



2009

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<http://www.PixelImageCameraClub.com/>
Since 1998: "The First Digital Club in the Chicago area"

January 20th Meeting

This month's meeting will be Pixel's regular competition night. The club will meet at 7:30 P.M. Remember, **ONLY PAID MEMBERS ARE ELIGIBLE** to enter club competitions. Dues are still **\$20.00**. **Remember to email images for the Digital Slide Competition this week, if you have not already done so.** Bob Brandes' email address for your images is:
pixelcc.dpi@gmail.com

Meetings are held in the Schaumburg Township District Library, located at 130 S. Roselle Road, near the corner of Schaumburg Road, Schaumburg, 60193.

Coming Events

January 20, 2009: Pixel Image Camera Club competition night.

February 17, 2009: Pixel Image Camera Club program. (TBA)

March 7, 2009 SAT. 9AM-4 PM: Seminar by Darrell Gulin in Milwaukee area, as a fund-raiser for Wisconsin Area Camera Clubs Organization (WACCO). Darrel is a Canon Explorer of Light.

March 17, 2009: Pixel Image Camera Club final regular competition.

Photographic Society of America (PSA) 75th Annual Conference at Yellowstone: Sept. 20 - 26, 2009

Dead Pixels

~Submitted by Pat Centeno, Secretary~

Manufacturers sometimes acknowledge that one problem LCD monitors may have or may develop, involves dark (or bright) small spots that do not light up with the rest of the screen. This can be extremely annoying for photographers, since it may appear as though one's photo has the defect. You may just have to learn to live with it, but there's a chance some of these could be corrected. Here is one possible solution that attempts to "trick" the bad spots into activating properly: using one of the following websites, drag the small static-filled square with the cursor over the dead pixel and let it sit for an hour or more to see if the pixel can be activated:

<http://www.dataproductservices.com/dpt>

or:

<http://udpix.free.fr/>



Pixel Image has a club membership in the Photographic Society of America (P.S.A.) Many club members are individual members, as well. For details on P.S.A., consult the website: <http://www.psa-photo.org/>. A new website for PSA Clubs is:

<http://psa-clubservices.org/index.html>