

DENVER PHOTOGRAPHIC SOCIETY

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FEBRUARY – 2009

FEBRUARY HAPPENINGS

Thursday, February 5th - 7:00 p.m. - Program on CO Narrow Gauge Railroads by Mike Stebritz

Thursday, February 12th - 7:00 p.m. - Business & Competition Meeting - Subject is Open
Digital Deadline is 2/5/09 - Prints due at 6:30 p.m. - Judge: Otto Feiler

Saturday, February 21st - Hammond Candy Company Photo Tour - 5735 Washington St., Denver
Meet at 10:00 a.m. - One Hour Tour - Involved in the candy processing and can take photos first hand and take home some candy. Cost \$25/ea and club will pay \$10- Members \$15.
Email or call Dee at 303-237-1514 or Larry at 303-257-2048 if you plan to join us.

UPCOMING MARCH EVENTS

Thursday, March 5th - 7:00 p.m. - Photoshop Class - Subject & Presenter TBA

Thursday, March 12th - 7:00 p.m. - Business-Competition Meeting - Subject: Something Furry
Digital deadline - 3/5/09 - Print entries due at 6:30 p.m. - Judge TBA

Saturday, March 21st - 9:00 a.m. - Field Trip to the Denver Aquarium - Details TBA

UPCOMING APRIL EVENTS

Thursday, April 2nd - 7:00 p.m. - Class on Table Top Photography presented by club members.
This class is scheduled to help those who might want some further information to help with the scheduled assigned subject in June on "Table Top Photography".

Sunday, April 5th - 9:00 a.m. - Light Rail Field Trip & Photo Shoot - Meeting Place TBA
Plan to ride all around the town - Mike Stebritz, Coordinator

Thursday, April 9th - 7 pm - Business & Competition - Subject: Open - Judge TBA
Digital deadline - 4/2/09 - Print Entries due at 6:30 pm.

Sunday, April 19th - 8:00 a.m. - Film Only Shoot - NO Digital - Dick Carkeek, Coordinator
You will be using your "old" cameras for this one - Downtown area

PLANNING AHEAD FOR MAY

- 1) Print exhibition planned at Studio 12 Gallery, 209 Kalamath Street, Denver for the month of May
Details to be confirmed. Watch next month's newsletter for more details.
- 2) Annual Swap Meet - Sunday, May 3rd - 9:00 a.m. at Jeffco Fairgrounds - This is our only club fundraiser during the year (and this may be the last year for it). This event is done in tandem with the Colorado Camera Collectors Club and we will be asking for volunteers to help.

FURTHER AHEAD

We are also discussing a print exhibition for November at the Gilmore Gallery, 2119 Curtis Street.

JANUARY-2009 COMPETITION RESULTS - SUBJECT: OPEN
[Thanks to LEE URMY for judging this competition]

Monochrome Prints - [6 Entries]

- 1st Place & J/A** - Father & Son by Ray Soderberg
- 2nd Place** - Sweepin' Up by Mike Stebritz
- 3rd Place** - Don't Fence Me In by Vicky Waldschmidt

Color Prints - [12 Entries]

- 1st Place** - Fuzzy by Scott Hunter
- 2nd Place** - Valley of Gold by Mike Stebritz
- 3rd Place** - Pagosa Springs Sleigh Ride by Joe Focer
- HM & J/A** - Rusty Dog by Bob Bonner
- HM** - Lake McDonald, Glacier, MT by Cheryl Bokros

Creative Prints - [2 Entries]

- 1st Place & J/A** - Church in Wildwood by Larry Beneda (Color)

Monochrome Digital [4 Entries]

- 1st Place & J/A** - Boot by Roland Fredrickson
- 2nd Place** - Mansion's Lamp by Tom Lentz

Color Digital - [11 Entries]

- 1st Place** - Gazania by Roland Fredrickson
- 2nd Place** - A Christmas Rose by Tom Lentz
- 3rd Place** - Cockroach by Ray Soderberg
- HM & J/A** - Pink Rose by Sherry Johnson
- HM** - My New Nose Job by Mike Stebritz

Creative Digital - [5 Entries]

- 1st Place & J/A** - Calypso Cascade by Sherry Johnson (Color)
- 2nd Place** - Through the Looking Glass by Mike Stebritz (Mono)
- 3rd Place** - Cosmic Beams by Mike Stebritz (Color)

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WE WELCOME NEW MEMBER: NICOLE MARCISZ

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PLEASE NOTE: If your 2009 DUES are not yet paid, please do so at the next meeting. Thank you.
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PICTURES FOR OUR WEBSITE

We thank RAY SODERBERG for retrieving the digital entries from the website, preparing and projecting them each month at the meeting; and for photographing the winning print entries each month at the meeting for Dee & Bertha to prepare and post on the website.

We also thank RAY for the group picture taken at the year end banquet. Great job, Ray!!
Copy of this picture was sent to you on your email.

We thank BERTHA ADAMSON for her continuing great work on maintaining the website, posting our winning entries each month, and posting changes, newsletters, the calendar, and updates.

JUDGES FOR OUR MONTHLY COMPETITION

We have a list of judges whom we have used time and time again. We need your help getting us new names to contact. If you talk to someone you think might judge for us, give Dee their name and contact info, and we will call them. Thank you.

MESSAGE BOARD

- 1) "Animal Grossology" at the Wildlife Experience through April 26th. Photo opportunity?
- 2) Take advantage of February Free Days - Around Town
Denver Botanic Gardens Chatfield - Friday, February 6th
Denver Art Museum - Sunday, February 7th
Denver Firefighters Museum, Monday, February 9th
Denver Zoo - Saturday, February 14th
Denver Botanic Gardens, Monday, February 16th
- 3) Studio 12 Gallery - 209 Kalamath Street, Denver
"Printmaking 2009" - Featuring well known printmakers from around the region.
Runs from March 3rd-25th
Print Exhibition by April Connolly and Lee Trujillo - April 1-29 - Reception Friday, 4/3/09
from 4:00 - 9:00 p.m. April is a club member so check it out!
- 4) Print Exhibition "Passageways" - Doorways, Doors, Windows in Art runs from February 2nd through the 27th at the Lakewood Arts Council's Community Art Gallery, 85 S. Union Blvd. in Lakewood. Several club members have entries there, so check it out also!
- 5) Next exhibition at the Lakewood Art Gallery is "Vistas" - Landscapes in Art - which will run from March 2nd - 27th. Deadline for entries is February 23rd. For more details or an entry form, check out their website at www.lakewoodartscouncil.org
- 6) Some on-line learning: www.lifetimetolearn.com - you'll find Photoshop instruction, taming your inbox and more. At www.cs4seniors.com - you'll find instructions on restoring old photos and taking great digital photos and more.

HUMOR CORNER

- 1) Hans & Stein were playing in their yard in Zurich when one of the boys accidentally swallowed a coin and started choking. Hans ran inside to get help, yelling, "Mom! Dad! Come quick! There's a franc in Stein!"
- 2) This guy goes skydiving for the first time. After he jumps, counts to ten and pulls the ripcord, nothing happens. He pulls the cord for the auxiliary chute and unfortunately it doesn't work. As he is plummeting toward earth, he sees a woman coming up the other way. He shouts to her, "Do you know anything about parachutes?" "No", she says, "do you know anything about gas stoves?"
- 3) Quotes: "Humor is just another defense against the universe." (Mel Brooks)
"Years wrinkle the skin, but to give up enthusiasm wrinkles the soul."
(Douglas MacArthur)

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