Monthly Photo Challenge - "Chrome"



Winning Photo - October 2009 By Johanna Stoneking

IN THIS ISSUE

- Show and Tell
- Monthly Photo Challenge
- Assignments
- Upcoming Presentations
- In the Library
- Events and Happenings of Interest
- Club Meeting Minutes

PHOTOGRAPHY AND OTHER INTERESTING LINKS

www.smugmug.com

www.petersburgregionalartscenter.com

www.artworksrichmond.com

www.lostamerica.com

CALENDAR

November 24

Club Meeting - At the Globe

November 27

The Day After Thanksgiving Art Affair November All Media Show -SIMPLY PHOTOGRAPHY at Artworks of Richmond

December 10 *(tentative)*

Club Meeting Dinner - Location TBD

CONTACT US

rooneyjohna@gmail.com

"SHOW AND TELL" BY CLUB MEMBERS

We are skipping the presentation for the November club meeting; instead, we will have a Show and Tell. Bring in your fancy photo equipment, peripherals, tripods, flash diffusers, custom light boxes, etc. Michael Gallelli will be bringing his panoramic tripod head. This should be lots of fun and might give you some Christmas shopping ideas.

Cockade City

Camera Club

"The Shutterbug Newsletter"

MONTHLY PHOTO CHALLENGE - "FALL"



November's monthly photo challenge is "Fall." What reminds you of fall? Is it the changing colors of the leaves, pumpkins, a special festival, family gatherings, or colorful landscape? Choose you favorite subject and bring a photo to the next club meeting.

<u>Requirements</u>: Submit photos on 8 x 10 or $8 \frac{1}{2} x 11$ photo paper.

Remember, the next club meeting is on the Tuesday before Thanksgiving, November 24, 2009, At The Globe, 7:00 p.m. Mark your calendar.

ASSIGNMENTS

Point and Shoot Group

Shoot a still scene (like a table setting/still life) from two different perspectives (only move the camera not the still life). Remember to bring in your cameras and instruction manuals.

SLR Group

Set your camera to <u>shutter priority</u>. Dial in a shutter speed of 1/1000 of a second. Take a photo of some type of fast action or movement. The intent is to STOP THE ACTION. Examples - a child jumping caught in mid-air, a football or basketball player jumping for a ball - caught in mid-air, a fast moving horse, car, or object that is crisp and in focus with no blurring.

November 2009 Volume 1, Number 1

MISSION

To promote the art of photography as a hobby in a multicultural congenial atmosphere

To promote educational experiences in the pursuit of excellence in photography

To promote public interest in and respect for fine photography.

SPECIAL THANKS

Special thanks to David M. Proett for his presentation on "Composition" at the October 2009 club meeting and sharing his PowerPoint presentation with club members.



UPCOMING PRESENTATIONS

We are happy to announce the following presentations are now scheduled.

- January 2010 (Theory) Elements of Color by Toni Clark
- <u>February 2010</u> Studio Lighting by Sharon DiRienzo
- March 2010 PhotoShop by Henry Kidd *

* Note that Henry will also instruct a PhotoShop group for approximately 3 meetings.

IN THE LIBRARY



Are you interested in reading articles from photography magazines, reviewing popular photography books, and other related materials? The Club is establishing a library of materials available at each club meeting. If you have photography books, magazines, manuals, or other related materials, please donate them at the next club meeting. Some of these materials will be available for checkout or may be kept for personal use.

For more details, check with Patricia Buenting. (pbuenting@comcast.net)

EVENTS AND HAPPENINGS OF INTEREST

Location: Henry Street Gallery, 422 W. Broad St., Richmond, VA Subject: "New Work" photographs by Katie Fowler and film photography by Mar Kakay. Dates: Both through October 31

Location: Main Art Gallery, 1537 W. Main St., Richmond, VA Subject: "The Stories I Want to Tell" photographs, etc. by Jake Urbanski Dates: Through October 31

Location: Visual Art Studio, 208 W. Broad St., Richmond, VA Subject: "Reality" photographs by Peter Thaxton Dates: Through October 30

Location: University of Richmond Museum, 28 Westhampton Way, Richmond, VA Subject: "Ansel Adams: The Man Who Captured the Earth's Beauty." Dates: Through December 6

CLUB MEETING MINUTES - THURSDAY, OCTOBER 22, 2009

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND MEETING MINUTES

We had a very interesting meeting last Thursday with David M. Proett, professional photographer, giving a presentation on "Composition."

1. MONTHLY PHOTO CHALLENGE (for the entire group)

The subject is "FALL." The photo subject may range from full fall landscapes to a single colorful tree or a cluster of colorful leaves. Submit photos on 8 x 10 or 8 ½ x 11 photo paper.

2. HOMEWORK ASSIGNMENT - POINT AND SHOOT GROUP

The assignment is the same as last month's. Shoot a still scene (like a table setting/still life) from two different perspectives (only move the camera not the still life). Bring in your cameras and instruction manuals.

3. HOMEWORK ASSIGNMENT - SLR GROUP

Set your camera to Shutter Priority. Dial in a shutter speed of 1/1000 of a second. Take a photo of some type of fast action or movement. The intent is to STOP THE ACTION. Examples - a child jumping caught in mid-air, a football or basketball player jumping for a ball - caught in mid-air, a fast moving horse, car, or object that is crisp and in focus with no blurring.

4. WINNERS OF THE MONTHLY PHOTO CHALLENGE (CHROME)

- Johanna Stoneking First Place
- John Rooney Second Place
- Patricia Buenting Third Place

5. NEXT MONTH'S MEETING DATE IS CHANGED

Because of Thanksgiving, we will meet the Tuesday before Thanksgiving, November 24, 2009, At The Globe, 7:00 p.m. Please mark your calendars.

There will be no presentation at this meeting; instead, we will have a Show and Tell. Bring in you fancy photo equipment/peripherals, tripods, flash diffusers, custom light boxes, etc. Michael Gallelli will be bringing his panoramic tripod head. This should be lots of fun and could give you some Christmas shopping ideas.

6. CHRISTMAS DINNER

A tentative date is set for Thursday, December 10, 2009. We will have a "Dutch treat." Dinner will be at a local restaurant with a location to be announced. We will also have our FIRST ANNUAL PHOTO CONTEST.

7. FUTURE PRESENTATIONS

We are happy to announce the following presentations are now scheduled.

- January 2010 (Theory) Elements of Color by Toni Clark
- February 2010 Studio Lighting by Sharon DiRienzo
- March 2010 PhotoShop by Henry Kidd. *Note that Henry will also instruct a PhotoShop group for approximately 3 meetings.*