

SUNCOAST CAMERA CLUB

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President's Message

By Jim Goins

At the September 18th meeting, Dawn Nichols asked for suggestions on Assigned Subjects for the 2008 calendar year. The suggestions from club members are important so that a variety of subjects can be photographed. Please send your suggestions to dawn.dar@verizon.net.

With the increase of membership, new members have a wide range of interests which will help in the photo diversity of the club. This diversity is a challenge for the club in areas such as the President Shoots. If you have suggestions for President Shoots for 2008, forward them to me at goinsrep@tampabay.rr.com.

I am encouraged with the members who have volunteered to assist at the Evaluation Night meetings. The club is looking for someone to be our Florida Camera Club Council representative and someone to be the Club Historian. If interested please contact me.

Let's continue to build a great club.

Club site

Be sure to check the club site often for new postings of interest to members, including President's Shoots. Many topics are instructional in nature, which can help all members, new and old, improve their photo skills. Find the site at www.suncoastcameraclub.org

When picking up your prints following the evening's evaluations and critiques, please use care regarding other members' prints. The print surfaces are delicate and can be scratched, marred or bent easily, rendering them unusable for future use.

INTERESTED IN PHOTOGRAPHY?

Guests and new members are always welcome. For information, call Jim Goins at 727-442-6689, or George Burke at 813-814-0479. You can also visit our club Web site at www.suncoastcameraclub.org.

Club Calendar

Tues., Oct. 2, Largo Library, Room C, 7 p.m.

Program Night: Two presentations: "The Power of Shooting Raw with Photoshop Lightroom" by Jack O'Connell, and "Techniques of Sports Photography" by Lou Abilock.

Tues., Oct. 16, Safety Harbor Library, 7 p.m.

General meeting with print/slide/E-I evaluations and critiques. Entries should be signed in no later than 6:45. Assigned Subject: **Photojournalism**. See Yearbook for details.

Tues., Nov. 6, Largo Library, Room C, 7 p.m.

Program Night: "Judging Images Effectively for SCC Evaluations" presented by Erik Rosengren and Jim Mahoney. Also, more images will be presented from the recent PSA Suncoast Virtual Salon competition.

Tues., Nov. 13, Summit Bldg., Cancun room, 7 p.m.

(Note location change.) Suncoast Camera Club Executive Committee board meeting. All club members are welcome to attend.

Tues., Nov. 20, Safety Harbor Library, 7 p.m.

General meeting with print/slide/E-I evaluations and critiques. Entries should be signed in no later than 6:45. Assigned Subject: **Travel**. See Yearbook for details.

Note date and location changes for Dec. listings:

Tues., Dec. 4, Largo Library, Room C, 7 p.m.

General meeting with print/slide/E-I evaluations and critiques. Entries due at back table no later than 6:45. Assigned Subject: **Sports**. See Yearbook for details.

Tues., Dec. 18, Safety Harbor Library, 7 p.m.

Program Night: "Photo Mini-Essays." A pot luck dinner is also on the agenda. All members can enter a mini-essay. Slides or digital images are acceptable. Content should be informative and/or entertaining on a subject of your choice. The presentation should last between three and five minutes. Examples are travel, nature, photojournalism, etc. Participants each receive 10 points for their efforts. Contact Jim Goins for details.

See other side and following page for results of the latest monthly evaluations.

Suncoast CC September 2007 Evaluation Results

Slides

CLASS A GENERAL (2/2 Entries)

AW H. Abrams Canyonlands National Park
 HM H. Abrams Old Faithful Yellowstone National Park

CLASS AA GENERAL (7/8 Entries)

AW L. Lapka Caracal
 AW J. Mahoney Slot Canyon #1
 HM L. Lapka Hikers 3
 HM J. Mahoney Three Sisters
 HM D. Nichols Red Arc
 HM D. Nichols Squares & Curves
 HM E. Rosengren Black Crowned Night Heron

CLASS AA ASSIGNED (1/1 Entries)

HM L. Lapka Spanish Eyes

Slide Evaluation Statistics

Class	Entries	AWs	HMs
B	0		
A	2	50%	50%
AA	9	22%	66%
Total	11	27%	63%

Electronic Images

CLASS B GENERAL (7/7 Entries)

AW L. Crovatt Just a Little Tick !
 AW L. Crovatt Starring You Down
 AW J. Ickes Begging Forgiveness
 AW J. Ickes Prowling Tiger
 AW T. Strong Thunderstorm at the Pier
 HM R. Rubino Safety Harbor Sunrise
 HM R. Rubino Warbler Eating Dragon Fly

CLASS B ASSIGNED (4/5 Entries)

AW L. Crovatt Just a Little Excitable
 AW J. Ickes One Weird Eye
 AW R. Rubino Lazy Sea Lion
 AW T. Strong I'm Watching You

CLASS A GENERAL (10/11 Entries)

AW G. Desthers BLUE ANGLE#3
 AW J. Goins Nicole
 AW J. Lucadam Sunset at Crystal Beach
 HM G. Desthers MEIRKAT PUPS
 HM J. Lucadam Bathing Beauty
 HM G. McKenna Busy Bee

HM G. McKenna Pond Frog
 HM M. McKenna Sunset Sail
 HM G. Riba bringing-in the goats
 HM G. Riba intense gaze

CLASS A ASSIGNED (4/5 Entries)

AW G. Desthers EAGLE
 AW J. Goins German-Soldier
 HM J. Goins Frog-Eyes
 HM G. Riba eye makeup

CLASS AA GENERAL (14/17 Entries)

AW B. Kramer Buckeye
 AW B. Kramer Juvenile-Mallard
 AW J. Mahoney Antelope Canyon #1
 AW N. Muskovac Cattle Egret At Night
 AW N. Muskovac Malachite In Water
 HM F. Crommelin Heron
 HM T. Dost Roots
 HM T. Dost Storm Coming
 HM F. Kaiser Buddies
 HM L. Lynch Rainbow over St. Pete Pier
 HM J. Mahoney Liquid New York
 HM M. Muskovac Charles Howell Bunker Shot
 HM M. Muskovac Hallet Peak Reflection
 HM D. Nichols Mt.McKinley

CLASS AA ASSIGNED (12/15 Entries)

AW M. Burke Here's Looking at You
 AW M. Burke Mysterious
 AW B. Kramer Hawk-Eye
 AW N. Muskovac My CAT's EYE
 HM F. Crommelin Odd-Couple
 HM T. Dost Four Eyes
 HM F. Kaiser See#6F5934
 HM L. Lynch Cuban Tree Frog Close Up
 HM L. Lynch Gator Eye Close-Up
 HM M. Muskovac Eyes
 HM D. Nichols Eye of Monitor
 HM D. Nichols Eye of Seal

Electronic Imaging Evaluation Statistics

Class	Entries	AWs	HMs
B	12	75%	16%
A	16	31%	56%
AA	32	28%	53%
Total	60	38%	46%

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Prints

CLASS B MONO GENERAL (3/3 Entries)

AW R. Rubino Greek Café
 AW R. Rubino Lake Tarpon Sunset
 HM K. Hallett All in a Row

CLASS B MONO ASSIGNED (1/1 Entries)

HM R. Rubino Pelican Profile

CLASS A MONO GENERAL (1/1 Entries)

HM S. Hart Cyclops

CLASS AA MONO GENERAL (4/5 Entries)

AW G. Burke Yosemite Valley
 AW D. Nichols Glacial Flow
 AW D. Nichols McKinley Aerial
 HM J. Goins Driftwood & Rocks

CLASS AA MONO ASSIGNED (1/1 Entries)

AW D. Nichols Meerkat Stare

CLASS B COLOR GENERAL (12/12 Entries)

AW L. Crovatt Laugh Out Loud
 AW L. Crovatt Young Buck
 AW K. Hallett Winter on the Pond
 AW J. Ickes Dunedin Beach Sunset
 AW G. McKenna Nubble Light
 AW M. McKenna Artist at Work
 AW M. McKenna Portland Light
 AW R. Rubino Heron's Breakfast
 AW T. Strong Colorful Sunset - Lake
 Tarpon
 AW T. Strong The Gazing Gull
 HM J. Ickes Girl with Boogie Board
 HM G. McKenna Sun Bather

CLASS B COLOR ASSIGNED (8/8 Entries)

AW K. Hallett Eye Reflections
 AW K. Hallett Let it Snow
 AW R. Rubino Alligator
 AW T. Strong Eye Just Love My Hair
 AW B. Surman Here's lookin at you!
 AW B. Surman Where's my mommy?
 HM L. Crovatt Sad Eyes
 HM R. Rubino Jade Kitty

CLASS A COLOR GENERAL (3/3 Entries)

AW J. Ahern Cassidy
 AW J. Ahern No Where To Go
 HM S. Hart Cyclops 2

CLASS A COLOR ASSIGNED (1/2 Entries)

AW J. Ahern Scary

CLASS AA COLOR GENERAL (9/11 Entries)

AW G. Burke Beautiful
 AW F. Kaiser Plant Hall, Symbol of
 History
 AW L. Lapka Mono Lake 2
 AW L. Lapka Venician Mask
 AW D. Nichols Over McKinley
 AW E. Rosengren Upper Antelope Canyon
 HM G. Burke Hang Gliding in Yosemite
 HM F. Kaiser Portrait - Maasi
 Grandmother
 HM D. Nichols Caribou in Autumn

CLASS AA COLOR ASSIGNED (2/4 Entries)

AW D. Nichols Camel Teardrop
 HM F. Kaiser What the Hell?!?!?

Print Evaluation Statistics

Class	Entries	AWs	HMs
B	24	75%	25%
A	6	50%	33%
AA	21	52%	23%
Total	51	62%	25%