Photographic Society of America

Newsletter of

The Pikes Peak Camera Club



"Gator & Fish"
by
TW Woodruff

MONTHLY MEETING - MAY 6, 2014 @ 7:00 PM

This club was established in 1930 and is believed to be the oldest camera club in Colorado. Meetings are held at 7 PM on the first Tuesday of each month at the Living Hope Church, 640 Manitou Blvd, Colorado Springs, CO.



The Pikes Peak
Camera Club is a member of the
Photographic Society of America.
Visit the club's website at:
PikesPeakCameraClub.com Visitors
are always welcome to the meetings.

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APRIL SUBJECT - WHAT'S FOR LUNCH.....



"Wait Your Turn" by Rita Steinhauer



"Not Their Usual Fare" by Jacqueline Vignone

SUBJECT: WHAT'S FOR LUNCH..... AWARDS:

"Wait Your Turn" by Rita Steinhauer

Honorable Mention:

"First Bite" by Bill Stanley

OPEN:

AWARDS:

"Old Mountain Barn" by Tim Starr
"Nectar for Lunch" by Jacqueline
Vignone



"First Bite" by Bill Stanley

HONORABLE MENTIONS:

"Mormon Row Barn"
by Diana Jacobson
"Michigan Avenue at Night"
by Diana Jacobson

PRINT COMPETITION - MONTHLY STANDINGS AS OF APR 2014							
	PREV CUM TOT	SUBJECT		OPEN		TOTAL	
		CURRENT MONTH	YTD	CURRENT MONTH	YTD	CURRENT MONTH	YTD
Beverly Cellini	69	16	53	12	44	28	97
Walter Chambosse	21	0	21	0	0	0	21
Diana Jacobson	0	0	0	20	20	20	20
Al Schweke	0	0	0	14	14	14	14
Bill Stanley	67	17	52	13	45	30	97
Tim Starr	76	16	52	18	58	34	110
Rita Steinhauer	68	18	52	14	48	32	100
Jim Van Namee	42	0	0	0	42	0	42
Jacqueline Vignone	0	15	15	18	18	33	33

SUBJECT: WHAT'S FOR LUNCH.....

OPEN:

AWARD:

"Ghost Train" by TW Woodruff

HONORABLE MENTION:

"Cabin in the Woods" by

Debi Boucher



"Ghost Train" by TW Woodruff

CREATIVE COMPETITION - MONTHLY STANDINGS AS OF APR 2014						
	PREV					
	СИМ ТОТ	CURRENT MONTH	YTD			
Debi Boucher	0	18	39			
Debbie Milburn	0	16	24			
Tim Starr	0	9	29			
T.W. Woodruff	0	20	28			

	PREV CUM TOT	SUBJECT		OPEN		TOTAL	
		CURRENT MONTH	YTD	CURRENT MONTH	YTD	CURRENT MONTH	YTD
Lee Bernhardt	22	0	0	0	22	0	22
Debi Boucher	73	14	53	18	52	32	105
Walter Chambosse	31	0	11	0	20	0	31
Sherwood Cherry	38	14	34	13	31	27	65
Andy de Naray	16	0	0	0	16	0	16
Bruce Du Fresne	80	13	51	18	60	31	111
William Hadl	69	16	51	12	46	28	97
Bill Holm	72	15	53	14	48	29	101
Diana Jacobson	0	0	0	13	13	13	13
Debbie Milburn	51	12	28	21	56	33	84
Karen Morris	32	14	30	12	28	26	58
Art Porter	33	7	7	14	47	21	54
Galen Short	0	13	13	13	13	26	26
Tim Starr	73	19	56	14	50	33	106
Al Swanson	67	13	43	18	55	31	98
Jim Van Namee	39	0	0	19	58	19	58
Yolanda Venzor	66	17	48	11	46	28	94
Jacqueline Vignone	0	21	21	14	14	35	35
T.W. Woodruff	35	20	38	12	29	32	67

SUBJECT: WHAT'S FOR LUNCH.....

AWARDS:

"Gator & Fish" by TW Woodruff

"Going to Dinner" by Tim Starr

"Not Their Usual Fare" by Jacqueline Vignone

HONORABLE MENTIONS:

"Nectar for Lunch" by Jacqueline Vignone

"Seed Me:" by Yolanda Venzor

"Praying Mantis or Garden Lizard" by

Bill Hadl

OPEN:

AWARDS:

"Summers Tracks" by Debbie Milburn

"Territory Battle" by Debbie Milburn

"Fallen Heroes" by Debi Boucher

"Lone Survivor" by Jim Van Namee

HONORABLE MENTIONS:

"Bull Won" by Al Swanson

"Fire Cleaning" by Bruce du Fresne

"Chihuly Glass & Suguaro" by Al Swanson

"Silhouettes on Judge Orr Rd" by Bruce du

Fresne

THE VICE PRESIDENT'S CORNER

Debi Boucher

Hello PPCC Members,

Having recently volunteered to step into Galen's shoes as club VP, I am attempting to grow our pool of potential judges for our competitions. I have perused countless websites, including those of local colleges and art schools to compile a list of men and women in our community with an association to photography and/or the arts that may be willing to judge our competitions. I will be sending each of them a letter of invitation to join us as judges from time to time.

I am hopeful for a successful response, but would like to encourage each of you to share any ideas or suggestions you may have. Do you know of someone I might contact? Do you know of a source I might explore for other candidates? I am open to any and all suggestions so please feel free to contact me with your thoughts.

I thank you all for your votes of confidence, and will strive to make a meaningful contribution as Vice President of the Pikes Peak Camera Club.

THINGS TO KNOW.....

- 1. Due to Tim Starr moving to Florida, at our last meeting, we voted on some new club officers. Debi Boucher will be the new Vice President. Galen Short will be our new Web Design Master.
- 2. Starting in June, our meetings will now be the second Wednesday of the month. So, our June meeting will be on Wednesday, June 11. If we need a second monthly meeting, it will be the fourth Wednesday of the month. These changes came from the Church asking us to move our day due to them needing the room for children when they have their Tuesday meetings.
- 3. This coming Tuesday, April 15th, Debi Boucher will be conducting a Layers 101 class. The focus of the class will be on using layers and layer masks in Photoshop. She will walk everyone through creating a basic composite image using three separate images.



"Fallen Heroes" by Debi Boucher

2014 Monthly Competition Subjects

January - Fires: any image of a fire or its aftermath

February - Things that don't go together: dogs/cats, fire/water, etc.

March - Critique Night

April - What's for lunch: something eating something else - kid eating a PBJ sandwich, deer eating your rosebush, birds at a feeder, etc.

May - Wearing many different hats: person or animal or object wearing any type of hat, helmet or scarf, etc.

June - Jailhouse Blues: any structure or location that holds incarcerated people - jail, prison, police van, internment camp, etc.

July - Unusual Rock Formations: any natural, scenic geological feature- GOG, Paint Mines, Volcano, Slot Canyon, Cave Formation, etc.

August - **Birds of a Feather:** natural or captive shot of a single bird or group of birds - flock of geese, birds at a feeder, pet parakeet, etc.

September - Scavenger Hunt and Critique Night

October - River: Any size - natural or from a flood

November - Corner of a building: Photo of something interesting about (inside or outside) the corner of a building

December - Salon Dinner and Awards



"Michigan Avenue at Night" by Diana Jacobson



"Silhouettes on Judge Orr Road" by Bruce du Fresne



"Chihuly Glass & Suguaro" by Al Swanson



"Summer Tracks" by Debbie Milburn