

## Ohio Valley Camera Club of West Virginia



May 7, 2009  
Minutes

We had 22 in attendance including 3 new members and 1 visitor. Welcome to Susanna Alexander, Johnny Browning and Pat Mckee.

Herb Parsons, our Treasurer, reported we have \$1227.36 in our account.

Committee updates were given:

- Mark Hamilton, Chair of Membership and Publicity, no updates given.
- Fred Huff, Chair of Exhibition and Contest, no report given (Fred absent).
- Rick Jackson, Chair of Program and Activities, gave a brief description of the recent photo walk and upcoming outing to Canaan Valley.

All the Committee Chairs would like to have help on their committees. Contact Mark, Fred or Rick if you are interested.

Kathy Smith explained the recent Yahoo Group email issues that had been occurring. Most of the issues are out of the control of the Club. Members should make sure [ovcc@yahogroups.com](mailto:ovcc@yahogroups.com) is in their contact list to help prevent the emails from being kicked into their spam or junk folders.

Kathy Smith is still working with the printers to get the business cards printed for Club members.

Mike Adkins explained in details the outing to his cabin in Canaan Valley scheduled for May 15-17. Members interested in going should let Mike know as soon as possible. A planned meeting place will be announced so Mike can lead the way there.

Mike Adkins updated the members on the Digital Photography Class he is giving. He apologized for miss-communications on the last class date and time.

Our next meeting is May 21. Mike Hensley will give a presentation on HDR Photography.

Mike Hensley announced that the roses in the Rose Garden at Ritter Park are beginning to bloom.

Macro/Close-up Competition Winners:

### **Tyro Black and White**

- 1<sup>st</sup> place – Joe Browning – “Webb”
- 2<sup>nd</sup> place – Tyson Smith – “Drop”
- 3<sup>rd</sup> place – Mike Hensley – “Boy in Bubble”

### **Tyro Color**

- 1<sup>st</sup> place – Joe Browning – “Gator Eye”
- 2<sup>nd</sup> place – Joe Browning – “Spring Flower”
- 3<sup>rd</sup> place – Tyson Smith – “Dog Wood”

### **Tyro Enhanced Photographic Art**

- 1<sup>st</sup> place – Joe Browning – “Vegas Circle”
- 2<sup>nd</sup> place – Joe Browning – “Bolt”
- 3<sup>rd</sup> place – Tyson Smith – “Red Flower”

### **Advanced Black and White**

- 1<sup>st</sup> place – n/a
- 2<sup>nd</sup> place – Rick Jackson – “Spider’s Web”
- 3<sup>rd</sup> place – n/a

### **Advanced Color**

- 1<sup>st</sup> place – Rick Jackson – “Butterfly Buffet”
- 2<sup>nd</sup> place – Rick Jackson – “Green Highway”
- 3<sup>rd</sup> place – Connie Jackson – “Wildflower #2”

### **BEST of SHOW**

Rick Jackson – “Butterfly Buffet”

Submitted by: Kathy Smith  
Secretary

\*\*\*\*Don't forget to keep your winning images from each month handy for the Year End Competition. Please refer to #12-13-14 of the Rules of Competition for more details.