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DIGI WORLD

by Mike Epstein

The computers in the Digilab have all the latest software and almost no one is using them. Why not? This is a "try before you buy" bonus of your membership in the Camera Club. Seems like the latest rage is HDR. Want to try it? Come to the Digilab and make your pictures look spectacular. Want to try a slide show with lots of bells and whistles? We have the current versions of Proshow Gold and Producer. Tired of looking at the pictures on your walls? Come down to the lab and mount something new.

Our new classroom is still in the "permit stage" at the City. We are planning a new 10-computer classroom for classes in all aspects of digital editing and processing.

Small classes. Hands On. Personalized Instruction

We'll be waiting for you. PCM's best guess is we will be in around the end of January. We'll need instructors and students. Plan on it!

Be a Teacher - Share your talents! Contact Mike—Contact Pat

The Classroom is only as good as our Volunteers~!!
Basically - No Teach! No Class!

MEMBERSHIP Drive is ON!!

Calling All Camera Club Members— Spread the Word: New memberships will be good from now through December, 2011. Everyone will want to be "on board" for an exciting fall **HAPPENINGS!!**

Current members:

If you haven't renewed!! **RENEW!!!**

We really want you . . .

Welcome to our new 2011 members

Loyola Lucero	Hilma Browning
Thomas Morgan	Brenda Moore
Bonnie Zera	Rueben Moore

Membership forms available on the website & in the Photo Lab or:

Ann Hoffelder: 380-0371

What's Coming Next

Board Meeting: Friday, Nov 5, 9am,
Photo Classroom, CH 4

Digi Committee: Friday, Nov 5, 11am,
Photo Classroom, CH 4

Annual Bd. Mtg. & Showcase:
Monday, Nov. 8, 7pm, CH 3, DR 2.
Refreshments follow.

Year-end Competition: Sat. Nov. 20th
10am—CH4 - Photo Classroom

Special Showcase: Nov 22, 7:00pm
CH 3, DR 2

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Prez Sez . . .

This fall season will be very busy for the Camera Club, i.e. year-end judging of the best prints and digital slides, (See Don Hill's article) and the Holiday Dinner to be held on December 20, 2010. (flyer is attached)

This is a season for Thanksgiving. First I want to thank the LHCC nominating committee for their good and faithful work in recommending the 2011 Slate of Officers: Kathleen Rubin, Chair, David Dearing, Bob Hoffelder, Chung-Li Ling, and Shirley Weinberg.

Second I want to thank the thirteen presenters for the 38 prints for the Clubhouse 4 Classroom walls, Print Showcase (formerly Meet the Makers). They are: Larry Bestman, Mike Bray, Beatie Burke, Walter Druker, Jim Graves, Bill Hurd, Tom Johnston, Mark Marchese, Alan Pollock, Bob Sandell, Julius Siddon, Rita Westfield, and Pat Wilkinson.

Lastly, thank you to Chuck and Laura Eisenstein for heading up the Holiday Dinner again this year, including the menu and working with caterer, Jolanda.

We are truly blessed by having so many key people in the LHCC.

**HAPPY
THANKSGIVING**



SHOWCASE

**Showcase begins at 7 p.m.,
Clubhouse 3, Dining Room 2**

Monday, November 8

***"Doing the Danube" and
"Glacier Park"***

by Larry and Marilyn Bau

At our next Showcase we will travel with longtime members, Lawrie and Marilyn Bau, on two of their recent adventures. First will be a delightful riverboat trip on the celebrated Danube, beginning in Budapest, Hungary, and terminating in Prague, Czech Republic. There will be beautiful scenery and stops at picturesque towns along the way. The second feature, a unique odyssey in Glacier National Park, will take us on foot, vintage busses and boats through magnificent scenery. We will also see the park's four great lodges, including the lodge in Waterton Lakes, Canada. These areas are known as the Glacier-Waterton International Peace Park.

Lawrie, a retired lawyer, has been photographing and presenting slide show travelogues for many years. With the introduction of digital camcorders and non-linear editing programs, he switched to video, which he believes gives the viewer more of a sense of "being there" with him. He incorporates still shots of any missed scenes that Marilyn, a retired school teacher, captured with her point and shoot camera.

SPECIAL NOVEMBER SHOWCASE

Monday, November 22, 2010

***"Capetown, South Africa &
Okavango Delta, Botswana" plus
"Diving Adventures in Sulawesi,
Indonesia"***

This special Showcase will feature four short shows. The first two will be by Mike Bray, a new Showcase presenter and an excellent photographer. His first show features images taken in Capetown, South Africa and the Okavango Delta in Botswana. His photo safari in Botswana visited four

Year-end Competition

YEAR-END PRINT AND DIGITAL COMPETITION (CLOSED JUDGING)

Saturday November 20, 2010

As a reminder, this is not a critique it is a competition to select the best images of 2010. Judging is a closed-door competition and, winners will be announced at the year-end dinner in December 20, 2010.

PRINTS

1st, 2nd, 3rd Place & 1 Best of Show
(selected from 1st place in all categories).

Only prints previously submitted for critique in 2010 are eligible; members may submit up to four prints in each category (Color Pictorial, Monochrome, Altered Reality). Prints must be submitted no later than 12 noon, Thursday November 18, 2010. Each entrant must attach an entry card for each print category submitted. Place all submitted Prints by category into the appropriate bins in the Photo-Lab.

YEAR-END DIGITAL CRITIQUE – PROJECTED IMAGES

DIVISION I & II & Monochrome

1st, 2nd, and 3rd Place Best-of-Show (one Best of Show awarded from 1st place winners in the three categories).

Only Digital Images that have been previously submitted for critique in 2010 are eligible; members may submit as many as four (4) digital images in Pictorial, three (3) Monochrome. (There will not be an end-of-year altered Reality or Special Subject competition).

Members may submit up to four digital images in Pictorial, three in Monochrome. (There will **Not** be an end-of-the-year Altered Reality or Special Subject competitions). Contact Burt Goldstein with the list of entries by November 16th (images previously submitted are on file). (Images do not need to be sent)

Please email the entries by name and category to:

lhccdigital@gmail.com

**Selections must be submitted
no later than 12 noon.
Wednesday, Nov. 17th**

Congratulations Print Winners October Critique Pictorial I

1st Place - Linda Berman

Daddy Don't Go

2nd Place - Jen Lenthall

Kinds Courting

3rd Place—Aaron Kozlov

Pipevine Swallowtail

Pictorial II

1st Place - John Mclean

Bursting Wave

2nd Place - Paul Prewitt

Off Duty

3rd Place - Russ Stockus

Green Water

Monochrome

1st Place - Linda Berman

Urban Rhythm

2nd Place - Don Hill

Night Time

3rd Place - Pat Wilkinson

Just Grapes

Altered Reality

1st Place - Jim Lenthall

Angry Eagle

2nd Place - Tom Johnston

Moon Over el Cid

3rd Place - Linda Berman

Say Cheese

Congratulations!

(Images on the Website!)



BEST OF SHOW

Linda Berman—*Urban Rhythm*

DIGI 101

Digital Camera Training Class

November 9, 16 and 23

Hands-on training course to learn how to use your own "basic" digital camera. Pre-registration is required. Helpers will be available.

Class size is limited to 30.

Please contact Burt Goldstein -
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which enabled Mike and his wife, Carolyn, to experience both land and water based activities. They also encountered the majority of predators in the region. Mike's second show will highlight his dive adventures in Sulawesi, Indonesia. Here Mike and Carolyn visited one of the finest photography-oriented dive spots in the world at a resort named Wakatobi.

Pollock's Premium Productions

presents two short slideshows

The first, "**A Visit to San Diego**" will include Old Town, Balboa Park, and Coronado Island. This visit, May 2009, included a special showing of the Dr. Suess Sculpture Garden at the famous Hotel Del Coronado. There is also a ferry ride to the mainland.

The second show is "**Meet Kaya**", a Rescued Greyhound". Kaya is a neighbor that visits Alan and Cathie often. He is a rescued greyhound from the dog racing industry. His owner, Anette, took us to visit a Greyhound Adoption Center where he and other greyhounds are groomed and given some TLC. Greyhounds make good pets!

**A Grand Finale of a wonderful
Year of great shows and
talented makers!!!**



Annual Holiday and Awards Dinner

**Mon., Dec. 20, at 5:30pm
Laguna Woods Village
Clubhouse 5**

Catered by Jolanda
no Host Bar

Hors d'oeuvres Buffet
Prime Rib or Salmon
Vegetarian Lasagna
Wine with Dinner

**Display of Year-end entries
Digital & Print**

**Presentation of awards for
Excellence in Photography**

Reservation forms on the
Website & in the Lab
for more information

Call Laura Eisenstein
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