IN FOCUS

Message From the President

"I'm not alone in feeling that this winter so far has been a dreary disappointment; however, it's the perfect time to get creative indoors. There has been lots of positive feedback on our Tabletop/Macro workshop, hopefully it was an inspiration for those who attended, and served to get the creative juices flowing. For some nifty ideas check out my latest post on Facebook; "52 Photography Projects- a photo idea to try every week of the year." The beauty of this form of photography is that most often, simple setups are all that is needed. A tripod, window light, a black (or indeed any colour) background, and the possibilities are endless. Collect items found around the house; shop dollar and second hand shops for interesting subjects; even the grocery store can provide subjects such as fruits, vegetables and flowers for still life subjects. Add liquids and experiment with splash. Freeze flowers in distilled water for something truly unique. I have been a subscriber to Mike Moats' blog ever since I attended one of his workshops at the Can Am Photo Expo a few years back. Check out his website at http://www.tinylandscapes.com/ for further inspiration.

Speaking of this year's Can Am Photo Expo, the final schedule is being worked out and as always, promises a stellar lineup of presenters. The opportunities for workshops and hands on learning keeps expanding every year. Programs are designed to appeal to every skill level. Visit http://canamphotoexpo.com/schedule/ for more information.

Join us on Monday (Feb. 6) when Eric Baloga will share with us the secrets of Infrared Photography. February 26 will be our monthly competition #6. March 6 we welcome Keith Burkard from Twin Cities and his program on Night Photography and Light Painting.

Looking ahead to the remainder of our 2016-17 season:

Can Am Photo Expo- March 31, April 1-2

Digital Image/Print of the Year Competition - March 20.

Rainbow Competition hosted by Twin Cities Camera Club-April 4

Saturday, April 29 - Annual Awards Banquet, Betty's Restaurant







Upcoming Events for 2017 Season

February 6 – Seeing Life on a Different Wavelength – Presented by Eric Baloga

February 27th – Monthly Slide and Print Competition #6-last one of the year.

March 6th - Night Photography and Light Painting by Keith Burkard

March 20th – Slide and Print Competition of the Year

March 31 to

April-2 -

Can/Am Photo Expo 2017-Sponsored by NFRCC

For more information visit www.canamphotoexpo.com

28th Annual Rainbow Competition hosted by Twin Cities

Camera Club.

April 29th – NFCC Annual Awards Banquet at Bettys Restaurant.

Projected Digital Image Scores				
Month : as of Jan 23rd, 2017, Competition				
#5, Totals				
Bronze	Digital	Honour	Total	2016-17
Name	Entries	Awards	Score	Group
Dave Robinson	10	10	158	Bronze
Paula Chiasson	10	10	154	Bronze
Gino Biancaniello	10	10	142	Bronze
Laura Cardwell	10	4	133	Bronze
Michelle Stranges	10	7	131	Bronze
Duska Dragosavac	8	6	116	Bronze
Dave Wrigley	8	8	90	Bronze
Curtis Capuano	6	6	86	Bronze
Sarah MacDonald	2	2	29	Bronze
Silver	Digital	Honour	Total	
Name	Entries	Awards	Score	
Pearl Bacso	10	10	161	Silver
Anita Hubbard	10	8	154	Silver
Clay Morehead	8	6	111	Silver
Wiliam Feder	10	1	108	Silver
Gold	Digital	Honour	Total	
Name	Entries	Awards	Score	
Larry Mathewson	10	9	159	Gold
Nora Mathewson	10	8	158	Gold
Charles Martyk	10	7	142	Gold
Pat Lizmore	10	5	133	Gold
Jim Koniar	10	6	132	Gold
Lorraine Pichette	10	4	129	Gold
Cliff Empey	6	2	77	Gold
Diamond	Digital	Honour	Total	
Name	Entries	Awards	Score	
Scott Simons	10	10	174	Diamond
Chris Empey	10	8	158	Diamond
Christine Hess	10	5	142	Diamond
Karen Fulham	10	5	140	Diamond
Laura Cardwell	10	4	133	Diamond
Dereck Bottomley	2	1	28	Diamond

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Jan-17 COLOUR PRINTS:			
BRONZE	Entries	НА	Score
Pat Lizmore	7	7	105
Dave Robinson	2	2	31
Diane Falconer	2	2	29
Pearl Basco	2	2	27
SILVER	Entries	НА	Score
Anita Hubbard	10	10	162
Paula Chiasson	10	10	154
GOLD	Entries	НА	Score
Nora Mathewson	10	9	155
Larry Mathewson	10	7	150
Bill Feder	10	3	119
Derek Bottomley	2		23
DIAMOND	Entries	НА	Score
Christine Hess	10	6	149
Lorraine Pichette	10	6	141
George Beehler	6	1	72
Charles Martyk	2		23
B&W PRINTS:			
BRONZE	Entries	HA	Score
Pat Lizmore	8	8	116
Dave Robinson	2	2	32
Pearl Basco	2	2	28
Diane Falconer	1	1	13
<u>SILVER</u>	Entries	HA	Score
Anita Hubbard	10	9	158
Paula Chiassun	10	8	145
<u>GOLD</u>	Entries	HA	Score
Larry Mathewson	10	9	160
Nora Mathewson	10	7	156
Bill Feder	10	4	130
DIAMOND	Entries	HA	Score
Karen Fulham	10	5	148
Christine Hess	10	5	147
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Lorraine Pichette

George Beehler

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