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A Newsletter for the Sioux City Camera Club

Summer 2002

Welcome to Summer

The summer is vacation time for the Sioux City Camera Club. However, many members are still involved in summer activities. Summer is also a time when many club members shot a wide variety of creative photos for the upcoming 2002-2003 year. Good luck and good shooting!

◆ NOTE: See page 5 for information on Bob Gillespie's photo exhibit at the Daily Grind.

◆ **The next issue of this newsletter is set for August 1 with registration info on the upcoming N4C Convention in Sioux falls**

Focus on Fun Update

The final results of the 1st year of the Focus on Fun program show that while the numbers of participants was not what I expected the quality of the photos presented were excellent.

On June 8th at the Southern Hills Mall we had a presentation to announce the winners of the 1st Annual Photography Appreciation Contest. We had eight entries into the contest, all from St. Michael's Hot Shots Camera Club. Michelle Schmidt was awarded 1st Place; Jordan Burger, 2nd Place; Kara Morrissey, 3rd Place and Jessica Peterson, 4th Place. Congratulations to all the winners and participants. We also awarded the other 4 entries Honorable Mention. Recognition certificates were given to each student.

I would like to thank the following prize sponsors: Arnold's Park Amusement Park; Sioux City Camera Club; Sportsman's Camera; and Harold's Camera. Also thanks to Southern Hills Mall.

We had press coverage of the event by KMEG-TV on the day of the event; KTIV-TV the day before the event; KMNS Talk Radio did an excellent interview with me and Michelle Schmidt, who eventually won the contest, the week before the awards presentation. They ran this story throughout the week leading up to the mall presentation. Thanks to all the media!



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Focus on Fun Update

I would like to thank the following individuals for helping me with this program: Bob Gillespie who was our educator for the East Middle School and contest judge, Darwin Sturdevant who was our educator at Woodrow Wilson Middle School and helped me with the showing at the mall, Terry Reed from the Sioux City Parks Department who helped with the organization of the program and mall event and Linda Lindusky from the Siouxland Convention Center.

We had three schools involved in the program: St. Michael's School, 10 students; East Middle School, 10 students; Woodrow Wilson Middle School, 12 students. I also would like to thank St. Michael's advisor Lori Schmidt for her neverending spirit and help with the students and their photo projects. Lori was very involved with her club and it made a big difference.

Plans are already in progress for next year. We have a commitment from all of the schools who participated last year as well as West Middle School, Hoover Middle School, and Blessed Sacrament School. We will still have the 5-week education program but will also have a variety of picture taking opportunities during the year based upon the students interest and each schools advisor.

◆ Any club member who would like to help with the program next year please contact me by August 1. We will have an organizational meeting in early August.

April 2002 Club Contest Results

Class A Color

1st Place

2nd Place

3rd Place

Hon. Mention

Hon. Mention

Hon. Mention

Steve Paulson

Chuck Peterson

Ron Nicolls

Chuck Peterson

Larry Crabb

Steve Paulson

In the Glow

Home from the Hills

Stopped at the old Mill

Smokey Mountain Stream #5

Native Aussie

Hoosier Cathedral



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Class B Color

1st Place

2nd Place

3rd Place

Hon. Mention

Hon. Mention

Hon. Mention

Vernice Kingsbury

Phillis Gillespie

Vernice Kingsbury

Jeana Paulson

Marti Peterson

Jeana peterson

Heavy Load

Sunset on Liberty

Well Lighted

Bug-Eyed

Italian Doorway

Ambulance Blues

Class B B & W

1st Place

2nd Place

3rd Place

Hon. Mention

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Steve Paulson

Brad Rieckhoff

Robert Gillespie

Francis Kingsbury

Francis Kingsbury

Robert Gillespie

Down the Spiral Stairs

The Web of Light

Bozeman Elevator

Cycle at Rest

Badlands

Miner Cabin

2 x 2 Slides

1st Place

2nd Place

2nd Place

4th Place

Hon. Mention

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Larry Crabb

Jim Hollander

Randy Williams

Fran Kingsbury

Larry Crabb

Steve Paulson

Sunrise at the Rock

Pink Lilly

Post

Surf Lines

Superior View

Mr. Majestic # 2

N4C Pictorial Slides May 2002

Merit Award

Randall Williams

Swamp Frog

N4C Nature Slide May 2002

Third Place

Merit Award

Merit Award

Randall Williams

Jim Hollander

Roger VanKlompenberg

Climbing Kid

Honey Bee

Full Rack



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Sioux City Camera Club Holds Annual Banquet and Awards Ceremony

Editor's Note: This Press Release was sent to the SC Journal. I don't know if they ran it or not.

Sioux City--The Sioux City Camera Club held its annual banquet and awards ceremony May 7 at the First Presbyterian Church.

The banquet program included a special video presentation "Celebrate What's Right With the World" with DeWitt Jones a long time renowned photographer for National Geographic.

Steve Paulson was honored as the Photographer of the Year based upon points earned in the club's monthly photography contests and North Central Camera Club Council monthly competition.

Officers were also announced along with photographs of the year in a variety of categories judged during the year as well as special category and honorary photography contests. Former Sioux City Journal photographer Gary Anderson judged the contests.

Officers for the upcoming 2002-2003 year which starts in September are: Jim Hollander, president; Connie Wahlstrom, vice-president; Larry Crabb, treasurer; and Carl Hardy, newsletter editor.

Winners in the print categories were Paula Warp, Class A black and white; Connie Wahlstrom, Class B black and white; Steve Paulson and Fran Kingsbury, Class A color; Roger Van Klompenburg, Class B color.

Winners in the slide category were Ron Nicolls, 2 x 2 slide; Vernice Kingsbury, 2 1/4 slide; Larry Crabb, 2 x 2 slide open class.

The Grant Jensen Award for outstanding black and white print was awarded to Fran Kingsbury. The Bob Tjebben Award for outstanding color print went to Roger Van Klompenburg.

The Lee Meis Award for outstanding 2 x 2 slide went to Vernice Kingsbury and Steve Peterman won the best nature slide.



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Club Member Bob Gillespie Exhibits Photos at Daily Grind

The photography exhibit "Beyond Human Sight" by Robert E. Gillespie opened June 29, 2002 at the Daily Grind in Sioux City, IA. The exhibit will be available for viewing through July 2002.

This all-new collection of black: & white infrared photographs depict a mid range of subjects including Montana ghost towns, landscapes, old trucks, railroad cars, and local landmarks such as the Three Arches Park. Infrared photographs capture the spectrum, immediately above visible light. All of the photographs were produced using time tested chemical processes (not digital). They are archival for 100 years plus.

The photographer has exhibited locally and nationally. His photograph entitled "They Never Came Home" won Best of Show in Black & White and 1st Place in Black & White places at the 2001 Iowa State Fair. That picture was recently made a part of the Sioux City Art Center's permanent collection.