Dear Fellow Club Members,

Last night I received a phone call from David Carr in Florida. He called to inform me of his mother's death. Margaret Barnes was born in Newton, NJ, on November 1, 1912, and died on Sunday, March 20, 2005, at the wonderful age of over 92 years.

Margaret has been acknowledged around the world for her marvelous photography, and is especially remembered for her delightful portraits of young children and pets. She was a founding member of Morris Photocolor Club which was incorporated in October 1953. In November of 1956, Morris Photocolor Club joined PSA (Photographic Society of America). It was Margaret Barnes APSA, NJFC, of Morris Plains, who forced PSA continually to create new plateaus for exhibition competitors. Margaret, until 2002, held the highest achievement in color slide history for PSA. Martin Bruce, now of Florida, was friend and an arch-rival on the exhibition circuit, and has finally equaled her achievement. It is less well recognized that Margaret also had achieved several stars in nature.

She leaves behind a wonderful legacy for Morris Photocolor Club members. She was a strong personality and beloved of her family. She was devoted to her two sons, Tom and David Carr, Lois, her daughter-in-law, and her grandchildren. She died in Maine, not far from her summer cottage at New Harbor, where she did much of her superb photography.

She will be missed by many. It was a privilege to have known her.

Marian Boyer

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A Tribute to Margaret Barnes APSA, NJFC

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Organized for the mutual enjoyment and advancement of photography in New Jersey.
Upcoming Events / ANNOUNCEMENTS

Positions opening in May 2005:

1. **Cable Release Editor**: Any club or other organization newsletter person available? Familiarity with MS Publisher a plus (the current format) but not required. Questions, contact Tommyzee Tinsley at 973-385-2770 or cablerelease@njfcc.org

2. **NJFCC Print Chair**: Normally only 3 contests a year (Fall, Spring & TOPS). Position and function of chair is to offer club members an additional opportunity for image evaluations by a 3 judge panel. Familiarity with MS WORKS a plus but not required. Questions, contact John Davidson @ 973-625-4820 or twojaydeesnj@aol.com

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**Feb 6 - May 15, 2005** - *Edward Weston: A Legacy* Photographic Masterworks on View at Montclair Art Museum. Weston (1886-1958) was renowned as one of the masters of 20th-century photography. His legacy includes several thousand printed photographs that have influenced photographers around the world for 60 years. Call (973) 746-5555, ext. 234; to request images, ext. 218. Admission: $5 member child, $7 non-member child, adults pay regular Museum admission.

**May 7** - Nature Photography Seminar; Presented by: Camera Naturalist Photo Club at the Environmental Education Center in Basking Ridge, NJ; Cost: $30 if Registered by May 1st or $35 at the Door; Register by Calling: (908) 766-2489
New Jersey Federation Citations - Citations will be presented at the Federation Convention in November. This is the highest commendation that can be bestowed on those who have advanced photography in New Jersey through their demonstrated proficiency and widespread service to other individuals and clubs. Deadline for submissions is Sept. 15, 2005. Copies of the application are available under the "NJ Citation" tab of the website "www.njfcc.org".

Upcoming Mentor Series-Workshops from Popular Photography

2004   
New Orleans   Dec 3-5   Mentors: Lou Jones & Peter Turnley  
Yosemite     Dec 10-12  Mentors: Vincent Versace & Moose Peterson

2005   
Tahiti       Jan 15-22  Mentors: Steve McCurry & Henry Diltz  
San Francisco Jan 28-30  Mentors: Barbara Kinney & Vincent Versace  
Japan        March 20-30  Mentor: Moose Peterson & Mark Edward Harris  
Kentucky     Apr 15-17  Mentors: Adam Jones & Phil Mistry  
Croatia      Apr 21-May 1 Mentors: Reed Hoffmann  
Mediterranean Cruise May 14-21 Mentors: Jack Reznicki & Rick Sammon  
Alabama      June 3-5  Mentors: Lou Jones & Rob Van Petten  
Pennsylvania Wilds June 24 - 26  Mentors: Rick Sammon & John Reddy  
Thailand     July 18-26  Mentors: Rosanne Pennella & Wolfgang Kaehler  
Montana      Aug 31 – Sept 5  Mentors: Adam Jones, John Reddy & Moose Peterson  
Switzerland  Oct 26 – Nov 4  Mentors: Darrell Gulin & Adam Jones
The following is the list of upcoming competitions for the 2004-2005 season. The first date listed is the date the prints/slides are due to the competition chair. The second date listed is the competition date, hosted by the noted club. Please see the NJFCC Competition Flyer for guidelines. The Flyer is available in PDF form for download at our website, http://www.njfcc.org/.

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*Please send entries to the appropriate chairperson

**NJFCC CLUB**

PRINT chair competition packet - A Downloadable file is available on the website to club NJFCC competition chairs as a backup copy for the ‘hard copy’ version of the competition packet. This packet replaces last seasons version.
**Upcoming NJFCC MEMBER Club Meetings**

**Cam Nat:** Apr 21 – 7:30pm - Competition: Open and Assigned topic: Wildflowers, Judge: Merle Waterman

**Central NJ:** May 5 – 7:30pm - Judge: Stanley Brick; Competition: Planes, Trains & Automobiles

**Cranford / Millburn:** Apr 25 – 7:30pm — Comp: “Color RED”; Judge Marie Kane (Millburn)

**Essex:** Apr 21 – 8pm - COMPETITION -Judge: Ben Venezio

**Gateway Camera:** Apr 20 — Members Night

**Greenbriar:** “Show and Tell” with Art Einhorn, Member; Field Trip - Branch Brook Park and Paterson’s Great Falls

**Hillcrest:** Second and fourth Mondays - 7:45pm - at the Pilgrim Presbyterian Church, Phillipsburg, NJ

**Hub Camera:** Apr 25- 7:45pm – Program: “Backyard / Birds” by Bill Ruppel

**Livingston:** Apr 25 - 7:45 - Program: “Composition”; Speaker: Dankwart Koehler

**Ms/M:** May 10 - 7:15 pm – Prog: "Pets, Editing Prints and Slides" Speaker: C. Haycock; Comp: "Through a Window"

**Monmouth:** - Apr 28 - 8 p.m. - SLIDE and PRINT COMPETITION – OPEN TOPIC, Judge: Judy Hellerman

**Morris:** Apr 22 – 7:45pm Snow Replacement Date

**Ocean:** May 2 - 8pm - Event Photos and Grab Shots

**Palisades:** First and third Tuesday of the month -September through June (excluding July and August)

**Pemberton - No info for this month**

**Photo, Society of S. Jersey:** Second Wednesday of each month at 7:30 PM

**Plainfield:** Apr 19 - Competition - PSA Nature - By Class - and Print Competition

**Raritan:** Apr 22 – Presentation: "Sports and Event Photography" by Larry Levanti;

**Ridgewood:** Apr 20 - Tri Club Comp: – Ridgewood hosts – Judges: Marian Boyer, Klaus-Dieter Schleim, Tom Icklin

**Somerset:** Apr 26 - Presentation: “Mysterious Russia” (Moscow, St. Petersburg and Volga River) by Ralph Baron

**S. Jersey CC:** Apr 19 – Photographing People & Ask The Expert Jay Greene, speaker & judge

**Sussex:** May 16 – Club Competition - Rules to be handed out in advance

**Teaneck:** Apr 19 – 8pm – Competition: Eighth Monthly Competition

**Tri-County:** Apr 19 - “Still Life & Glass” by Dorothy Otto
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