

# GRANDFATHER MOUNTAIN®

## NATURE PHOTOGRAPHY WEEKEND 2019

### Friday, May 31

- 10 a.m. to 5:45 p.m.: Registration and Breakout Session sign-up at MacRae Meadows  
4 to 4:45 p.m.: *Field Session: Astrophotography Primer with Tommy White & Jason Frye (Picnic Shelter)*  
6 p.m.: Welcome (Nature Museum Auditorium)  
6:30 to 7:45 p.m.: *Presentation: Lisa Langell - "From Ordinary to Extraordinary" (Auditorium)*  
7:45 to 9 p.m.: *Field Session: Guided Sunset Shoot with Tony Sweet (Top Shop parking area, weather permitting)*  
8:38 p.m.: Official Linville sunset time  
11 p.m.: Grandfather Mountain gate closes  
11 p.m.: *Field Session: Guided Astrophotography with Tommy White & Jason Frye (Top Shop parking area, weather - permitting, campers only)\**

### Saturday, June 1

- 5 a.m.: Grandfather Mountain gate opens for sunrise photography  
6:12 a.m.: Grandfather Mountain sunrise time  
8 to 9 a.m.: Late registration (Mildred's Grill Sunroom)  
9 a.m. to 5 p.m.: Berrie Smith camera cleaning (Nature Museum foyer)  
9 to 10 a.m.: *Field Session: Photography Crash Course with Kyle Cook and Melissa Southern (Auditorium)*  
10 to 10:45 a.m.: *Field Session: Photographing Raptors with Vinny Colucci (Linville Bluffs)\*\**  
10 to 11 a.m.: *Field Session: Photography Scavenger Hunt with Lisa Langell (Cliffside)\**  
12 to 12:45 p.m.: *Field Session: Astrophotography Primer with Tommy White & Jason Frye (Picnic Shelter)*  
12 to 12:45 p.m.: *Field Session: Photographing Raptors with Vinny Colucci (Linville Bluffs)\*\**  
12 to 1 p.m.: *Field Session: Photography Scavenger Hunt with Lisa Langell (Cliffside)\**  
2 to 2:45 p.m.: *Field Session: Photographing Raptors with Vinny Colucci (Linville Bluffs)\*\**  
2 to 3 p.m.: *Field Session: Photography Scavenger Hunt with Lisa Langell (Cliffside)\**  
4 to 5:15 p.m.: *Presentation: Tony Sweet - "Infrared Artistry: Re-interpreting Your World" (Auditorium)*  
5 p.m.: Contest submission deadline (Nature Museum foyer)  
5:20 p.m.: Buffet dinner (Mildred's Grill)  
6:30 to 7:45 p.m.: *Presentation: Mike Moats - "The Art of Macro" (Auditorium)*  
7:45 to 8:15 p.m.: Free ice cream and soft drinks (Mildred's Grill)  
7:45 to 9 p.m.: *Field Session: Guided Sunset Shoot with Tony Sweet (Top Shop parking area, weather permitting)*  
8:39 p.m.: Official Linville sunset time  
11 p.m.: Grandfather Mountain gate closes  
11 p.m.: *Field Session: Guided Astrophotography with Tommy White & Jason Frye (Top Shop Parking Area, weather - permitting, campers only)\**

### Sunday, June 3

- 5 a.m.: Grandfather Mountain gate opens for sunrise photography  
6:11 a.m.: Official Linville sunrise time  
8 a.m.: Optional breakfast buffet (Mildred's Grill)  
8 a.m. to 12:45 p.m.: Berrie Smith camera cleaning (Nature Museum foyer)  
9 to 10:15 a.m.: *Presentation: J. Scott Graham - "You Have a Great Image. Now What?" (Auditorium)*  
10:30 to 11:45 a.m.: *Presentation: Vinny Colucci - "Packing Light: A Wildlife & Nature Photographer's Transition to Mirrorless" (Aud.)*  
12 p.m.: Photography Contest Awards and judges' comments (Auditorium)

\* Limited to 15 participants  
\*\* Limited to 40 participants

**Note: Schedule is subject to change.**