



Sioux Scope

A Newsletter for the Sioux City Camera Club

Spring 2003

Thanks From Carl Hardy

◆ Thanks for allowing me the opportunity to be your Sioux City Scope for the past two years. I hope this newsletter has served you well. I am glad we are able to use the e-mail and computer technology to create and distribute this newsletter.

Year End 2003 Awards

2 x 2 Slides

2 x 2 Slide of the Year

Paula Warp

“Airstreamed Chief”

2 x 2 Nature Slide of the Year

Jim Hollander

“Mom Wait for Me”

2 x 2 Open Slide of the Year

Robert Gillespie

“63rd Street # 6”

2 1/4 Slides

2 1/4 Slide of the Year

Randall Williams

“West Thumb”

2 1/4 Lee Meis Slide of the Year

Ron Nicolls

“Rose 95”

Prints

Class A Color Print of the Year

Fran Kingsbury

“High Perch”

Class B Color Print of the Year

Connie Wahlstrom

“The Eye of the Flamingo”

Class A B & W Print of the Year

Robert Gillespie

“Grand Teton”

Class B B & W Print of the Year

Connie Wahlstrom

“Out West”

Bob Tjebben Color Print of the Year

Fran Kingsbury

“Proud Warrior”

Grant Jensen B & W Print of the Year

Steve Paulson

“Ball Ideal”

Congratulations to Steve Paulson

◆ Congratulations to Steve Paulson for earning the title of Sioux City Camera Club “Photographer of the Year”. According to President Jim Hollander the competition for this award was very tight.

◆ Steve’s accomplishments are numerous and his dedication to the art of photography and willingness to help others with his expertise make this award a fitting tribute. Thanks Steve!



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**ANNUAL CONVENTION NORTH CENTRAL COUNCIL OF CAMERA CLUBS SEPTEMBER 5-6-7, 2003
Bigwood Event Center, Fergus Falls, Minnesota Hosted by Heart O' Lakes Camera Club**

- ◆ HOLCC is looking forward to seeing you. A great convention is planned --- great tours, education and speakers. It will be a good time for you to meet new, friends and get reacquainted with old friends.
- ◆ Plus September in Minnesota is beautiful --- the sumac will be bright red, the prairies will be speckled with yellow flowers, the weather will be mild and the snow, is still a few, months away Otter Tail County offers great photo opportunities including lakes rivers wildlife woods, prairies and scenic historic sites. Otter Tail County and Fergus Falls are in Western Minnesota on the divide of eastern hardwood forests and western prairies. There are over 1000 lakes in Otter Tail County! Plan on spending an extra day before or after the convention.
- ◆ This year's convention is at the new! Bigwood Event Center. The Bigwood Center was completed in 2001 and has become the convention center for eastern Minnesota. The attached Best Western Hotel was completely remodeled at the same time. Each guest room, the pool area, the exercise room, the lounge and restaurant were all updated. The rooms are light and airy. Both the hotel and the event center have gone out of their way to welcome us! The convention rate of \$69 per room is guaranteed through August 15th. Call the hotel at 800-293-2216 and ask for the N4C rate.
- ◆ Saturday banquet: The highlight, of course will be the awards ceremony. But the fellowship, a great meal and a slide presentation from Roland Jordahl of Pelican Rapids, Minnesota will be top notch. Roland, afield editor for Birds-n-Blooms has a long career in teaching photography as well as winning many awards. His presentation is titled My Approach to Nature ~ Wildlife Photography. The banquet entree will be your choice of roast prime rib, marinated chicken breast broiled walleye . . . all served with salad, roll, baked potato and glazed carrots. Vegetable primavera will also be available.
- ◆ Sunday morning: A buffet brunch of scrambled eggs, bacon, oven-browned potatoes pastries assorted fruit, and coffee is planned. All for only \$10. We will have a special presentation just before the business meeting and election. Plan on attending this convention finale.
- ◆ We look forward to seeing you in September!
- ◆ Co-chairs Tom Smith and Cora Nelson Heart O' Lakes Camera Club
- ◆ Registration information: www.fergusphotos.com/link.htm
- ◆ After June 1st be sure to check Heart O' Lakes Camera Club web site for convention information and updates? www.ffvision.com/n4C/