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The PAI Mission: *To grow PAI, to share the joy of photography while building camaraderie and inspiring creativity*

Thursday, March 24, 2016 Speaker

RA Friedman



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Quote of the Month

“
Imagination has
no age and
Dreams are Forever.
”



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Next PAI Meeting

Thursday, MAR. 24, 2016Doors open 6 pm | Ala carte menu 6:30–7:30 pm | Meeting* 7:30–8:30 pm
Pay only for what you order

Salmagundi Club
47 Fifth Avenue
(between 11th & 12th Streets)
New York City

www.salmagundi.org
www.pai-newyork.org

Dinner reservations:
Please call *DAG* at *Salmagundi*
at 212 255-7740

* Meeting is FREE for paid up members
\$10 for non members (meeting only)
please make reservation for meeting
at leonoragoldberg@gmail.com

RA Friedman

“The Artistry and Romance of Film Photography.”

RA Friedman is a visual artist whose work is driven by a poetic archaeology of the hidden and unknown. His subjects are often the urban landscape and/or the human form. A Technical Theatre graduate of Harpur College, Binghamton, NY, he studied drawing with Charles Eldred and Linda Sokolowski. He received his M.F.A. in painting from LSU, Baton Rouge. From 2009-2011 he was a fellow for “Journeys South” an initiative of the City of Philadelphia Mural Arts Project.



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Self-initiated projects have included a multi-figure pinhole shoot at Penn’s Rotunda during the 2012 Philadelphia Fringe and a vintage analog photo booth. Friedman’s work has been shown by the Merchant’s House Museum in NYC along with pieces by Sally Mann. His photos have appeared in *The Sun Magazine*, *Stop*, *Oitzarisme*, *What A Roll*, *New York Magazine*, *Supplementaire (UK)* and *The Laboratory Collective Magazine*. He currently is working on a project shot on medium format film entitled “In The Steps of Henry Miller.” He divides his time between Brooklyn, NY and a live-work studio in Philadelphia.

eMusings

(LETTER FROM YOUR PRESIDENT)

Dear PAI Members and Friends,
Please don't miss the Thursday **March 24th meeting --**
RA Friedman will be presenting his urban landscape photography in both Philadelphia
(and now NYC) that he's been doing since 2011.

There will be **NO CHARGE** for fully paid members for the meeting.
You will just pay for your food.
There will be a menu for you.
You can order your food directly from the menu.

PLEASE LET ME KNOW YOU ARE COMING TO THIS MEETING at
leonoragoldberg@gmail.com

Look forward to hearing from you.
Leonora Goldberg
President, PAI

First Spring Robin

*First spring robin turning on the lawn pulling surprised worms
revitalized by the late February thaw.*

*Raucous squirrels reappearing riotously digging shoots exposing winter nuts –
and me without BBs.*

© 2016 J. E. Scalia from "More Poems in Alphabetical Order"

At Salmagundi, listening to Lucky Chekley play with the Mandolin Society.



© Jim Cummins

PAI Meeting dates

for the coming 2015-2016 PAI meetings.

October 29, 2015	February 18, 2016
November 17, 2015	March 24, 2016
December 15, 2015	April 21, 2016
NO January mtg.	May 19, 2016.

MEMBERNEWS

 Like us at *Members PAI NY*

Robert Santangelo writes:

Dear friends, Looking at the wonders of NY Central Park helps me keep my sanity.



© Robert V. Santangelo Jr.

I enjoyed this view for 35 years and wish to give thanks to my in-laws Bob and Lee Elliott. May they enjoy their marshmallow castle in the home of the stars. For 60 years they enjoyed this view. Thank all of you for your letters, notes, phone calls, emails and flowers.



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Carol Tanenbaum writes:

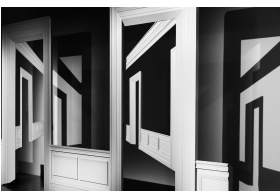
Salmagundi Club Historic Black & White Exhibition My image, Old Dominoes, Cuba 2015, has been selected to be part of this exhibition.



© Carol Colby Tanenbaum

Peter Brandt writes:

Just thought to show one of my latest abstracts; shot at MOMA



© Peter Brandt

Peter Brandt writes:

Does anyone have interest in an antique Leitz 2 1/4 slide projector ? I listed one on Craigslist: <http://newyork.craigslist.org/mnh/cl/5456542038.html>

Len Speier writes:

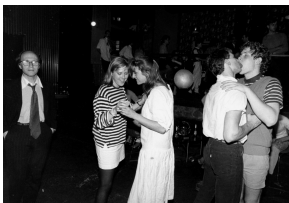
Here is a list of some current exhibitions:

1. Blank Wall Gallery, Athens, Greece. Exhibited - Hooded Figure in Snow, Skaters, Beijing, China ("Winter")



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2. Celeste Prize, "Taboo", exhibited: "Help! I am heterosexual!", Galleria Poggiali & Forconi, Florence, Italy, March 2016.



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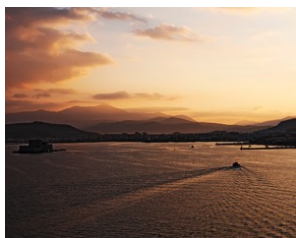
3. Ventitre 01, Rome, Italy-2016. Finalist (one of twelve) Selected images: Nazare, Portugal; Hooded Figure in Snow; VW Bug, NYC; Polka Dot Man, Parsons, NY; Skaters, Beijing, China.



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Marcus Reidenberg writes:

I am currently exhibiting Dawn, Nauplion, in the main gallery at Salmagundi Landscape show.



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I will be showing Peretallada Alley in the National Arts Club show March 1 to 28, 2016, with the reception March 3rd from 6-8 at the National Arts Club, 15 Gramercy Park South (20th St.)

New Member – Jay Tanen

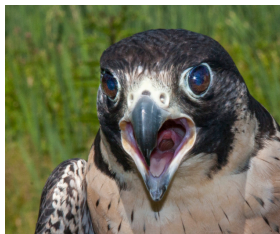


© Jay Tanen

I've been taking photographs for over 50 years, doing commercial and fashion as well as documentary work. The transition to the digital world has opened up many outlets. The past few years have been travel-related, including landscapes, wildlife, and people.

Harvey Kopel writes:

This weeks photo is a Peregrine Falcon that I shot at an upstate raptor preserve. They take in damaged birds and heal them. Sometimes returning them to the wild, but if they can't take care of themselves they have a cage to live out their lives.



© Harvey Kopel

Harvey Kopel writes:

People have been asking me to put some snow pictures in my blog so here it is.



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