



DENVER PHOTOGRAPHIC SOCIETY

JULY - 2009

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Editor

Website: www.denverphotosociety.org

MEETING PLACE: Consolidated Mutual Water Bldg, 12700 West 27th Avenue, Lakewood, CO

JULY EVENTS

Thursday, July 2nd - 7:00 p.m. - Photoshop Class - Instructor is BRYAN BONNER

Come and get answers to your current questions and learn some new techniques.

This is also the deadline for your July Digital entries!!

Friday, July 3rd - 7:30 p.m. - Fireworks Shoot - Sloan Lake area - Mike Stebritz, Coordinator

Meet at the northwest corner parking lot at Sloans Lake.

Thursday, July 9th - 7:00 p.m. - Business - Competition (Subject: Open) - Judge: ERIN CADY

Erin operates Art & Soul Photography in Evergreen, CO. Print entries due at 6:30 p.m.

Sunday, July 12th - 9:00 a.m. - Colorado Renaissance Festival - Larkspur, CO

Tickets - \$15.45 Club will pay \$ 5.45 and you will pay \$ 10/ticket. Larry Beneda, Coord.

Meet at Monaco/Hampden Parkn'Ride to carpool (About 4-5 blocks S of Hampden on Monaco)

Sunday, July 19th - 1:00 p.m. - ANNUAL PICNIC at the Beneda's - Bring a covered dish to share

Meat and drinks furnished by the club. Bring your camera and/or swimsuit if you wish.

And bring the family!!

Sunday, July 26th - 8:00 a.m. - Early Morning Denver Zoo Walk (Breakfast available)

Tickets must be purchased in advance, so we will be taking a count of those interested.

UPCOMING AUGUST EVENTS

Thursday, August 6th - 7:00 p.m. - Photoshop Class - Lightroom 2 Basics - Instructor TBA

Saturday, August 8th - 8:00 a.m. - Wild Basin Shoot - Sherry Johnson, Coordinator

Meet at I-70 and Ward road Parkn'Ride to carpool.

Saturday, August 9th - 12:00 Noon - Brighton Rodeo (Adams Co Fair) Fee \$5 - Meeting Place TBA

Thursday, Aug 13th - 7:00 pm - Business-Competition Meeting - ASSIGNED Subject: Humorous

HUMOROUS DEFINITION - Image alone must be humorous, i.e., without a humorous title.

Saturday, Aug 22nd - CO Mopar Car Show - 58th & Wadsworth - Mike Stebritz, Coord. Time TBA

Sunday, Aug 23rd - 6:00 a.m. - CO Balloon Festival at Chatfield & Wadsworth - Details TBA

PLEASE NOTE: DATE CHANGES ON ZOO WALK, WILD BASIN SHOOT & BRIGHTON RODEO!!

A REMINDER--LAST ASSIGNED SUBJECT FOR THE YEAR

Planning ahead, the last assigned subject for the year is due in October and is: Agriculture.
Definition: Anything farm or rural related...buildings, equipment, landscapes, people, etc.

JUNE-2009 COMPETITION RESULTS - SUBJECT: TABLETOP

[Thanks to WELDON LEE for judging this competition]

Pictures shown are: +1st Place, ++Judges Award, and

+++1st & J/A

Monochrome Prints - [2 Entries]

1st PI & J/A - Onion Detail by Oz Pfenninger+++



Color Prints - [11 Entries]

- 1st Place - No, It's Your Move by Manuel Jurado+**
- 2nd Place - Times are Tough by Dee Beneda**
- 3rd Place - Rules & Authority by Bob Bonner**
- HM & J/A - Flower Arrangement by Oz Pfenninger++**
- HM - Little Skier by Soli Shapurji**



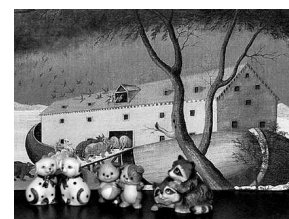
Creative Prints - [4 Entries]

- 1st Place & J/A - Brass Crab by Mike Stebritz (Color)+++**
- 2nd PI & J/A - Black Light Magic #2 (Color)++**



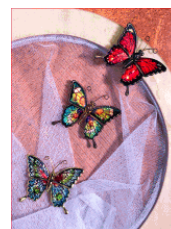
Monochrome Digital [2 Entries]

- 1st Place - Money is a Key to the Heart by Tom Lentz+**
- Judge's Award - And They Came in Twos to the Ark by Dee Beneda++**



Color Digital - [7 Entries]

- 1st Place - Butterfly Net Escape by Tom Lentz+**
- 2nd PI & J/A - Early Street Rod by Roland Fredrickson++**
- 3rd Place - Flower by Oz Pfenninger**



Creative Digital - [5 Entries]

- 1st PI & J/A - Crazy Crayolas by Larry Beneda (Color)+++**
- 2nd Place - Electric Dragonfly by Mike Stebritz (Color)**



PLEASE NOTE:

To view other winners from June & previous months, check the website at www.denverphotosociety.org

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**WE WELCOME NEW MEMBER: FRED LARKE Email: [fred.larke@ucdenver.edu](mailto:fred.larke@ucdenver.edu)**  
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DIGITAL PROJECTION DISCUSSION

In the future, Ray will be projecting the digital images through the Lightroom 2 Slide Show program, which will feature a black background with a thin white line around the image. It shows off the images in a very complimentary way.

We trust this will please everyone and end any further discussion on the subject. Thank you.

MESSAGE BOARD

Some possible photographic opportunities this month:

- July 2 - Independence Day Social at Littleton Historical Museum. Socialize around the ice cream churn on the lawn of the 1860s farmhouse - 10am-1:30pm-6028 S. Gallup St. www.littletongov.org/museum
- July 3-5 - 106th Annual Cowboy Roundup Days - Steamboat Springs - Salute to the old west - Parade, cattle drive thru town, rodeos, fireworks. www.steamboatcchamber.com
- July 3-5 - Frisco's 4th of July - Fireworks over Frisco Bay Marina on Dillon reservoir - Also arts and crafts, and free concerts. www.townoffrisco.com
- July 4 - Coolest Car Show in Bond Park, Estes Park. Also fireworks over Lake Estes www.estesparkcvb.com
- July 4 - Budweiser Brewery Clydesdale Horses Camera Day - On Anheuser Busch grounds at 2351 Busch Dr in Ft Collins. 1-3 pm - No charge - Take exit 271 off I-25 N. Tours 10am-4pm
- July 6-12 - Crested Butte Wildflower Festival - Guided hikes every day - garden tours - photo classes - off-road & bicycle tours. www.crestedbuttewildflowerfestival.com
- July 7-12 - Rooftop Rodeo - Stanley Park fairgrounds, Estes Park. www.estesparkcvb.com
- July 10-12 - 15th Annual CO Irish Festival, Littleton - Irish music, dancing, drama, crafts, food, and games at Clement Park E of Wadsworth on Bowles. www.coloradoirishfestival.org
- July 11 - Denver Urban Wildlife Photo Club outing up Mt. Evans Rd from Idaho Springs to the summit for mountain goats and big horn sheep.
- July 11-12 - Hot Air Balloon rodeo--Lincoln Park, Steamboat Spgs. www.steamboatsummer.com
- July 17-19 - Logger Days Festival - South Fork - Logging competitions, arts & crafts fair, food, music and more. www.southfork.org
- July 17-26 - Cheyenne Frontier Days Rodeo - Performances \$12-\$26 - 12:45 - 4:30 p.m. approx., grand parade with antique autos, popular country singers and Indian Village. Also carnival midway, chuckwagon cookoff, etc. www.cfdrodeo.com
- July 18-19 - Pagosa Springs Renaissance & Pirate Festival. www.visitpagosasprings.com
- July 23-26 - Vettes on the Rockies - Breckenridge & Frisco - July 26 -Corvettes on Main St in Frisco - www.LGCACorvette.org
- July 25 - Buffalo Bill Days-Golden - Blacksmith demos, Saddle club at Clear Creek History Park
Food & drinks available
- July 30-Aug 2 - Crankworx at Winter Park - Freeride mountain bikers. www.crankworx.com

Art Walks & Gallery Shows

1. July 3rd - Steamboat Springs First Friday Art Walk www.steamboatspringsartwalk.com
2. July 3rd - Circle 8 Gallery - new photographs by Olivia Lancy Edwards. This new gallery is located at 4415 W. 43rd Ave, Denver.
3. July 3 - The Main Event - First Friday Art Walk on South Main, Pueblo, 5-8 p.m Free
4. July 3-5 -Cherry Creek Arts Festival - 2nd to 3rd on Clayton-235 artists-food vendors - free
5. July 3-5 - Breckenridge e26th Annual Arts Festival - www.mountainartfestivals.com
6. July 4-5 - Downtown Frisco Green Art Festival. www.townoffrisco.com
7. July 18-19 - Downtown Boulder's Art Fair on Pearl Street between 10th & 16th Sts.
8. July 24-26 - 8th Annual Breckenridge Main Street Art Festival. www.mountainartfestivals.com
9. July 25-26 - Alpine Art Affair - Downtown Winter Park. www.alpineartaffair.com
10. Thru 8-1-09 - Art Rocks!! at Michele Mosko Fine Art - 136 West 12th - 12 Noon - 6 p.m.
A curated exhibition of original artwork by legendary graphic artist, Stanley Mouse, and select photos from the late 60's by internationally recognized photographer, Amalie Rothschild depicting the history of Rock. Free
11. Monkeys & Bears - Exhibition of photography by Jill Greenberg, at the Arvada Center at 6901 Wadsworth. Open through August 30th.
12. Clay: An exploration in Surface & Form at Studio 12, 209 Kalamath, featuring 3 artists: Cristine Boyd, Shelley Schreiber & Janey Skeer. Open through July 8th.

Photo Contests

1. **World in Focus Photo Contest - Deadline 8/24/09. Primary sponsor is National Geographic**
5 Categories: Travel Portraits, Outdoor, Sense of Place, Spontaneous Moments and a Photo Essay (up to 6 shots that convey a theme. Entry fees \$12 for amateurs. Great prizes. Go to National Geographic website for more info and an application.
2. **Lakewood Arts Council:**
 - a. **Child's Play - Artwork depicting children and toys - Sept 7-25**
At Union St Gallery - \$5 per work - No comission - Deadline for registration Aug 31. Reception: Thursday, Sept. 10, 6-7:30 pm
For info and application: www.lakewoodartscouncil.org
 - b. **Views of the East and West - A juried art show - Sept 28-Oct. 30**
Union St. Gallery - Fee \$7/per work - 10 % commission
Deadline for regist - Sept. 21 - Reception is Oct 1, 6-7:30 p.m.
For more info go to www.mtinsideartguild.org (the sponsor)

Other Suggestions

1. **Memorial Park Skate Park -Colorado Springs - a new 40,000 sq. ft. concrete skateboarder play area. Also for bicyclists and roller skaters.**
2. **Boulder Indoor Cycling Velodrome. Year-round photo ops at this recently finished wooden track, open 6 am to Midnight, 7 Days a week. At 3550 Frontier Avenue. 303-292-5464 or www.boulderindoorcycling.com**
3. **Mt. Evans for wildflower peak blooms - alpine varieties. Prime area is the Mt. Goliath viewing area next to the road at about 11,500 ft. altitude.**

HUMOR CORNER -

A middle-aged woman had a heart attack and was taken to the hospital. While on the operating table, she had a near death experience. Seeing God, she asked, "Is my time up?" God said, "No, you have another 43 years, 2 months and 8 days to live."

Upon recovery, she decided to stay in the hospital and have a face lift, brow lift, tummy tuck, lip enhancement, breast enlargement and lipo-suction.

After her release from the hospital, while crossing the street on her way home, she was hit and killed by a car. Arriving in front of God, she demanded, "I thought you said I had another 40 years? Why didn't you pull me out of the path of the car?"

God replied, "Girl!!!!, I didn't even recognize you!"

SOME NEW DEFINITIONS:

Cannibal: Someone who is fed up with people.

Committee: A body that keeps minutes and wastes hours.

Secret: Something you tell to one person at a time.

Yawn: An honest opinion openly expressed.

Wrinkles: Something other people have, similar to my character lines.

Chickens: The only animals you eat before they are born and after they are dead.

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