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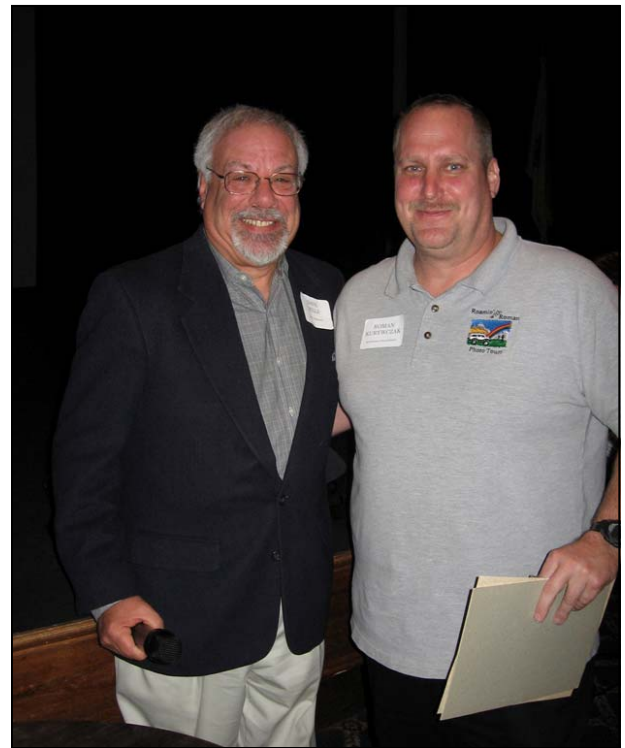
The New Jersey Federation of Camera Clubs presents an honor, the NJFCC Citation, to those who have advanced photography in the state of NJ. The Federation has established the policy of awarding public recognition to individuals who have made major contributions to the advancement of the art and science of photography in the State of New Jersey. This award is identified as the NJFCC Citation and it is the highest individual honor bestowed by the Federation.

The award was bestowed on Dr. Phil Echo and Roman Kurywczak at this year's Photorama.

The 2007-08 Awards committee consisted of Ben Venezia, Gordon Emrich and George Hall.



Dr. Phil Echo with President Dave Mills



Roman Kurywczak with President Dave Mills

YEAR'S END 2008

Most of our member club take the summer off and, accordingly, this will be the last issue of Club Year 2007-08. We hope everyone has a great vacation time.

Please check over the Club Schedule for June. We had some difficulty opening a number of web sites this month; these are the primary sources of the schedule information we offer in Cable Release.

Last month, we presented Roman Kurywczak's article on photographing Star Trails. We hope to present more articles of this type next year as ask that you send yours in for consideration.

Have a great summer!

RESULTS OF THE NJFCC SPRING NATURE COMPETITION

Host: Photographic Society of South Jersey

Egg Harbor Township, NJ

April 9, 2008

Judges: Annie Arena
Bob Paxson
Don Taggart

GENERAL

| PHOTOGRAPHER | CLUB | TITLE | D/S | AWARD |
|-----------------|------------------------------|--------------------------|-----|-------|
| Jeff Norton | Teaneck Camera Club | Convict Lake | D | Medal |
| Ben Venezia | Camera Naturalist Photo Club | Sunset at West Thumb | D | MA |
| Dave Kirkwood | Plainfield Camera Club | Iceberg Blue | S | HM |
| Tibor Vari | Teaneck Camera Club | El Capitan's Winter Glow | D | HM |
| Roman Barniak | Camera Naturalist Photo Club | Branch on Sandstone | D | HM |
| Simon Leventhal | Garden State Six Shooters CC | Sunrise at Mono Lake | D | HM |
| Dan Kingcaid | Teaneck Camera Club | Red Rock Country | D | HM |

BOTANICAL

| PHOTOGRAPHER | CLUB | TITLE | D/S | AWARD |
|------------------|------------------------------|----------------------|-----|-------|
| Ira Nemeroff | Livingston Camera Club | Anzo-Borrogo Cactus | D | Medal |
| Patrick Philippi | Hillcrest Camera Club | Audrey II | D | MA |
| Andy Daspin | HUB Camera Club | Reaching for the Sky | D | HM |
| Jim Alfano | Tri-County Camera Club | Five Star Iris | D | HM |
| Kevin Scherer | Camera Naturalist Photo Club | Filtered Sunlight | D | HM |
| Mike Brint | Hillcrest Camera Club | Airy | D | HM |
| Robert Thompson | Hillcrest Camera Club | Milkweed | D | HM |

ZOOLOGICAL

| PHOTOGRAPHER | CLUB | TITLE | D/S | AWARD |
|----------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----|-------|
| Jerry Fornarotto | Tri-County Camera Club | Grizzly Standing | D | Medal |
| Dan Kingcaid | Teaneck Camera Club | Airborne | D | MA |
| Anna Pai | Livingston Camera Club | The Moment Prey Appeared | D | HM |
| Art Miceli | Monmouth Camera Club | Sandy Hook Fox #2 | D | HM |
| Dan Kingcaid | Teaneck Camera Club | Cougar Approaching | D | HM |
| Diana Fernandez | Tri-County Camera Club | Butterfly | D | HM |
| Diana Fernandez | Tri-County Camera Club | Peacock | D | HM |
| George Hall | Ridgewood Camera Club | Confrontation | D | HM |
| Jerry Fornarotto | Tri-County Camera Club | Coyote Snarl | D | HM |
| Klaus-Dieter Schlein | Garden State Six Shooters CC | The Log Squeeze | D | HM |
| Phil Echo | Tri-County Camera Club | Mountain Lion with Pheasant | D | HM |
| Tracy Bodeo | Hillcrest Camera Club | Mantis Head-On | D | HM |
| Vinnie Kempf | Ridgewood Camera Club | Bobcat & Chukar | D | HM |
| Vinnie Kempf | Ridgewood Camera Club | Tiger | D | HM |

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|----------------------|------------------------------|---|-----|-------|
| Ben Venezia | Camera Naturalist Photo Club | Eyeball to Eyeball | D | Medal |
| Connie Fox | Ridgewood Camera Club | Tri-Color Heron with 3 Chicks | D | MA |
| Dave Mills | Garden State Six Shooters CC | Green Heron | D | MA |
| Jerry Fornarotto | Tri-County Camera Club | White Ibis Swallowing Sand Crab | D | MA |
| Phil Echo | Tri-County Camera Club | Barn Swallow Bringing in Food | D | MA |
| Susan Candelario | Garden State Six Shooters CC | Reddish Egrets Courtship | D | MA |
| Susan Candelario | Garden State Six Shooters CC | Snowy Egret Fishing | D | MA |
| Jim Alfano | Tri-County Camera Club | Ready to Take Off | D | HM |
| Klaus-Dieter Schlein | Garden State Six Shooters CC | Through the Snowstorm | D | HM |
| Susan Candelario | Garden State Six Shooters CC | Male Wood Duck in Autumn | D | HM |
| Brian Sudol | Teaneck Camera Club | YoungChick | D | HM |
| Hal Crosthwaite | HUB Camera Club | Lilac Breasted Roller | D | HM |
| Jenny Harrington | Camera Naturalist Photo Club | Osprey | D | HM |
| Marian Boyer | Garden State Six Shooters CC | Loon with Crab | D | HM |
| Paul Boyer | Garden State Six Shooters CC | Yellow-Crowned Night Heron with Fiddler Crab | D | HM |
| Peter O' Malley | Ridgewood Camera Club | Pelican in Flight | D | HM |
| Roman Kurywczak | Camera Naturalist Photo Club | Osprey Takeout #2 | D | HM |

STATISTICS

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|-------------------------------|-------|--------------------------------------|--------|
| Number of Clubs Participating | 11 | Number of Qualifying Images | 186 |
| Number of Slides | 8 | Number of Digital Images | 178 |
| Percentage of Slides | 4.30% | Percentage of Digital Images | 95.70% |
| Number of Awarded Slides | 1 | Number of Awarded Digital Images | 44 |
| Percentage of Awarded Slides | 0.54% | Percentage of Awarded Digital Images | 23.66% |

| Club | Awards | Total Entries | Total Score | Average |
|------------------------------|-----------|---------------|-------------|--------------|
| Camera Naturalists PC | 6 | 20 | 319 | 15.95 |
| Garden State Six Shooters CC | 9 | 18 | 304 | 16.89 |
| Hillcrest CC | 4 | 21 | 326 | 15.52 |
| HUB CC | 2 | 21 | 295 | 14.05 |
| Livingston CC | 2 | 16 | 225 | 14.06 |
| Monmouth CC | 1 | 14 | 201 | 14.36 |
| Plainfield CC | 1 | 8 | 123 | 15.38 |
| Ridgewood CC | 5 | 21 | 341 | 16.24 |
| South Jersey CC | 0 | 5 | 69 | 13.80 |
| Teaneck CC | 6 | 21 | 347 | 16.52 |
| Tri-County CC | 9 | 21 | 350 | 16.67 |
| TOTAL | 45 | 186 | 2900 | 15.59 |

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| Score | Number | Percentage |
|-------|--------|------------|
| 27 | 0 | 0.0% |
| 26 | 0 | 0.0% |
| 25 | 0 | 0.0% |
| 24 | 0 | 0.0% |
| 23 | 0 | 0.0% |
| 22 | 0 | 0.0% |
| 21 | 4 | 2.2% |
| 20 | 9 | 4.8% |
| 19 | 15 | 8.1% |
| 18 | 21 | 11.3% |
| 17 | 15 | 8.1% |
| 16 | 31 | 16.7% |
| 15 | 21 | 11.3% |
| 14 | 30 | 16.1% |
| 13 | 20 | 10.8% |
| 12 | 10 | 5.4% |
| 11 | 8 | 4.3% |
| 10 | 1 | 0.5% |
| 9 | 1 | 0.5% |
| Total | 186 | 100.0% |



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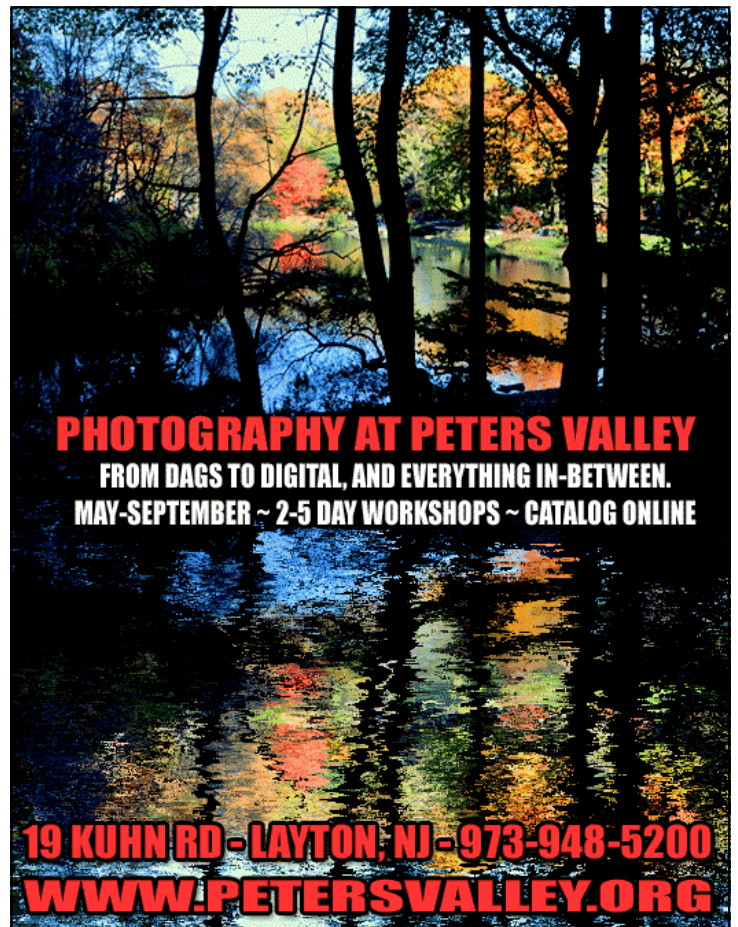
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WHAT'S HAPPENIN' AT NJFCC MEMBER CLUBS
IN
JUNE 2008

| Club | Location | Date | Topic | Judge or Speaker |
|--------------------------|--|---------|---|--|
| Camera Naturalist | Somerset Co. Env Ed. Center | 6/05/08 | End of Year Competition | Vinnie Kempf Tibor Vari Stanley Kantor |
| | | 6/14/08 | End of Year Picnic | |
| Central NJ | Ray Dwier Centre Groveville | 6/05/08 | Competition: Trash | TBA |
| Cranbury "Digital" | Cranbury Methodist Church | 6/11/08 | No Meeting | |
| | | 6/25/08 | TBA | |
| Cranford/Milburn | Spanish Tavern Mountainside | 6/04/08 | Annual Awards Banquet | |
| | Bauer Comm. Center Milburn | | | |
| Essex | Caldwell United Methodist Church | 6/05/08 | Annual Dinner | |
| E.C. Nature | Essex Co. Env. Center Roseland | TBA | | |
| Gateway | Staten Island | TBA | | |
| Greenbriar @ Whittingham | G@W Towne Centre Monroe Township | 6/04/08 | Presentation: Shooting Sunsets | John Sandstedt |
| | | 6/18/08 | Competition: Open and Animals | |
| Hillcrest | Phillipsburg Pilgrim Presby. Church | TBA | | |
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| HUB | Mountain Lakes Library | 6/23/08 | Open Pictorial | George Hall |
| Livingston | Sr./Comm. Center Livingston | TBA | | |
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| Mapleshade/Moorestown | Mapleshade Municipal Building | 6/10/08 | Presentation: Color to the Canyons | Jack Thorne Marvin Harper |
| Monmouth | Colt's Neck Reformed Church | 6/12/08 | Annual Club Slide and Print Competition | |
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| Morris | AT&T Building Florham Park | TBA | | |
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| Ocean County | Lakewood High School | 6/2/08 | Presentation: Thinking Outside the Box | Jennifer Rutherford |
| | | 6/9/08 | Digital Photoshop #3 | Sal Tozzi |
| | | 6/16/08 | Program: Improve Your Image | DVD Presentation |
| | | 6/23/08 | Awards Banquet | |

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| <u>Club</u> | <u>Location</u> | <u>Date</u> | <u>Topic</u> | <u>Judge or Speaker</u> |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------|---|--|
| Palisades | Palisades Medical Center | TBA | | |
| Photographers of Sussex County | Sussex Co. Fairgrounds | 6/16/08 | Annual Club Competition | |
| Photographic Soc. of So. Jersey | ACUA Bldg. Egg Harbor | TBA | | |
| Photographic Soc of Vineland | Christ Church Newfield | 6/05/08 | Competition: Open-Open PSA Slides, Tops in Photography | |
| Plainfield | Cranford Alliance Church | 6/04/08 | Awards Banquet | |
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| Princeton Photography Club | The 1860's House Skillman | TBA | | |
| Raritan Photographic Society | Pierre's SB | 6/05/08 | Awards Banquet | |
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| Ridgewood | Women's Club Wyckoff | 6/04/08 | Executive Committee | |
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| Somerset County | Bound Brook Memorial Library | 6/10/08 | Year End Competition | Joe Thomas Howard Knauer |
| | | 6/24/08 | Planning Meeting | |
| South Brunswick | South Brunswick Public Library | TBA | | |
| South Jersey | Medford Leas Community Center | | No Meeting | |
| Teaneck | Roda Rec Center Teaneck | 6/03/08 | TBA | |
| | | 6/10/08 | Dinner and Year End Competition | Peter Lekos Florence and Stanley Kantor |
| | | 6/17/08 | Executive Committee | |
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| Tri - County | Nutley High School | | No Meetings | |
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| Vailsburg | Springfield | TBA | | |