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PRESIDENTS NIGHT A SUCCESS!

The November Delegates Meeting was a roundly exciting and well attended meeting.

Beyond Delegates, the Watchung Arts Center was filled with Presidents from many of our NJFCC's Member Clubs.

NJFCC President announced a unanimous selection [of 18 of 26 clubs voting] for next year's Slate of Officers that includes:

Pres. David Mills
VP-1 Tibor Vari
VP-2 Roman Kurywczak
VP-3 Art Lee
Treas. Vinnie Kempf, NJFC
Sec'y. Marie Kane, NJFC
Trust-1 David Mills [President]
Trust-2 Rick Perkowsky [PP]
Trust-3 Marjorie Forrest, NJFC
Trust-4 Klaus-Dieter Schleim
Trust-5 Diane Dugan
Awards Committee:
Ben Venezia, Chair
George Hall
Jerry Fornarotto

Rick also noted that all other members of staff will remain in place.

Rick thanked Past President John Davidson for his help in assembling the candidates.

Roman Kurywczak, Photorama Chairperson, offered a status report. He noted that, while there will be two different presentations by the speakers and a one and one-half hour model shoot that will include indoor and outdoor shooting locations.

Competition Chairs Marie Kane [Slide] and Klaus-Dieter Schleim reported on the success of Fall events. [Results of the Nature Competition appear later in this issue.]

The highlight of the evening was, of course, the review of individual club activities, pre-

sented by the Club Presidents. Secretary Marie Kane took notes during these presentations and, hopefully, we'll be able to distribute them to the CR Liaison.

This meeting was Rick's last as President Officer of NJFCC. He has given of himself tirelessly to further the activities of the Federation.

We thank him for his service and look forward to his continued involvement as "Immediate Past President."

HAPPY HOLIDAYS

As is custom, there is no Delegates Meeting in December. However, we publish this December issue of Cable Release to provide our members with key alerts and, of course, information on scheduled activities of our Member Clubs in January. So, from President Rick Perkowsky and his Staff

**Best Wishes for a
Wonderful Holiday Season
and a Happy New Year!**

NJFCC proudly presents

Photorama 2007

Saturday, March 24, 2007
9:00 am till 5:00 pm

Location:

Monmouth University Wilson Hall
400 Cedar Ave. West Long Branch, NJ 07764

Featured speakers

Joe & Mary Ann McDonald

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and

Darrell Gulin

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*Registration begins at 8:00 am. *Seating is limited to the first 180 ticket holders

First speaker will begin promptly at 9:00 am

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RESULTS of the NJFCC 2006 39th FALL COMPETITION

Host: Tri-County Camera Club

Nutley, NJ

October 17, 2006

Judges: Dave Mills

Joe Thomas

Ben Venezia

TITLE	MAKER	CLUB	S/D	AWARD
Just a Quick Pose	Susan Candelario	Teaneck CC	D	M
Ferris Wheel Fantasy	Marie Kane	Ridgewood CC	D	MA
A Tender Moment	Susan Candelario	Teaneck CC	D	MA
The Pollinator	Susan Candelario	Teaneck CC	D	MA
Swirls to the Totem Pole	Tibor Vari	Teaneck CC	D	MA
Taking a Sip	Roman Kurywczak	Cranford/Millburn CC	S	MA
Passing the Corn Crib	Alice Gunther	Ridgewood CC	S	MA
Spiral	Ebel Monroy	Tri-County CC	D	HM
Stream in Autumn	Joe Giordano	Teaneck CC	D	HM
Kayaking Over the Falls	Peter O'Malley	Ridgewood CC	D	HM
Crane and Moon	Jerry Fornarotto	Tri-County CC	D	HM
Sunrise at East Mitten	Jerry Fornarotto	Tri-County CC	D	HM
Columbine #8	Vinnie Kempf	Ridgewood CC	D	HM
Such a Handsome Fellow	Rich Gheno	Ridgewood CC	D	HM
Golden Gate Fog	Roman Kurywczak	Cranford/Millburn CC	S	HM
Great White Heron #2	Ron Denk	Cranford/Millburn CC	S	HM
Standing Above the Mist	Lila Kirkwood	Plainfield CC	S	HM
It's Showtime	Harry Shi	Cranford/Millburn CC	S	HM
The Gates Reflected	Dotty Waxman	Teaneck CC	D	HM
Baldan Kaleidoscope	Skip Vandegrift	South Jersey CC	D	HM
Crocus	Dieter Steinmeyer	Ridgewood CC	D	HM
Fancy Lily Detail	Peter O'Malley	Ridgewood CC	D	HM
Carry a Big Stick	Marjorie Forrest	Ridgewood CC	D	HM
Going Home	Joe Placer	Ridgewood CC	D	HM
Monument Valley Near Sunset	Robert Kane	Ridgewood CC	D	HM
Water Lily Pair	Phil Echo	Tri-County CC	D	HM
Graceful Columbine	Della O'Malley	Ridgewood CC	D	HM
Autumn Colored Iris	Jill Booth	Essex Photo Club	S	HM
Squibber	Chuck Moore	Plainfield CC	S	HM
Pt. Judith Lighthouse	Toby Spector	Ridgewood CC	S	HM
A Perfect Formation	Ron Denk	Cranford/Millburn CC	S	HM
Entrapment	Chuck Moore	Plainfield CC	S	HM
Orchid	David DesRochers	Cranford/Millburn CC	S	HM
Bass Harbor Light	David DesRochers	Cranford/Millburn CC	S	HM
Racing at Sunset	Michael Mund	Essex Photo Club	S	HM

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Competition Statistics

Number of Clubs Participating:	10	Number of Qualifying Images:	140
Number of Slides:	50	Number of Digital Images:	91
Percentage of Slides:	35%	Percentage of Digital Images:	65%
Number of Awarded Slides:	14	Number of Awarded Digital Images:	21
Percentage of Awarded Slides:	28%	Percentage of Awarded Digital Images:	23%

Score:	Number:	Percentage:
27	0	0.0%
26	0	0.0%
25	0	0.0%
24	7	5.0%
23	11	7.9%
22	17	12.1%
21	25	17.9%
20	22	15.7%
19	32	22.9%
18	18	12.9%
17	5	3.5%
16	1	.7%
15	1	.7%
14	1	.7%
	140	100.00%

1	CLUB	AWARDS	TOTAL ENTRIES	TOTAL SCORE	AVERAGE
2	Cranford/Millburn CC	7	11	238	21.64
3	Essex CC	2	11	225	20.45
4	Gateway CC	0	0	0	NA
5	Hillcrest CC	0	18	343	19.06
6	HUB CC	0	0	0	NA
7	Livingston CC	0	0	0	NA
8	Mapleshade-Moorestown CC	0	3	56	18.67
9	Morris Photocolor	0	0	0	NA
10	Monmouth CC	0	15	285	19.00
11	Plainfield CC	3	10	207	20.70
12	Ridgewood CC	12	18	391	21.72
13	South Jersey CC	1	18	344	19.11
14	South Jersey PS	0	0	0	NA
15	Teaneck	6	18	372	20.67
16	Tri-County CC	4	18	361	20.06
		35	140	<i>2822</i>	

Roamin' with Roman

2007 Schedule

Arches / Monument Valley
April 26 - May 6 \$2,295
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Yosemite / San Francisco
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Yellowstone / Grand Tetons
September 20 - 30 \$1,895
Departs: Bozeman Montana

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PSA INTERCLUB DIGITAL COMPETITIONS

At the November Delegates Meeting, Jerry Fornarotto suggested that Member Clubs might want to participate in upcoming digital competitions being conducted by PSA.

He provided the following information:

Nature

There are 3 competitions per season.

Chair is Craig Hadfield

highlights@bobsbunker.net

or get info from PSA direct:

<http://www.psa-org/competitions/Interclub.html>

Pictorial

There are four competitions per season.

Chair is Bob Benson

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or get info from PSA direct:

<http://www.psa-photo.org/clubs.html>

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WHAT'S HAPPENIN' AT NJFCC Member Clubs In January 2007?

<u>Club</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Topic</u>	<u>Judge or Speaker</u>
Camera Naturalist	Somerset Co. Env Ed. Center	01/11/07	Digital Competition - Open and Assigned Topic: Close-Ups	Doug Goodell
Central NJ	Ray Dwier Centre Groveville		TBA	
Cranbury "Digital"	Princeton Ballet School - Milltown	01/10/07	TBA	
		01/24/07	TBA	
Cranford/Milburn	Community Center Cranford	01/08/07	Shoot the Best Image Possible	Brian Szabo
	Bauer Comm. Center Milburn	01/22/07	Competition Doors and Windows	Tibor Vari
Essex	Caldwell United Methodist Church		TBA	
			TBA	
Gateway	Staten Island		TBA	
Greenbriar @ Whittingham	G@W Towne Centre Monroe Township	01/03/07	TBA	
		01/17/07	Competition: Grandkids	
Hillcrest	Phillipsburg Pilgrim Presby. Church	01/08/07	Regular Competition .	Judging by members
		01/22/07	Learning presentation on some aspects of Digital Photography.	TBA
HUB	Mountain Lakes Library	01/22/07	Competition Windows and Doors	Chuck Moore
Livingston	Sr./Comm. Center Livingston	01/08/07	#4 Competition plus Creative	Vinnie Kempf
		01/22/07	Before and After Images	Rick Perkowsky
Mapleshade/Moorestown	Mapleshade Municipal Building	01/09/07	Photoshop Workshop	David Warren
Monmouth	Colt's Neck Reformed Church	01/11/07	Digital Presentation Africa	Vinnie Kempf
Morris	AT&T Building Florham Park	01/03/07	Nepal	Steve Mosseau
		01/17/07	Competition Open Pictorial; Open Pictorial Print	Vinnie Kempf
Ocean County	Lakewood High School	01/05/07	December Competition	Heinz Otto
		01/12/07	EID Competition	Elena McTighe
		01/20/07	Digital Photoshop	Sal Tozzi
Palisades	Palisades Medical Center	01/02/07	TBA	
		01/16/07	Competition	
Photographers of Sussex County	Sussex Co. Fairgrounds	01/15/07	Show Results of Fall Assignment Business and Industry; Cityscape	
Photographic Soc. of So. Jersey	ACUA Bldg. Egg Harbor		TBA	
Photographic Soc of Vineland	Christ Church Newfield		TBA	

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Plainfield	Provident Bank Fanwood	01/03/07	TBA	
		01/16/07	TBA	
Raritan Photographic Society	Library East Brunswick	01/11/07	Competition Repetition and Patterns	
	EB High School	01/25/07	Bird Photography	Douglas Goodell
Ridgewood	Women's Club Wyckoff	01/03/07	Executive Committee Meeting	
		01/10/07	Competition Pictorial #3	Walter Oliver
		01/17/07	Competition Nature #3	Joe Thomas, NJFC
		01/24/07	Program #3 Barnyard Birds and Wildlife	Bill Ruppel
		01/31/07	Competition Print #3	David Mills
Somerset County	Co. Library Bridgewater	01/10/07	Competition Open and Bridges	TBA
		01/23/07	Members Critique Night	
South Jersey	Medford Leas Community Center		TBA	
Teaneck	Roda Rec Center Teaneck	01/02/07	Holiday Party	
		01/09/07	Fun with Photoshop Blending Moods and Minutia	Greg Miller
		01/16/07	Third Pictorial Competition	Phil Echo
		01/23/07	How to Read Your Histogram	Tibor Vari
		01/30/07	Executive Board Meeting	
Tri - County	Nutley High School	01/02/07	Competition Nature #3	David DesRochers
		01/09/07	Competition Prints #3	Stanley Kantor
		01/16/07	Digital Forum	Members
Vailsburg	Springfield		TBA	