

SUNCOAST CAMERA CLUB

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President's Message

By Tim Strong

Well, it's a few days after the SCC Portrait Shoot, and from what I hear, it was a big success! I hope all who attended were able to bring home some great photos, as well as some new knowledge of portrait photography. I want to thank the committee members who were instrumental in organizing the event: Roy Colbert, Jim Goins, Jim Ickes, and Jim Mahoney. A big Thank You goes out to all members who arranged for the models to pose for us. The models gave a flawless performance, and stole the show!

For the next SCC event, we'll turn to our membership and Special Events Committee Chairmen, Jack O'Connell, for new ideas for the remainder of the year.

Until then, keep shooting, everybody!

Sept. 1 Program Night needs your prints

Erik Rosengren is presenting a program on judging and critiquing Tues., Sept. 1. If you have a couple of prints you can bring in for him to use as instructional aids, that would help out his presentation. No official scoring is involved — they will just be used for illustrative purposes

An annual tradition: Photo mini-essays and potluck

Don't forget: The December Program Night (Dec. 15 at the Safety Harbor Library — note date change) features our annual potluck dinner and semi-annual photo mini-essay presentations. In addition, winners of the Pinellas High School Photo Contest will be announced and their winning entries shown. Some of the winners may be on hand for this event. The contest was conceived and spear-headed by SCC member Mary Burke in conjunction with the Pinellas County School System

Evaluation night for the month of December is Tues., Dec. 1 at the Roosevelt Hospice. Again, note the date change. This "flip-flop" is done each year to allow time for entries to be processed for year-end judging.

THE SUNCOAST CAMERA CLUB WEB SITE

Check it out at www.suncoastcameraclub.org

Club Calendar

Tues., Sept. 1, Safety Harbor Library, 101 2nd St. N., Safety Harbor, 7 p.m.

Program Night: Viewing of winners and acceptances of the recent Suncoast Virtual Salon, hosted by Nick Muskovac, the club's Electronic Imaging Chairperson. This is part 1 of a 2-part viewing schedule. Also scheduled is an educational presentation by Erik Rosengren on the "ins and outs" of SCC judging and critiques.

Tues., Sept. 15, 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: **Doors & Windows** (see Yearbook for details).

Tues., Oct. 6, Safety Harbor Library, 101 2nd St. N., Safety Harbor, 7 p.m.

Program Night: More viewing of winners and acceptances of the recent Suncoast Virtual Salon, hosted by Nick Muskovac, the club's Electronic Imaging Chairperson. Part 2 of a 2-part viewing schedule. Also more judging/critiquing techniques with Erik Rosengren joined by Jim Mahoney.

Tues., Oct. 13, 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., Oct. 20, 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: **Photojournalism** (see Yearbook for details).

Tues., Nov. 3, Safety Harbor Library, 101 2nd St. N., Safety Harbor, 7 p.m.

Program Night: Erik Rosengren unveils his PSA "Historic Florida" photo project presentation. Other possible topic(s) TBA.

Tues., Nov. 17, 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: **Travel** (see Yearbook for details).

See other side for results of the latest monthly evaluations.

Suncoast CC August 2009 Evaluation Results

Electronic Images

CLASS B GENERAL (5/9 Entries)

AW J. Devine TUNNEL YOSEMITE
 AW V. Maurio Lilly
 AW J. Nuss Young Eyes
 HM J. Devine SURF
 HM J. Nuss Joined At The Hip

CLASS A GENERAL (16/21 Entries)

AW T. Carnahan Close Hauled
 AW J. Gentry Growling Cub
 AW R. Rebeck Orange & Brown
 AW R. Rebeck Primping
 AW L. Robinson Hummingbird
 AW L. Robinson New Butterfly & Friend
 AW M. Zielinski Arcadia Rodeo 1
 HM T. Carnahan Graceful
 HM J. Gentry Cape of Good Hope
 HM J. Gentry Yellow Billed Hornbill
 HM J. Goins Dragon-Fly
 HM J. Goins Put-You're-Right-Foot-In...
 HM K. Hallett TENDING-THE FIRE
 HM R. Rebeck Let's Play
 HM L. Robinson Emerged Black Swallowtail
 HM M. Zielinski Ringling Museum Patterns

CLASS AA GENERAL (34/43 Entries)

AW M. Burke Diana
 AW F. Crommelin MoonGlow
 AW D. Hart Flowers in Blacklight
 AW D. Hart Indian River Bridge
 AW B. Kramer Bond-Falls
 AW B. Kramer Red-tailed-Hawk
 AW I. Kramer Cape Neddick Light
 AW I. Kramer Mabry Mill
 AW L. Lynch American Alligator
 AW L. Lynch Florida Green Frog
 AW L. Lynch Sunrise In Cades Cove
 AW J. Mahoney Mormon Barn #7
 AW J. Mahoney Sara With Rose
 AW G. McKenna Blue Boobie On Nest
 AW N. Muskovac Three-HandHeld-Hatching-Egrets
 AW D. Nichols Quiet
 AW E. Rosengren I-said-off

AW E. Rosengren gaining-altitude-Marbled-Godwit
 AW T. Strong Keeping a Distance
 AW T. Strong Night Shot on the 4th
 HM M. Burke Keep Walking
 HM F. Crommelin Cone Flower with Bee
 HM D. Hart Retro Beach Promenade
 HM J. Ickes Barrel Race
 HM J. Ickes Cat Fight
 HM J. Ickes Thinking over the changes
 HM B. Kramer Half-Dome
 HM G. McKenna Grand Canyon
 HM G. McKenna Hot Air Balloon
 HM M. McKenna A Rose is a Rose
 HM M. McKenna Lobster Shack
 HM N. Muskovac Lost Sailboat at Portland
 HM N. Muskovac Sarah in Black
 HM D. Nichols Out of My Way

Electronic Imaging Evaluation Statistics

Class	Entries	AWs	HMs
B	9	33%	22%
A	21	33%	42%
AA	43	46%	32%
Total	73	41%	34%

Prints

CLASS B MONO GENERAL (3/3 Entries)

HM J. Devine Dead Trees
 HM J. Devine Man & Dog Oregon Coast
 HM J. Devine Tree Shadow

CLASS A MONO GENERAL (1/1 Entries)

AW M. Burke Di
 HM M. Burke Digital Art
 HM M. Burke In My Summer Hat
 HM K. Hallett Clouds over Sawtooth Mountains

CLASS AA MONO GENERAL (3/6 Entries)

AW D. Nichols Legs
 HM D. Nichols Mud Bath Makes a Beauty

CLASS B COLOR GENERAL (3/3 Entries)

HM J. Devine Bodie Church
 HM J. Devine Fish House
 HM J. Devine Great Egret

CLASS A COLOR GENERAL (3/3 Entries)

AW K. Hallett Civil War Canon over Chattanooga
 AW K. Hallett Neon Butterfly
 HM K. Hallett Old General Store

CLASS AA COLOR GENERAL (23/25 Entries)

AW G. Burke Elizabeth One
 AW G. Burke Elizabeth Two
 AW M. Burke Natural Beauty
 AW D. Hutchinson Giant Tree through Window
 AW D. Hutchinson Wood Stork
 AW G. McKenna Rainforest Chef
 AW M. McKenna Hummingbird #10
 AW M. McKenna Soaring Egret
 AW N. Muskovac Sarah
 AW D. Nichols Tortoise
 AW E. Rosengren Gaining Altitude - Marbled Godwit
 HM G. Burke Elizabeth Three
 HM M. Burke Safari Jim
 HM D. Hutchinson Spring in the Boston Commons
 HM J. Ickes Evening at the Beach
 HM J. Ickes Ian & Ann
 HM J. Ickes Kyra Head Shot
 HM G. McKenna Fife and Drum Corp
 HM G. McKenna Village Band
 HM M. McKenna Roseate Spoonbill Feeding
 HM D. Nichols Cactus and Water
 HM D. Nichols Travertine Terrace
 HM E. Rosengren Flowers of Yankee Boy Basin

Print Evaluation Statistics

Class	Entries	AWs	HMs
B	6	0%	100%
A	4	50%	50%
AA	31	38%	45%
Total	41	34%	53%