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President's Message

By Jeff Gentry

My sincere thanks to Tim Strong for the fine job he did as president the past two years and for the smooth transition he has given me as the new president. 2011 will be a year of challenges for our country and our club, but I am confident that with a little extra effort we will enjoy a year of some excellent photographic opportunities.

Thanks are also due to the other club members who contributed their time and efforts to our club in 2010, and who have now passed their duties to others. In particular, Dave Hart for his years as our club secretary, Jim Goins for his fine efforts with membership and as our "meeting greeter," Erik Rosengren for his instructional judging efforts, and Roy Colbert for his outstanding work building and maintaining our club's Web site. Unfortunately, Roy will no longer be able to continue with our club, but his efforts in the past and his dedication to a smooth transition of Web site support deserve special recognition and my personal "Thanks."

The recent Year-End Evaluation reminded me that this club has some outstanding photographers. The submissions were excellent and I am glad I did not have to judge the winners. I know our annual Awards Banquet on Feb. 5 will be a most enjoyable evening to remember the excellent work of our club members in 2010. Here's wishing everyone a 2011 of great shots!

Cheers!

Last chance to sign up for banquet

The Countryside Country Club will be the site of our 2011 Awards Banquet on Saturday, Feb. 5, 2011. The Countryside Country Club is located at 3001 Countryside Blvd., Clearwater, Fla. You may bring a guest.

Awards for prints and E-I images will be presented, as well as SCC Star awards and other presentations.

Dinner is a choice of Chicken Marsala, Bronzed Tilapia with Fruit Salsa, Roast Beef, or a Vegetarian Plate. Cost per attendee is \$25 as in the past. Attendees should indicate their dinner entrée selection with their payment. A cash bar will open at 6 p.m. Dinner will be served at 7 p.m.

CLUB CALENDAR

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

Program Night: Photographic workflow using Adobe Lightroom, presented by Jim Lucadam.

Sat., Feb. 5, Annual Awards Banquet

Suncoast Camera Club Awards Banquet, 6 p.m., Saturday, Feb. 5, at the Countryside Country Club. See story at left for details.

Tues., Feb. 8, 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 (Mythos Greek Taverna Building).

Tues., Feb. 15, Hospice, Roosevelt Campus, 5771 Roosevelt Blvd., Clearwater, Garden House, 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: **Nature** (See Yearbook for details).

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

Program Night: Judging of PSA EID Creative Competition for Individuals, Session 1, hosted by Nick Muskovac. Possibly another additional topic, time permitting (TBA).

Tues., March 15, Hospice, Roosevelt Campus, 5771 Roosevelt Blvd., Clearwater, Room 126C, 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 5, Safety Harbor Library, 101 2nd St. N., Safety Harbor, Room B, 7 p.m.

Program Night: TBA

Tues., April 12, 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 (Mythos Greek Taverna Building).

Tues., April 19, Hospice, Roosevelt Campus, 5771 Roosevelt Blvd., Clearwater, Room 126C, 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: **Macro Photography** (See Yearbook for details).

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

Suncoast CC January 2011 Evaluation Results

Electronic Images

CLASS B GENERAL (6/6 Entries)

AW Joyce Gentry Ephesus Framed by Tree
 AW Joyce Gentry Porch of the Maidens
 AW Joyce Gentry Robin Saved Me
 AW Terry Pallone Liberty
 AW Terry Pallone stepingout
 HM Terry Pallone Palms and hats

CLASS A GENERAL (14/15 Entries)

AW Phyllis Carlson MALLARD-jpg
 AW Frank Cohen NantahalaForest
 AW Frank Cohen PeekABoo
 AW Jo-Ann Devine Antique Car
 AW Jo-Ann Devine Dunes
 AW Jo-Ann Devine North Carolina Barn
 AW Jim Goins Harmonica-Player
 AW Jim Goins Street-Magician
 AW Jim Goins Trombone-Player
 AW Richard Miller ACROBATS
 AW Richard Miller BALLYS
 HM Phyllis Carlson GREAT EGRET-jpg
 HM Phyllis Carlson TRICOLORED
 HERON-jpg
 HM Richard Miller METAL WORKER

CLASS AA GENERAL (41/45 Entries)

AW Bill Kramer Egret in Black
 AW Bill Kramer Orchid
 AW Bill Kramer Snowy Owl
 AW Irene Kramer Cheboygan Crib Light
 AW Irene Kramer Yellow Grosbeak
 AW Len Lapka Madonna
 AW Len Lapka Namibia Landscape
 AW Larry Lynch Skyway Bridge
 AW Larry Lynch Tampa Skyline
 AW Marsha McKenna Amazon Mother
 AW Matt Muskovac Wine Still Life
 AW Nick Muskovac Beauty on Ice
 AW Nick Muskovac Electric Light Beauty
 AW Nick Muskovac New Orleans at Night
 AW Dawn Nichols Elk
 AW Dawn Nichols Water Sculpture
 AW Erik Rosengren free-flight
 AW Tim Strong A Watchful Eye
 HM Mary Burke Julie
 HM Mary Burke MUSTANG
 CONVERTIBLE

HM Mary Burke RESTORATION
 HM Frank Crommelin Clowning Around
 HM Frank Crommelin So much to See
 HM Frank Crommelin The Painter
 HM David Hart Gas Cans for No. 17
 HM David Hart High Country
 Waterfall
 HM David Hart Locomotive and Trainman
 A Long Day
 HM Jim Ickes Old and New
 HM Jim Ickes Stretching
 HM Irene Kramer Yosemite Chapel
 HM Len Lapka Palm Harbor Sunset
 HM Larry Lynch White Tail Buck
 HM George McKenna Jungle Parrot
 HM George McKenna Peek-a-Boo
 HM Marsha McKenna Relaxed Monkey
 HM Matt Muskovac Red & Yellow Leaf
 HM Erik Rosengren P-40-Warhawk
 HM Erik Rosengren Pier-at-twilight
 HM Tim Strong Ocean Flight
 HM Tim Strong The Will to Win

Electronic Imaging Evaluation Statistics

Class	Entries	AWs	HMs
B	6	83%	16%
A	15	73%	20%
AA	45	40%	51%
Total	66	51%	40%

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Prints

CLASS A MONO GENERAL (5/5 Entries)
 AW Phyllis Carlson Juvenile Night Heron
 AW Phyllis Carlson Osprey on Watch
 AW Jo-Ann Devine Antique Wooden Horse
 AW Jo-Ann Devine Old Truck in Cow Field
 HM Phyllis Carlson Great Blue Heron

CLASS AA MONO GENERAL (4/4 Entries)
 AW Bill Kramer Barred Owl Portrait
 AW Bill Kramer Chatham Lighthouse
 AW Bill Kramer Great Blue in Infrared
 AW Irene Kramer High Desert Scenic

CLASS A COLOR GENERAL (10/10 Entries)
 AW Phyllis Carlson Duck at Sunset
 AW Phyllis Carlson Great Blue Heron
 AW Phyllis Carlson Snowy Egret Fishing
 AW Jo-Ann Devine Brick Pillar
 AW Jo-Ann Devine Glass House
 AW Jo-Ann Devine Hunting in the Weeds
 AW Richard Miller From an Ants Prospective
 AW Richard Miller Show Cloud
 AW Richard Miller Soaring
 AW Tom Russell Feeling Frisky

CLASS AA COLOR GENERAL (21/21 Entries)
 AW Bill Kramer Amish Maiden
 AW Bill Kramer Great Egret Flight
 AW Bill Kramer Painted Lady
 AW Irene Kramer Golden Eagle
 AW Irene Kramer Light in the Canyon
 AW Irene Kramer Maroon Bells - Autumn
 AW George McKenna Big Eyes
 AW George McKenna Jungle Girl
 AW George McKenna Return to the Nest
 AW Robin Rebeck Ashlyn
 AW Robin Rebeck Lunch
 AW Robin Rebeck White Pelicans in Flight
 AW Leon Robinson Annihilated Ball
 AW Leon Robinson The Elusive American Bittern
 HM Dave Hutchinson Anhinga Flight School
 HM Dave Hutchinson Micanopy Garage

HM Dave Hutchinson Old Florida Mansion
 HM Marsha McKenna Island View
 HM Marsha McKenna Sharing Lunch
 HM Marsha McKenna Warrior Maiden
 HM Leon Robinson Eye on the Ball #2

Print Evaluation Statistics

Class	Entries	AWs	HMs
B	0		
A	15	93%	6%
AA	25	72%	28%
Total	40	80%	20%