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A beautiful reminder
that Spring is here!
Time to get those
cameras out and
photograph.

Beautiful Tulip by
Renee Marcov © 2016

OCPA Members Only Evergreen Court Exhibit

Submission and Hanging: Sunday, May 1st 1:30 - 3:00
Reception: Sunday, May 15th 1:00 - 3:00
Take Down: Saturday, July 2nd 9:00 - 11:00

This is a continuation of last month's article.

1. The submission and exhibit hanging time has been changed to accommodate church and family time. If we finish before 3, all the better!
2. The official address to Evergreen Court might work for the post office but not for driving there and that is because Evergreen Court is one building in the Baycrest Village complex. You want to be on Koosbay Blvd. and turn east or towards the bay on Yew Ave. You will see a large "Baycrest Village" sign. Proceed and ignore the left hand turn and go straight toward the 3 story, cream colored building with the flag pole. Before you get there, on the left, is a row of parking and this is where you should park. If you are facing the 3 story building, Evergreen Court is to the left, following the road. You can unload near or in front of Evergreen Court, but parking for longer than 30 minutes should be in the parking lot. Be aware that there is a handicap ramp to the right of the stairs leading to Evergreen Court. It's not entirely evident until you go down the stairs.
3. There is room for approximately 34 framed photos. Please bring what you have and be prepared to stay until the exhibit is hung so if we have too many, extras will go home with their owners. We will try to fit as many as possible.
4. We will go along with Evergreen's policy of having SOLD photos remain hanging till the end of the exhibit.
5. All styles of photos are encouraged. Montages must be on a single sheet of photo paper. Frames must have hanging wire. Only wire will work with their hanging system.
6. Please send your submission forms to Delia Lyons <deliav@integra.net> Forms available at www.oregoncoastphotoclub.org > Evergreen tab by Thursday, April 28th, to allow time for typing and printing of labels to go up at the hanging. Forms are on the OCPA website.
7. Evergreen handles sales. Our Treasurer will disperse funds to members. 10% will go to OCPA.
8. The reception is free and we encourage members to invite family and friends.
9. Evergreen does not provide insurance for the protection of exhibit submissions.

MOTY Kathy Chambers

Things are heating up as we go into the “final stretch” of the *Member of the Year* competition with only three months left to earn points. Tony shot ahead this month by earning 139.0 points. All but one of his Member’s Only Prints and Electronic images placed at the first and second meeting of the month. He received two 1st places, two 3rd places and tied for a 5th place.

Here is the line-up as of March 24, 2016.

1 st	Tony Mason	897.4
2 nd	Carol Todd	886.1
3 rd	Don Todd	783.1
4 th	Renee Marcov	665.8
5 th	Delia Lyons	520.1

OCPA Board Meeting Minutes for March 2016

Meeting came to order at **6:36 pm**

Board members present: Kathy Chambers, Elise Ciruolo, Carol Todd, Bonnie Smith, Renee Marcov, Dick Chambers, Curt Benward, and Tony Mason. **Guests:** Peggy Cooper and Don Todd

Kathy Chambers motioned to accept previous minutes with the following addendum and Bonnie Smith seconded. Was voted on and accepted. February meeting started at 6:41 pm.

Treasurer's Report: As of March 14, 2016

Beginning Balance: \$2393.44

Income:

Dues: \$16.00

Raffle 50/50 \$12.00

Fall Scavenger Hunt \$22.00

Donation \$4.00

Expenses: 0

Ending Balance: \$2447.44

There were revised reports dating back to May 2015 emailed to all board members. All looked OK. Kathy motioned to accept Treasurer's Report and Curt seconded. All in favor, none opposed.

Committees:

Hospitality: We had 3 new members.

Coos County Fair: There will be a committee meeting in May or June. Carol and Don are attending the fair meeting in June.

Pony Village: April Spring Show is scheduled for April 21-24th with hanging April 20. Bonnie will pass along sign up sheet at the next few club meetings. We will have another

print raffle and Barry Marcov has a donation of print easels to be raffled off as well. We will also have a donation jar for the kids' fair prize monies.

Shoot Outs: Curt had a good idea to have a shoot out in a “town” with lunch afterward. Our chosen town was Coos Bay. We will meet April 9th at 10:00 am in the 2nd Street parking lot behind Bay Appliance. We would like to have suggestions on future shoot outs.

Newsletter: Nothing to Report

Talks-n-Training: “Getting prints ready for 4C's competition”. Don will bring some mat board.

4C's: We need color prints and mono prints to send to 4C's.

Electronic/Print Competitions: No report

Website: No report

Facebook: Kathy put some items for sale on the Facebook page but did not receive any responses.

Member of the Year (MOTY): All going well.

Fund raising: Tentative yard sale will be June 24-25th. Club Raffle will be 50/50 for April and we need donations for the month of May to have something to raffle off.

Old Business:

- Scavenger hunt dates: 1st meeting in May the words will be announced, 2nd meeting in May will be turn in, 1st meeting in June will be judging, 2nd meeting in June will be the results. Will be either something you shoot or may be in your archives. No clip-art or text.
- Evergreen Court Reception area show. We will talk about this at the next meeting. We need a tentative list of prints and a short bio on each photographer participating 5 days before. See Delia Lyons for more details.
- Carol did a great job on the club's new business cards! Thanks Carol.
- New projector and laptop are on hold for the time being.

New Business:

- The board discussed at length new rules for member's only print competition. New rules will be discussed with club as whole before next year's competition. Carol motioned to accept new rules and Kathy seconded. All accepted.

Meeting adjourned at **7:58 pm**.

Respectfully Submitted,
Renée Marcov
OCA Board Secretary

4C's February 2016 Color Print Judging Results

February 2016 Color Prints were judged by Southern Oregon Photographic Association (SOPA). A Score of 24-23 was needed for an AM or HM in the Large Category. A Score of 23-21 was needed for an AM or HM in the 96SQ Category.

Large Color Print					
Title/Maker	Judge 1	Judge 2	Judge 3	Total	Award
Horsetail Falls/Dick Chambers	6	6	6	18	N/A
Sentry at the Beach/Tom Branderhorst	6	7	6	19	N/A
Bird of a Different Color/Delia Lyons	7	7	6	20	N/A
Green Peace/Don Todd	6	6	6	18	N/A
The Cove at Arago/Delia Lyons	7	7	6	20	N/A
Total				95	

96SQ Color Print					
Title/Maker	Judge 1	Judge 2	Judge 3	Total	Award
Dried Jellies/Carol Todd	6	6	6	18	N/A
Fall Reflections/Renee Marcov	6	6	6	18	N/A
Logs and Falls/Renee Marcov	6	5	5	16	N/A
Total				52	

Color Prints 4 of 4 March 7, 2016

Maker	Title	TOTAL	AVERAGE	Award
Tony Mason	Water & Moss	121	7.0625	1
Dick Chambers	Big Boom!	120	7	2
Tony Mason	Windmills of my Mind	116	6.9375	3
Carol Todd	Water Lily	119	6.875	4
Carol Todd	Newborn	117	6.875	4
Dick Chambers	Whitehorse Falls	115	6.8125	5
Ray Wolff	The Good Guys	113	6.8125	5
Linda Petersen	Water Lily	114	6.75	
Thomas Konomos	Just Grilling	112	6.75	
Thomas Konomos	Sky Light	113	6.75	
Tony Mason	Wind Resistant	112	6.6875	
Elise Ciralo	Yellowstone Sunrise	115	6.6875	
Don Todd	Smelly Bloomer	112	6.625	
Dick Chambers	Mr. Fuzzy Feathers	112	6.5	
Ray Wolff	Memories	107	6.5	
Elise Ciralo	Changing Season	106	6.3125	
Thomas Konomos	Spring Time	105	6.25	
Don Todd	Open Door	102	6.1875	
Don Todd	Wind Power	103	6.1875	
Ray Wolff	Hanging Around	103	6.125	
Elise Ciralo	Calving Glacier	103	6.125	
Carol Todd	River Ride	101	6.0625	
Maker	Title	TOTAL	AVERAGE	Award

Sea Fever

By John Masfield

I must go down to the seas again, to the lonely sea and the sky,
 And all I ask is a tall ship and a star to steer her by,
 And the wheel's kick and the wind's song and the white sail's shaking,
 And a gray mist on the sea's face, and a gray dawn breaking.

I must go down to the seas again, for the call of the running tide
 Is a wild call and a clear call that may not be denied;
 And all I ask is a windy day with the white clouds flying,
 And the flung spray and the blown spume, and the sea-gulls crying.

I must go down to the seas again, to the vagrant gypsy life,
 To the gull's way and the whale's way, where the wind's like a whetted knife;
 And all I ask is a merry yarn from a laughing fellow-rover,
 And quiet sleep and a sweet dream when the long trick's over.



1st Place Color Prints Water and Moss by Tony Mason ©

1st place winner March 21, 2016 Sea (star) set by Tony Mason ©



Dateline: March 21st, 2016. **Place:** North Bend Medical Center. **Subject:** Members Only Competition, Traditional Electronic (EID). **Reason Why:** Because we like to torture ourselves.

19 people participated in the jurying of the final Traditional Electronic competition for the year. 26 images were submitted by 9 members making this the most participated electronic competition we have had this year (unless the upcoming Creative EID does better). 3 images had a point score difference of 4 or more (meaning someone gave an image a score of a 9 and someone else gave the same one a 5). The 3rd Place image was awarded by the 4-Judges (who used color calibrated monitors at home to judge) but the pop-vote would have placed it in 9th Place. Our 4th Place image was tied for 1st in the pop-vote but the 4-Judges had it at 7th Place. Just goes to show how one person's apple is another's orange.

The next and final electronic competition for our year is Creative. Images must be submitted to the chair by April 4th (first meeting of the month) either by bringing them to the meeting on a flash/thumb drive or via email.

"The Judges": Don, Elise, Tony & Chris						
Maker	Title	DT	EC	TM	CM	AVERAGE
Mason, Tony	Sea (star) set	9	8		7	8.000
Ciraolo, Elise	USS-Blueback And Portland	8		8	7	7.667
Mason, Tony	El Capitan Morning Reflection	6	7		9	7.333
Mikulecky, Larry	Berry Picker	8	7	7	7	7.250
Ciraolo, Elise	Old Wreck	8		7	6	7.000
Mason, Tony	Breaking	6	8		7	7.000
Lyons, Delia	Sea Breeze	7	7	7	6	6.750
Mikulecky, Larry	Wigeon	6	6	7	8	6.750
Ciraolo, Elise	Winter In Red Rock Country	6		6	7	6.333
Chambers, Dick	Fishin' Time	7	5	6	7	6.250
Chambers, Dick	Shiny	5	7	6	7	6.250
Stannard, Pat	1 Puffin	7	6	6	6	6.250
Todd, Carol	Black Canyon Stump	8	6	6	5	6.250
Marcov, Renee	Fire In The Sky	5	6	6	7	6.000
Mikulecky, Larry	Mallard	7	6	6	5	6.000
Todd, Don	Ready Aim Fire		6	7	5	6.000
Lyons, Delia	Bay Bough	5	6	6	6	5.750
Marcov, Renee	Blue Watcher	5	7	6	5	5.750
Todd, Carol	Orange Rose	6	6	6	5	5.750
Todd, Don	Evening Light 2		6	6	5	5.667
Todd, Don	Paddling Along		6	6	5	5.667
Lyons, Delia	Desert Light	5	7	5	5	5.500
Marcov, Renee	Gobble	6	5	6	5	5.500
Todd, Carol	Twisty Tree	5	6	6	5	5.500
Chambers, Dick	Sweet Creek	4	5	5	5	4.750
Stannard, Pat	Mountain Orchid	5	4	5	4	4.500
Average Score by Judge		6.26	6.22	6.17	6.00	6.208

OCA Membership ("pop vote')		
Maker	Title	AVERAGE
Mason, Tony	Sea (star) set	7.368
Mikulecky, Larry	Wigeon	7.368
Mason, Tony	Breaking	7.316
Mikulecky, Larry	Berry Picker	7.316
Ciraolo, Elise	USS-Blueback And Portland	7.316
Ciraolo, Elise	Winter In Red Rock Country	7.158
Todd, Carol	Black Canyon Stump	7.105
Chambers, Dick	Shiny	6.947
Mason, Tony	El Capitan Morning Reflection	6.737
Ciraolo, Elise	Old Wreck	6.684
Lyons, Delia	Sea Breeze	6.684
Stannard, Pat	1 Puffin	6.667
Marcov, Renee	Fire In The Sky	6.632
Chambers, Dick	Fishin' Time	6.526
Lyons, Delia	Bay Bough	6.526
Todd, Carol	Twisty Tree	6.526
Marcov, Renee	Blue Watcher	6.474
Mikulecky, Larry	Mallard	6.474
Todd, Don	Evening Light 2	6.368
Todd, Don	Paddling Along	6.316
Lyons, Delia	Desert Light	6.222
Marcov, Renee	Gobble	6.211
Todd, Don	Ready Aim Fire	6.158
Chambers, Dick	Sweet Creek	6.105
Todd, Carol	Orange Rose	6.105
Stannard, Pat	Mountain Orchid	5.579
Average		6.650

The Winners		
Maker	Title	AWARD
Mason, Tony	Sea (star) set	1st
Ciraolo, Elise	USS-Blueback And Portland	2nd
Mason, Tony	El Capitan Morning Reflection	3rd
Mikulecky, Larry	Wigeon	4th
Mason, Tony	Breaking	5th
Mikulecky, Larry	Berry Picker	5th

“Never travel anywhere with a Photographer if you want to get there fast.” As read on FB post from Pat Stannard.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR APRIL 2016

April 1, - Nature Photographers of the Pacific Northwest

(for information go to NPPNW.org)

April 4, - Meeting - North Bend Medical Center Upstairs

Take In and Social 6:30 PM - Meeting Starts 6:45 PM

Members' Only Competition – Mono Prints (4 of 4)

Electronic Creative Due

Talks -n- Training - TBA

Show & Tell, Critique, After & Before, 4Ws (Who, What, When, Where),

Monthly Photo Challenge: Industrial

4Cs Entries Accepted (all divisions/classes)

Special Raffle

April 9, - Shoot Out, 10:00 AM

Downtown Coos Bay, Meet at the Visitor Center Parking lot *note location change

April 11, - Board Meeting, 6:30 PM,

Peggy Cooper's Home (all members are invited to come)

April 18, - Meeting - North Bend Medical Center Upstairs

Take In and Social 6:30 PM - Meeting Starts 6:45 PM

Members' Only Competition - Electronic Creative (4 of 4)

Talks -n- Training - TBA

Show & Tell, Critique, After & Before, 4Ws (Who, What, When, Where),

Monthly Photo Challenge: Industrial

4Cs Entries Accepted (all divisions accepted)

Special Raffle drawing

Printed Material Exchange

April 20, 5:00 PM - Pony Village Show Set up

April 21 – 24, Mall Hours - Pony Village Show and Sale

April 24 – 5:30 PM -Pony Village Take Down

April 30, Columbia Council of Camera Clubs Electronic Due

(for information go to columbiacameraclubs.org)

NOTE: Last minute schedule changes can be found on Facebook and/or the OCPA website. We will post any www.oregoncoastphotoclub.org cancellations or changes as they happen.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR MAY 2016

May 1, - Evergreen Court Submission and Hanging, 1:30 PM to 3:30 PM
(See article for details.)

May 2, - Meeting - North Bend Medical Center Upstairs
Take In and Social 6:30 PM - Meeting Starts 6:45 PM
Talks -n- Training - TBA
Show & Tell, Critique, After & Before, 4Ws (Who, What, When, Where),
Monthly Photo Challenge: "Sports"
Scavenger Hunt Rules and list available
Raffle

May 9, - Board Meeting, 6:30 PM,
Peggy Cooper's Home (all members are invited to come)

May 15, Evergreen Court Reception 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM

May 16, - Meeting - North Bend Medical Center Upstairs
Take In and Social 6:30 PM - Meeting Starts 6:45 PM
Talks -n- Training – Macro and Close-ups
Show & Tell, Critique, After & Before, 4Ws (Who, What, When, Where),
Monthly Photo Challenge: "Sports"
Scavenger Hunt Turn In
Raffle
Printed Material Exchange

OCA Board and Contact Information

Position	Name	Email Address
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From the Prez

Just a few reminders:

- If you use Google Calendars, you can add OCPA's to it. To do it, you must do it from your desktop (using the mobile device app doesn't seem to allow this). In the lower left, there is a section to add a calendar. Enter "ocpa @ hotmail . com" (without the quote marks and spaces of course). This should get you the three OCPA Calendars (OCPA meetings, competitions and events).
 - If you have any topic/list suggestions for the upcoming spring Scavenger Hunt, bring them to the first meeting in April (or the Board meeting).
 - Our last electronic completion is here, bring your Creative Files to the first meeting in April (the same date as our last print competition, monochrome).
 - **Keep shooting**
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4C's EID March 2016 Results

The March 4Cs Electronic Image Division (EID) competition found Film Pack Camera Club judging 95 images from 18 different clubs. OCPA has slipped a little, down to 12th place with 595 points (First Place Forest Grove CC has 653).

You need a score of 24-22 to receive an Award of Merit (10 awarded) and 22 points to get an Honorable Mention (3 awarded).

April's entries have just been sent in and May will end this year's competition season. If you have an image you would like to specifically enter, get it to the chair by the first meeting in April. As always, if the chair does not receive any images, he will pick from entries members submitted for OCPA's Members Only competitions.

Maker	Title	1	2	3	Total	Award
Carol Todd	Night Music	7	7	7	21	
Delia Lyons	Winter Falls	7	6	7	20	
Tony Mason	Planet Vallfire	6	6	7	19	
Elise Ciruolo	Sunny Day	6	6	7	19	
Suzy Piatt	Chalk Garden	7	5	6	18	
Total Club Score					97	

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Meetings: 1st & 3rd Mondays of the month at North Bend Medical Clinic's 3rd Floor Conference Room at 6:30 pm 1900, Woodland Dr, Coos Bay, OR (enter on outside staircase which is left of the main doors)

How to Join the OCPA Joining OCPA is very easy! Just come to one of our meetings and check us out. If you like what you see we'll take your membership dues and that is it!

If you want to join, but can't make a meeting, just write a check and mail it to us:
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PO Box 5646

Charleston, OR 97420

Membership Dues are \$24.00 for individuals or \$36.00 for families (up to 2 adults and any/all children 17 years and under at the same address, everyone will have all membership privileges except only 2 votes per family). Dues are prorated for new members for the remaining months from when they join until the next July first annual meeting.

All **information** on club activities including, but not limited to, our by-laws, policies, and competition rules, can be found on our Website at www.oregoncoastphotoclub.org. Schedule changes are available on our Website and Facebook page.



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