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

Competition Meeting—Tuesday, June 6

7:00 At Bayland

Our competition meeting will be held at Bayland. It starts at 7:00 p.m. and will conclude by 9:00 p.m.

This is the last competition for the 2022-2023 year.

We are looking forward to seeing you. If you are not feeling well, please stay home and take care of yourself.

Refreshments: Henry Peterman

Program, Tuesday, June 20

To Be Announced

Topic, Time and Location to be announced

Program Chair—Glenn Sternes

Field Trip, Saturday, June 10

National Museum of Funeral History

10:00 a.m.

This museum has won several Best of Houston awards including Best Museum, Readers Choice in 2021. There are a number of permanent exhibits. And, there are some very interesting images waiting to be seen and taken here.

Currently there is a special exhibit—"The Most Famous Burial of All Time - Presenting a certified copy of the Shroud of Turin"

See web site: <https://www.nmfh.org/>

415 Barren SpringsDr., Houston, 77090

Entry fees: Adults: \$15
Seniors (55+) / Veterans: \$12
Children (ages 6 to 11): \$7
Children (5 and under): Free

Equipment: Bring an intermediate telephoto lens--70--200 mm. Tripods are allowed.

Terry Rutledge, Field Trip Leader

COMPETITION MEETING

Tuesday, June 6, 2023

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

- **Print Competition**—Enter two images in categories: Pictorial, Nature, Travel, Photojournalism. Only one image may be entered in a category.
- **Creative and Monochrome**—Enter one projected image and/or one print in each category.
- **Unlimited Prints** —Enter one print.
- **Critique Only**—Enter one projected image.
- **Assignment: Repetition** —Enter one projected image and/or one print.

Judges:

Bill Dupré , Terry Rutledge, Keith Phillips

Competition Table: Marilyn Holloway

JULY COMPETITION

Projected Images: Send digital images to Marilyn Holloway at hccprojection@gmail.com by Tuesday, July 4, 2023

Calendar—Upcoming Activities

June 6	Competition Meeting—Bayland
June 10	Field Trip—National Museum Funeral History
June 20	Program —To Be Announced
June 27	Deadline— Year-end Projected Image Submissions
July 4	Deadline—July Projected Image Submissions
July 11	Competition Meeting for July—Bayland

Upcoming Assignments

July Into The Sun
August Mostly Black (or Dark)
September Panoramic

You may begin taking all 2023—2024 assignment images **June 1**.

Elections For 2023-2034

Elections will be held at the Competition Meeting on June 6. The following is the proposed slate of officers:

President	John Niemand
1st Vice President, Programs	Ramiro Sanchez
2nd Vice President , Workshops	Bill Burychka
Secretary	Bill Dupre
Treasurer	Gwen Kunz

Additional nominations for all positions will be accepted from the floor at the election

Please attend so you can make your vote count.

Architectural Award

John Niemand won the Architectural Award for 2022-2023 with his image, Space Needle at Twilight.

Congratulations, John.



Space Needle at Twilight

By: John Niemand

May Competition Results

Judged May 2, 2023

Judges: Malcolm McCorquodale, John Niemand, Terry Rutledge

Projected Images

Pictorial Category – 4 entries

1 st (20 pts)	Brer Rabbit Lectures His Peeps	T. Rutledge
	Hidden Ginger	F. Cabral
2 nd (19 pts)	Pretty In White	B. Dupré
	Zoo Twins	C. Edwards

Nature Category – 3 entries

1 st (22 pts)	Heading Back To Sea	F. Cabral
2 nd (21 pts)	Pollen Collector	T. Rutledge
3 rd (20pts)	Sunset Behind Soaptree	K. Phillips

Photojournalism Category – 1 entry

1 st (21 pts)	It's The Eyes!	B. Dupré
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Travel Category – 3 entries

1 st (19 pts)	Old Capital	M. Holloway
	Poodle Rock	C. Edwards
2 nd (17 pts)	CGI Building Lafayette	J. Klehm

Creative Category – 2 entries

1 st (19 pts)	Vortex	F. Cabral
2 nd (18 pts)	Erie Pennsylvania Harbor	T. Rutledge

Monochrome Category – 4 entries

1 st (19 pts)	Foggy Night	F. Cabral
	Nautical Lines	B. Dupré
	Open Doorway	J. Klehm
2 nd (18 pts)	Carved Tassels	T. Rutledge

Assignment Category *Foreground Interest* – 3 entries

Winner	The Rockin' Diamond	B. Dupré
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Prints

Pictorial Category – 1 entry

1 st (21 pts)	Pink And Yellow Tulips	H. Peterman
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Nature Category – 0 entries

Photojournalism Category – 1 entry

1 st (17 pts)	Christmas Cleanup	J. Niemand
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Travel Category – 0 entries

Creative Category – 0 entries

Prints continued

Monochrome Category – 1 entry

1 st (17 pts)	McNay Art Museum Staircase	J. Niemand
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Unlimited Category – 0 entries

Assignment Category *Foreground Interest* —1 entry

Winner	Flower Show Foreground Interest	J. Klehm
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It's The Eyes!

By: Bill Dupré



Hidden Ginger

By: Buz Cabral



PSA Interclub Competitions

No Results Reported

GSCCC Interclub Competitions

No Results Reported



Pollen Collector

By: Terry Rutledge

Year-End Competition for 2022-2023

June is the last competition of our club year, 2022-2023. The year-end competition is coming up. Here is what to expect and various deadlines that you need to meet.

Beginning now, today, you should start to locate the images you submitted to competition in the last year. Focus on your projected images first, since the deadline for submitting your projected images comes first.

By **June 20**, you will receive an email from **Bill Dupré**, our club Secretary, with a list of images eligible for your year-end submissions. This list will include all projected images and prints submitted.

June 27 is the deadline to submit **projected images** for the year-end competition. Send your selections to

hccprojection@gmail.com

In the subject line of your submission email, include "Year-End".

You may submit one image for each projected image category, Pictorial, Nature, Photojournalism, Travel, Creative, and Monochrome.

July 11, at the July Competition Meeting, give your **print selections** to **Leslie Niemand**. For Year-end prints, you may submit one image from each print category Pictorial, Nature, Photojournalism, Travel, Creative, Monochrome and Unlimited.

If you can't make this meeting but have prints to submit for year-end, please contact Leslie to make other arrangements.

The year-end results will be announced and awards presented at the annual awards banquet, **August 15**.



Sunset Behind Soap tree By: Keith Phillips

Photographer Saying:

"A picture is a secret about a secret, the more it tells you the less you know."

Diane Arbus

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