

September 4, 2008 Minutes

Officers:

Michael Adkins, President Jeff Bryson, Vice President Herb Parsons, Treasurer Fred Huff, Secretary

Summation

Fifteen members were in attendance.

The club's photo exhibition is now on display at the Federal courthouse in Charleston, WV through the end of September. If you go to view it, be aware that security at the building will require you to surrender any cameras, including cell phones with cameras. Mike Adkins is looking for a location in Huntington where the exhibition may be moved after September.

A color brochure to promote the club is being prepared. Members present at tonight's meeting agreed to allow the use of their photos from last year's competitions. A draft will be provided the membership for approval. We plan to have the brochure completed and printed in time for the next Art in the Park show. OVCC will have an information booth at this show.

Members who wish to have an embroidered shirt commemorating the club's 50th Anniversary year should bring a T-shirt or polo shirt of their choice and \$7.50/shirt to the first club meeting in October (the 2nd). The Jackson's will arrange for the embroidery work.

Mike Adkins wants copies each member's winning images from 2008 on CD at the next meeting. He plans to create a book outlining the club's photography for the year.

It was agreed that our Annual Banquet should be held at Twin Silos Golf Club. Mike will contact them to reserve a date and get pricing.

Our next meeting will be on Thursday, September 18. Jeff Bryson will give a presentation on macro-photography. Members can participate in the program by bringing an empty Pringles can and an extra body cap for their cameras.

Photo Competition Results

There were 25 prints entered into tonight's competition. The theme was "Rural Land."

<u>B&W Tyro</u> 1st Place – Tyson Smith – "Better Days" 2nd Place – Sally Williams – "Horse Fence" 3rd Place – Nancy Jeter – "The Old Days"

<u>B&W Advanced</u> – No entries.

 $\frac{Color Tyro}{1^{st} Place - Hayes Wilcox + Best In Show - "Autumn Reflections"$ 2nd Place - Tyson Smith - "Water Power"3rd Place - Kathy Smith - "Rusty"

<u>Color Advanced</u> 1st Place – Rick Jackson – "Rural Land Down Under" 2nd Place – Jeff Bryson – "Where I'd Rather Be" 3rd Place – Herb Parsons – "Along the Cheat River"

Enhanced Tyro 1st Place – Nancy Jeter – "Remember When" 2nd Place – Hayes Wilcox – "Sale Day Buggies" 3rd Place – Jeff Bryson – "Magical Mystery Tou"

Enhanced Advanced – No member has earned Advanced status in this area.

Honorable Mention - Hayes Wilcox - "Two Teams at Work"

Fred Huff, Secretary