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Meets first and third Tuesdays of each month at Bayland Community Center, 6400 Bissonnet near Hillcroft

GSCCC Judging—June 19 Pictorial Digital Color and Monochrome

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During the year, our club participates in various GSCCC projected image competitions. The club also volunteers yearly to judge projected image competitions.

On June 19, we will judge the entries from other clubs for the June Pictorial Digital Color and the Pictorial Digital Monochrome contests.

Please come. This meeting is scheduled on our regular third Tuesday meeting day for your convenience. You will be able to view some excellent work from the submitting clubs in GSCCC. If there is time at the end of the judging, the judges will comment on the winning images.

John Niemand, GSCCC Representative



Breakfast

By: Julius Klehm

Tuesday, June 5, 2018 <u>Competition Meeting</u>:

- **Projected Image Competition** Enter two images in categories: Pictorial, Nature, Travel, Photojournalism. Only one image may be entered in each category.
- **Print Competition**—Enter two images in categories: Pictorial, Nature, Travel, Photojournalism. Only one image may be entered in each category.
- **Creative**—Enter one projected image and/or one print.
- **Monochrome**—Enter one projected image and/or one print.
- Unlimited Prints —Enter one print.
- Assignment *Abstract* Enter one projected image and/or one print.
- Judges: Buz Cabral, Charles Edwards, Henry Peterman
- Competition Table: Rachel Burychka, Thejas Rajaram. One needed.
- Refreshments:: Henry Peterman

JULY COMPETITION

Projected Images: Send digital images to Cletus Lee, <u>hccprojection@gmail.com</u> and Marilyn Holloway, <u>hccmarilyn@gmail.com</u> by **Tuesday**, June 26.

Calendar—Upcoming Activities

June 5	Competition Meeting	
June 19	GSCCC Judging	
June 26	Deadline June Projected Images	

Upcoming Assignments

JulyAltered PerspectiveAugustMotion BlurSeptemberEgg

Assignments 2018-2019

These are the coming year's assignments. You may take images now to enter in the appropriate month later this year. Save a copy of this list for future reference.

September	Egg
October	Game Piece (Chess, Mah Jong, etc.)
November	Rails
December	Wheel
January	Black & White (none or minimal gray)
February	All In Focus EXCEPT the Subject
March	Side-lit Close-up of Glass
April	A Book
May	Surreal Composite
June	Tombstone / Cemetery
July	Mylar / Aluminum
August	Juxtaposition

Refreshments

We still need volunteers to serve as co-hospitality chairs. Two members have volunteered to help. We require additional members to share this responsibility—at least two more. Four sharing the job would mean three months of duty in a year for each co-chair—a very manageable task.

We all want to see the refreshments continue. The refreshment break at our meetings is an important opportunity to talk to other members about all things photographic. It might be club business. But, more often, it is a discussion about equipment, photographic techniques, or photographic locations.

We need help to have it continue. Please contact Bill Burychka.

Member News

Welcome back to **Thejas Rajaram** and **Ramiro Sanchez**. We haven't seen Thejas for awhile, maybe because he is a new father. And, it is nice to Ramiro again too.

We missed you both. .



Tuba Player

By: Glenn Sternes



Cello Section

By: Buz Cabral

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Trip to Fanthorp Inn Enjoyed

On May 12, **Gwen Kunz**, **Tom Lee**, and **Rachel** and **Bill Burychka** enjoyed a pleasant outing to Anderson, Texas, visiting Fanthorp Inn State Historic Site. They experienced what it was like to ride in a stagecoach in early Texas, learned what a shoofly is, how to tighten a rope bed, and enjoyed dulcimer music.

The tour of 1983 Grimes County Courthouse, an Edwardian-Victorian structure restored in 2002, was an unexpected treat. The trial of a Clyde Barrow gang member, Joe Palmer, took place there. And Hollywood came to the courthouse in 1997 when Goldie Hawn directed her first film made for TV, named "Hope".

Lunch plans changed to the local café, Allphin's.

Gwen Kunz, Outing Coordinator



Tom Lee and Gwen Kunz in Fanthorp Stage Coach

HMNS Wildlife Photographer of the Year

This is an international showcase of the very best in nature photography. This is the 53rd year of the competition. There are entries from both professional and amateur photographers.

It is worth your time to attend. But, you need to see the exhibit now. It closes June 5.

Photographer Saying:

If the photographer is interested in the people in front of his lens, and if he is compassionate, it's already a lot. The instrument is not the camera but the photographer.

Eve Arnold

May Competition Results

Judged May 1, 2018

Judges: Julius Klehm, John Lumb, Thejas Rajaram

Projected Images

Pictorial Category - 10 entries

Pictorial Cale	gory – 10 entries	
1 st (23 pts)	Slow Dawn	T. Rajaram
2 nd (22 pts)	Iris	F. Cabral
3 rd (21 pts)	Stand Tall as Night Falls	M. Holloway
(20 pts)	Torres	B. Dupré
(18 pts)	GSCCC Model	G. Sternes
(17 pts)	Down the Path	T. Rutledge
	Tall Ship Statue	S. Goldberg
	Texas Mountain Laurel	J. Sandler
	Winter Column	R. Sanchez
(16 pts)	Downtown Building	C. Edwards
Nature Catego	ory $- 8$ entries	
1 st (21 pts)	Breakfast	J. Klehm
	Monarch Wildseed	J. Sandler
	Spoonbill Flying	M. Holloway
2 nd (20 pts)	Capybara with Cattle Tyrant	
		J. Lumb
3 rd (19 pts)	Neighborhood Egret	F. Cabral
(18 pts)	Boar Head	T. Lee
	Snake in Leaves	T. Rutledge
(17 pts)	Cirsium Horridulum Mich	
R. Sanchez		
-	sm Category – 3 entries	
1 st (21 pts)	I Got This	J. Klehm
	Tipoff to the Lumberjacks G. Sternes	
2^{nd} (15 pts)	Father Son Photo	S. Goldberg
Travel Catego	ory – 6 entries	
1 st (21 pts)	Abandoned Farm Near Ph	illpsburg MT J. Lumb
	Ice Walkers	B. Dupré
2 nd (19 pts)	City Park	T. Lee
3 rd (18 pts)	Ketchikan Alaska	J. Schmitt
	Street Artist	T. Rajaram
	Sunday Afternoon	C. Edwards

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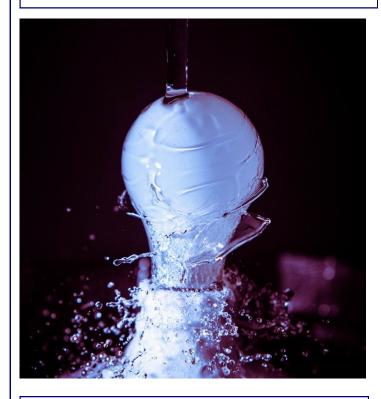
Projected	Images cont.	
Monochrome	e Category – 9 entries	
1 st (23 pts)	The Great Untwist	T. Rajaram
2 nd (20 pts)	Beijing Street	T. Lee
	The Westerner	J. Sandler
	Water Lily	J. Klehm
3 rd (17 pts)	Old Tree	B. Dupré
	Passage	T. Rutledge
	Root	R. Sanchez
	Through the Woods	F. Cabral
(16 pts)	Garden Statue	C. Edwards
Creative Cat	egory – 8 entries	
1 st (21 pts)	When Angel Prays	T. Rajaram
2 nd (19 pts)	Splash	R. Sanchez
	Through the Looking Glass	
		F. Cabral
3 rd (17 pts)	Mudcracks	B. Dupré
	Rusty Coucil City RR H	Engine
		J. Lumb
(16 pts)	Ceiling Pieces	G. Sternes
(15 pts)	Night Flight	T. Rutledge
(14 pts)	Lost in Woods	T. Lee
Assignment l	Projected: Music – 6 er	ntries
Winner:	Cello Section	F. Cabral

<u>Prints</u>

Pictorial Category – 5 entries

1 st (20 pts)	Rice Univ Fountain	R. Sanchez
	Scarlet	J. Niemand
2 nd (19 pts)	Little Cowgirl	G. Sternes
3 rd (17 pts)	Rodeo Stalls	S. Goldberg
	Dancing Sparkles	T. Rajaram
Nature Category – 3 entries		
1 st (23 pts)	Attack of the Purple Flower	
		J. Klehm
2 nd (21 pts)	Streetching Her Wings	B. Jump
3 rd (19 pts)	Dandelions	S. Goldberg
Photojournalism Category - 2 entries		
1 st (18 pts)	Somebody Black	J. Klehm
2 nd (17 pts)	Basket or Block?	G. Sternes

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	Travel Category – 2 entries		
	1 st (20 pts)	Street Gods of India	T. Rajaram
	2 nd (18 pts)	Rocky Mountain Morning	B. Jump
	Creative Category – 4 entries		
	1 st (20 pts)	The Eye	R. Sanchez
	2 nd (18 pts)	Multicolor Solarize	G. Sternes
		Blackhole Formation	J. Klehm
	3 rd (17 pts)	My Monet Evening	T. Rajaram
	Monochrome Category – 6 entries		
	1 st (20 pts)	Where It's Dark	T. Rajaram
	2 nd (19 pts)	Rocky Mountain Stream	B. Jump
		Screaming	T. Lee
	3 rd (17 pts)	Panning Biker	R. Sanchez
		Scottish Lake Landscape	G. Sternes
	(14 pts)	Lining It Up	J. Klehm
	Unlimited Category – 1 entry		
	1 st (23 pts)	Home Builder	J. Klehm
	Assignment Prints: Music – 7 entries		
	Winner:	La Zingana Gypsy Dance	M. Holloway



Splash

By: Ramiro Sanchez

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PSA Conference Salt Lake City September 30, 2018—October 6, 2018

For information, go to <u>www.psa-photo.org</u>. Click on the logo for the 2018 PSA Conference. In a series of web pages you can learn about Conference tours and activities, see the Conference schedule and speakers, and register for the event.

Registration is now open. On the web site, at the link Register for this Event, you can register. Early registration goes through July 30 with discounted cost for the conference of \$185. Thereafter, the regular registration cost is \$210.

The Conference hotel is the Sheraton Salt Lake City Hotel, 150 West 500 South, Salt Lake City, UT 84101.





PSA Interclub Competitions

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May, 2018 Peoria Camera Club

Judged on 15 point scale.

Juvenile Hummingbirds Fighting	13 pts*	Marilyn Holloway
Get Off My Wing	12 pts	Julius Klehm
Serenity	11 pts	Buz Cabral
Vuitton Perfume Bottle	9 pts	Urvine Atkinson
Watchful Eyes	9 pts	Tom Lee
Bellflower	8 pts	Bill Dupré
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* Please congratulate Marilyn on her Honorable Mention Award.

GSCCC Interclub Competitions

No Results Reported



Slow Dawn

By: Thejas Rajaram



Monarch Wildseed

By: Joe Sandler

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