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Meets first and third Tuesdays of each month at Bayland Community Center, 6400 Bissonnet near Hillcroft

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Field Trip—May 24

Alkek Velodrome

Join us Friday, May 24, at the Alkek Velodrome, a 333 meter, concrete cycling track. It was build in 1986 and has held * every kind of competition from Junior Regionals to Olympic ** Qualifiers. A knowledgeable track racer will be available before the racing begins to explain the different types of races so we'll know what kind of action to expect.

Gates open at 5:00 p.m. and the races begin at 7:00 p.m. Let's meet between 6:30 and 6:45 at the entrance gate. If you arrive earlier, the Velodrome is part of a larger Park Complex which has other photography opportunities.

Bring your camera.. If you only bring one lens, it should be a medium to long telephoto., eg: 70-400mm. There will also be opportunities to use a normal, mid-range lens. A tripod may be more bother than it is worth, since the lighting is good. Read up on panning if you are not comfortable with this technique.

The velodrome is located in Cullen Park at 19008 Saums Rd, Houston, 77084. Admission is free. For additional information and also directions, check the web site,

http://houstoncycling.org/TrackInformation.php

Lisa and Marc Auerbach—Field Trip Chairs

Group Critique of Images—May 21

Since our workshop has been scheduled for an alternate date, in the May 21 meeting, we, as a group, will critique member images. Submit up to three images, projected or prints, that have not previously been entered into competition. Submit projected images to Bob Jump at hcc digital@att.net by Saturday May 18. or bring a flash drive with your three images to the meeting. Or bring three prints.

This is an opportunity to get some comments from other photographers on how to improve images that you are working on. Come ready to see and learn.

Refreshments: Doug Peck

***** Tuesday, May 7, 2013

Competition Meeting:—Projected Digital Images

- Projected Image Competition—Enter two images in any two of four categories: 米 (Pictorial, Nature, Travel, Photojournalism). Send digital images to Bob Jump by Saturday May 4 at hcc digital@att.net
- **Digital Print Competition**—Enter two prints in any two of four categories: (Pictorial, Nature, Travel, Photojournalism).
 - Creative—Enter one projected image and/or one print.
- * Monochrome—Enter one projected image and/or one print.
- *. Unlimited Prints —Enter one print.
 - Assignment for May—Celebrate Enter one projected image and/or one print.

Judges: Bill Dupre, Henry Peterman, Glenn Sternes

Competition Table: Urvine Atkinson, Lisa Auerbach

Refreshments: Charles Edwards

Calendar—Upcoming Activities

May 7 **Competition Meeting**

May 21 **Group Critique of Images**

May 24 Field Trip—Alkek Velodrome

???? **Workshop—Outdoor Portraiture**

Upcoming Assignments

June Out Standing—As in standing out

from the crowd

July Transport

August Frenzy

Member News: Alice and Urvine Atkinson and Gwen Kunz traveled to San Diego. They had a great week. During their time there, they visited the La Jolla Concours D'Elegance, Carlsbad Flower Fields and, of course, the San Diego Zoo. They also enjoyed eating lots of good seafood.

Workshop—Date and Time Unknown

Our workshop for May will be on outdoor portraiture. **Joe Sandler**, **Mark Katz** and **Terry Rutledge** are working to define the details including the date, time and location. Come to the competition meeting to learn more about the options being considered. Watch your email for the final information on the workshop.

Important: The workshop will NOT be held on May 21, the third Tuesday of the month.

Terry Rutledge—Workshop Chair



Spathiphyllum Bloom 6784

By: Joe Sandler

Photographer Saying:

"When you have your camera with you, good luck tends to happen."

William Neill



Snowy Egret

By: Liz Gray



Lily

By: Terry Rutledge

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April Competition Results			Creative Category Continued		
Judged April 2, 2013			3 rd (18 pts)	Fender Once	C. Lee
Judges: John Niemand, Marcia Raskin, Joe Sandler				Microscopic Pol Coord	
Projected Images					G. Sternes
Pictorial Category – 8 entries			Monochrome Category-9 entries		
1 st (21 pts) Spathiphyllum Bloom 67		84	1 st (19 pts)	A Mess	M Auerbach
(P)	r r r	J. Sandler	2 nd (17 pts)	Lily	T. Rutledge
2 nd (20 pts)	Caught in the Act 6666	E. Sandler		Lovers 1299	J. Sandler
3 rd (19 pts)	Snowy Egret	L. Gray		Tree Limb	L. Auerbach
(18 pts)	Apple Stem 32	T. Rutledge	3 rd (16 pts)	Old Luling Hotel	G. Sternes
	Speckled Lily 6171	C. Lee	(15 pts)	Misty Bridge	G. Jump
(17 pts)	1207	J. Klehm		Waiting for Someone 007	5 E. Sandler
(16 pts)	Hibiscus	U. Atkinson	(14 pts)	Flight	L. Gray
	Rusty Car	H. Peterman	(13 pts)	Black-Necked Stilt	C. Lee
Nature Category – 10 entries		Assignment Projected: Alphabet – 7 entries			
1 st (24 pts)	Great Blue	L. Gray	Winner:	House C	G. Sternes
2 nd (22 pts)	Ibis Catches Crab	M. Holloway	Quarterly Field Trip Projected 13 entries		
	Roseate Skimmer	C. Lee	Winner:	Rockport Sunset	G. Jump
3 rd (20 pts)	I'm Ready	M. Tran	Prints		
(19 pts)	0227	J. Klehm	Pictorial Prints – 9 entries		
(18 pts)	Feathers	T. Rutledge			
	Fish Tug of Was	G. Sternes	1 st (21 pts)	Tulip	M. Tran
	Gator	M. Auerbach	2 rd (20 pts)	Can't Find the Door	E. Sandler
	Tricolor Reflection	J. Sandler	3 rd (19 pts)	Japanese Garden	H. Peterman
	Turtle XX	L. Auerbach		Sarah	C. Lee
Photojournalism Category – 5 entries				Red	T. Rutledge
1 st (20 pts)	On The Curve 1453	E. Sandler	(17 -4-)	Silver Tree	B. Jump
2 nd (18 pts)	Extreme Stunt Rider	M. Holloway	(17 pts)	Fushcia's	S. Bearnth
	SFA Basket	G. Sternes		Youngster	J. Klehm
3 rd (17 pts)	Sunday in the Park	L. Auerbach		La Mission	C.T. Edwards
(16 pts)	Sightseeing on the Mall	G. Jump	Nature Prin		
Travel Cates	gory – 3 entries		1st (23 pts)	Osprey with Fish	M. Holloway
1 st (18 pts)	Transfiguration Church	M. Tran	2 nd (21 pts)	In the Green	J. Sandler
1 st (17 pts)	Capital with Storm Sky	G. Jump	ard (ac	Two White Wildflowers	G. Sternes
	Hockey XX	M. Auerbach	3 rd (20 pts)	Lunch Time	E. Sandler
Creative Category – 4 entries			Dove on a Nest	C. Lee	
1 st (21 pts)	Solarized 9774	J. Sandler		Watching You	J. Klehm
2 nd (19 pts)	After the Hunt	T. Rutledge		House Sparrow	T. Rutledge
2 (17 pts)	ritor the rith	1. Runouge	(19 pts)	Old Man Out	B. Jump
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April Competition Results Continued

Nature Prints Continued

(18 pts) Fall Leaves—Wales S Bearnth

Photojournalism Prints – 3 entries

1st (21 pts) Motorcross Racer M. Holloway 2^{nd} (20 pts) Gotch G. Sternes (18 pts) What Do We Do Now? S. Goldberg

Travel Prints – 2 entries

1st (21 pts) Calm Night at the Docker M. Tran Colorado Landscape C.T. Edwards

Creative Prints – 4 entries

1st (21 pts) Lightgram T. Rutledge 2^{nd} (20 pts) It Started as a Rusty Truck C. Lee 3rd (19 pts) Larry Ghosts Pol Coord G. Sternes (16 pts) Memorial Park Rail D. Peck

Monochrome Prints – 5 entries

(17 pts)

(18 pts)

1st (20 pts) Black-Necked Silt C. Lee Washington Cathedral B. Jump 2^{nd} (19 pts) Competition in the Cemetery G. Sternes 3rd (18 pts) Cactus T. Rutledge

Great Blue Portrait

J. Sandler

D Peck

Unlimited Prints – 5 entries 1st (23 pts) St. Basil's Church, Moscow M. Tran 2nd (22 pts) Bent Tree B. Jump 3rd (21 pts) I'm Gorgeous J. Klehm Has Bateman with a Slam Dunk G. Sternes

Assignment Prints: *Alphabet* – 5 entries

Winner: Letter Picker S. Goldberg

Memorial Park Bouy

Quarterly Field Trip Prints-- 5 entries

Winner: Great Blue J. Klehm

Interclub Competitions





PSA PID

Judged March, 2013, on the basis of 15 points.

By: Lake County Camera Club

Bad Hair Day 10 pts AW Liz Gray Cool Reflection 9 pts Ed Canoy Sunset Serenity 8 pts Gerry Jump Law of the Jungle 7 pts Manuel Barrera Lattice Work Urvine Atkinson 6 pts Greenfly 6 pts Terry Rutledge

Congratulations to Liz Gray on her Honors award.

PSA Conference

This year's PSA conference is the organization's 75th conference. It will be held in South Portland Maine, September 15 through 21.

Additional information is available now and more will be coming. There will be tours, classes and workshops designed specifically for photographers.

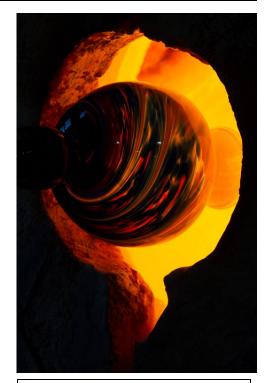


You don't have to be a member to attend. The conference is open to all.

See the web site **psa-photo.org/conference** for details..

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Use of Color



Q By: Terry Rutledge



Rain Forest Drop By: Gerry Jump



Texas Lunar Festival By: Henry Peterman



Chihuly Bowl Pol Coord By: Glenn Sternes

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