

SUNCOAST CAMERA CLUB

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President's Message

By Tim Strong

Well SCC members, we are one quarter of the way through 2009, and we've seen some great changes at SCC! We have a new larger meeting room at The Hospice, we'll be starting our new Program Night meetings in September at the Safety Harbor Library, we have new members who have joined SCC and we've enjoyed a fantastic President's Shoot at the Arcadia Rodeo! Everyone I talked with who attended, said they had a really good time. Great job goes out to Kurt Allebach for arranging the shoot! Don't forget to send your 4 best images to Roy Colbert for the SCC web site.

On another note, there was a problem at last month's Evaluation Night regarding lost Electronic Images (EI) that were sent via email to Nick Muskovac. It appears that 3 members were affected; they will be allowed to re-submit their EI's for our next Evaluation Meeting on April 21st. Hopefully, you have already received an email message from me regarding this issue, which describes the best solution to the EI email problem.

We are now asking that each member watch for a reply message from Nick. This extra process will assure that all images are received. I hope that after this process is in place, that there are no more lost EI issues.

That's it for now. See you all at the next meeting.

Club Web 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.

Club Calendar

Tues., Apr. 7, Hospice, Roosevelt Campus, 5771 Roosevelt Blvd., Clearwater, Room 100C, 7 p.m.

Program Night: ProShow Gold ver. 4 demo and class. See Miscellany column at left for more information.

Tues., Apr. 14, Summit Bldg., Geneva Room, 7 p.m.

Suncoast Camera Club Executive Committee board meeting. All club members are welcome to attend. The address is 13575 58th St. N., Clearwater (Greek Taverna Building).

Tues., Apr. 21, Hospice, Roosevelt Campus, 5771 Roosevelt Blvd., Clearwater, Room 100C, 7 p.m.

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

Tues., May 5, Hospice, Roosevelt Campus, 5771 Roosevelt Blvd., Clearwater, Room 100C, 7 p.m.

Program Night: "Mini-Essays." All members can enter a mini-essay. 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.

Tues., May 19, Hospice, Roosevelt Campus, 5771 Roosevelt Blvd., Clearwater, Garden House, 7 p.m.

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

(No Program Nights in June, July and August)

Tues., June 9, Summit Bldg., Geneva Room, 7 p.m.

Suncoast Camera Club Executive Committee board meeting. All club members are welcome to attend. The address is 13575 58th St. N., Clearwater (Greek Taverna Building).

Tues., June 16, Hospice, Roosevelt Campus, 5771 Roosevelt Blvd., Clearwater, Room 100C, 7 p.m.

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

See other side for results of the latest monthly evaluations.

Suncoast CC March 2009 Evaluation Results

Electronic Images

CLASS B GENERAL (3/4 Entries)

AW J. Devine Lu the Hippo
 HM J. Devine Duck1
 HM M. Kinney Spring Buds

CLASS B ASSIGNED (5/5 Entries)

AW J. Devine Pencil Ford
 HM M. Kinney Daffodils

CLASS A GENERAL (5/5 Entries)

AW J. Gentry Hands at Work
 AW J. Gentry Kelly
 AW R. Rebeck HUMMINGBIRD
 AW M. Zielinski Osprey Eating Lunch
 HM M. Zielinski The Race Is On

CLASS A ASSIGNED (3/3 Entries)

AW R. Rebeck London
 AW R. Rebeck waterlily#4
 AW M. Zielinski Shaken Downtown Tampa

CLASS AA GENERAL (17/17 Entries)

AW K. Allebach Night Action
 AW K. Allebach The Fog Of War
 AW J. Ickes Bumble Bee
 AW B. Kramer Durango Silverton RR
 AW B. Kramer English Bannister
 AW I. Kramer Cliff Dwelling - Canyon de Chelly
 AW L. Lynch Canoe at Sunrise
 AW L. Lynch Honey Bee Collecting Pollen
 AW N. Muskovac Hanglider Formation
 HM M. Burke Explorer on Canvas
 HM F. Crommelin Eagle
 HM G. Desthers Ringlingbee
 HM I. Kramer Kestrel in Mullein
 HM E. Rosengren loosing-an-arm-in-battle
 HM E. Rosengren wind-blown-tree
 HM T. Strong Butterfly on Colorful Lantana
 HM T. Strong Great Blue and Reflection

CLASS AA ASSIGNED (15/15 Entries)

AW M. Burke Mangia
 AW F. Crommelin New-York, NY
 AW F. Crommelin Old Florida House
 AW G. Desthers Classic chrome
 AW B. Kramer Lookin-Good

AW I. Kramer The Gymnast
 AW L. Lynch River of Dreams
 AW N. Muskovac Rocket Red Glare
 AW N. Muskovac Space-Junk
 AW E. Rosengren 3-for-the-surf
 HM M. Burke Artistic
 HM G. Desthers Cheeta
 HM J. Ickes Eagle
 HM J. Ickes Reflection
 HM T. Strong Flying Spoonbill Composite

Electronic Imaging Evaluation Statistics

Class	Entries	AWs	HMs
B	9	33%	55%
A	8	87%	12%
AA	32	59%	40%
Total	49	59%	38%

Prints

CLASS A MONO GENERAL (3/3 Entries)

AW J. Stein Broken Wheel
 HM K. Hallett Icy Spring on Fires Creek
 HM S. Manie Majestic View, Mt. Chocura

CLASS A MONO ASSIGNED (1/3 Entries)

AW J. Stein Amish Farm

CLASS AA MONO GENERAL (8/8 Entries)

AW F. Crommelin White Tiger
 AW B. Kramer Arches
 AW B. Kramer Durango Express
 AW I. Kramer 1929 Phaeton
 HM F. Crommelin Old Barn
 HM I. Kramer Water Stop
 HM D. Nichols Marine Iguana close-up
 HM D. Nichols Stairway

CLASS AA MONO ASSIGNED (2/2 Entries)

AW B. Kramer Mirror Image
 HM F. Crommelin Great Depression

CLASS B COLOR GENERAL (1/1 Entries)

AW C. Blume Look Out Below ...!

CLASS A COLOR GENERAL (4/4 Entries)

AW K. Hallett Snow Tubing at Hawks Nest
 AW S. Manie Black Capped Chickadee

AW S. Manie Emerging Beauty/Japanese Anenome
 HM K. Hallett Water Front Dining

CLASS A COLOR ASSIGNED (0/1 Entries)

CLASS AA COLOR GENERAL (18/21 Entries)

AW K. Allebach Strike Up A Merry
 AW K. Allebach The Fog of War
 AW F. Crommelin Yosemite Vista
 AW D. Hutchinson Family Meeting
 AW B. Kramer American Elk
 AW B. Kramer Great Blue
 AW I. Kramer Artic Fox on Ice Flow
 AW L. Lapka Deserted
 AW E. Rosengren Down the hatch - Great Egret
 AW E. Rosengren Great Horned Owl Resting
 AW T. Strong A Watchful Eye
 AW T. Strong Roseate Spoonbill-Breeding Plumage
 HM M. Burke Summertime
 HM F. Crommelin Soccer Practice
 HM I. Kramer Wood Duck Pair
 HM L. Lapka The Crossing
 HM D. Nichols Galapagos Wildlife
 HM D. Nichols Wiskers

CLASS AA COLOR ASSIGNED (9/11 Entries)

AW F. Crommelin Water Lilly #2
 AW D. Hutchinson They're Stealing our Freedom
 AW B. Kramer Lilies in Blue
 AW N. Muskovac Free at Last
 AW N. Muskovac Giraffe Woman
 HM J. Goins Solarized Palm Trunk
 HM D. Hutchinson Welcome to the Real Florida
 HM E. Rosengren Interaction
 HM J. Stein Look, Dog Driving Car

Print Evaluation Statistics

Class	Entries	AWs	HMs
B	1	100%	0%
A	11	45%	27%
AA	42	52%	35%
Total	54	51%	33%