



# Lightroom Classic CC Workflow

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# My Photo Shoots

Community Events, Vacations, Family Events

- ▶ Take 50 – 200 photos / Always shoot in RAW / Aperture vs. Shutter Speed Mode
- ▶ Often need a quick turn-around of photos for publishing
- ▶ Emphasis on speed processing photos
- ▶ My Background
  - Interested in photography since 1960's with English visitors
  - Lived in South Africa for 2 + years near Kruger National Park
  - 2008 Joined The Woodlands Camera Club



# Lightroom Classic CC Training

- ▶ Attended several classes in Lightroom – initially confusing too many options
- ▶ Must use to become comfortable
- ▶ Been attending Photo Processing SIG since it was started



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## Import / Backup Philosophy

- ▶ Format SD Card in Camera before starting
- ▶ Copy from SD Card to 5 TB Remote HD using Finder
- ▶ Copy to folders organized by Date
- ▶ Keep Catalog on Computer HD, back it up Monthly to 5 TB Remote HD
- ▶ Monthly: Backup 5 TB Remote HD to another Backup Hard Drive
- ▶ Keep SD card forever – never re-format



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## Importing

- ▶ In Lightroom – Library / Import / Select folder to Import
- ▶ Use “Add” vs. Move or Copy
- ▶ Select Preset
- ▶ Select Key Words
- ▶ Start Importing



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## Developing

- ▶ Preset has already done some editing
- ▶ Scan through pictures – select keepers with Rating ( ★ )
- ▶ Usually have several of each scene, only want best one
- ▶ Select just rated photos and do more final editing
- ▶ Determine Number of Photos to Export, Rate with 2 ★★
- ▶ Select Rating for 2 stars



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## Exporting

- ▶ I use SmugMug for most of my posting
- ▶ Or Export to another folder on Desktop
- ▶ Option, Use “Export to Catalog”