**Orlando Camera Club**
**Presents June 2018**
**Member Spotlight:**

## Jim and Kathy Urbach

Jim learned photography from his dad who took his double reflex camera everywhere. This camera had no eyepiece. You looked down the top at a screen and saw the image. Jim's dad kept the images in scrap books and recorded where they were taken. Around age 10 Jim could finally hold this camera. Jim also followed his dad's technique of saving images in albums. When Jim married Kathy Cartwright they did the same thing with their images. In the military Jim used photography in the operating room as an orthopedic surgeon. He started doing landscape photography in the 1970's. It wasn't until later that Jim really became interested in Nature Photography with an emphasis on Bird Photography. Jim joined the OCC in the early years of the club and have enjoyed all aspects of what they have to offer. Jim especially enjoy being able to shoot with a variety of people and travel with the people in the club. A favorite trip was to India with Bill Bachmann. Jim was also honored to participate in the club's winning submission to the Nature's Best Photography Contest in 2008. Jim and Kathy's group submission won First Place.

Jim really loves photography and hopes he can continue shooting for a long time. You can see more of Jim's images on his website: www.jimurbach.smugmug.com. He also posts on Facebook and naturescapes.net routinely.

Kathy began doing photography to have something to do with her retired husband. Over the years she has concentrated more on creative nature photography winning several awards. Kathy's most recent was 2015 OCC Image of the Year. Kathy can be found in many places posting on facebook and naturescapes.net is one of her favorites. She also has a website: www.kathyurbach.smugmug.com.

She joined OCC many years ago serving in many formal and informal capacities. She is also a member of the Sanford Camera Club. Kathy hopes if you get a chance to look at her website you will enjoy the journey.

More of Jim and Kathy’s images

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