Congratulations!!!

The following clubs /chapters / councils have been chosen as the winners of the 2010 PSA Website Competition.

**Division A (Clubs Greater than 50 Members)**
- 1st Place Delaware Photographic Society
- 2nd Place Loveland Photography Society
- 3rd Place Twin City Camera Club
- HM Coastal Camera Club
- HM Lake County Camera Club
- HM New England Camera Club Council, Inc

**Division B (Clubs 50 Members or Less)**
- 1st Place Photographic Society of Vineland
- 2nd Place New Jersey Federation of Camera Clubs
- 3rd Place Jackson Photographic Society
- HM Gateway Photographers of Staten Island
- HM Greater Bridgeport Camera Club

Two Ridgewood Camera Club Members received special awards at the Photographic Society of America (PSA) International Conference held in Charleston, SC on October 3 - 9, 2010.

**Frank Crommelin** and **Jerry Fornarotto** were awarded the Proficiency PSA Distinction (PPSA) at the PSA Annual Membership Meeting of the PSA International Conference. Distinction Awards are in recognition of photographic achievement, based on acceptances in PSA recognized International Exhibitions of Photography and documented with Star Rating Certificates from PSA Divisions.

Congratulations to Frank Crommelin, PPSA and Jerry Fornarotto, PPSA on their photographic achievements.
NEW FEATURE: EQUIPMENT REVIEW

This month we begin a new feature, courtesy of Hunt’s Photo and Video. We’re looking forward to reading about various accessories as much as about cameras. The first review is on the Memory Kick Media Center.

Memory Kick
Jonathan Lawton
Hunt’s Photo & Video

As a photographer who loves to travel and shoot on location, I constantly have my eye out for products that can simplify my life, and at the same time, lighten up my camera bag. For the past few weeks I’ve had the chance to preview the Memory Kick MediaCenter that can do just that.

The MediaCenter is a portable media storage and viewing device. The hard-drive based device is roughly the size of deck of cards and features a 2.2 inch LCD screen that allows you to immediately view your uploaded photo and video files. I found the biggest advantage of the MediaCenter to be its compact size, which allowed me to back up my photos without carrying around a laptop while out in the field.

It was easy to upload my photos into the MediaCenter because it supports a host of memory card types including Compact Flash, Secure Digital, Memory Stick, and XD. The device serves as a conduit for media transfer between separate memory cards and allows you to easy share files with others. A recent firmware upgrade allows the MediaCenter to support the viewing of RAW image format from most digital SLR cameras.

The MediaCenter I previewed had 60GB of memory space to store photographs, videos, and even music. The MediaCenter stores and plays music similar to most consumer MP3 players. The Memory Kick MediaCenter comes in three different hard-drive capacities (30GB, 60GB, and 120GB) and six different colors. (Red, Black, Blue, Silver, Wasabi, Copper)

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If you have any questions on the Memory Kick or any other photo related topic, feel free to contact him at jlawton@wbhunt.com or at the store at 1-800-221-1830

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