

Ohio Valley Camera Club of West Virginia



Sept 3, 2009
Minutes

We had 26 in attendance at our meeting. Two of the 26 were new members who joined our club at the meeting, while one new member was not in attendance. Welcome new members: Frank Pierson, Dave Imhoff and Susan Ryan! We also had 4 visitors as part of our 26 in attendance. We look forward to seeing you all at our next meeting.

Herb Parsons, our Treasurer, was not in attendance. We will have his report at our next meeting.

Committee updates were given:

- Mark Hamilton, Chair of Membership and Publicity, was not in attendance tonight.
- Fred Huff, Chair of Exhibition and Contest, reported on updates to the exhibition and contest will be sent out via email by Fred later in the week. This will also be updated on our website.
- Rick Jackson, Chair of Program and Activities. Rick mentioned possible presenters at upcoming meeting. Jan from Camelot Photography will possibly do one on Portraits. Clayton Spangler from Charleston is another who may present. Watch your emails for updates on these two. Any member is welcome to give a program on a topic in photography they enjoy.

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

Mike Adkins asked for volunteers to help put on a Club picnic in the near future. This picnic would be open for family members to also attend. More info will follow if volunteers will step up.

Our next meeting is Sept 17. The first projected image competition will be held where points will be awarded. Online submission is required with a cutoff for submission on Sept 13 at midnight.

Mike Hensley invited those interested to Greenbottom to photograph dragonflies on Saturday, Sept 5th.

We now have a suggestion box located at the door. Members are encouraged to write down their suggestions. You do not need to sign the form.

Our Annual Christmas Dinner will be held again this year at the Lavalette Golf Club. Please watch your emails for more information as plans are finalized. The End of Year Competition will also be held this night.

The OPEN competition was held and the winners are:

Advanced Black and White

- 1st place –Rick Jackson–"Late for Dinner"
- 2nd place – Kathy Smith– "Round and Round"
- 3rd place – Kathy Smith –"Statue"

Advanced Color

- 1st place – Joe Browning – "Fountain"
- 2nd place – Joe Browning– "Courthouse"
- 3rd place – Kathy Smith– "Fitness Center"

Advanced Enhanced Photographic Art

- 1st place – Joe Browning– "Almost Heaven"
- 2nd place – n/a --
- 3rd place – n/a–

Tyro Black and White

- 1st place – Joe Browning– "Safecofield"
- 2nd place – Tim Hardesty– "Police Station"
- 3rd place – Tyson Smith– "Midnight at the Marina"

Tyro Color

- 1st place – Tim Hardesty– "Canon Fire"
- 2nd place – Dennis Adkins– "Memorial Arch"
- 3rd place – Tim Hardesty– "Ice Cream"

Tyro Enhanced Photographic Art

- 1st place – Greg Gilkerson– "6th Street Reflection"
- 2nd place – Hayes Wilcox– "Graveyard Twist"
- 3rd place – Tim Hardesty– "Bridge"

BEST of SHOW
Joe Browning – “Fountain”

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.