

DENVER PHOTOGRAPHIC SOCIETY

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YEAR-END BANQUET & AWARDS CEREMONY

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 7TH

6:45 - 8:45 p.m.

(Note new day this year--Not on Wednesday!)



**Held in Prospect Hall at the Wheat Ridge Senior
Community Center at 6363 West 35th Avenue**

[Located between major streets: Sheridan-Wadsworth on 35th]

[Directions: Between Kendall & Lamar Sts on 35th Ave. Most direct routes are--west on 35th from Sheridan OR south from 38th on Marshall & East on 35th 1-1/2 blks OR south from 38th on Jay and west 1-1/2 blocks. The center is on the north side of 35th.]

FOOD: Bring a dish--vegetable/salad/casserole/dessert/etc. to share. The meat dishes, drinks, & tableware are furnished.

BRING YOUR SPOUSE OR FRIEND. EVERYONE WELCOME!

All year end competition prints are displayed and slides projected. There'll be time to view prints prior to the meal.

Following the meal we will view slides and awards will be presented for year-end competition winning entries plus the top cumulative point winners for 2007. Cash prizes go to first place and top winners, and awards will be certificates this year rather than ribbons. Hope to see most of you there!

If you know you plan to attend you might email Dee with how many will be attending, to give us an approximate count.

NOVEMBER-2007 COMPETITION

SUBJECT: Open

[Thanks to MARY LOU LANE for judging this competition]

B & W Prints - [5 Entries]

- 1st PI & J/A - Nighttime in the Park by Vicky Waldschmidt
- 2nd PI - Three Bottles in a Window by Vicky Waldschmidt

Color Prints - 18 Entries]

- 1st Place - Look Into My Eyes by Bob Bonner
- 2nd PI & J/A - Big Horn by Larry Beneda
- 3rd Place - Neck & Neck by Bob Bonner
- HM - Colorful Water & Rocks by Gary Galger
- HM - Eagle Eyes by Ruth Rued

Slides - 11 Entries]

- 1st PI & PV-1 - Monster by Soli Shapurji
- 2nd PI - Patterns in Nature by Dee Beneda
- 3rd PI - Geese in a Pond by Vicky Waldschmidt
- HM & PV-2 - Architectural by Larry Beneda
- HM - Morning at Echo Lake by Soli Shapurji

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**Ballot for Officers for 2008 was presented and no other nominations were forthcoming from the floor.**

**Ballot was voted on as presented and passed.**

**OFFICERS FOR 2008 are:**

- President - Soli Shapurji
- Vice-Pres - Vicky Waldschmidt
- Sec/Editor - Dee Beneda
- Treasurer - Larry Beneda

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**FIRST 2008 MEETING is WEDNESDAY,  
JANUARY 9th at 7:00 P.M. at REED PHOTO**

This is our PLANNING MEETING for 2008, and, as before, will determine our calendar for the year. We need input from all of you to insure that programs, field trips, assigned subjects, etc. for 2008 reflect the wants & expectations of the general membership of the club. At the close of 2007, we have 60 members on the rolls.

### **JUDGING OF YEAR END COMPETITION ENTRIES**

Judging was held on Saturday, November 24th and as usual we had three outside judges. This year they were:

**SALLY BROWN - MARTY GOLDEN - JEAN ANDERSON**

We thank **DICK & KAY CARKEEK** for their assistance with the presentation of prints, scoring, etc.

There will be a complete list of the winning entries and top yearly winners in the January newsletter.

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OTHER ITEMS OF INTEREST:

- 1) Mountainside Art Guild's 30th Annual "Views of the East & West" Jan. 7- Feb. 2, 2008 at the South Union Gallery in Lakewood, CO.
This is a juried multi-media show including photography, open to all Colorado artists with artwork depicting anything typical of traditional or contemporary Asian or Western cultures and life. Framed work ready to hang. 4 entries per artist. Fee is \$7.00 per entry.
Commission on sales of 10%.
Registration deadline is Tues, Jan. 3rd. For more info you can call 303-980-0625 or check out the website at: www.mtinsideartguild.org
- 2) Lakewood Arts Council presents "Images in Black & White...Plus One", January 28 - February 23, 2008, open to all Colorado artists.
This is a juried show, including any wall hung fine art media, including photography, done in black, white and grey, but may have one color in a minor area. Colored mats and frames may be used.
Displayed at Red Rocks Community College Art Gallery, 13300 West 6th Avenue frontage road. All works accepted. 4/entries per artist.
Fee \$6 per work. No commission charged on sales
Registration deadline is January 22nd. For more info, call 303-980-0625 or check the website: www.lakewoodartscouncil.org.
- 3) Calls for Entry from the The Center for Fine Art Photography
Call for entries in Exhibition of "Street Photography" - Deadline for entries is January 15, 2008. Exhibition is hung at the Museum of Contemporary Art, 201 S. College Avenue, Ft. Collins, CO 80524.
Check out this show and others by calling 970-224-1010 or going online to their website: www.c4fap.org
- 4) Big Prints INK is offering a 30% holiday discount on all BIG PRINTS until Christmas. Located at 1538 Wazee in LODO. For more info, call 303-534-0454 or check them out at: www.bigprintsink.com
- 5) Artist's Reception at Barnes & Noble Cafe, 2915 Pearl in Boulder, CO Tuesday, December 4th, 5:30-7:00 p.m. "Art on the Walls" featured artist is LYDIA POTTOFF. Her display on "Special Places Near & Far" will be on display through the month of December.

HUMOR CORNER: "A BLONDE'S DIARY (On Cooking)

MONDAY--It's fun to cook for Tom. Today I made angel food cake. Recipe said beat 12 eggs separately. Neighbors were nice enough to loan me extra bowls.

TUESDAY--Tom wanted fruit salad for supper. The recipe said serve without dressing. So I didn't dress. What a surprise when Tom brought home a friend.

WEDNESDAY--A good day for rice-The recipe said wash thoroughly before steaming rice. It seemed silly, but I took a bath. I can't say it improved the rice any

THURSDAY--Today Tom asked for salad again. I tried a new recipe. It said prepare ingredients and lay on a bed of lettuce one hour before serving. Tom asked me why I was rolling around in the garden....

FRIDAY--I found an easy recipe for cookies. It said put the ingredients in a bowl and beat it. There must have been something wrong with this recipe. When I got back, everything was the same as when I left.

SATURDAY--Tom did the shopping today and brought home a chicken. He asked me to dress it for Sunday. I don't have any clothes that fit it, and for some reason Tom keeps counting to ten.

SUNDAY--Tom's folks came to dinner. I wanted to serve roast but all I had was hamburger. I had a flash of genius...I put the hamburger in the oven and set the controls for roast. It still came out hamburger, much to my disappointment.

GOOD NIGHT, DEAR DIARY. This has been a very exciting week! I am eager for tomorrow to come so I can try out a new recipe on Tom. If I can talk Tom into buying a bigger oven, I would like to surprise him with a chocolate moose.

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HAVE A GREAT CHRISTMAS!! SEE YOU IN 2008!!