

Flash Field Trip: Monday, Feb 13

Destination Old Sacramento for Night Lights & Much More

Trip Organizer: Truman

As Truman discussed the at last week's general meeting, the Flash Field Trip to Old Sac is on for Monday night February 13.

WHEN: Everybody going to the Old Sac shoot will meet at 3:30 p.m. at the west end of the Orchard Creek Lodge parking lot. We will depart at 3:45 The return will be about 10:00 p.m.

WHERE: Parking is available in the four story brick building at the corner of the Capitol Bridge, across the street from the Embassy Suites Hotel (Front St at Capitol Mall.) The parking rates are \$3.00/hour with a two hour minimum or \$10.00 for the night.

Old Sac is filled with endless photo opportunities. It has many unique features like riverboats, railroad exhibits, horse drawn carriages and historical landmarks. It is also known for its robust nightlife--its streets are lined with restaurants, clubs and museums.

Truman and Larry did an advance shoot and brought back some spectacular photos.

Sample Images: otruman.com/Old Sac Night Images 2-10-2017

Getting Prepared: If you, don't have a lot of experience in this type of photography, here's a few tips and suggestions to be sure you're prepared.

1. Zoom lens of your preference and, if you wish, a wide angle lens
2. Small flashlight (to see camera buttons) --your smartphone probably has a flashlight app
3. Powerful flashlight for spotlighting subjects
4. Tripod to steady your focus
5. Extra batteries – long exposures use a lot of battery power
6. Flash, if your camera doesn't have one
7. Bring anything else for you think you might want for your personal comfort: snacks, water, warm clothing for the evening chill . . .

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Announcement/Invitation**