

## Field Trip—May 9

### Buffalo Bayou

Enjoy Houston’s ongoing transformation of Buffalo Bayou into an outdoor wonderland of hiking trails, flowers, sculpture gardens, and the bayou. We will meet at 8:00 a.m. The parking lot is small, so we suggest you get there as early as you can. Remember water, insect spray, and a hat. We will send an email with more information and a map in the next few days.

Lisa and Marc Auerbach, Field Trip Chairs

## Program—May 19

### How To Create A Slideshow

What better way to show off your images than to have a slideshow on that special trip you just took or a photographic project that you have been working on for awhile? But, many of us don’t get far in our attempts to create one. There are many different choices of computer software which can be used to create a show, each with a different way to get the job done.

In our May program, **Ramiro Sanchez** will show you how to create a slideshow using several different software programs. When you leave, you will be much more knowledgeable about the tools available to you and why to choose one over another.

Ramiro Sanchez, Program Chair

Refreshments: Marilyn Holloway

## Tuesday, May 5, 2015

### Competition Meeting:—Projected Digital Images and Prints

- **Projected Image Competition**—Enter two images in any two of the four categories: (Pictorial, Nature, Travel, Photojournalism). Send digital images to Bob Jump at [bjump77030@gmail.com](mailto:bjump77030@gmail.com) by Saturday, May 2.
- **Print Competition**—Enter two prints in any two of the 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**—*Wild Flowers* Enter one projected image and/or one print.

Judges: Bill Dupré, Henry Peterman, Glenn Sternes

Competition Table: Charles Edwards, Thejas Rajaram, Rachel Burychka, Bill Burychka, **One Needed**

Refreshments: Bill Dupré

## Calendar—Upcoming Activities

- May 5 Competition
- May 9 Buffalo Bayou
- May 19 How To Create A Slideshow

## Upcoming Assignments

June	Working Water Fountain
July	Sports Action or Motion
August	Water Lilies or Large Flower

## Assignments—2015-2016 Year

We are announcing next year's assignments now so that you can plan ahead. You may begin taking images for any of these contests starting in June, 2015.

Thank you to **Lisa Auerbach** and **Leslie Niemand**, this year's Assignments committee. Thank you, also, to those who suggested topics for consideration and to those who voted for topics they wanted included.

In some cases, along with an assignment, we have included some thoughts or suggestions.

**September, 2015 Isolated Body Part**

**October, 2015 Shadows**

**November, 2015 Pattern or Patterns**

**December, 2015 Cloud Formations**

**January, 2016 Reflections** - Not all reflections come from flat glossy surfaces. Explore reflections from curved or odd-shaped reflective materials. Try being aware of not only the reflected "scene" that you are shooting, but also the texture underneath your reflective material. Shooting reflections off of windows or glass-framed artwork can provide an opportunity for a juxtaposition between the reflected and the pass-through scenes.

**February, 2016 Low Lights** - A shadow created by a candle or a solar light. A street light in a front yard. Lights reflecting in a window.

**March, 2016 Ocean-going Vessel** - The turning basin, Houston Ship Channel, Morgan's Point, Galveston

**April, 2016 Street Life**

**May, 2016 My Own Back Yard** - Something in or very near your home

**June, 2016 Still Life**

**July, 2016 Movement, But Not Water**

**August, 2016 Festivals**



Kandinsky Swamp

By: Terry Rutledge



Pepper Swirl

By: Buz Cabral

## Photographer Saying:

*"Photography is an immediate reaction, drawing is a meditation."*

Henri Cartier-Bresson

## April Competition Results

Judged April 7, 2015

Judges: Marc Auerbach, Marilyn Holloway, Joe Sandler

### Projected Images

#### **Pictorial Category** – 9 entries

1 <sup>st</sup> (21 pts)	Passion Flower 6426	E. Sandler
2 <sup>nd</sup> (18 pts)	Japanese Garden	F Cabral
	Nest on Log Base 6985	J. Sandler
	Wyatt and Mom BLL 2813	C. Lee
3 <sup>rd</sup> (17 pts)	Carnival	T. Lee
(16 pts)	Somewhere in the Appalachians	T. Rajaram
	Viet Nam Memorial	G. Jump
(15 pts)	Houston at Night	C. Edwards
(14 pts)	Houston Sunrise	S. Goldberg

#### **Nature Category** – 11 entries

1 <sup>st</sup> (21 pts)	Copulating Red-bellied Woodpeckers	M. Holloway
	Dragonfly	L. Auerbach
2 <sup>nd</sup> (20 pts)	Great Blue 3287	J. Klehm
	Sunrise over Rookery	M. Tran
3 <sup>rd</sup> (19 pts)	Pelican 3	M. Auerbach
(18 pts)	Tri Color Heron	E. Sandler
(17 pts)	Great Egret	T. Tran
	White Heron	R. Sanchez
(16 pts)	French Angelfish	G. Sternes
(15 pts)	Axis Deer	S. Goldberg
	Sulphur on Penta II	J. Sandler

#### **Photojournalism Category** – 7 entries

1 <sup>st</sup> (21 pts)	Bellaire LL 3337	C. Lee
	Caught It	M. Holloway
2 <sup>nd</sup> (20 pts)	Got Him 0528	J. Klehm
3 <sup>rd</sup> (18 pts)	Breaking Through	H. Peterman
(17 pts)	Art Imitates Life	L. Auerbach
	Myanmar National Caneball Team Practice	T. Rutledge
(16 pts)	Gymnast on Parallel Bars	G. Sternes

#### **Travel Category** – 10 entries

1 <sup>st</sup> (20 pts)	Dawn in Smokies	T. Rajaram
2 <sup>nd</sup> (19 pts)	Bien Hoa VN	T. Tran
	Mayan Pyramids	R. Sanchez
3 <sup>rd</sup> (18 pts)	Bagan, Myanmar	T. Rutledge
	Chapel of the Holy Cross	F. Cabral
	Colorado	M. Tran
	Lhasa Valley	T. Lee
	New York City Apt.	C. Edwards
(17 pts)	Spanish Church	G. Jump
(15 pts)	Harbor	M. Auerbach

#### **Creative Category** – 4 entries

1 <sup>st</sup> (19 pts)	Pepper Swirl	F. Cabral
2 <sup>nd</sup> (18 pts)	Kandinsky Swamp	T. Rutledge
3 <sup>rd</sup> (17 pts)	Rose	M. Tran
(16 pts)	Palm Tree Pattern CraqSolGIEd	G. Sternes

#### **Monochrome Category** – 16 entries

1 <sup>st</sup> (21 pts)	Top of the Mountain	M. Tran
2 <sup>nd</sup> (20 pts)	Colorless Storm	T. Rajaram
	Ibis 1440	J. Klehm
	Lady Smoking Cheroot	T. Rutledge
3 <sup>rd</sup> (18 pts)	Boat Junk	M. Auerbach
	Bronze Horse	R. Sanchez
	Colorado Landscape	C. Edwards
	Dandelion Study 2582	C. Lee
	Gorge Bridge	G. Jump
	Lu Falls 1 BW	L. Auerbach
	Pink Water Lily 6341	E. Sandler
(17 pts)	Cayman Turtle Close Up	G. Sternes
	Robin in Water	J. Sandler
(16 pts)	Blackstone River	F. Cabral
	Dormant Tree	S. Goldberg
(12 pts)	Dance	T. Lee

#### **Assignment Projected:** *Farm Animals* - 8 entries

Winner: Horse T. Tran

#### **Quarterly Field Trip Projected:** 10 entries

Winner: Whooper Two Step 1551 J. Klehm



Sunrise Over the Rookery By: Mai Tran

### April Competition Results

#### Prints

##### **Pictorial Category** – 6 entries

1 <sup>st</sup> (20 pts)	Fiery Dawn at Big Bend	T. Rajaram
2 <sup>nd</sup> (19 pts)	My Meal	M. Tran
3 <sup>rd</sup> (17 pts)	Should I Hide	E. Sandler
	Between the Buds	J. Sandler
(16 pts)	Orchid Close Up	C. Edwards

##### **Nature Category** – 7 entries

1 <sup>st</sup> (23 pts)	Bald Eagle in Flight	M. Holloway
2 <sup>nd</sup> (21 pts)	Breakfast Snack	J. Klehm
3 <sup>rd</sup> (20 pts)	Member of the Family 3502	C. Lee
(18 pts)	Friendly Conversation	E. Sandler
(17 pts)	Spoonbill Eating	G. Sternes
	Nesting Spoonbill	J. Sandler
	Fighting	M. Tran

##### **Photojournalism Category** – 5 entries

1 <sup>st</sup> (18 pts)	Soccer Kick	M. Holloway
2 <sup>nd</sup> (17 pts)	Move Over	J. Klehm
	Judging Gymnast Doing Floor Exercise	G. Sternes
(16 pts)	Playing on the Beach at Sunrise	S. Goldberg
	Balloon Fest	B. Jump

##### **Travel Category** – 3 entries

1 <sup>st</sup> (18 pts)	Big Hole	B. Jump
2 <sup>nd</sup> (16 pts)	View from the Lincoln Memorial	C. Edwards
	Musical Chair	T. Rajaram

##### **Creative Category** – 2 entries

1 <sup>st</sup> (19 pts)	Gold Bubbles	M. Tran
2 <sup>nd</sup> (18 pts)	Cayman Iguana Sol	G. Sternes

##### **Monochrome Category** – 7 entries

1 <sup>st</sup> (21 pts)	Camouflage	J. Klehm
	Floating Foursome	J. Sandler
2 <sup>nd</sup> (20 pts)	Those Gothan Days	T. Rajaram
3 <sup>rd</sup> (19 pts)	Flower in B&W	M. Tran
	Golden Canyon	B. Jump
(17 pts)	Purple Lily—Yellow Center	E. Sandler
(16 pts)	Hats for Sale	G. Sternes

##### **Unlimited Category** – 4 entries

1 <sup>st</sup> (23 pts)	Blue's Sneaky Step	J. Klehm
2 <sup>nd</sup> (21 pts)	Village Church	T. Tran
3 <sup>rd</sup> (20 pts)	Random Serenity	T. Rajaram
	Shack on Elfin Cove	B. Jump

##### **Assignment Prints: Farm Animals** - 4 entries

Winner:	Small Calf	J. Klehm
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##### **Quarterly Field Trip Prints:** 5 entries

Winner:	Two Sandhill Cranes	G. Sternes
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Whooper Two Step 1551 By: Julius Klehm

## Interclub Competitions



### GSCCC

No Results Reported

### PSA—PID

Judged March, 2015, on the basis of 15 points.

By: Puget Sound Camera Club

Hummer Diving	Marilyn Holloway	12 pts
Gambels Quail	Rachel Burychka	11 pts
Trapped	Mike Marshall	11 pts
The Rocks	Mai Tran	11 pts
Fighting	Tom Tran	11 pts
Unidentified Sparrow	Julius Klehm	10 pts



Colorado Landscape

By: Charles Edwards



Pink Water Lily 6341

By: Evelyn Sandler



### 2015 PSA Conference

The 77th PSA Annual Conference will be held near Yellowstone National Park.

The Conference will run from Sunday, September 27 through Saturday, October 3. The Conference hotel is the Holiday Inn West Yellowstone.

The Conference has an exciting lineup of photo tours, workshops, programs, featured speakers and social activities. More detailed information can be found on the PSA website, [www.psa-photo.org](http://www.psa-photo.org) under the "PSA Conference" tab.

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