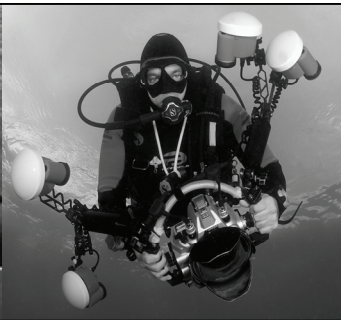




**The Long Island Divers  
Association,  
Life Support Technologies Inc., &  
Nassau University Medical Center  
proudly present,**

Acclaimed Underwater Photographers  
**Larry Cohen and Mark Snyder** present

**“Taking Competition Quality Underwater Photographs”**



**Thursday  
April 23, 2009  
8:00PM  
at the NUMC  
Amphitheater**

**Directions:** Wantagh Parkway to Hempstead Turnpike West or Meadowbrook Parkway to Hempstead Turnpike East. NUMC is halfway between the Wantagh and Meadowbrook Parkways, on the North side of Hempstead Turnpike.

The popularity of digital photography and the fact that camera manufacturers produce low cost housings, has allowed all divers to document their diving experiences. It does not matter if you are diving the blue waters of the tropics or the cold green waters of the northeast. The camera carrying diver now has the opportunity to show off his photography through photo competitions. Underwater photography does require a different skill set than land photography. Join Mark Snyder and Larry Cohen for an evening of underwater photo tips. Larry and Mark will go over basic shooting techniques including lighting, composition, and why wide-angle lenses are important. The techniques of digital photography do not end with the camera. The computer is the new darkroom. Larry and Mark will go over simple photo editing techniques that will drastically improve your images and make them suitable to entering competitions. Send your own 72 dpi images to [lida@liquidimagesuw.com](mailto:lida@liquidimagesuw.com). Larry and Mark will pick a few and show how they can be dramatically improved with a few simple editing techniques.

**Larry Cohen's** underwater photos have appeared in such publications as *Sport Diver*, *Immersed Magazine*, *Sub Aqua Journal*, *Alert Diver* and *Northeast Dive News*. His photos have also appeared in books such as *National Audubon Society Field Guide to Tropical Marine Fishes*. Larry is a founding member of the *New York Underwater Photo Society*. He is the current president of *The NYC Sea Gypsies* and is on the Executive Committee of *Oceanblue* in Manhattan. At *B&H Photo* Larry is a technical writer. Visit his website at [www.liquidimagesuw.com](http://www.liquidimagesuw.com).

**Mark Snyder** is a consulting photographer to the *Manthiri* in the Maldives, *Wakatobi Dive Resort* and other dive resorts and live aboards in Indonesia. Mark specializes in producing wide-angle and Macro images that utilize specific lighting techniques. He has given numerous presentations and talks on image making and lighting underwater. His portfolio has been published in *Fathoms Magazine*, and his images in various magazines and media outlets. His work can be seen on his web site, [www.starknakedfish.com](http://www.starknakedfish.com).

**FREE to Long Island Divers Association members, \$5.00 for all others.**

**Space is Limited. Reserve now, while spots are available.**

**RSVP Requested: Please email Adam Altman at [diverex@optonline.net](mailto:diverex@optonline.net)**

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