



This club was established in 1930 and is believed to be the oldest club in Colorado. Meetings are held at 7 PM on the second Wednesday of each month at the Living Hope Church, 640 Manitou Blvd., Colorado Springs, CO. **Next ZOOM Mtg.- Aug. 12**



THE VIEWFINDER



“Open Windows” by Debbie Milburn

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Club Officers for 2020

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Table 1

PRINT COMPETITION Monthly Standings for as of July 2020						
	SUBJECT		OPEN		TOTAL	
	CURRENT MONTH	YTD	CURRENT MONTH	YTD	CURRENT MONTH	YTD
Ken Roberts	0	29	0	35	0	64
Bill Stanley	19	84	16	80	35	164
Rita Steinhauer	20	81	19	89	39	170
Jacqueline Vignone	0	42	0	36	0	78
Barbara Rose	18	26	9	24	27	50

Subject: Historic Colorado in B&W

Award:

“Blacksmith Shop at Rock Ledge Ranch” by Rita Steinhauer

Honorable Mention:

“Historic Colorado Wheel” by Bill Stanley

Open:

Award:

“Clouds over Lake George” by Rita Steinhauer

Honorable Mention:

“A Majestic Arrival” by Barbara Rose

Table 1-2

DIGITAL COMPETITION - MONTHLY STANDINGS AS O July 2020						
	SUBJECT		OPEN		TOTAL	
	CURRENT MONTH	YTD	CURRENT MONTH	YTD	CURRENT MONTH	YTD
Sherwood Cherry	16	80	17	82	33	162
Bruce du Fresne	18	92	18	88	36	180
Bill Holm	22	106	19	98	41	204
Debbie Milburn	18	81	17	91	35	172
Jerry Moldenhauer	0	33	0	41	0	74
Karen Morris	17	64	19	73	36	137
Art Porter	0	10	0	19	0	29
Ken Roberts	16	68	14	64	30	132
Barbara Rose	0	7	16	60	16	67
Bill Rose	0	19	17	46	17	65
Al Swanson	16	81	21	94	37	175
Jacqueline Vignone	0	16	0	0	16	16
Ted Griffith	0	0	0	20	0	20
Candee Read	16	16	18	18	34	34
Ken Read	14	14	17	17	31	31

Subject: Historic Colorado in B&W

Awards:

“Open Windows” by Debbie Milburn

“Someone Called This Home” by Bill Holm

Honorable Mentions:

“Myron Stratton Mine ” by Bill Holm

“Somebody’s Going on a Trip” by Bruce du Fresne

Open:

Awards:

“Coin Imprinter” by Candee Read

“In for a Landing” by Bill Holm

“Sailing the Great Lakes” by Al Swanson

Honorable Mentions:

“Gateway to the San Juan’s” by Bruce du Fresne

“Wait for Me” by Al Swanson

“Stuck Between a Rock and a Hard Place” by Karen Morris

Table 1-1

CREATIVE COMPETITION - Monthly Standings as of July 2020				
	OPEN			
	CURRENT MONTH	YTD		
Bill Holm	12	58		
Debbie Milburn	8	50		
Ted Griffith	0	9		
Candee Read	9	9		
Ken Read	10	10		

Award:

“Looking for Energy” by Bill Holm

Honorable Mention:

“The Mutara Nebula” by Ken Read

THE PRESIDENT'S CORNER

KAREN MORRIS

I'd like to extend a warm welcome to three new members: Ken and Candee Read, and Chuck Murphy. Actually, Chuck was a member many years ago, and is returning to the club. We're glad you're back, Chuck! October is election month for Pikes Peak Camera Club officers. This year, the position of Vice-President needs to be filled. Debbie Milburn, our current V-P, wishes to retire from the position. However, she will support a new volunteer with contact information for judges she has used in the past. The V-P is responsible for finding, contacting, and scheduling the judges for our monthly competitions. Please consider volunteering for this essential position.

It seems like we'll be having "virtual" meetings via Zoom, for the next few months, so Bill Rose has a suggestion that will make it easier to sign in for our meetings.

To make your sign in procedure quick and easy, establish your personal Zoom account. There is no charge for this. Having your personal account in advance of our next meeting might lessen the stress of signing in. Let me or Bill Rose know if you need help setting up your own Zoom account.

The morning of our next meeting, August 12, Bill Rose will send out an invitation to the club meeting, which starts at 7:00 PM. Please start signing in about 6:30/6:45, just in case you experience any glitches. The subject for our August meeting is *Street Scenes*. We have a workshop scheduled for October; Raye, a professional photographer, is scheduled to present at the October meeting, with *Street Scenes* as her focus. My hope was to have an interactive workshop, during which Raye would give us suggestions about our street scenes images. When I last contacted Raye, she was recovering from Covid-19...so we'll see how things work out. It's possible we may just have a regular meeting and competition in October, if she is unable to present.

Stay healthy and happy, and please "attend" our August meeting over Zoom.

The Story Behind the Photo.....

This is a section in the newsletter where each month I ask certain club members to share their story on how they took their award winning photo.

“Open Windows”

by

Debbie Milburn

Cover Photo of this Newsletter

The image was taken while exploring the Victor/Cripple Creek area with a friend. It just spoke of days gone by and the stories that were in the house. You can feel the history as you explore the old abandoned building - the history of the mining days. I shot at f11 and 300mm. I had to take it from the road. I did slight adjustments in Photoshop, then I turned the image to black and white. I felt it had more impact in black and white.



“Sailing the Great Lakes” by Al Swanson

My wife and I were on an RV trip in Michigan. After we had left Mackinac, Michigan, we drove down to Alpena, Michigan on the eastern side of the Michigan Peninsula. As we often do, we checked in with the Chamber of Commerce to find out if there were any special events going on in the region. It turned out that the fleet of Great Lakes tall ships were going to pass by Alpena the following morning on their way to Duluth, Minnesota, for a static display. These ships tour the Great Lakes each summer and put on various demonstrations at selected ports. I had never seen any of these ships before. Alpena had a company that provided glass bottom boat tours to take tourists out to sunken relics off the shore. One of these ships was slated to go out to the tall ships the following morning and we were lucky enough to get two tickets on that voyage. So the boat took us 13 miles into Lake Huron where we met the ships at about 10 o'clock or so in the morning. It had been a foggy night so some of the ships could be photographed coming out of the fog. The mood took you 200 years in the past and gave you the feeling of that timeframe at sea. Our boat took us among several of the ships and the images were spectacular. Needless to say it was a once-in-a-lifetime event for me. I am still awed when I think about the day we saw these. They are unbelievable. I later found out that there are several of these fleets around the world. Most of them are made from renovated original ships or reconstructions. I shot this particular frame with a Canon 7D at F10, 1/320, ISO 200.



2020 Calendar for Pikes Peak Camera Club

Wednesday, January 8 @ 7:00 pm

**Meeting/Competition Subject: Abandoned

Wednesday, February 12 @ 7:00 pm

**Meeting/Competition Subject: Frosty, Foggy Day

Wednesday, March 11 @ 7:00 pm

**Meeting/Competition Subject: Books

Wednesday, April 8 CANCELLED

Wednesday, May 13 @ 7:00 pm **Special Event**

Presentation by Allison Earnest

Subject: Workflow~Post Production Workshop
your laptop** Cost \$10/member, \$15/guest

**Bring

Wednesday, June 10 @ 7:00 pm

**Meeting/Competition Subject: The Long and Winding Road or Path

***Due date for images to be submitted for the "Show Down Under"

Wednesday, July 8 @ 7:00 pm

**Meeting/

Competition 2Subject: Historic Colorado in Black and White

Wednesday, August 12 @ 7:00 pm

**Meeting/

Competition Subject: Street Scenes

Wednesday, September 9 @ 7:00 pm

****Meeting/Competition**

Subject: A Modern Convenience

Sept. 29-Oct. 3 Photographic Society of America Photo Festival In Colorado Springs: Photo Tours, Speakers, Workshops, Vendors

Wednesday, October 14 @ 7:00 pm ****Special Event****

****Presentation**

by Pamela Fickes-Miller, "Raye"

Subject: Street

Photography

Cost

\$10/member, \$15/guest

Raye weaves together the threads of her life as an artist around the world to bring us compelling photographs that capture art in everyday urban life and in the beauty created by urban architecture.

Wednesday, November 11 @ 7:00 pm

****Meeting/**

Competition Subject: Bottle of Wine...or Glass...or Both
(Salon Judging 5:30-7:00 pm)

Wednesday, December 2 @ 6:00 pm

****Salon Pot-Luck Dinner and Salon Awards****

