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FROM THE PRESIDENT:

Our thanks to Tom and Pat Cory for a wonderful presentation on travel and marketing images. It's always a pleasure to see their work and the presentation was inspiring and informative, as always. Thanks to Bernd Billmayer for his judging of the Open category in September. His insights to the images that placed were food for thought.

Robert Schuffert, our newsletter editor, has written and published a lavishly illustrated and informative book entitled "Scenic North Alabama". It's a great resource for finding outof-the-way photographic locations across North Alabama. He will be selling the book at HPS meetings, as well as several retail locations across North Alabama. Robert has generously offered to donate a portion of the sale of the book at HPS meetings to the Society. Please do look it over and purchase a copy.

The end of the year is approaching bringing a couple of annual HPS activities. The annual banquet to honor the best of the year will be held on December 8. We'll be organizing another buffet dinner to precede the awards ceremony. The images are always a treat to see, so please keep the date open. As we approach the new year, some members of our board will be stepping down after putting in a great effort to make the Society informative, entertaining, and productive for the members. If you think you might be interested in taking a more active role in the Society by becoming a board member, please contact one of the board members. Keep Shooting!

SEPTEMBER 2003 COMPETITION RESULTS:

Joe

| B&W: | Color Print: | Slide: |
|------------------|-------------------|--------------------|
| 1st: Pat Gardner | 1st: Cathy | 1st: Daniel Little |
| 2nd: Sheila | Sylvester | 2nd: Sam Fara |
| Mangus | 2nd: Don Bennet | 3rd: Jerry Webster |
| 3rd: Doug Felton | 3rd: Sam Fara | HM: Don Bennet |
| HM: Pat Gardner | HM: William Gates | HM: Barbara Staggs |
| | HM: Emily Saile | |
| | HM: April Waltz | |

Next Meeting: October 13, 2003

Speaker:

Next Competition: October 27, 2003

Topic: FOOD

October Scheduled Judge: Shane Young, a painter and sculptor, owns an art gallery and studio in Huntsville.

The Huntsville Photographic Society meets at 7 PM on the second and fourth Mondays of each month in the Huntsville Public Library. Visitors are welcome.

Please contact Robert Schuffert with news, information, or announcements. (256) 881-1354, or by email at: reschuff@knology.net.

SOUTHERLAND'S TOP TEN:

| Rank | Name | Total | |
|------|--------------------|-------|------|
| | | Pts | Wins |
| 1 | Teal, Martha | 40 | 11 |
| 2 | Felton, Dough | 36 | 11 |
| 3 | Blue, David | 28 | 9 |
| 4 | Fara, Sam | 28 | 8 |
| 5 | Staggs, Barbara | 26 | 12 |
| 6 | Saile, Emily | 26 | 9 |
| 7 | Mangus, Sheila | 23 | 9 |
| 8 | Bennet, Don | 20 | 9 |
| 9 | Wagner, Helmut | 20 | 6 |
| 10 | Gardner, Pat | 18 | 6 |
| 11 | Sylvester, C. | 14 | 5 |
| 12 | Chittwood, Heidi | 14 | 3 |
| 13 | Gates, William | 13 | 7 |
| 14 | Mc Allister, Guy | 13 | 4 |
| 15 | Kinnane, Brenda | 11 | 5 |
| 16 | Little, Daniel | 11 | 4 |
| 16 | Davis, Karin | 11 | 3 |
| 18 | Deloach, Trey | 9 | 4 |
| 19 | Schuffert, Robert | 9 | 3 |
| 20 | Webster, Jeannie | 8 | 4 |
| 21 | Blue, Carrol | 7 | 2 |
| 21 | Kinnane, Harry | 6 | 3 |
| 23 | Boyd, Joe | 5 | 2 |
| 24 | Chittwood, Charles | 3 | 1 |
| 24 | Webster, Jerry | 3 | 1 |

| 26 | Tumiminelle, Sam | 2 | 2 |
|----|------------------|---|---|
| 27 | Casto, Norman | 1 | 1 |
| 27 | Reynolds, B. | 1 | 1 |
| 27 | Skidmore, Lowel | 1 | 1 |
| 27 | Waltz, April | 1 | 1 |
| 27 | Weiler, Uwe | 1 | 1 |

HPS MEMBER ACHEIVEMENTS

§ Robert Schuffert has completed Scenic North Alabama, a travel guide to north Alabama's canyons, caverns, natural bridges, covered bridges, parks and waterfalls. The book is now on sale for \$27.95 + tax. A portion of the sales at HPS meetings will be donated to our Society.

HPS LOGO ON YOUR JACKET/SHIRT

§ REMINDER: Bring your items (Jackets, shirts, etc, to the next meeting if you want the HPS logo sewn on them. \$8.50 per item. Items will be sewn and brought back to you at the next meeting. Thanksabunch, Judy

OF INTEREST:

I am Tom Wilson, the President of the Roswell Ş Photographic Society. We will be hosting George Lepp as our Guest Speaker on October 25th, 2003. As you probably know, George is a Field Editor for Outdoor Photographer Magazine as well as PC Photo Magazine. His seminar is entitled the Desktop Digital Darkroom and is appropriate for a photographer capturing either on film or digitally. Please see this link for additional details; http://www.roswellphotosociety.org/lepp/index.htm I am writing you today to offer a group discount for your club members. The current registration fee for this event is \$79.00 per person, we would like to offer the discount rate of \$59.00 per person for 5 or more of your club members who sign up together. This is the same as the early registration rate that expired on September 7th. The registration forms can be downloaded from our web site and should be sent in together by a representative from your club.

We think this is a really wonderful opportunity and we hope you will share this offer with your club members. This offer is good if the registrations are received by October 17th but to help us out the earlier you let us know the better for our planning. Additionally, please let me know by e-mail if you are planning on putting a group together, this information will greatly aid us in our planning. Thanks and Happy Shooting Tom Wilson

§ Tom and Pat Cory 2003 Remaining workshops

Oct 11-17 Acadia National Park Photo Tour, ME (will not be offered next year) Oct 24-25 Chattanooga, TN Nature Photography and Creativity Workshop Nov 8 Ocoee Whitewater Center, TN Nature Photography and Creativity Workshop

Our webpage has been updated with details. <u>http://hometown.aol.com/tompatcory</u>

And please note, we also offer individual lessons and workshops/field trips tailored to your specific interests.

- § For information on Remaining 2003 NATURAL IMPRESSIONS, Workshop/Field Class Schedule contact: Harold R. Stinnette, PO Box 914, Spring City, TN 37381 1-888-200-3963 Email: <u>Harold@NaturalImpressionsPhotography.com</u> <u>http://www.naturalimpressionsphotography.com</u>
- § Auburn Arts Association presents Photo V Juried Exhibition, Photography as an Art Medium, at the James Dempsey Community Arts Center, 222 E. Drake Ave., Auburn, AL 36830. Must be a resident of GA or AL. The entry deadline has past, but the show will be Oct. 26-Nov. 7. For information call 334-887-2832.

§ Software Viewers

Here's a link to a Microsoft web site that provides a download site for free Microsoft Word (97/2000) viewer software. People without a copy of the Word software will be able to view and print the newsletter with this software.

http://office.microsoft.com/downloads/2000/wd97vwr32.a spx

The Adobe Acrobat Reader download site is (http://www.adobe.com/products/acrobat/readstep2.html)

§ Articles related to digital darkroom and web images <u>http://www.wildlifephoto.net/articles/index.html</u>

NEWSLETTERS BY EMAIL: If you would like to receive your newsletter by email (in Word97 format or text) send Robert Schuffert an email at <u>reschuff@knology.net</u>

COMPETITION TOPICS 2003

| <u>Month</u> | <u>Topic</u> | Topic | <u>Month</u> | Month | <u>Topic</u> |
|--------------|--------------|----------|----------------|---------|------------------|
| Jan '03 | Water | June '03 | Backlit | Nov '03 | Sky |
| Feb '03 | Neon | July '03 | Fences/Gates | Dec '03 | Best of the Year |
| Mar '03 | Framed | Aug '03 | People at Play | Jan '04 | Fall Color |
| Apr '03 | Open | Sep '03 | Open | | |
| May '03 | Oops | Oct '03 | Food | | |

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