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SCC Members Receive PSA Distinctions

The Photographic Society of America (PSA) is pleased to announce that Nick Muskovac, APSA, MPSA, has received the Master Distinction (MPSA) in recognition of his photographic achievement record in PSA-recognized International Exhibitions of photography. To qualify for the Master Distinction, 1,500 or more acceptances are required.

In addition to Nick's award, the PSA announced that Ray Parry was granted his MPSA. Also, Jim Mahoney has been granted his EPSA (Excellence Distinction).

Presentation of the awards will be made in September at the 2011 PSA International Conference in Colorado Springs, Colo. The award also includes an invitation to exhibit a sample of work in the MPSA Gallery on the PSA Web site.

PSA is a worldwide organization of both amateur and professional photographers, with membership in 70 countries. Visit the PSA Web site at **www.psa-photo.org** to learn more about PSA, its activities, and also to view the MPSA Gallery mentioned above, plus other galleries.

The Suncoast Camera Club congratulates Nick, Ray and Jim on their very special achievements!

September Club Shoot

By Karen Hallett, SCC Special Events Chair

Come linger for awhile at the Linger Lodge and Restaurant located on the Braden River in Bradenton. This wonderful old place was built in the 40's and is in a picturesque setting right on the river. It is Old Florida at its best, with the restaurant serving Alligator Bites, Shark Bites and Fried Green Tomatoes as well as barbecue and other traditional fare. The restaurant is named as one of Al Roker's "Top 5 Weirdest Restaurants in America."

For photographing, there are turtles in a huge pond on the property along with many wading birds on the river itself.

The restaurant opens at 11 a.m. That will give us an hour or so for shooting. After lunch, we will head to the Cortez causeway where there are quaint towns at each end, including shrimp boats.

We'll meet Saturday, Sept. 10, at 10 a.m., in the restaurant's parking lot.

For directions to the Linger Lodge, along with the history and some photos of it, visit its Web site, which also shows the full menu at the restaurant: http://thelingerlodge.com.

This should be a great shoot! Please contact me by e-mail at katysplace2@verizon.net. Or call (727) 584-5801.

I would like to provide the restaurant with an exact head count a few days prior, so try to reply accordingly. Hope to see you there!

CLUB CALENDAR

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

Program Night: First half of PSA Suncoast Virtual Salon, followed by the "Best of the Best" from the PSA Color Projected Image Division. This program shows the best pictures from the 2009–2010 Interclub competitions. We will be entering these Interclub competitions beginning this fall.

Sat., Sept. 10, Club Shoot, Linger Lodge, Bradenton, Fla. (Meet at 10 a.m. in the parking lot.)

Picturesque "Old Florida" land and river shoot.

Tues., Sept. 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: **Transportation** (See Yearbook for details).

Tues., Oct. 4, Safety Harbor Library, 101 2nd St. N., Safety Harbor, Room B, 7 p.m.

Program Night: An interesting and informative "Photoshop Tips & Tricks" presentation, hosted by a representative of the National Association of Photoshop Professionals (NAPP).

Tues., Oct. 11, Suncoast Camera Club Executive Committee Board Meeting.

Tues., Oct. 18, 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: **Photojournalism** (See Yearbook for details).

Suncoast CC August 2011 Evaluation Results

Elec	tronic Images		AW	Irene Kramer	The Silent Observer Timber Wolf
	OD OFNEDAL (40)	4.4 Fintrice)	AW	Len Lapka	Erotic
AW	SSB GENERAL (13/		AW	Len Lapka	The Chase
AW	Kirsten Andreason		AW	Larry Lynch	Florida Gator
AW	Terry C. Pallone Terry C. Pallone	Got-a-cracker	AW	Larry Lynch	Sandhill Crane with
AW	Terry C. Pallone	Let-me-off	, , , , ,	Larry Lyrion	chicks
Avv	Terry C. Fallone	Wanna-have-a-good- time	AW	Jim Mahoney	Follow The Bliss
AW	Michelle Frenzel	Double Digits	AW	Jim Mahoney	Jenn With Boa
AW	Joyce Gentry	Purple Flower	AW	Jim Mahoney	Kodachrome Basin
AW	Joyce Gentry	Wood Stork Flying		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Panorama
AW	Joyce Gentry	You talkin' to me	AW	Matt Muskovac	Snowy Head
AW	Ellen Memmo	Butterfly at Plantation	AW	Nick Muskovac	Jurassic-Park-Revisited
AW	Ellen Memmo	Noah and Dad Surf Day	AW	Nick Muskovac	Marachite Fractilis
AW	Ellen Memmo	Riding the dunes	AW	Nick Muskovac	Tram-Rail-Gone-APE
HM	Kirsten Andreason	Garden Doorway	AW	Dawn Nichols	Valley Light
НМ	Michelle Frenzel	Civil War Heroes	AW	Leon Robinson	Queen on Mexican
					Sunflower
CLASS A GENERAL (20/21 Entries)		21 Entries)	AW	Erik Rosengren	Church-by-the-sea
AW	Phyllis Carlson `	Blue Bird in Hemlock- jpg	AW	Erik Rosengren	Mittens-and-ancient-tree
AW	Phyllis Carlson	Humming Bird at Rest-	HM	Mary Burke	Tiffany Anne
	•	jpg	HM	Glen Desthers	Redington Pier Sunset
AW	Phyllis Carlson	Sushi for BREAKFAST-	HM	Jeff Gentry	Botswana Rhino
	·	jpg	HM	Jeff Gentry	Butterfly Landing
AW	Frank Cohen	Home, Home on the	HM	Jeff Gentry	Hummingbird Posed
		Range	HM	Jim Goins	Gears-Solarized
ΑW	Frank Cohen	Leggs	HM	Jim Goins	OUT AT 2ND
AW	Frank Cohen	Striking	HM	Jim Goins	Old-Feed-Store-Front
AW	Jo-Ann Devine	Beach Haystack	HM	Bill Kramer	Reddish Egret Reflection
AW	Jo-Ann Devine	Morning Dunes	HM	Len Lapka	Trinidad Dancer
AW	Jo-Ann Devine	Winter Irrigation	HM	Larry Lynch	Dames Cave,
AW	David Erdman	White Ibis with Reflection			Withlacoochee State
AW	David Erdman	Who's Got the Clear-	1 11 /	Mott Musicouses	Forest
	5	Eyes	HM HM	Matt Muskovac Dawn Nichols	Showy Snowy A Fine Weave
AW	Liz Rylan	Birth of a Sunflower	HM	Dawn Nichols	
AW	Liz Rylan	I Am the Leader, Follow	HM	Leon Robinson	Himalayan Roadside What D'all Want
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AW	Mark Zielinski	End Of Service	I IIVI	LIIK INUSCHIGHEN	Cicai water-briuge-vista
HM	David Erdman	Treefrog			
HM	Karen Hallett	Fireworks 2			

Electronic Imaging Evaluation Statistics

Class	Entries	AWs	HMs
Class	LIIIIIES	7113	I IIVIO
В	14	78%	14%
Α	21	66%	28%
AA	41	58%	39%
Total	76	64%	31%

CLASS AA GENERAL (40/41 Entries)

Karen Hallett

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Mark Zielinski

Liz Rylan

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George Burke WeekiWachee Mermaid ΑW Mary Burke In A Country Mood ΑW Mary Burke ΑW Pretty Baby Glen Desthers Skyway Sunrise ΑW Bull Elk ΑW Bill Kramer ΑW Bill Kramer Osprey-Fly-Bye Irene Kramer Golden Lion Tamarin ΑW The Walking Tree ΑW Irene Kramer

Hidden Treasure

Sunlight

Hibiscus in Morning

Bridge Demolition

South Beach Muscleman

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Prints

CLASS A MONO GENERAL (4/4 Entries)

AW Jo-Ann Devine Canadian Goose
AW Jo-Ann Devine Early Morning Tree
AW Liz Rylan Down by the Seashore

AW Liz Rylan The Gardener's

Gardenia

CLASS AA MONO GENERAL (2/2 Entries)

AW Dave Hutchinson Russian Cossack

Entertainers

AW Dave Hutchinson White Temple of

Northern Thailand

CLASS B COLOR GENERAL (1/1 Entries)

AW Jim Ahern (Jr) Mona "Lisa"

CLASS A COLOR GENERAL (12/12 Entries)

AW Jim Ahern (Sr) Ali AW Jim Ahern (Sr) Cal

AW Jim Ahern (Sr) Saddle Billed Stork
AW Jo-Ann Devine Mallard Couple
AW Jo-Ann Devine Water Lily Pond
AW Robin Rebeck New Orleans Trolley

AW Robin Rebeck Nothenburg

AW Robin Rebeck Psychedelic Flower
AW Liz Rylan Cheetah Family at Rest
AW Liz Rylan Egad - Who Will Win this

Race

AW Liz Rylan Maasai Matriarch HM Jo-Ann Devine Big World Out There

CLASS AA COLOR GENERAL (13/13 Entries)

AW Dave Hutchinson Peterhof - St.

Petersburg, Russia

AW Dave Hutchinson The Crowning Glory - St.

Petersburg

AW Dave Hutchinson Tri Color with a Fish AW George McKenna Just Finished Breakfast

AW George McKenna Ukelele Player AW George McKenna Wading in the Surf

AW Marsha McKenna Bee Time
AW Marsha McKenna Cavalry Man
AW Marsha McKenna Hummingbird 6
AW Nick Muskovac Piano Player Cat 5
HM Karen Hallett Butting Heads

HM Karen Hallett Rocky Mt. Wintry Day HM Karen Hallett Tarpon Tournament @

Sunset

Print Evaluation Statistics

Class	Entries	AWs	HMs
В	1	100%	0%
Α	16	93%	6%
AA	15	80%	20%
Total	32	87%	12%