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FROM THE PRESIDENT

Steve and Sandra Smith provided another informative and inspiring program for us in April. Their discussion of PhotoShop techniques inspired many of us to go home and try them out. Their dependence on PhotoShop in day-today operations highlights how photographic studios have largely moved their entire work-flows to the digital domain.

Our "Open" topic for the April competition was a trial-by-fire for first-time judge, Dan Burch, owner of the Meridian Art Gallery in Huntsville. Dan did an exceptional job of choosing the winners from a large and impressive array of high-quality prints and slides. Thanks, Dan for your considerable efforts.

Ken Webb, of Pulaski, TN, will be joining us again for our program meeting on May 10. Ken's presentation, entitled "Yellowstone in Winter", will include images from Yellowstone National Park during the harshest, and often, most beautiful, season of the year for visitors and inhabitants. Ken will share his cold-weather photographic experiences, that included challenges for both the photographer and his equipment.

Print Display Format ballot

The results of the Print Display Format balloting have been counted. There were 8 votes for displaying prints on the tables, and 4 votes for displaying the prints individually. This seems to be a pretty clear majority compared to the prior ballot in February, so we will continue displaying prints on the tables. It has been noted that there is usually a long period of little activity while the judge is making their decision. The board will be looking at options for filling this time. If you have any suggestions, please contact a board member.

Other Area Meetings

- The Huntsville Nature Photography Society meets the third Monday of each month in the Charles Stone Agricultural Building on Cook Avenue at 7pm.
- Tennessee Valley Audubon Society meets the third Thursday of each month in the Visitor's Center of the Huntsville Botanical Garden on Bob Wallace Avenue in Huntsville. For more information contact Ruby Norman at <u>rubyn@airnet.net</u>

Events

The **Moontown Grass Field Fly-in** will be held May 15 and 16 at the Moontown Airport, off Highway 72, seven miles east of Huntsville. The Fly-in will feature antique, classic,

Next Meeting: May 10, 2004

Speaker: Ken Web, presenting "Yellowstone in Winter". Ken will share cold weather experiences.

Next Competition: May 24, 2004

Topic: Icon

April Scheduled Judge: TBD

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: <u>reschuff@knology.net</u>. If you have photographic accomplishments you would like included in our newsletter, please contact me.

contemporary, warbird, experimental, glider, helicopter, ultra-light, Lionhart, Loehle and other aircraft. Free flights are offered for children ages 8 to 17. Lots of other activities. Admission and parking are free. See

http://members.fortunecity.com/phantomtwo/moontown/events2.html, or call (256) 881-5077 for details.

MARCH 2004 COMPETITION RESULTS:

B&W: 1st: Trey Deloach 2nd:Bill Gates 3rd: Cathy Sylvester Color Print: 1st: Doug Felton 2nd: Martha Teal 3rd: Diana Lyn Davidson HM: Walt Schumacher HM: Emily Saile Slide: 1st: David Blue 2nd: Bill Gates 3rd: Sheila Mangus

HM: Cathy Sylvester HM: David Blue

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	THERLAND'S TOP TEN FOR 2004:			
Rank	Name	Total		
		Pts	Wins	
1	Teal, Martha	28	8	
2	Trey Deloach	19	5	
2 3 4	David Blue	15	6	
	Bill Gates	15	5	
5	Sam Fara	13 4		
6	Emily Saile	12 7		
7	Heidi Chittwood	10 3		
8	Sheila Mangus	10	3	
8	Cathy Sylvester	9	3	
10	Doug Felton	8	4	
10	Karen Davis	8	2	
10	Walt Schumacher	7	4	
13	Lisa Stuart	6	4	
13	Janet Schumacher	6	2	
13	Don Bennett	5	2	
13	Daniel Little	5	1	
17	Sam Tumminello	5	1	
18	Pat Gardner	4	1	
19	Diana Lyn	3	1	
	Davidson			
19	Carol Blue	1	1	
19	Joe Boyd	1	1	
19	Barbara Staggs	1	1	
19	Dixen Tidman	1	1	
19	Jeannie Webster	1	1	

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OF INTEREST:

§ Byron Jorjorian Workshop

The Digital Techniques seminar is right around the corner. Only **\$49**! This 7 hour digital seminar is normally \$125 but due to sponsor support from the simultaneous Dury's trade show, it will be discounted to \$49 a \$76 dollar discount!

May 16th in Memphis

Marketing your images is this Saturday (May 8th) And in June the Yellowstone Shooting and Printing experience. Learn More at:

http://www.naturephotocentral.com/Workshops.html

§ Special Announcement!

In conjunction with Dury's Photo Expo on May 15th & 16th at the Park Vista Hotel in Memphis, Byron Jorjorian will present the "Digital Photographic Techniques Seminar" on May 16th from 1pm-7pm. It is sponsored by Dury's, Canon, Epson, Fujifilm, Bogen, Tamron, and many more!! Go to this link for more info. http://www.naturephotocentral.com/technique.html For information regarding other Byron Jorjorian Photography workshops go to http://www.naturephotocentral.com/Workshops.html Best Regards, Byron

§ 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

HPS MEMBER ACHEIVEMENTS:

- § David Blue won an HM for his photo of "Natural Bridge and Falls" in the "Beauty of Marshall Co." juried art show at the Mountain Valley Arts Council at Guntersville. The exhibit runs through May 15 at the Mountain Valley Arts Council Gallery in Guntersville, AL. Gallery hours are 9-4pm Mon. thru Fri. and 10-3pm Sat.
- § David Blue also won an HM in the "Forest Floor" category at the Cumberland Falls State Park photo competition on April 25. The competition which features a 24-hour slide competition had 100 entrants from places as far removed as Ohio, Virginia, Missouri and Michigan.
- § A gelatin silver print by Sam Tumminello, called "The Start of the Cotton Row Race" is currently on exhibit at the Olde Towne Coffee Shoppe located at 511 Pratt Avenue, in Five Points. The hours are 6 AM to 7 PM Monday – Thursday, 6 AM to 10 PM Friday and Saturday, and 8 AM to 7 PM Sundays. The award winning picture is a motion interpretation about the beginning of the May 26th 1997 race.

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COMPETITION TOPICS 2004							
<u>Month</u>	Topic	Topic	Month	Month	<u>Topic</u>		
Jan '04	Fall color	June '04	Architecture	Nov '04	Fashion		
Feb '04	Staircases	July '04	Nighttime	Dec '04	Best of the Year		
Mar '04	Hands, eyes, feet	Aug '04	Joy	Jan '05	Impressionism		
Apr '04	Open	Sep '04	Open				
May '04	Icon	Oct '04	Sports				

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For Sale

Byron Jorjorian Photography: I am offering my Canon 17-35 f2.8 lens for sale for \$725.00 about half of it's original retail. If you are interested please give me a call or drop me an email. Thanks! Byron Jorjorian Photography <u>http://www.naturephotocentral.com</u> P.O. Box 306 Thompsons Station TN 37179 Phone 615-599-9823

Jeannie Webster of Photo Imaging by Jeannie is closing her photo lab and has some film, frames and photo albums for sale. All items must be sold. Please call before coming as hours vary according to my work schedule. The phone # is:931-438-2676. My e-mail address is: <u>thephotogenie@hotmail.com</u>. The business is located at 216 E. Market Street, Fayetteville, TN. Thanks, Jeannie

For Sale

Camera body - extra lenses -filters -2x adapter and flash. All equipment in good to excellent condition. Relatively low usage. § Camera body – Pentax ME Super w/manual \$50 § Lens - 50mm - Pentax \$30 § Lens – 28mm – Pentax \$40 § Lens - 135mm - Pentax \$60 § Lens -80-200mm telephoto \$50 § Lens – 500mm w/ tripod mount \$50 § Flash, Pentax Af289T w/instructions \$20 § 2X adapter \$20 § Power winder, Pentax w/instructions \$20 § Cokin filters (7) w/instructions \$20 Prefer to sell as package deal -\$250 takes all. Open to offers. Please contact:

John Diegelman, 2602 Willena Dr, Huntsville, Ala. 35803, 256 882-6800 or Don Bennett, 256 883-1973

Southerland's Photo

Be sure to check with the HPS Sponsor for all your photographic needs!