

THE VIEWFINDER

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CAMERA CLUB

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Message From The Editor

Well, it's the end of another successful year for the Syosset Camera Club. I knew it was coming to an end when I noticed a few of the snow birds returning from sunny Florida. For me it's been a very fast year, the time seems to slip by so effortlessly. I thought about the passing of time recently and it struck me that time seems to go by at a geometric as I am getting older. I remember when I was very young and my parents took us kids away for our annual vacation to the Poconos. When there was a week to go before we left, it seemed like the calendar came to a slow grind and that glorious day when we would leave never came. Well, times have changed. My forties seem like a blur right now and it seems like every month I have a birthday which brings me closer to another milestone. It just doesn't seem quite fair. But I guess that's the way it goes.

Again, I think this was a great year for the club, especially in regard to the competitions. The entries are getting stronger and stronger every month, and more members are walking away with honors. It's also heartening to see new members jumping right in and becoming active participants in the club. Don't forget about our Annual Dinner on June 14. For tickets, please contact Carole Greenberg as soon as possible as seating has become limited. Also, submissions for the Farmingdale exhibit are currently being collected by Aileen Harrison. The faster you can get them in, the easier it will be for Aileen to organize.

HAVE A GREAT SUMMER!!!!

Calendar

June

14th - Annual Awards Dinner - To be held in the "Quaker Room" at the Milleridge Inn, in Jericho - Details included.

Digital Photography

Clem Kleinman and some friends will host a special meeting on Thursday, July 18 at the Olympus headquarters on Digital Photography from a non-technical perspective. Areas covered will include:

- What is the advantage of digital photography, if any?**
- Is digital photography for you?**
- Do you need a new camera, scanner, computer or printer?**
- Which computer is best for you?**
- How can digital photography improve your photography?**

All members and friends are welcome.

: Year End Competition Results

Syosset Camera Club

BLACK & WHITE PRINTS "A"

- 1st - Clem Kleinman
- 2nd - Alan Agdern
- 3rd - Moshe Markewitz

BLACK & WHITE PRINTS "B"

- 1st - Sarah Kleinman
- 2nd - Sarah Kleinman
- 3rd - Barry Goldstein

COLOR PRINTS CLASS "A"

- 1st - Robert Schoenfeld
- 2nd - Clem Kleinman
- 3rd - Robert Schoenfeld

COLOR PRINTS CLASS "B"

- 1st - Barry Goldstein
- 2nd - Cyril Rausch
- 3rd - Gerald Harrison

COLOR SLIDES CLASS "A"

- 1st - Ramesh Patwa
- 2nd - Ramesh Patwa
- 3rd - Ramesh Patwa

COLOR SLIDES CLASS "B"

- 1st - Frank Iraggi
- 2nd - Frank Iraggi
- 3rd - Annette Fox

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- Editor/The Viewfinder.....Frank Iraggi

Meetings will be held at 8:00PM at the Olympus Corporate Headquarters at 2 Corporate Drive in Melville.

Field Trips are held every Sunday morning. Meet at the On Parade Diner on Jericho Turnpike in Woodbury at 8:00AM for breakfast.

Our page on the World-Wide Web is at:
<http://www.orrin.org/syocc/>

Awards For The 2001-2002

Competitions

High Averages

BLACK & WHITE PRINTS "A"

1st. - Alan Agdern
2nd. - Moshe Markewitz
3rd. - Orrin Edwards

BLACK & WHITE PRINTS "B"

1st. - Barry Goldstein
2nd. - Frank Iraggi

COLOR PRINTS CLASS "A"

1st. - Robert Schoenfeld
2nd. - Alan Agdern
3rd. - Orrin Edwards

COLOR PRINTS CLASS "B"

1st. - Sy Roth
2nd. - Maylan Monohan
3rd. - Gerald Harrison

COLOR SLIDES CLASS "A"

1st. - Ramesh Patwa
2nd. - Orrin Edwards
3rd. - Robert Schoenfeld

COLOR SLIDES CLASS "B"

1st. - Frank Iraggi
2nd. - Annette Fox

May 9 Competition Results

Judge: Gerald Shak

BLACK & WHITE PRINTS "A"

Print of the Month: Moshe Markewitz
Alan Agdern - 8

BLACK & WHITE PRINTS "B"

Print of the Month: Barry Goldstein

COLOR PRINTS CLASS "A"

Print of the Month: Clem Kleinman
Alan Agdern - 9
Robert Schoenfeld - 8

COLOR PRINTS CLASS "B"

Print of the Month: Gerald Harrison
Annette Scarpa - 9
Maylan Monohan - 8
Aileen Harrison - 8
Richard Reis - 8
Sarah Kleinman - 8

COLOR SLIDES CLASS "A"

Slide of the Month: Ramesh Patwa
Orrin Edwards - 9
Robert Schoenfeld - 9

COLOR SLIDES CLASS "B"

Slide of the Month: Frank Iraggi
Annette Fox - 9
Randolf Wiesner - 8

Some Quick Notes

The gallery section of the Syosset Camera Club web page is alive and well. Everyone is encouraged to submit three (3) photos to be displayed in the Gallery. The photos should be good quality digital images measuring at least 450 pixels along the long side. They can be sent to Orrin Edwards via E-Mail or submitted on a diskette, CD or Zip Disk.

The Further Adventures of the Sunday

Shutterbugs

by

Aileen Harrison

Sunday March 3, 2002

It was cold and almost raining
Not a bit of Sun did show
But it was Sunday Morning
So off the shutterbugs must go

Should we look at more flowers?
Most of us said no
Another Petunia was too much to handle
But where should we go?

We went to lonely Jones Beach west end
The weather was far from sublime
We will see which of our shutterbugs
Will manage to get a nine

I'll be so glad for spring and sunshine
And a chance to shoot outside
With lovely sun and shadows
And maybe children on a slide

Proposed 2002-2003 Meeting Schedule

July 18 - Mid summer meeting
Aug. 1 - Summer board meeting

September

12 - What I did last summer
19 - Competition
26 - Program

October

3 - Board meeting
10 - Competition
17 - Program
24 - Program

November

7 - Competition
14 - Program
21 - Program

December

5 - Competition
12 - Program
19 - Program

January

2 - Board meeting
9 - Competition
16 - Program
23 - Program

February

13 - Competition
20 - Program
27 - Program

March

6 - Board meeting
13 - Competition
20 - Program
27 - Program

April

10 - Competition
24 - Program

May

1 - Board meeting
8 - Competition
15 - Program
22 - End-Of-Year Competition

June

13 - Annual Dinner