



Houston Camera Club

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

Projected Image Competition Meeting— Tuesday, April 6

6:30 By Video Conference

The projected image competition will be held via video conferencing this month. All members will receive an email with the link to the video conference the day before the meeting. You can sign into the meeting at 6:15 p.m. The judging begins at 6:30 p.m.

Please join us.

Program—Tuesday, April 20

Ray Viator—Exploring Houston

Ray Viator, an author and photographer, will be the speaker for our program meeting. Twenty years ago Ray began a personal photographic challenge—to capture moon shots around Houston. “I find the moon everywhere, hiding in plain sight,” He will show us some of the results of this effort. He also uses the full moon as a graphic icon in his new book, Space City USA.

In his presentation, he will discuss his work and the techniques he uses.

Ray was originally scheduled for February. We were able to reschedule him for this month. We hope you can join us for his presentation.

Glenn Sternes, Program Chair

**Spring Is Here.
Enjoy!!**

COMPETITION MEETING

Projected Images—April Tuesday, April 6, 2021

- **Projected Image Competition**—Enter two images in categories: Pictorial, Nature, Travel, Photojournalism. Only one image may be entered in a category.
- **Creative**—Enter one projected image.
- **Monochrome**—Enter one projected image.

Assignment: *High ISO—Not At Night* Enter one projected image.

Judges: Keith Goggin, Thejas Rajaram, Glenn Sternes

Competition Table: Marilyn Holloway

MAY COMPETITION

Projected Images: Send digital images to Marilyn Holloway at hccprojecion@gmail.com by Tuesday, April 27, 2021

May Assignment: *This Is Why I Photograph*

Calendar—Upcoming Activities

April 6	Video Competition—Projected Images
April 20	Video Program—Exploring Houston
April 27	Deadline—May Projected Image Submissions

Upcoming Assignments

May	This Is Why I Photograph
June	Childhood Remembrance
July	Silhouette

Assignments for 2021—2022

Thank you to **Bill Dupré** for next year's assignments. Images for the 2021—2022 assignments may be taken beginning **June 1, 2021**

July	Silhouette
August	In the garden
September	Songbird (not raptor or shorebird)
October	Moody
November	Still life (after the Great Masters)
December	Leaf
January	Funny
February	Purple (color)
March	Naturally occurring group of five
April	Abstract art
May	Motion
June	This looks like... ie. image of something that resembles something else

HCC Scavenger Hunt

For many years, our club participated each spring in a shootout with a San Antonio camera club. Participants always had a great time. Unfortunately, that ended several years ago.

The HCC Scavenger Hunt may replace some of the activities of the shootout.

Not all the details have been finalized. As soon as they are, you will receive an email with more information.

The event will begin in mid-April. Get your camera ready. You are going to want to have it handy.

Photographer Saying:

"To me, photography is an art of observation. It's about finding something interesting in an ordinary place... I've found it has little to do with the things you see and everything to do with the way you see them."

Elliott Erwitt

HCC Club Elections

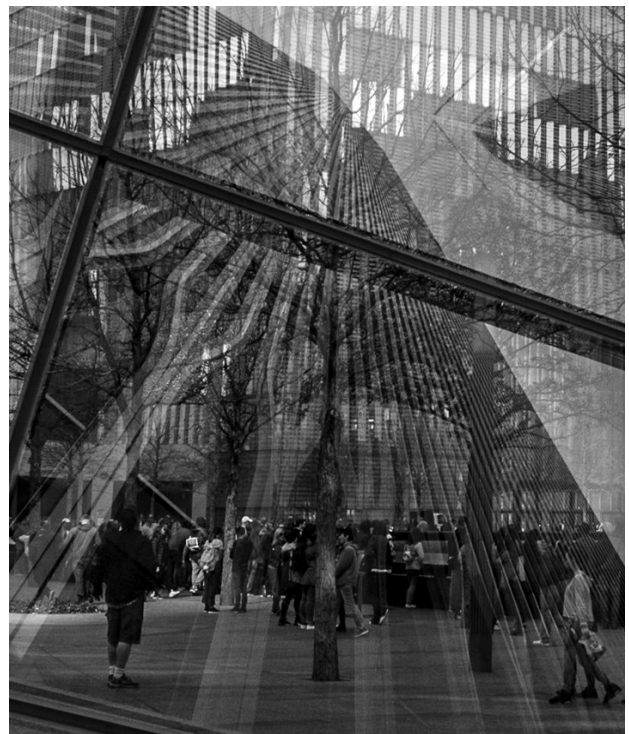
Club elections will be held at the competition meeting in June. Elections will be held for the positions of President, First and Second Vice Presidents, Club Secretary, and Treasurer. The proposed slate of officers will be announced in May.

Our club is run by volunteers. If there is a position as an officer or for another job in the club you would like to do, please contact Terry Rutledge, our President.



The Night Begins To Shine

By: Jai Shet



NYC Reflection

By: Buz Cabral

Projected Images

March Competition Results

Judged March 2, 2021

Judges: Mark Katz, Marcia Raskin, Terry Rutledge

Pictorial Category – 4 entries

1 st (24 pts)	Five Millimeter Jumping Spider	J. Shet
2 nd (22 pts)	Seedlet	F. Cabral
3 rd (21 pts)	Carl Bohms Hungarian Dance	M. Holloway
(18 pts)	Not User Friendly Country	J. Lumb

Nature Category – 4 entries

1 st (23 pts)	Triumphant Versus Defeated	M. Holloway
2 nd (22 pts)	Busy Bird	N. Shet
	Scissor-tailed Flycatcher	J. Klehm
3 rd (17 pts)	Grass	T. Rutledge

Photojournalism Category – 1 entry

1 st (21 pts)	Where's The Ball	J. Klehm
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Travel Category – 5 entries

1 st (22 pts)	One With The Milky Way	N. Shet
2 nd (21 pts)	Mesa Arch Sunrise	J. Shet
3 rd (20 pts)	Sant Joan De Caselles Church	T. Rutledge
(18 pts)	Mission Santa Ines Archade	J. Lumb
(17 pts)	Destin Florida	F. Cabral

Creative Category – 4 entries

1 st (22 pts)	Abandoned In The Desert	M. Holloway
2 nd (20 pts)	Oil In Water	F. Cabral
	Opuntia Blossom	J. Lumb
	Slinky Descending	T. Rutledge

Monochrome Category – 5 entries

1 st (21 pts)	NYC Reflection	F. Cabral
2 nd (19 pts)	One World Trade Center	J. Shet
3 rd (18 pts)	Downtown Sunset	T. Rutledge
	Sepia Raleigh Old House	J. Lumb
(15 pts)	California Mountains	J. Klehm

Assignment Category *Song Title* – 2 entries

Winner	The Night Begins To Shine	J. Shet
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Prints —Quarterly Competitions

Judged March 24, 2021

Judges: Gwen Kunz, John Lumb, Henry Peterman

January Competition Results

Pictorial Category – 4 entries

1 st (24 pts)	Fall Harvest	M. Holloway
2 nd (23 pts)	Notre Dame De Quebec Basilica Cathedral	G. Kunz
3 rd (20 pts)	Hand Brake Tested	T. Rutledge
(18 pts)	Sunrise on Casa Grande Peak	J. Lumb

Nature Category – 2 entries

1 st (23 pts)	Anhinga Surfaced With Impaled Fish	M. Holloway
2 nd (20 pts)	Cedar Waxwing	J. Klehm

Photojournalism Category – 2 entries

1 st (21 pts)	Safe At First	J. Klehm
2 nd (20 pts)	Flamenco Dancer	G. Kunz

Travel Category – 1 entry

1 st (18 pts)	Bowhead Whale Jawbones	J. Lumb
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Creative Category – 4 entries

1 st (23 pts)	Two Photographers	M. Holloway
2 nd (21 pts)	Bridge Arouond The Corner	T. Rutledge
3 rd (20 pts)	Green Petals	G. Kunz
(17 pts)	Fishing Boats Waiting for Fishermen	J. Lumb

Monochrome Category – 3 entries

1 st (21 pts)	Remains Of The Council City RR	J. Lumb
	White Crowned Sparrow	J. Klehm
2 nd (17 pts)	Gear	T. Rutledge

Unlimited Category – 1 entry

1 st (23 pts)	Me Mama, Me	J. Klehm
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Assignment Category *Long, Tall Shadows* – 2 entries

Winner	A Self Portrait Plus One	J. Klehm
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Prints —Quarterly Competitions

February Competition Results

Pictorial Category – 2 entries

1 st (21 pts)	Fallen Windmill Ruined Ranch House	J. Lumb
2 nd (18 pts)	Park Bench At Sunset	T. Rutledge

Nature Category – 1 entry

1 st (25 pts)	Hummingbird Attacks Flower	J. Klehm
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Photojournalism Category – 2 entries

1 st (23 pts)	Focused on His Goal	M. Holloway
2 nd (20 pts)	A&M Football Team Entrance	J. Klehm

Travel Category – 2 entries

1 st (20 pts)	Red Rocks Overlook	G. Kunz
	A-Bomb-damaged Buildings (really)	J. Lumb

Creative Category – 3 entries

1 st (25 pts)	Lost And Naked	M. Holloway
2 nd (21 pts)	Broken Egg	G. Kunz
3 rd (17 pts)	Through the Mug	T. Rutledge

Monochrome Category – 4 entries

1 st (23 pts)	Bannack MT School & Masonic Lodge	J. Lumb
2 nd (21 pts)	Pearl Brewery Hotel Emmo	G. Kunz
	Taps	J. Klehm
3 rd (18 pts)	Nets Drying	T. Rutledge

Unlimited Category – 1 entry

1 st (23 pts)	Mad Mama Eagle	J. Klehm
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Assignment Category *Wabi-Sabi* – 2 entries

Winner	Aging Gracefully	M. Holloway
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Prints —Quarterly Competitions Continued

March Competition Results

Pictorial Category – 4 entries

1 st (23 pts)	Paphiopedilum Orchid	J. Klehm
	Palm Springs Resort	G. Kunz
2 nd (22 pts)	Heights Blvd Fence	T. Rutledge
3 rd (19 pts)	Orchids	U. Atkinson

Nature Category – 2 entries

1 st (24 pts)	Fawn's First Milk	M. Holloway
2 nd (21 pts)	Ibis Catches Crab	J. Klehm

Photojournalism Category – 1 entry

1 st (24 pts)	Eyes on the Finish Line	M. Holloway
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Travel Category – 0 entries

Creative Category – 3 entries

1 st (23 pts)	Can You See Me?	G. Kunz
	Montana Bison	J. Lumb
2 nd (22 pts)	Olivia	T. Rutledge

Monochrome Category – 2 entries

1 st (22 pts)	Mad Eagle	J. Klehm
2 nd (20 pts)	Iznik Gate	T. Rutledge

Unlimited Category – 1 entry

1 st (21 pts)	Gerber's Baby Food	J. Klehm
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Assignment Category *Song Title* – 2 entries

Winner	Don't Be Cruel	M. Holloway
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Triamphant Versus Defeated By: Marilyn Holloway



PSA Interclub Competitions

February, 2021 Judged on 15 point scale

PSA PID Open

Judged By: Photography Club of Beaufort

Steam Punk Pirate	10 pts**	Thejas Rajaram
Next Door Neighbor	10 pts	Jai Shet
Orangutan	9 pts	Buz Cabra
Unzipped	9 pts	Marilyn Holloway
Hungry Green Heron	9 pts	Julius Klehm
Grazing Sheep at Sunset	9 pts	Neil Shet

**** Thejas** received an Honorable Mention for his image. Congratulations.

PSA Nature

Judged By: Loveland Photographic Society

Sun Diffraction Spikes	13 pts**	Neil Shet
Nothing Wasted	10 pts	Marilyn Holloway
Prarie Dog At Lunch	10 pts	Terry Rutledge
Hungry Osprey	7 pts	Julius Klehm
Giant Swallowtail Butterfly	6 pts	Buz Cabral
Inferno	3 pts	Jai Shet

**** Neil** received an Honorable Mention for his image. Congratulations.

PSA Photojournalism

Flipping on a Wakeboard	9 pts	Marilyn Holloway
Ya Gotta Be Flexible	9 pts	Terry Rutledge
Considering a Way Out	6 pts	Jai Shet
Its Been a Long Day	6 pts	Bill Dupré
Pro Columbia Demonstratn	6 pts	John Lumb
Wildlife Release	6 pts	Julius Klehm

PSA PID Creative

House Movers	8 pts	Marilyn Holloway
Mine Machinery	8 pts	John Lumb
Purple Bloom	7 pts	Bill Dupré
Enchanted Rainforest	6 pts	Jai Shet
Spirit of Childhood	5 pts	Thejas Rajaram
Orleans	3 pts	Terry Rutledge

GSCCC Interclub Competitions

March, 2021 Lafayette Photographic Society

Judged on 15 point scale.

GSCCC Color Images

Tree Branch	13 pts	Buz Cabral
The Night Begins To Shine	11 pts	Jai Shet
Abonded In The Desert	10 pts	Marilyn Holloway
Andean Hikers	8 pts	Bill Dupré

GSCCC Monochrome

Squaw Peak	11 pts	Terry Rutledge
NYC Reflection	9 pts	Buz Cabral
Courthouse Tower	8 pts	Neil Shet
Considering A Way Out	3 pts	Jai Shet Disqualified

GSCCC Nature

Triumphant Versus Defeated	14 pts**	Marilyn Holloway
Giant Swallowtail Butterfly	12 pts	Buz Cabral
Sun Diffraction Spikes	12 pts	Neil Shet
Hungry Osprey	10 pts	Julius Klehm

**** Marilyn** received a 3rd place award for her image. Congratulations.

GSCCC Photojournalism

Focused On His Goal	14 pts**	Marilyn Holloway
Where's The Ball	13 pts##	Julius Klehm
Honeymooners Selfie	10 pts	Bill Dupré
Considering A Way Out	8 pts	Jai Shet

**** Marilyn** received an 1st Honorable Mention for her image

Julius received a 2nd Honorable Mention for his image

Congratulations to you both.

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