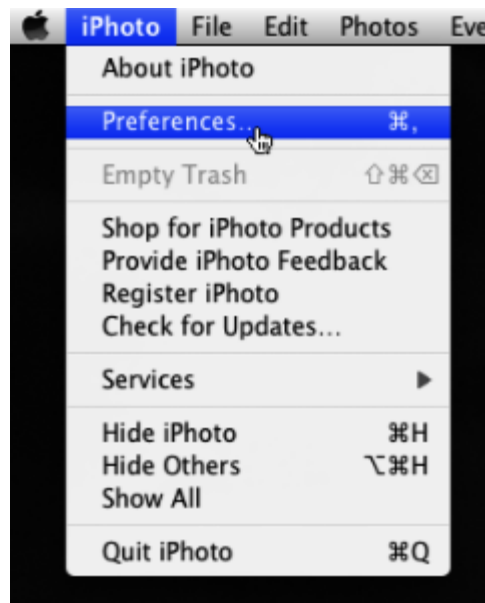# iPhoto Easy "Event" & Aperture Easy Folder Creation

An easy way to create events in iPhoto & Aperture

1st Time Only: Open iPhoto Preferences
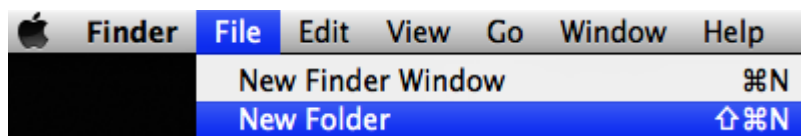

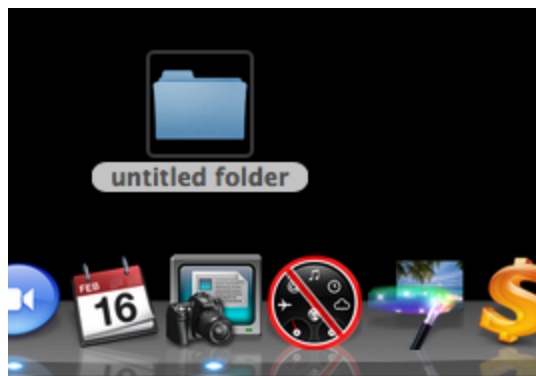## 1st Time Only: Set your Mac NOT to OPEN an APP on Camera Attachement

Then CLOSE iPhoto. Your MAC default setting will now be to NOT open any APP when a camera or camera card is attached. You won't have to repeat these first two steps again.

Create a Folder on Your Desktop

🍎	Finder	**File**	Edit	View	Go	Window	Help
		New Finder Window					⌘N
		New Folder					⇧⌘N

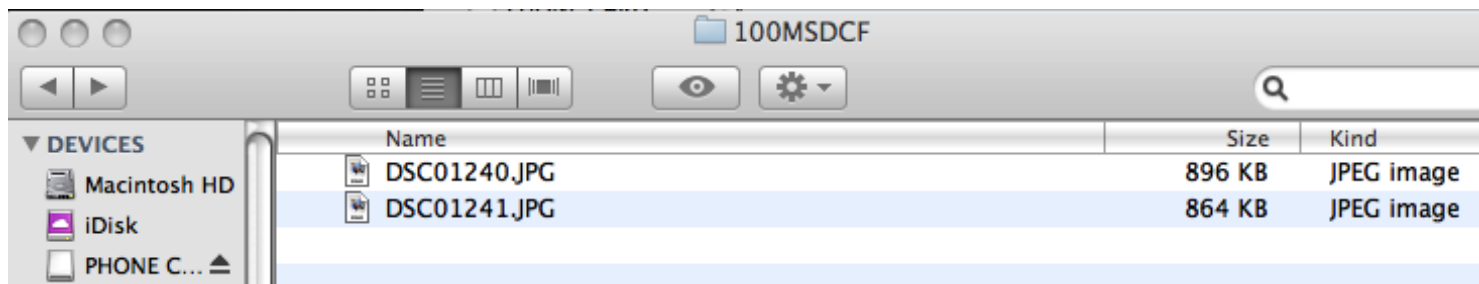The new Folder on your Desktop will be Named "Untitled Folder"

Find "Untitled Folder" on your Desktop

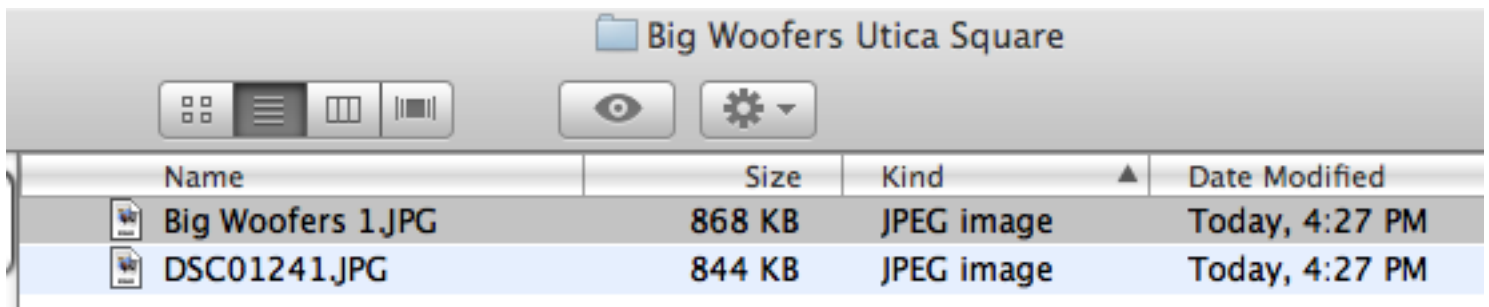## Rename "Untitled Folder" as you want the iPhoto EVENT named

Connect the Camera or Camera Card

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▼ DEVICES	Name	Size	Kind
Macintosh HD	DSC01240.JPG	896 KB	JPEG image
iDisk	DSC01241.JPG	864 KB	JPEG image
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Drag Pics from Your Camera Card to Folder
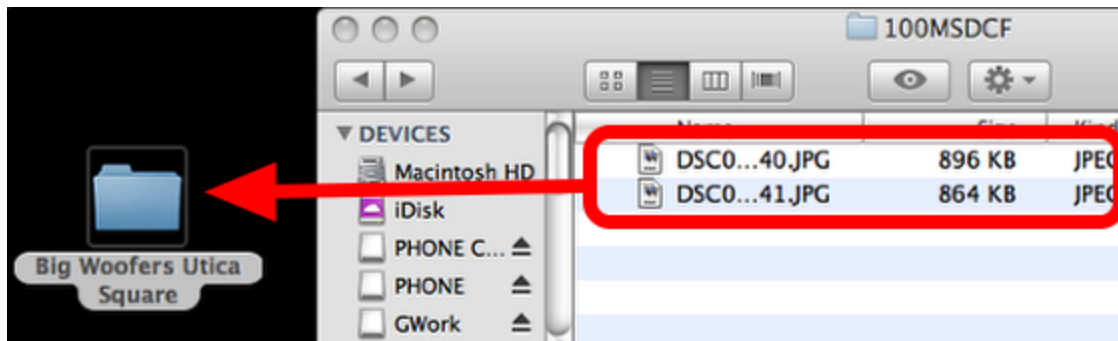
OPTIONAL: Rename Your Pics

Don't leave your grandchildren with the digital equivalent of an old shoebox filled with photos of people no one can identify.

With only two pictures, it is just as easy to rename them manually.

If you have more than a couple, the donationware application Name Mangler.APP EASILY renames and sequentially numbers them. You'll find it at: http://manytricks.com/

There's a brief PDF Tutorial on Name Mangler.App at www.podfeet.com in Nosillacast Episode #189

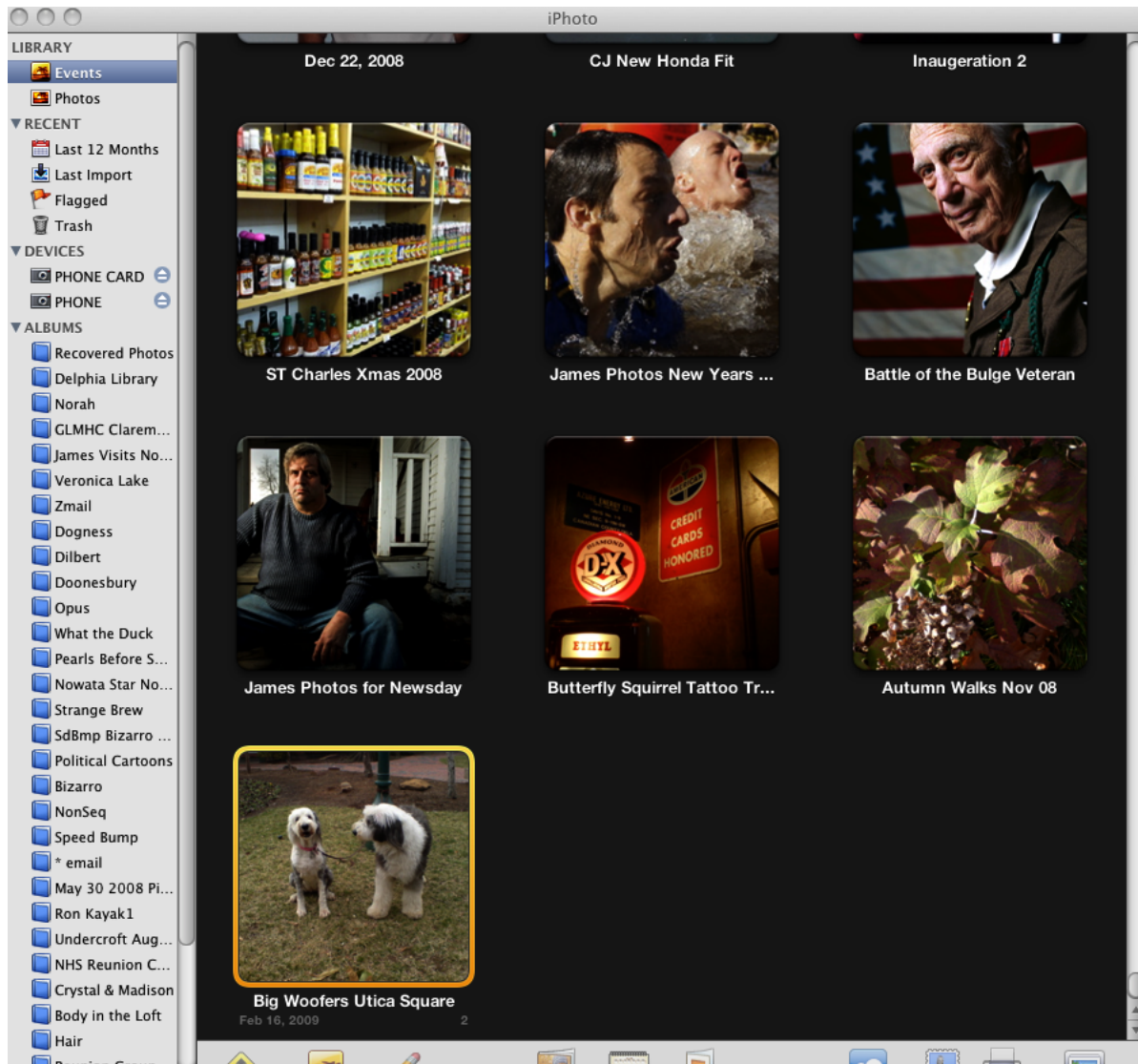BEFORE sending your pictures to iPhoto or Aperture is a good time to Preview them and Bart out the losers!

then let it go. iPhoto imports the Pictures and Creates an EVENT with the same name as the FOLDER

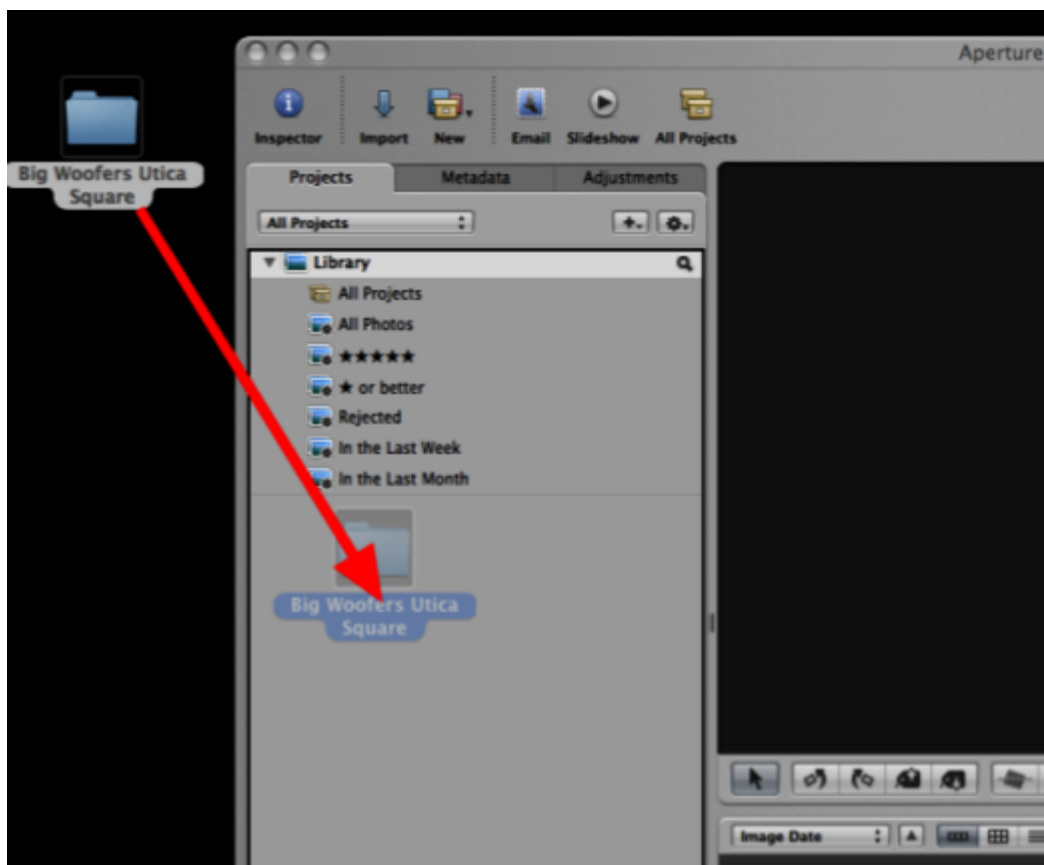**iPhoto Creates a New Event with the Folder Name**

Aperture in the next step -

Dragging to the Dock Icon for APERTURE does not work

Nothing Happens!

But with APERTURE OPEN . . .

The Folder drags nicely into the Left Colum "Project Pane"

Aperture: Folder and Files Named, Ready to Edit