

SUNCOAST CAMERA CLUB

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President's Message

By Erik Rosengren

"The Dog days of Summer" are here. Feel the need to cool off? Join us for the August Presidents shoot on Saturday, Aug. 12. Why not plan to bring your spouse or significant other for a relaxing, interesting evening?

For those of you interested in a pre-shoot dinner, we will meet at Jimmy's Fish House and Iguana Bar, located at 521 S. Gulfview Blvd. in Clearwater Beach, at 5 p.m. If you need directions, please call Jimmy's at 446-9720.

After dinner, we will drive to the Pier 60 parking lot, then gather at the entrance of Pier 60 by 6:15 p.m.

Also, be sure to mark your calendar for our Sept. 5th Program Night meeting at the Largo Library. Jim Goins has an interesting program planned.

Good shooting — Erik

Warm August Greetings to SCC members! We are about to have some fun with a club "down under," a friendly digital exchange with the Ivanhoe Photographic Society in Melbourne, Australia. This is a good opportunity to see each other's work and perhaps varied perspective. We will swap 20 images (maximum of two per member) for evaluation and short comment. (Depending on the number received, SCC judges may cull to forward 20 images.)

Please send two digital images (downsized to a maximum of 1024 horizontal x 768 vertical) to Matt Muskovac (mmuskov1@tampabay.rr.com) as soon as possible. Name your image file as usual, for example:

scc-muskm1234-A1-Title.jpg

[i.e.: club code-first 4 of surname-first letter of given name-last 4 of phone-A1 or A2 if entering a second image-Title up to 36 characters-.jpg file extension.]

If we can swap in September, we could review the Ivanhoe selections as part of our October program. Hope you enjoy this — and thanks for an image or two!

The IPS Web site is <http://www.ips.org.au/home.aspx>.

— Dawn Nichols, SCC VP of Competition

Club Calendar

Tues., Aug. 15, Safety Harbor Library, 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: **Open (no assigned subject)**.

Tues., Sept. 5, New Largo Library, Room C, 7 p.m.

Program Night: Program Night resumes with a presentation of the PSA 5th Suncoast Virtual Salon, hosted by Nick Muskovac. Eleven club members entered the competition and all received merit. A Photoshop tips session may follow, depending on time.

Tues., Sept. 12, Clearwater East Library, 7 p.m.

Suncoast Camera Club Executive Committee board meeting. All club members are welcome to attend.

Tues., Sept. 19, Safety Harbor Library, 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: **Roofs** (see Yearbook for details).

Tues., Oct. 3, New Largo Library, Room C, 7 p.m.

Program Night: ProShow Gold overview. Imaging expert Nick Muskovac will present tips on this popular program, which is used by many club members to display their "Mini-Essay" presentations.

Tues., Oct. 17, Safety Harbor Library, 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: **Photojournalism**. Only minor photo enhancements are allowed. See Yearbook Evaluation Rule #3 for additional details.

"Meet the Artist" features Jim Goins

Jim recently held a reception and showing (of which a number of club members attended) at the Art and Antique Gallery in Dunedin, as a part of its "Meet the Artist" series. Some of his prints may still be available. Check them out at 718 Broadway, Dunedin. Congrats, Jim!

See next page for results of the latest monthly evaluations.

Suncoast CC July 2006 Evaluation Results

Slides

CLASS A GENERAL (3/3 Entries)

HM H. Abrams Home Sweet Home
 HM H. Abrams Milkweed Queen Monarch
 HM H. Abrams Silk Moth

CLASS AA GENERAL (3/3 Entries)

AW J. Mahoney Monument Valley at Dusk
 AW J. Mahoney Tunnel Arch
 HM J. Mahoney Tree on Zion Plateau

Slide Evaluation Statistics

Class	Entries	AWs	HMs
B	0		
A	3	0%	100%
AA	3	66%	33%
Total	6	33%	66%

Electronic Images

CLASS B GENERAL (4/5 Entries)

AW R. Colbert Champagne In A Glass
 AW R. Colbert Hartford Buildings #1
 AW G. Riba Just Swimming around
 HM G. Riba My Secret Cave

CLASS A GENERAL (9/12 Entries)

AW M. Burke Pink Hydranga
 AW F. Crommelin Potted Fireworks
 AW F. Crommelin Yosemite Valley
 AW S. Garige Ibis
 AW S. Garige In-Flight
 HM M. Burke Meercat
 HM M. Burke Regal Eagle
 HM S. Garige Head Shot
 HM J. Goins Queen-Charlotte-Charlotte Airport

CLASS AA GENERAL (18/29 Entries)

AW T. Dost PCH into Big Sir
 AW B. Kramer American Kestrel
 AW B. Kramer Augur Hawk

AW L. Lynch After the Storm
 AW L. Lynch Lake Josephine, Glacier National Park
 AW K. Mason The Tower
 AW K. Mason brenda
 AW M. Muskovac Teton Barn
 AW N. Muskovac Elephant Car Wash
 HM D. Hart Windsurfer-Effects
 HM B. Kramer Wagner Falls
 HM L. Lynch Alpine Meadow, Glacier National Park
 HM M. Muskovac Yellowstone Terraces
 HM N. Muskovac Lubber in Sticky Web
 HM N. Muskovac World Cup Zebra
 HM D. Nichols Hot Rhino
 HM E. Rosengren Aerial Ballet
 HM E. Rosengren Appen Glow

Electronic Imaging Evaluation Statistics

Class	Entries	AWs	HMs
B	5	60%	20%
A	12	41%	33%
AA	29	31%	31%
Total	46	36%	30%

Prints

CLASS A MONO GENERAL (4/4 Entries)

AW G. Burke Glen
 HM J. Goins Arc's
 HM J. Goins Wooden Head
 HM J. Goins Zebra's

CLASS AA MONO GENERAL (12/13 Entries)

AW F. Crommelin Enjoying the Sunset
 AW T. Dost Forgotten Bodie
 AW D. Hutchinson American Eagle
 AW N. Muskovac World Cup Giraffe
 HM F. Crommelin Great Room, Ellis Island
 HM F. Crommelin Echo
 HM F. Crommelin No Title
 HM F. Crommelin Short End of the Straw
 HM F. Crommelin Van Gogh's New York

HM D. Hutchinson Baobab Tree
 HM D. Hutchinson Peruvian Vendor
 HM D. Reid Old Snag in Canyon

CLASS B COLOR GENERAL (4/4 Entries)

AW J. O'Connell Irish Grandmother
 AW J. O'Connell Tarpon Winery
 AW J. O'Connell Ye Merry Fellow
 HM C. Blume Owl

CLASS A COLOR GENERAL (8/8 Entries)

AW L. Abilock Owl Butterfly
 AW G. Burke Venice
 AW M. Burke Cameo Shell
 AW M. Burke Coming and Going
 AW M. Burke Venetian Masks
 HM L. Abilock Love Birds
 HM L. Abilock Passion Fruit Flower
 HM G. Burke Ambiguous

CLASS AA COLOR GENERAL (11/13 Entries)

AW T. Dost Intensity
 AW D. Hutchinson Bald Eagle
 AW D. Hutchinson Grasshopper
 AW N. Muskovac My Purple Car
 AW N. Muskovac Woodstork Portrait
 AW E. Rosengren Excedrin Headache - 413
 AW E. Rosengren I Give Up
 AW E. Rosengren Yosemite Rainbow
 HM J. Goins Church Steeple
 HM J. Goins Wheel is Up
 HM D. Hutchinson Grey Crowned Crane

Print Evaluation Statistics

Class	Entries	AWs	HMs
B	4	75%	25%
A	12	50%	50%
AA	26	46%	42%
Total	42	50%	42%