

DENVER PHOTOGRAPHIC SOCIETY

JUNE - 2011

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[Website: www.denverphotosociety.org](http://www.denverphotosociety.org)

Meeting Place - Consolidated Mutual Water Bldg., 12700 West 27th Avenue, Lakewood, CO

JUNE EVENTS

Thursday, June 2nd - 7:00 p.m. - Program on Beginning Digital & Results of Field Trips

Mike will cover the highlights of Beginning Digital (from the Council presentation) followed by a Q & A session, giving you a chance to ask & get answers to any questions you may still have.

Field Trip Results - If you have any pics from any of our 2011 field trips or other projects to share, just load them on a CD or a USB flash drive, bring them and we will project them for all to see.

Saturday, June 4 - 7:45 a.m. - Field Trip to Forney Museum of Transportation - 4303 Brighton Blvd.

Meet at the Main Door - If you have not signed up, please email me. This field trip is with the Colorado Camera Collectors Club. Check it out at www.forneymuseum.org.

[Opening hour is 10 am., so we will get in 2 hours shooting before opening to public. Tripods are allowed until 10 a.m. Regular admission is \$8, we get a special rate of \$6, and DPS will pay for this in full. Must be there before 8 am as doors will be locked after that. Due to security reasons, on leaving you will be asked to open your large purses or camera bags, so be prepared.]

Directions: Take I-25 to I-70 East, Exit 275 B, south on Brighton 2 blks, entrance on right.

Sunday, June 5th - 7:00 a.m. - Field Trip to the Colorado Paint Mines near Calhan, CO. Meet at the

I-25/ Arapahoe Parkn'Ride. About a 90 min drive, so plan to carpool if you can. Bertha will have directions and maps when you meet. Email me if you plan to go. Some may want to plan to go into CO Spgs. later for lunch together and/or on to shoot some of the other sites in the Springs area such as Seven Falls, Garden of the Gods, etc.

Thursday, June 10th - 7:00 p.m. - Competition & Business Meeting - Subject is Assigned

Subject: JUNK/JUNKYARDS - JUDGE: LEE URMY

(Digital entries due Friday, June 3rd - Print entries due 6:30 to 7:00 p.m.)

Saturday, June 25th - Field trip to Pearl Street Mall, Boulderado Hotel, & Boulder Falls

Meet at hotel entrance at 9:00 a.m. Mike Stebritz, coordinator. Email me if you plan to go, plz.

UPCOMING IN JULY

Thursday, July 7th - 7 p.m. - Program - "Lighting Using Strobes" - Presenter: DAVID TEJADA

Thursday, July 14th - 7 p.m. - Competition & Business Meeting - Subject is Open - Judge TBA

Sunday, July 17th - 1:00 p.m. - Special - Club Annual Potluck Picnic in the Beneda's backyard

Saturday, July 23rd - 7 p.m. - Field Trip to ride the Royal Gorge Train in Canyon City area

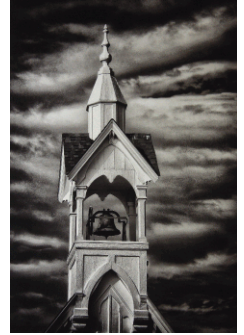
(Details on these dates will appear in periodic emails to you and in the July newsletter.)

NOTE: DPS's share of the \$1630 Swap Meet profit was \$815. Best we've done in years!!

MAY- 2011 COMPETITION RESULTS - SUBJECT: OPEN
Thanks to MICHELLE McGINLEY for judging this competition]

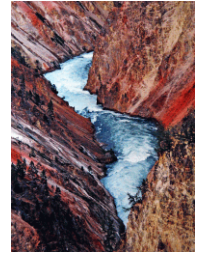
Monochrome Prints - [7 Entries]

- 1st Place - Owl Butterfly by Cheryl Bokros
- 2nd PI & J/A - Belltower under Stormy Skies by Mike Stebritz
- 3rd Place - The Cross by Brandi Stebritz
- 2nd J/A - Old Tree & Wheels by Brandi Stebritz



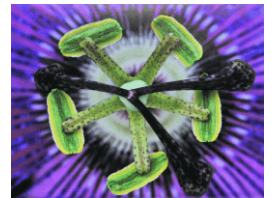
Color Prints - [4 Entries]

- 1st PI & J/A - The Landing by Roland Fredrickson
- 2nd Place - Busy Heron by Byron West
- 2nd J/A - Blue, Red & Yellowstone by Bertha Adamson



Creative Prints - [8 Entries]

- 1st PI & J/A - Big Wing Butterfly by Larry Beneda
- 2nd PI & J/A - Wishbone by Nicole Guidi
- 3rd Place - Watering Can by Cheryl Bokros
- HM - Elliot by John Schultz



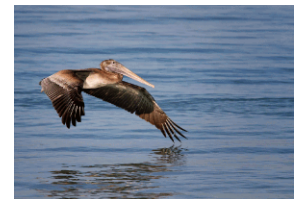
Monochrome Digital- [12 Entries]

- 1st Place - Got It! by Byron West
- 2nd Place - Early Batmobile by Roger West
- 3rd Place - Wheel in the Mist by Brandi Stebritz
- HM & J/A - Snowy Textures by Sally Brown
- HM - Two Doors to Nowhere by Mike Stebritz



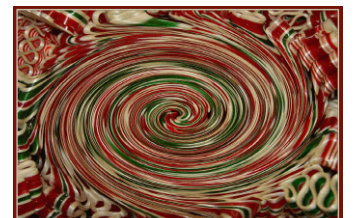
Color Digital - [19 Entries]

- 1st Place - Fishing for Herons by Rober West
- 2nd Place - Stepping Stones by Warren Phelps
- 3rd Place - Butterfly Kite by Brandi Stebritz
- HM & J/A - Skimming the Ocean by Byron West
- HM - Dainty Japanese Still Life by Sally Brown
- 2nd J/A - Salute the Sunset by Craig Lewis
- 3rd J/A - The Jumper by John Schultz



Creative Digital - [8 Entries]

- 1st PI & J/A - Candy Twirl by Larry Beneda
- 2nd Place - Gerbenia Chain by Sally Brown
- 3rd Place - Otherworldly Office Park by Craig Lewis
- HM - Octa-Flower by Craig Lewis



[1st Place & Judge's Awards pictured here. See website for all winners]

WE WELCOME NEW MEMBERS: **GARY GLASCOCK** - Email: gajagl@comcast.net
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SHORT BIO ON OUR JUDGE THIS MONTH - LEE URMY

I purchased my first 35mm SLR film camera in December of 1969. It was my Christmas present to myself. I was soon enthralled with photography and started taking pictures of everything that crossed my path, but particularly liked action pictures and nature images.

In the late 1970's a friend was so impressed with my images that she urged me to submit my images to a few magazines. I managed to sell some bald eagle images to 3 or 4 small nature magazines. Shortly after this I shot images of my boss for a press release. The subject, an engineer holding construction plans of Denver's Confluence Park against the Denver skyline at sunset, was a great success & appeared on the cover of ENR (Engineering News Record) and some local product ads. Later our company was contacted by National Geographic about our project. They were doing an article on the trend of cities utilizing green belts to enhance the urban environment and National Geographic used my "before image of the project" in their article.

In the late 70's & early 80's my interest in photography diminished after shooting too many weddings. My interest was renewed however after going to a rodeo! I joined the Photographic Society of America & started to compete—and win in international competitions, including Best of Show, with a prize of a gold Krugerrand, in an exhibition in South Africa.

In recent years, I have narrowed my vision and am most interested in shooting wildlife and nature images. I continue to be active in local camera clubs & teach Photoshop on an individual basis and in seminars locally. You can see Lee's work on his website at: www.colortouches.com

MESSAGE BOARD

- 1):** Lee invites you to a reception for Two Photographers—an exhibition by Sally Perisho & Leander Urmy on Thursday, June 2nd - 6:00-7:30 p.m. in the Pacific Room of the Buck Community Center, 2004 West Powers Avenue, Littleton, CO. This reception is for a 3-part exhibition. Buck Community Center dates are June 1-28 and additional showing will be held at the Goodson Recreation Center July 1-28, 2011. For more info, call 720-218-0008.
- 2)** *Great Photo Opportunity is the Annual Colorado Renaissance Festival at Larkspur, CO, In their 35th season, the Festival runs for 8 weekends - June 11th through July 31st.*
- 3)** **Interesting Photo Opportunity?? - HAWAIIAN FESTIVAL -Ho'olaule'a - A Festival to celebrate Hawaiian, Polynesian and Pacific Cultures presented by Pi'ilani Hawaiian Civic Club on Saturday, June 18, 2011 - 9:00 am - 8:30 pm at Highlands Ranch Civic Green Park, 9370 Ridgeline Blvd. Entertainment, Crafts, Food, Demonstrations**
- 4)** *The Center for Fine Art Photography in Ft. Collins hosts the exhibition - BLACK & WHITE which will be on display in the Center's Main Gallery June 17-August 6. Reception will be held August 5 from 6-9 pm. Included in this show is "Virtual Mosaic" by BYRON WEST.*

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