into poison ivy (present) or ticks (possible). Those who are not inclined to walk or lug gear too far can find critters right from the parking lot.

Part two: Intrepid photographers who stick around will gather nearby at the York Forest Happy Valley Tract on 7th Concession Rd, just south of Pottageville. This bucolic setting offers lovely views across the rolling hills of the Oak Ridges Moraine. The birds and butterflies are plentiful here too, but the walking is on mowed paths, so the terrain is a little more challenging to navigate.

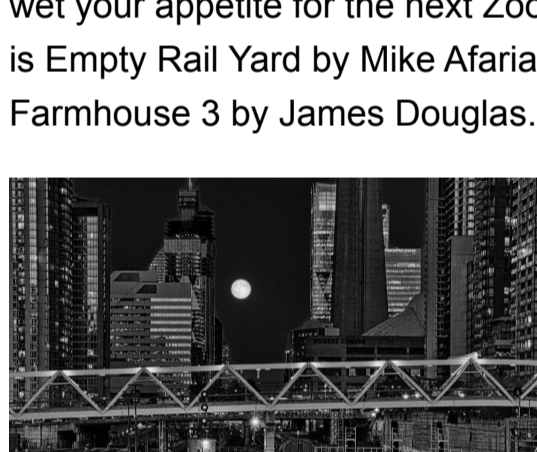
If you wish to attend, please RSVP at LocalOutings@TorontoCameraClub.com and provide your phone number if you want to be added to the WhatsApp group. Outing details have also been posted to the Toronto Camera Club website (click [here](#)).

Carolyn Ireland
Toronto Camera Club Member



Toronto Camera Club's Summertime Zoom Meetings

Well, well, well. Last Wednesday's Summertime Zoom Meeting was a captivating look at how we all think about the theme of "Empty". It seemed to be a real challenge for some attendees! We had a very wide range of images from TCC members and a number of non-TCC members that really were quite fascinating! I've included a couple to wet your appetite for the next Zoom Meeting on Aug. 6th. The first is Empty Rail Yard by Mike Afarian and the second is Icelandic Farmhouse 3 by James Douglas.



Once again, please note that the Meeting is open to all members or non-members and it's free – so please invite your friends for a fun evening. The meetings always start at 7:30pm and last for approx. 2 hrs. The link is below **and** on our Toronto Camera Club's website.

The theme for Aug. 6th meeting is **Seasons** – so think of images you have that evoke the feeling of one the seasons: winter, Spring, Summer or Fall. This conceptual challenge gives plenty of scope for interpretation and for having some fun.

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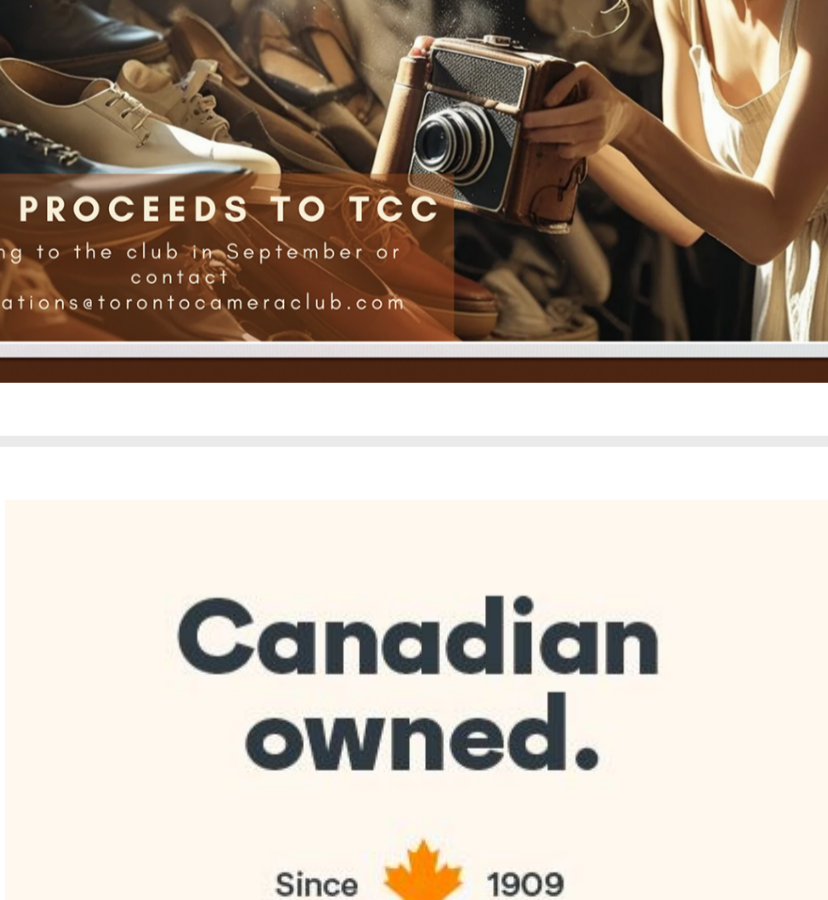
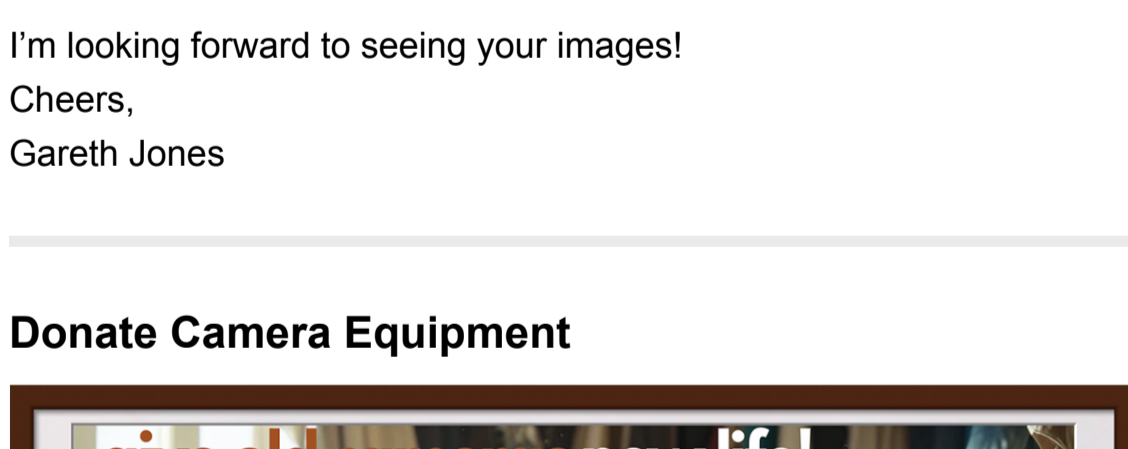
1. Everyone is invited to submit up to 3 images for the evening, **but the files must be named as follows: "Title by Maker"**. For example: "Harbourfront by Gareth Jones".
2. **Images should sized as follows: no more than 1400pixels horizontal and/or 1050 pixels vertical, and be less than 2MB in size.**
3. **Images should be sent to Gareth.Jones@TorontoCameraClub.com, no later than end of the day, Monday, before the scheduled Meeting date.**

The Zoom Link for all of the Summertime Zoom Meetings is: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87580995501?pwd=qTWg1CUNwnKjQvQSQa35F0caG2ahA6.1>

- Time: Aug. 6, 2025, 07:30 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)
- Meeting ID: 875 8099 5501
- Passcode: 181530

I'm looking forward to seeing your images!
Cheers,
Gareth Jones

Donate Camera Equipment



Upcoming Events

Click above to see the upcoming events.

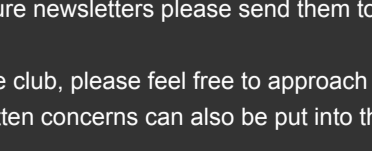
Our regular meetings and lectures will resume in September. Join us for our Summertime Program from June to August!

Our Summertime Program is free and is open to the public – so you can invite friends to join us! There is a limit of 100 attendees, so login early if you want to ensure your seat at the Zoom table.

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If you want to add articles to future newsletters please send them to news@torontocameraclub.com.

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