

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 Next Meeting - April 13 at 7:00 PM



THE VIEWFINDER

NEWSLETTER OF THE PIKES PEAK CAMERA CLUB



"Colorful Wall in Guthrie, OK." by Rita Steinhauer

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	CURRENT MONTH	YTD	CURRENT MONTH	YTD	CURRENT MONTH	YTD	
Nina Calderone	16	51	17	51	33	102	
Bill Holm	16	51	13	43	29	94	
Debbie Milburn	18	49	15	48	33	97	
Karen Morris	19	50	14	45	33	98	
Candee Read	0	12	0	32	0	44	
Ken Read	12	37	11	39	23	76	
Barbara Rose	0	29	0	31	0	60	
Al Swanson	14	53	15	42	29	95	
Art Porter	0	0	10	21	10	21	
Ken Roberts	13	26	0	13	13	39	
John Mayher	0	0	12	12	12	12	
Rita Steinhauer	0	15	15	12	12	27	

Subject: Street Art

Awards:

"Functional Circles" by Karen Morris

"Sun Rays" by Nina Calderone

Honorable Mentions:

"Saint Kateri Tekakuritha" by Debbie Milburn

"Colorful Wall in Guthrie, OK." by Rita Steinhauer

Open:

Awards:

"The View" by John Mayer

"Nesting Tunnels" by Nina Calderone

Honorable Mentions:

"Cowboy Sunset" by Debbie Milburn

"Desert Bloom" by Karen Morris

Table 1-1

Creative Competit	ion - Monthly S	Standings	as of March	2022	
	OPEN				
	CURRENT MONTH	YTD			
Nina Calderone	7	24			
Bill Holm	11	24			
Debbie Milburn	6	23			
Candee Read	0	16			
Ken Read	8	22			

Award:

"Balloons Over Manhattan" by Bill Holm

Honorable Mention:

"Looking Up" by Ken Read

THE PRESIDENT'S CORNER KAREN MORRIS

The Colorado College Fine Arts Center is currently hosting a temporary display ~ Brett Weston, "Working Toward Abstraction".

Over his seven-decade career, Brett Weston (1911-1993) rose to prominence as a photographer with an eye for abstraction. No matter the location or subject - from city scenes to explorations of forests and beaches - Weston consistently revealed its potential for abstraction.

Selected from the museum's collection, the photographs in this exhibition represent a broad range of Weston's work, from the 1940s through the 1980s. I found this exhibit, and the short film documenting Weston's work throughout his career, to be most enjoyable, and I recommend it highly. The exhibit ends April 17.

Looking ahead, on September 14, at 6:00, before our regular monthly meeting, Angela Crews and Don Kallaus will be presenting their recently published book, COLORADO SPRINGS, A changing Landscape.

"Photographers like it for the fact that it is composed of photographic challenges that encompass much local history. It features the work of local photographer, Glenn W. Murray, (1906-2004), and a group of student photographers in a quest to update his views. It illustrates the movement of not just history, but photography as well."

Please plan to attend this presentation. I'm confident you'll find it interesting and educational.

Upcoming Events...High School Competition and the Show Down Under.

Submissions for the SDU are due in June. Please begin working towards submitting your two best images for this international competition.

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





"Colorful Wall in Guthrie, OK." by Rita Steinhauer

This photo was taken with my Canon Powershot SX50 at f/4, I/125 on a cloudy day in Guthrie, Oklahoma. I photographed many of the painted walls and old buildings. The town is 30 miles north of Oklahoma City. It is actually known for its old Victorian buildings along the two main streets which are designated as National Historic Monuments. It's a small town of about 10,000 people that is trying to revitalize itself with art projects amidst the century old buildings. I had lots of fun walking along the streets with my camera and my granddaughter who is now a professional Children's Photographer. Her husband is stationed at Tinker Air Force Base nearby, so I try to visit often.



"Half Dome" by Ken Read

We spent the week before Memorial Day at Yosemite national park. I was inspired by Ansel Adams photos of Yosemite so I did a lot of monochrome photos.



Pikes Peak Camera Club Subjects for 2022

Jan. 12	Between ~ What is in the space or interval that separates?
Feb. 9	<u>Create a Mood</u> ~ Consider the sky, lighting, facial expressions, body language
Mar. 9	<u>Art on the Streets</u> ~ Public Art
Apr. 13	<u>Colorado's Great Plains</u> ~Much of the eastern half of Colorado is part of the Great Plains, a unique grassland prairie ecosystem.
May 11	<u>Ghost Towns</u> ~ Deserted, or still inhabitedAnimas Forks, South Park City, St. Elmo, and many more to explore
Jun. 8	<u>Jailhouse Blues</u> ~ Old or current jails/prisons, feeling trapped, locked up
Jul. 13	<u>Historical Sites</u> ~ Sites that tell a story of our past
Aug. 10	<u>CO State Parks</u> ~ Colorado has over 40 State Parks, Mueller, Cheyenne Mtn, and our newest one - Sweetwater
Sep. 14	Show Me the Money ~ Money must be in the picture
Oct. 12	Signs of Fall ~ Leaves, harvests, festivals, fairs, football
Nov. 9	<u>Gates or Doors/Openings</u> ~ Distinctive doors, gates, openings that beckon the observer
Nov. 16	Salon Judging

Dec. 7 or 14 Potluck/Salon announcements