

MARCH 16, 2010 FOCAL POINT MEETING
HELD AT NORTHLAND ARBORETUM

5:00 pm, time for digital work or discussion

6:30 pm, regular meeting was opened and led by Lorraine Northagen

20 in attendance

New faces: Jim Meriam

Guest: Carolyn Abbott

Roy Abbott gave a slide show of the black and white assignment images for this month.

Lorraine reminded everyone to enter the ongoing photo contest for Arboretum images.

Dave Boran, our photographer of the year, gave us an update on the upcoming Picturing event.

Thanks go to Karleen Schmiedt and Mary Roberts for bringing snacks and beverages!

Mike Morris gave a presentation and demonstration on these free software downloads.

Picasa 3 raw viewer, Picasa.google.com

UFRAW

GIMP (2.6 is latest version)

Liquid rescale can take electric wires out of a photo (example)

Wonderful information, Mike, and thank you so much for this presentation.

Meeting adjourned.

Reminder: April assignment is “unusual perspective”.

Meeting will be April 20th.

Respectfully submitted,

Mary Hendricks