#### Houston Camera Club

# THE RANGEFINDER

Member of PSA & GSCCC

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

### **Competition Meeting—November 12**

#### 6:30 p.m. at Fonteno Bldg

The November competition meeting is being held in the Fonteno Senior Center near Bayland. The address is 6600 Bissonnet Street, Houston, TX 77074. A map of the local area around Bayland is provided as an additional attachment to this newsletter for your convenience. A big thank you to Bill Burychka for developing this map.

The meeting will start at 7:00 p.m and will conclude by 9:00 p.m. At this meeting, we will judge both the print and projected image submissions for November.

This is an in-person meeting. We always look forward to seeing you. If you are not feeling well, please stay home and take care of yourself.

Refreshments:: Rachel Burychka



Merced View By: Bill Dupre

# COMPETITION MEETING Tuesday, November 12, 2024

- Projected Image Competition— Enter two images total in categories: Pictorial, Nature, Travel, Photojournalism. Only one image may be entered in a category.
- **Print Competition**—Enter two images total in categories: Pictorial, Nature, Travel, Photojournalism. Only one image may be entered in a category.
- **Creative and Monochrome**—Enter one projected image and/or one print in each category.
- Unlimited Prints —Enter one print.

Assignment: Enter one projected image and/or one print. *Light Trails* 

<u>Judges</u>: Bruce Brown, Mark Katz, Ross McEathron

**Competition Table**: Marilyn Holloway

#### **DECEMBER COMPETITION**

**Projected Images**: Send digital images to Marilyn Holloway at <a href="https://hccprojection@gmail.com">hccprojection@gmail.com</a> by Tuesday, **November 26, 2024** 

**December Assignment:** A Leaf

# Let Us Give Thanks

# Calendar—Upcoming Activities

November 12 Competition Meeting 7:00 p.m. Fontemo Senior Center

Daura Landscape Print Submission

November 26 Deadline—November Projected Image Submissions

## **Upcoming Assignments**

Images must have been taken after June 1, 2024.

December A Leaf

January Advertising

February Abstract

# **Matt Daura Landscape Print Competition**

Print submissions for the Daura Award will be collected on November 12 at the competition meeting. If you cannot be at this meeting, conact **Leslie Niemand** to make alternate arrangements.

The subject is a landscape. The submission must be a 8 1/2" x 11" (maximum size) print. Each member may submit one image to the contest. There is no restriction on when the image was taken.

The images will be judged outside the club. The winner will be announced in December at the Holiday Dinner. The winner's name will be engraved on a permanent plaque. The winning image will be displayed in the Bayland case.

# December 3—Collecting For Toys For Needy Children

It is a HCC tradition to collect toys for disadvantaged children during the holiday season. Leslie Niemand will be collecting toys that have been brought to the competition meeting on December 3. She will see that they are donated in the name of Houston Camera Club.

Please bring a toy for a boy or girl ages 1 to 9 years old. It should be new and unwrapped.

As an idea, when you purchase toys for the donation, put them in your trunk so you don't forget.

We couldn't make it happen without your help. Thank you.

# **December—Field Trip**

A field trip is scheduled for **December 7** to **Home for the Holidays in Old Town Spring.** Save the date. We will send more information later.

# **December Holiday Dinner**

The **Holiday Dinner** is our club's winter social event for you and your guests. Please reserve the evening on your calendar. It is going to be fun.



On The Rocks 2 By:

Bill Burychka



All About The Bass

By: Steve Berg

# **Photographer Saying:**

"That frame of mind that you need to make fine pictures of a very wonderful subject; you cannot do it by not being lost yourself."

Dorothea Lange

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October (	Competition Results		October C	Competition Result	S Continued
Judged October 1, 2024		Prints—Oc	tober Continued		
Judges: John Niemand, Henry Peterman, Ramiro		Travel Cate	gory – 1 entry		
Sanchez			1 <sup>st</sup> (20 pts)	Wind Mill	R. Sanchez
September a	nd October Prints were jud	ged October 1	Creative Cat	tegory – 2 entries	
October Proj	ected Images were judged	October 2	1 <sup>st</sup> (22 pts)	Outerspace Explosion	M. Holloway
Prints—Se	eptember		2 <sup>nd</sup> (21 pts)	Hot Day In Giza	T. Rutledge
	tegory – 3 entries		Monochrom	e Category – 2entries	
1 <sup>st</sup> (20 pts)	Male Painted Bunting Por	trait	1 <sup>st</sup> (22 pts)	Tool Room	T. Rutledge
	-	M. Holloway	2 <sup>nd</sup> (17 pts)	Antique Ford	J. Klehm
2 <sup>nd</sup> (19 pts)	Kissing Cousins	J. Klehm	Unlimited –		
3 <sup>rd</sup> (15 pts)	Happy Face	R. Sanchez	1 <sup>st</sup> (24 pts)	8	R. Burychka
Nature Cate	egory – 2 entries		2 <sup>nd</sup> (21 pts)	Stop Where You Are	J. Klehm
1 <sup>st</sup> (21 pts)	Hummingbird Coming In	J. Klehm	Asssignment	Category Children At I	Play - 2 entries
2 <sup>nd</sup> (18 pts)	Cattle Egret Captures Sna	ck	Winner	Boy Balancing Himself	J. Klehm
		M. Holloway			
Photojourna	alism Category – 1 entry		Projected 1	Images	
1 <sup>st</sup> (18 pts)	Reveler	R. Sanchez	Judged Octo	ber 2, 2024	
Travel Cate	egory – 0 entries		_	nn Niemand, Terry Rutle	edge, Ramiro
Creative Ca	tegory – 2 entries		Sanchez		
1st (19 pts)	King	M. Holloway		tegory – 6 entries	
2 <sup>nd</sup> (18 pts)	Healer	R. Sanchez	1 <sup>st</sup> (24 pts)	Scisssortail Eating	J. Klehm
Monochrom	ne Category – 2 entries		2 <sup>nd</sup> (23 pts)	Man With Rose	R. Burychka
1 <sup>st</sup> (20 pts)	Butterfly In Texas	J. Klehm	3 <sup>rd</sup> (20 pts)	Moon Over Cathedral R	
2 <sup>nd</sup> (18 pts)	Sunset	R. Sanchez	(10)		F. Cabral
Unlimited –	1 entry		(19 pts)	Horse Race	B. Burychka
1 <sup>st</sup> (21 pts)	Loggerhead Strike	J. Klehm	(17 pts)	Caddo Lake	C. Edwards
Asssignmen	t Category Music - 1 entr	У		Kayaking Into The Suns	
Winner	Music By Harp	J. Klehm	Nature Cate		B. Dupre
			1 <sup>st</sup> (24 pts)	gory – 5 entries Juvenile Helping Feed (	Thiole
Prints—O	ctober		1 (24 pts)	Juvenne Helping Feed C	
Pictorial Ca	tegory – 2 entries		2 <sup>nd</sup> (21 pts)	Bird Pesters Eagle	M. Holloway  J. Klehm
1 <sup>st</sup> (19 pts)	Blue Grosbeak Portrait	M. Holloway	3 <sup>rd</sup> (20 pts)	Atlantic Puffins	J. Lumb
2 <sup>nd</sup> (18 pts)	Holly Burial Minor Alter	R. Sanchez	(16 pts)	Spicebush Swallowtail l	
	egory – 2 entries		(10 μω)	Spiceousii Swanowian I	F. Cabral
1 <sup>st</sup> (23 pts)	Male Black Chinned Hun	nmingbird M. Holloway	(13 Pts)	Small Water Falls	C. Edwards
2 <sup>nd</sup> (20 pts)	Hungry Ibis	Julius Klehm			
` - /	alism Category – 1 entry				
1 <sup>st</sup> (20 pts)	Water Sport	J. Klehm			
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#### **October Competition Results Continued**

#### **Projected Images Continued**

#### **Photojournalism Category** – 3 entries

1 <sup>st</sup> (22 pts)	Triple Determination	M. Holloway
2 <sup>nd</sup> (18 pts)	Walking Home After A	A Tornado
		S. Dosa.
3 <sup>rd</sup> (17 pts)	Thar' She Blows!	B. Dupre

#### **Travel Category** – 2 entries

1 <sup>st</sup> (18 pts)	The Red Queens Tomb At Palenque
	J. Lumb

$2^{nd}$ (16 pts)	Icy Creek	S. Dosa.			
Creative Category – 5 entries					
1 <sup>st</sup> (21 pts)	Ghostly Cowboy	R,. Burychka			
	Giraffe	M. Holloway			
2 <sup>nd</sup> (19 pts)	3 Butterflies	J. Lumb			
	Shining A Light On Natur	re			
		F. Cabral			
3 <sup>rd</sup> (15 pts)	Skiff	B. Dupre			
Monochrome (	Category – 7 entries				
1 <sup>st</sup> (22 pts)	Blue Jay	M. Holloway			
2 <sup>nd</sup> (21 pts)	Solitude	F. Cabral			
3 <sup>rd</sup> (20 pts)	On The Rocks 2	W. Burychka			
(10 ntc)	All About The Dags	C Dura			

3 <sup>rd</sup> (20 pts)	On The Rocks 2	W. Burychka
(19 pts)	All About The Bass	S. Burg
(18 pts)	Merced View	B. Dupre

Water Lily (15 pts) Acropolis J. Lumb

J. Klehm

#### **Asssignment Category** *Children At Play* – 5 entries

Winner Determination S. Berg

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## **PSA Interclub Competitions**

No Results Received

# **GSCCC Interclub Competitions**

Judged October, 2024

By: Plano Photography Club

#### **GSCCC Color Images**

Time For Frosty Drinks	Marilyn Holloway	13*
WW Leaf Design	Buz Cabral	11
Man With Rose	Rachel Burychka	11
Scissortail Eating	Julius Klehm	11

\* Marilyn won 3rd Place for her image. Congratulations. Good Work.

#### **GSCCC Monochrome Images**

All About The Bass	Steve Berg	11
On The Rocks 2	Bill Burychka	10
Blue Jay On Branch	Marilyn Holloway	10
Solitude	Buz Cabral	8

#### **GSCCC Nature Images**

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Bird Pesters Eagle	Julius Klehm	11
Juvenile Helping Feed Ch	nicks	
	Marilyn Holloway	11

Rachel Burvchka

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Eclipse 2024 Ramiro Sanchez \*\* Rachel was awarded 1st Place for her image. A wonderful image.!! Congratulations.

#### **GSCCC Photojournalism Images**

Clean Baton Exchange	Marilyn Holloway	11
Making Waves	Julius Klehm	9
Fighting Fire	Bill Dupre	9
Determination	Steve Berg	8

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