Los Gatos-Saratoga Camera Club News

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JUNE WINNERS

Judge: Terry Toomey

COLOR SLIDES A

1st	Cactus Blossom	Airdrie Kincaid
2nd	Saguaro	Ronnie Rabedeau
3rd	Rocks in Shadow	Carolyn Ramsay
HM	Waves at Sunset	Carolyn Ramsay
HM	Field of Lupine	JoAn Lambert
HM	Land of Natives	Ronnie Rabedeau

COLOR SLIDES B

1st	Tulip Bud	Jennifer Morrison
2nd	Oregon Highway	Bill Clark
3rd	Garden Go-ers	Bill Clark
HM	Rest Scene	Ken Bloomfield
HM	Tulip Fields	Jennifer Morrison
HM	Movie Theatre	Bill Clark

NATURE SLIDES A

1st	Immature Coot	Fran Winer
2nd	Nursing Sea Lion	JoAn Lambert
3rd	S. Lightfoot Crab	JoAn Lambert
HM	Elephant Seal Pup	Ronnie Rabedeau
HM	Badger Close-up	Peggy Patterson
HM	Ghost Crab	Airdrie Kincaid

NATURE SLIDES B

lst	Calif. Quail	B. Weinzimmer
2nd	Crab & Friend	Ken Bloomfield
3rd	American Avocet	Wayne Sparks
HM	Nesting Egret	B. Weinzimmer
HM	You Blink First	Gail Nichols
HM	Male Lion	Richard Casserley

COLOR PRINTS A

1sr	Three Lamps	Don Schremp
2nd	Old Door Detail	Fran Winer
3rd	Clean Sweep	Virginia Scott
HM	Mission Alcove	Betty Toepfer
HM	"Ghost" Trees	JoAn Lambert

Lace Window *Mary Ellen Kaschub*

Club Notes.....

KEY DATES: <u>Thursday, September 8,</u> installation date for the Los Gatos Town Council Chambers Exhibit. All art work due at 1 pm at the Chambers.

HELP WITH FRAMES AND GLASS see Mel Rabedeau. .

LG/SCC SUMMER EXHIBIT, July 5—Aug 29. 13 Club members' work currently on display at the Los Gatos Framing Co, 220 N. Santa Cruz Ave.

BRENDA THARP SEMINAR, SEPT 18, sponsored by the Yerba Buena Chapter, 9am to 4pm, Beresford Recreation Center, San Mateo. For information and signups, 925-743-1776. Seminar is $20.

FOTOCLAVE ENTRY DEADLINE, September 17 at 6C competition or, deliver to Don Schremp or Carolyn Ramsay. Entries limited to 5 per category; judges will select 20 images to represent 6Cs at the state competition.

FOTOCLAVE 2005, Oct 28-30, Holiday Inn, Sacramento. Registration deadline 10/7; contact Kaye MacKenzie for info.

THIRD CLUB EXHIBIT FOR 2005 is scheduled for November 1-30 at the Great Bear Coffee Shop; photos can be for sale or exhibit only. Details to come.

2005 CALENDAR

JANUARY

3 Color/P.J. (prints/slides)

7 6Cs Board Meeting, 7:30pm

15 6Cs Color/PJ/Travel/Prints

17 Program: "*Beyond the Wildlife Portrait*" by John Chang

FEBRUARY

7 Comp: Color (slides only); Creative (prints/slides)

19 6Cs Awards Banquet, The Villages Club House, 6 pm

21 Program: "*Members Critique*" (3 entries/member, prints or slides)

MARCH

7 Color/Nature (prints/slides)

11 6Cs Board Meeting, 7:30 pm

19 6Cs: Color/Nature/Creative (prints/slides)

21 Program: "*Polaroid Transfer*" Betty Toepfer

APRIL

4 Color/Travel (slides only); Digital Images (any subject)

17 Yerba-Buena Spring Day

18 Program: "*Africa*" Gordon Jalkemo

MAY

2 Comp: Color/PJ (prints/slides)

13 6Cs Board Meeting

16 Program: Challenge—Book Titles

21 6Cs: Color/PJ (prints/slides); Travel (slides only)

JUNE

6 Color/Travel (slides only) Creative (prints/slides)

20 ANNUAL PICNIC: 6:30 pm; Selection of postcard image for Sept. CC show

JULY

5 Exhibit, Los Gatos Framing Company, 220 N. Santa Cruz

11 Comp: Color/Nature (prints/slides); Monochrome prints

16 Sat 6Cs: Color/Nature/Creative (prints/slides)

18 Program: "*Show & Tell for Photographers*"

Bart as Cmdr Harkin in South Pacific production

Profile: Bart Smith

Bart accumulates cameras and loves the old ones. His oldest is a glass plate camera that belonged to his wife Karen's grandfather. "In my collection of well over a dozen cameras, I have two Rollei 35s, my first Pentax (1971), several Nikons, my father's and Karen's father's cameras, and one digital, a Canon G2.

"I'm awed by modern tech-wiz things and am gingerly getting into digital. I think about getting a digital SLR, but I'll always have a soft spot for my all-metal, real cameras!"

Bart, a native of the Detroit area, graduated from Michigan State as a chemical engineer, married Karen, moved to California in 1970 to work for GE Nuclear and joined the San Jose Light and Shadow Camera Club. After nine years, he was ready for a new career challenge. Foregoing cameras for law books, he earned his JD from Santa Clara University. Today he's a member of a five-person firm, Foothill Law Group, specializing in patents and intellectual property.

"Once I finished law school, I returned to photography," says Bart. "A friend invited me to go to the LGSCC. That was 10 years ago and I've enjoyed it ever since." Bart admits to winning lots of awards including "Slide of the Year," his first year in the Club "After that I flattened out," he says. "Although, I love to shoot scenics and nature, especially wildlife, I don't usually go out to just shoot. That said, one of my favorite experiences was taking a photo workshop with Michael Fry in Yosemite."

As for cameras, "I'm still dreaming of a Leica M7 Rangefinder. That would be the ultimate!"

COLOR PRINTS B

1st	Portal, Death Valley	Mary Ellen Kaschub
2nd	Lace Window	Mary Ellen Kaschub
3rd	Hailes Abbey	Ronnie Rabedeau
HM	Two Fireplaces	Bernie Weinzimmer

NATURE PRINTS

1st	Swiftness	Huu Pham
2nd	Desert Gold, DV	Mary Ellen Kaschub
3rd	Red Tail Hawk	Richard Casserly
HM	"Katy Did" It	Gail Nichols
HM	Snowy Egret Displays	Richard Casserly
HM	Night Heron Nest	Bernie Weinzimmer

MONOCHROME

1st	Kneck Glacier	Harvey Gold
2nd	Into the Clouds	Don Schremp
3rd	Conservatory of Flowers	Mary Ellen Kaschub
HM	STOP!	Virginia Scott

6C WINNERS FOR JULY

PRINTS
Color B 1st: Mary Ellen Kaschub; **Color A 3rd:** Don Schremp; **Monochrome 2nd:** Don Schremp; **Creative HM:** Don Schremp, Don Schremp.
SLIDES
Color 2nd: Jennifer Morrison; **HM:** Mary Ellen Kaschub, Airdrie Kincaid; **Nature HM:** Wayne Sparks; **Creative 3rd:** Carolyn Ramsay.

WEB SITES TO CHECK OUT

Web sites recommended by Club members for tips and helpful information.

- **wildography.com;**
- **naturephotographers.net;**
- **imageopus.com**
- **and for digital photographers, dpreview.com.**

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2004 CALENDAR *con't*

AUGUST

1 Comp: Color/PJ (slides); Prints, all categories.
15 No Meeting
28-9/3 PSA Annual Conference, Salt Lake City
29 Exhibit Removal, LG Framing Co.

SEPTEMBER

5 Labor Day - No Meeting
8 Exhibit Installation, Los Gatos Town Council Chambers, 1pm
9 6Cs Board Meeting
16 Exhibit Reception 6-8pm, Los Gatos Council Chambers
17 6Cs Color/PJ (prints/slides); Travel (slides only)
18 Brenda Tharp Seminar, Yerba Buena Chapter, San Mateo
19 Program: Challenge—Ugly

OCTOBER

3 Color (slides only); Creative (prints/slides)
17 Program: *Introduction to Digital Photography Options,"* by Bernie Weinzimmer.
28-30 Fotoclave, Holiday Inn, Sacramento.

NOVEMBER

1-30 Exhibit. Great Bear Coffee Company, Los Gatos
7 Color/Nature (prints/slides)
11 Exhibit Removal 1 pm, Los Gatos Council Chambers.
11 6Cs Board Meeting
21 Program: *Oman, United Arab Emirates & Seychelles, Airdrie Kincaid*
19 Sat 6Cs: Color/Nature/ Creative (prints/slides)

DECEMBER

5 Color/Travel (slides); Digital images
TDB Board Meeting
19 CLUB AWARDS DINNER