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President's Message

By Jo-Ann Devine

Well, so far 2012 has been exciting for SCC. The year-end banquet went well with a new format and a couple of nice surprises. Bill Kramer put together a slide show of all the EI entries entered for year end. Matt Muskovac set up the equipment so we could all enjoy viewing the entries.

On Jan. 14, we had our first field trip for the year at Heritage Village. We had a good turnout and everyone enjoyed themselves. Roy Colbert has posted some of the photos from the trip on the website. Be sure to take a look.

Our next field trip is planned for Saturday, March 10. We will be going to the Sarasota Jungle Gardens. March is a perfect time of the year in Florida. I am looking forward to spending the day with lots of members.

We have some great competitions coming up, including Nick Muskovac's Suncoast Virtual Salon, the FCCC tri-annuals, and the PSA Club Competition. Details for other contests are on our Web site.

Our new member Yearbooks have been printed, thanks to George Burke. Pick up yours at a club meeting.

Be sure to attend the meeting on March 6 at the Safety Harbor Library. Jim Mahoney has arranged a great program night: "Using Flash to Stop Action," presented by Ron Mayberry. Bring your cameras and tripods.

March 20 is our monthly evaluation night at the Hospice. The subject for March is "Creative." Lots of thoughts and concentration make up this night.

Happy shooting!

Photography Day Tampa Bay

March 17, Botanical Park/Heritage Village, Largo. Go to www.photographicartsociety.org/ to register and for more info. Information and a link is also on the SCC site.

FCCC Annual Conference

March 23-25, Naples. Registration fee is \$139 for a 3-day pass and \$89 for ala carte. For information and sign-up procedures, visit the F3C Web site at www.f3c.org/conference/2012/. There is also information and a link on the SCC site.

CLUB CALENDAR

Tues., March 6, Safety Harbor Library, 101 2nd St. N., Safety Harbor, Room B, 7 p.m.

Program Night: "Using Flash to Stop Action" presented by Ron Mayberry.

Saturday March 10, 10 a.m. President's Shoot

Sarasota Jungle Gardens, 3701 Bay Shore Road, Sarasota 34234. See SCC Web page for locale info.

Tues., March 20, Hospice, Roosevelt Campus, 5771 Roosevelt Blvd., Clearwater, Room. 126, 7 p.m.

General meeting with print and E-I evaluations. Print entries should be signed in no later than 6:45 p.m. Assigned Subject: **Creative** (See Yearbook for details).

Tues., April 3, Safety Harbor Library, 101 2nd St. N., Safety Harbor, Room B, 7 p.m.

Program Night: Mary Burke will present a travelogue featuring member photos. Following that, George McKenna will present a program on the Microsoft Windows 7 operating system.

Tues., April 10, Suncoast Camera Club Executive Committee Board Meeting.

Tues., April 24, Hospice, Roosevelt Campus, 5771 Roosevelt Blvd., Clearwater, Room 126, 7 p.m.

(Note date change) General meeting with print and E-I evaluations. Print entries should be signed in no later than 6:45 p.m. Assigned Subject: **Misty or Fog** (See Yearbook for details).

Tues., May 1, Safety Harbor Library, 101 2nd St. N., Safety Harbor, Room B, 7 p.m.

Program Night: Mini-Essays. All members can enter a mini-essay presentation. Participants each receive 10 points for their efforts. A dessert smorgasbord is also a part of this popular semi-annual event.

Tues., May 15, Hospice, Roosevelt Campus, 5771 Roosevelt Blvd., Clearwater, Room 126, 7 p.m.

General meeting with print and E-I evaluations. Print entries should be signed in no later than 6:45 p.m. Assigned Subject: **Portrait** (See Yearbook for details).

THE SUNCOAST CAMERA CLUB WEB SITE

Check it out at www.suncoastcameraclub.org

See next two pages for results of the latest monthly evaluation.

Suncoast CC February Evaluation Results

Electronic Images

CLASS B GENERAL (1/1 Entries)

HM Michelle Frenzel Pretty Ballerinas All in a Row

CLASS B ASSIGNED (2/2 Entries)

AW Michelle Frenzel Young Buck
 HM Michelle Frenzel Nutty Squirrel With Big Stick

CLASS A GENERAL (2/4 Entries)

AW Terry C. Pallone Early-Flight
 HM Mark Zielinski Out Of The Water

CLASS A ASSIGNED (5/5 Entries)

AW Terry C. Pallone Follow-Me
 AW Terry C. Pallone Look-Out-Below
 AW David Erdman Success
 AW David Erdman Where do I start
 HM Mark Zielinski Wrinkled Face

CLASS AA GENERAL (23/29 Entries)

AW Mary Burke Calendar Girl in Snow
 AW Mary Burke Fun in Bodie
 AW Len Lapka Miss Chapoue
 AW Larry Lynch Cades Cove Panorama #1
 AW Larry Lynch Cades Cove Panorama #2
 AW Larry Lynch Ice Covered Ridge
 AW Nick Muskovac Tiger-Swallowtail-On-Limb
 AW Dawn Nichols Icescape
 HM Phyllis Carlson ROSEATE SPOONBILL-jpg
 HM Frank Crommelin The Weaver
 HM Jo-Ann Devine Small Brown Bird
 HM David Hart Golden Gate Sunday Afternoon
 HM David Hart Hung Out to Dry
 HM Dave Hutchinson The-Destroyer-Namibia
 HM Jim Mahoney Desiree
 HM Jim Mahoney Red Hatter
 HM George McKenna Gaggles of Geese
 HM Marsha McKenna Tiger Butterfly
 HM Richard Miller SUNRISE AT THE STABLE
 HM Richard Miller THE WASHBASIN
 HM Leon Robinson Marlo 2
 HM Erik Rosengren Lupine-and-Waterfalls
 HM Liz Rylan Lighthouse Staircase

CLASS AA ASSIGNED (24/30 Entries)

AW Phyllis Carlson GREAT BLUE
 AW Phyllis Carlson OSPREY CALLING
 AW Jo-Ann Devine Eyes Bigger than Stomach
 AW Jim Goins Coming-In
 AW Dave Hutchinson Kory-Bustards---Namibia
 AW Len Lapka Fog at Sunrise
 AW George McKenna Flying Duck
 AW George McKenna Snow Geese
 AW Nick Muskovac Snowy Feeds Young
 AW Nick Muskovac Spicebush Swallowtail
 AW Dawn Nichols Sea Legs
 AW Leon Robinson Three Spotted Skipper
 AW Erik Rosengren Dropped-my-fish-Laughing-Gull
 AW Liz Rylan Can You Hear Me Now
 AW Liz Rylan I'm One Gorgeous Redhead
 HM Mary Burke Swaying in the Wind
 HM Jo-Ann Devine Pelican Reflection
 HM Jim Goins Having-Lunch
 HM Dave Hutchinson Jackal-In-the-Hunt
 HM Marsha McKenna Owl Baby
 HM Marsha McKenna Wood Ducks in the Wild
 HM Dawn Nichols Curious Tortoise
 HM Leon Robinson Juvenile Bald Eagle
 HM Erik Rosengren Down-the-hatch-Anhinga

Electronic Imaging Evaluation Statistics

Class	Entries	AWs	HMs
B	3	33%	66%
A	9	55%	22%
AA	59	38%	40%
Total	71	40%	39%

Suncoast CC February Evaluation Results

Prints

CLASS A MONO GENERAL (0/1 Entries)

CLASS AA MONO GENERAL (4/7 Entries)

AW Bill Kramer Joshua Tree
 AW Irene Kramer Swan Lake
 AW Richard Miller The Wood Carver
 HM Irene Kramer Turkish Fountain

Print Evaluation Statistics

Class	Entries	AWs	HMs
B	0		
A	1	0%	0%
AA	42	59%	26%
Total	43	58%	25%

CLASS AA MONO ASSIGNED (5/6 Entries)

AW Phyllis Carlson Osprey in Flight
 AW Charles Platz Cactus
 HM Phyllis Carlson Pelican
 HM Jo-Ann Devine Dry Blossom 02
 HM Charles Platz Royal Terns

CLASS AA COLOR GENERAL (14/15 Entries)

AW Mary Burke Belle of the Ball
 AW Mary Burke Ready to Travel
 AW Dave Hutchinson Beest and the Beauty
 AW Irene Kramer Flamingo Portrait
 AW Irene Kramer Storm at Cape Kiwanda
 AW George McKenna Wigeon on Wing
 AW Marsha McKenna Young Red Shouldered Hawk

 AW Richard Miller The Carriage House
 AW Charles Platz San Juan Caristrano
 AW Charles Platz The Cane Syrup Maker
 AW Janet Stein Birds in Flight at Sunset
 HM Jo-Ann Devine McMullen Coachman Cabin

 HM Richard Miller Natural Veil
 HM Janet Stein Japanese Garden in the Rain

CLASS AA COLOR ASSIGNED (13/14 Entries)

AW Phyllis Carlson Gull with Stone Crab
 AW Phyllis Carlson Motherhood
 AW Jo-Ann Devine Mono Lake 03
 AW Dave Hutchinson Mother and Child Binding
 AW Dave Hutchinson Portrait of the Namib Desert

 AW Irene Kramer Red-bellied Woodpecker
 AW George McKenna Reddish Heron with Snack
 AW George McKenna Wigeon in Flight
 AW Marsha McKenna Green Bottle Fly
 HM Jo-Ann Devine Sandhill Crane 03
 HM Marsha McKenna Sora Rail
 HM Charles Platz Stained Glass Lily
 HM Janet Stein Giraffe