

Parkland Photography Club

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A Group of People who meet to Enjoy, Learn About and Promote the Art of Photography.

Tuesday, May 25, 2010

Due to the rainy weather of Tuesday, May 25 the Parkland Photography Club had to cancel their planned photo shoot to Jones Wildlife Sanctuary and instead met in the Doghide Gallery. There were eleven members and one guest present with Vice-President Neil Anderson chairing the meeting. It was decided to try the photo shoot later in June, again weather permitting.

Membership fees for next year will remain at \$25 per member and \$35 per family.

Members handed in their seven choices for theme shoots for next year. Anne McIntosh will tabulate the results of the voting and let the members know the theme shoot selected for each month.

Alan Caithcart shared an article about photography published in the Western Producer. He brought extra copies so there are some for the members who were not present at this meeting.

Six members shared their “photos taken within a two meter square within twenty-four hours” projects. Wendy Derbowka showed photos from her yard (birds, trees, rocks);



Hannah Anderson had photos that she took from the dugout at one of her ball games;



Jillian Anderson took photos on the deck and roof of her house; Albert Orban took photos near his home (hospital, Elementary School); Alan Caithcart took photos in his back yard (trees, birds, decorations); and Darlene McCullough took photos from her kitchen window of felling a tree. Members commented on each and asked questions so there was a good sharing session. Consensus was it was a great project as it forced us to take the time to really look at things. Those members who had completed their projects but were unable to attend this meeting will have an opportunity to share their projects at the September meeting.

Darlene McCullough shared some photos of her lady slipper plant and some experimenting that she had done with some tools in her editing program as well as some of a lily tree taken last summer.

The theme shoot for this month was “back lit or side lit photo” and there were five entries for members to judge. First Place went to Darlene McCullough for her photo of a sunflower,



Second Place went to Lia Boxall for her photo of trees in Cathedral Grove



And there was a tie for Third Place between Jillian Anderson's photo of a wild mushroom



and Wendy Derbowka's gladiola.



The members discussed the photos and it was a good sharing session proving that photography is a subjective subject.

Members were reminded that they need about fifteen digital images or prints for the slide show for the senior residences to be handed in this fall. The Gleneath Foto Fun Competition will require one digital image or slide taken in Saskatchewan from each member in September.

Lunch for this meeting was supplied by Jenny Fritshaw.

The next meeting of the Parkland Photography Club will be held at 7 PM on Tuesday, September 28 at the Doghide Gallery. In the meantime, check out the photos on display in the gallery and think about joining us in the fall. Stay safe and enjoy the summer!

The above was the press release from this meeting.

Officers for 2010 – 11 are listed at the top of the newsletter.

Darlene will have some of the projects that were displayed in the gallery to return to members. If anyone has completed the project but not yet shared it with the group, please bring it to the September meeting.

Anne has the PRPA print competition entries and will display these as the judges' comments are read.

Anne will also report on the proposed visit by Lina Brisco, a photographer from the Zenon Park area.

Month	Theme	Lunch
September	Shiny Things	Mary
October	Insect	?
November	Fall Colours	Albert
January	Night Photo	Wendy
February	Spiral	?
March	Close-up of Machine Part	Andersons
April	Movement	Alan

Extra theme if required – Sports Action

Reminders:

Things to bring to the meeting:

- Your project if you have not brought it yet (photos taken in a 2 meter area in 24 hours)
- Theme shoot entry – Shiny Things
- Print (if you do not use digital images) taken in Saskatchewan (any subject, any time) for the Gleneath Foto Fun Competition. If you use digital images, email your entry to Anne at annemcintoshca@yahoo.ca.
- About 15 prints or digital images for the senior slide show. Digital images may be on a memory stick or a CD.
- Your membership fees for this year – cheque should be made out to Parkland Photography Club. \$25 per person or \$35 for a family.
- Have you done any more thinking about the idea of hosting another Shutterbug show this year? (a display of framed photos) I think we should make a decision on that at the September meeting so please voice your thoughts on this matter.
- Any volunteers to fill in the spaces with question marks in them on the lunch chart?
- Any photos for the display board?

See you on Tuesday, September 28!

Jillian's Project



Albert's Project



Alan's project

