

The Tallahassee Senior Center presents

# Dr. Mike Digital Photography for the Camera Enthusiast



March 6	Using Paint Shop Pro
April 3	Basic Digital Camera
April 10	Advanced Digital Camera
May 1	Travel Photography
May 8	Using Paint Shop Pro

**ALL classes are on Wednesdays, 6:30-9:00 pm  
Conference Room 3A**

**\$5 per class. Call 891-4008 to reserve Your  
spot. Hurry! Space is limited.**

**Course Descriptions on back**



***Please bring your camera with a charged battery and your camera manual to class.***

### **Basic Digital Photography**

This class is for beginners who want to learn the basic functions of their digital camera including how to turn it on, locate the battery and memory card, use scene modes, turn off the flash and how to get the images onto your computer. This class also includes the topics of ISO, White Balance, Exposure Value, Camera Metering and others.

### **Advanced Digital Photography**

This class reviews topics such as ISO, White Balance, Exposure Value, Color Temperature, Program - Aperture - Shutter modes, metering such as weighted or spot and other advanced functions. Lighting techniques, image arrangement, time-of-day photography tripod management and many other topics will be discussed.

The class will also discuss some of the advanced features on the digital single lens reflex (DSLR) camera units along with the advantages and disadvantages of various lens configurations. The topics and issues discussed in this class will carry forward to the Travel Session.

### **Paint Shop Pro Software Review**

*If you don't have the Paint Shop Pro (PSP) software, you can download a 30 day trial copy from: [www.corel.com](http://www.corel.com)*

***You will need to bring a laptop to this class or share one with another individual. It is also advisable to bring a wireless or usb-attached mouse.***

The editing software, Paint Shop Pro, also known as PSP, should be loaded on the laptop. It is desirable to have one of the PSP versions X5 through X7. Basic software such as Picasa does not qualify for this class but users of Photo Elements may find this class very useful. PSP is easy to use with an extremely short learning curve. If you have Photoshop software and want to learn some of the techniques covered, you will benefit from this session because the editing concepts are virtually identical in Photoshop and PSP.

This session is a complete review of Paint Shop Pro where the attendee will learn basic editing techniques along with tricks of the trade using tools such as the automated features of PSP: cloning, healing, scratch removal, digital noise reduction and others. You will also learn High Dynamic Resolution editing, using plug-ins and how to manage and use the Tool Palettes. All these issues are used to either restore or change a photograph or bring life to your digital image.

### **Travel Photography**

The class reviews many of the different situations photographers come across when traveling. Different tricks and techniques, some obvious and some not so obvious, will be covered in the class. Techniques such as shooting from a speeding car, catching a rainbow, shooting in snow and taking photos in dark areas such as churches. This class now includes previous content from the Digital Single Lens Reflex (DSLR) class.

### **Video Editing Techniques**

This is a new class for anyone who desires to learn non-linear video editing techniques. The software used by the instructor is Pinnacle Studio 18 Ultimate but the attendees are not required to have computers and/or software during this introduction class. The class will cover the basic functions of video editing, audio management, title insertions, overlays and video corrections.

**More information at: <http://www.maf1.com/dcc/>**