



## *Inspirations from the Forest*

A Nature Photography Exhibit by the Asheville Region of the Carolinas' Nature Photographers Association (CNPA)

**June 18 ~ July 31, 2015**

*at the Cradle of Forestry Historic Site*

Hwy. 276 near Brevard, NC (past Looking Glass Falls, near Parkway)

Open everyday, April 11- November 8, from 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

The goal of the CNPA Asheville Region is to develop a community that celebrates the beauty of nature through photography and to promote an appreciation of nature within our region.

In pursuit of exquisite photographic images, CNPA photographers have amassed extensive knowledge of the Southern Appalachian region. Our members are constantly exploring new locations and new photographic techniques in an effort to capture the beauty of our area. This year's theme, "Inspirations from the Forest," derived from a Smithsonian Learning Guide with the same name and published almost ten years ago, exemplifies that goal.

The mission of CNPA is to

- Promote nature photography in the Carolinas
- Help conserve and preserve the diverse natural ecosystems in the Carolinas
- Educate others interested in photographing nature and wildlife.

**NOTE about PRINT SALES:** Many photographs in this exhibit are available for purchase through the Gift Shop. Images marked NFS on the identifying placard are not for sale.

**For more information on CNPA and our local region, please visit our websites: [www.cnpa.org](http://www.cnpa.org) and [www.cnpa-asheville.org](http://www.cnpa-asheville.org)**