

Focal Point Meeting at Arboretum in Brainerd, June 16, 2009

A few members met at 5:00 p.m. to go over technical questions, etc.

The main meeting began at 6:30 p.m. with 22 in attendance, and Doug Livingston leading the meeting.

Ron Stark brought delicious snacks which were made by his wife. Thanks to Ron and his wife!  
Dwight Munns has volunteered to provide snacks for the July meeting.

Doug Livingston mentioned that the Arboretum would like more photo exhibits and photos for the entry to the building.

Please contact the Arboretum about this.

Roy Abbott gave a presentation/review about sizing images to send to him for our monthly assignments.

He said that the photos should be emailed to him for the slideshow at approximately 1024x768 pixels (this doesn't need to be exact).

768 height (whether vertical or horizontal shot) by 1024 wide (if horizontal shot).

1024 should be a maximum.

Choose 96 ppi resolution.

Roy's email address is [rabbott@brainerd.net](mailto:rabbott@brainerd.net).

Lisa Haste displayed a copyright seal on her photos sent in for the assignment. She emailed a "How To" for making the copyright seal to Mary Hendricks.

Because of the three page length, Mary printed out copies to bring to the July meeting.

A slideshow of their Safari in Africa was given by Stan and Shirley Borman.

It was a delightful way for us to armchair travel. Thanks very much to the Bormans!

July 21st is the next scheduled meeting.

Assignment is photos of bridges.

Respectfully submitted,

Mary Hendricks