

Nominee: Flagstaff Photography Center
Category: Organization

Our mission is to enrich our community in the recognition of established and emerging photographers by posting a comprehensive online directory, hosting photo exhibits, and by conducting workshops and lectures in order to promote an awareness of the remarkable achievements of our region's many talented fine art and media photographers.

The FPC aims to reach as many members of our diverse community as possible. This is proven by the number of partnerships that are gained each year. Young and Old, Artists and Doctors and everything in between. The FPC strives give the medium of photography to everyone living or visiting Flagstaff.

The Calendar of events at FPC is full of diverse, fresh and ground breaking exhibitions and workshops. Everything that happens there is done for the community, by the community. The workshops are taught by local photographers and artists. The tutorials given in these workshops range from very elementary to very advanced and are intended to be attended by people of all ages. The exhibitions at FPC bring a new light and vision to the community. Flagstaff is often peppered with the images that look very similar and contain the same subject matter. FCP displays work that is visually dynamic and conceptually potent. This is vital to an arts community and FPC offers new experiences to the artists and the people of our community.

The Organization has teamed up with the local schools and the Friends of Camp Colton offering a free workshops for children and giving students and exhibition of their work.

FPC also gathers local artists to display month long exhibitions at Pasto Restaurant.

John Running, Cameron Clark, Raechel Running and Jason Hasenbeck all teach workshops there.

FPC also offers a directory of local artists for the community to view and/or hire for events.

For more information please visit FPC's website:

http://web.mac.com/flagphotocenter/Site/FPC_Home.html