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JULY 2007

JULY 11 MEETING: EVALUATION, PLUS ASSIGNED SUBJECT



Howard Hudgins

Next Wednesday’s club meeting on July 11 will be an Evaluation of members’ photographs, along with this year’s second Assigned Subject, “Rain.”

The Evaluation will be held at the Science Museum of Virginia and will start promptly at 7:30 p.m. Members submitting print or slide entries are asked to arrive early to give our print and slide directors ample time to accept and process all entries.

We welcome back popular guest Evaluator/Judge Howard Hudgins, who served as a CCR End-of-Year Competition Judge in 2006. Howard holds a master of fine arts degree in photography from George Washington University, where he taught for five years before moving to Richmond, where he set up the photography program at J. Sargeant Reynolds. Howard went on to teach photography at JSR for 30 years.

Dues-paid members may enter up to a total of four (4) entries in any combination of prints, slides or digital projections. In addition, at Wednesday’s Evaluation meeting, members may submit one (1) entry in the Assigned Subject category (“Rain”) — a print, slide or digital projection. Digital images should be submitted to Digital Director Jerry Zaun.

Newer club members may wish to refer to the club’s full Evaluation Rules that are available online at www.cameraclubofrichmond.com (click on the “Evaluation” link).

A WORD FROM CLUB PRESIDENT IRVIN ALLEY



Irvin Alley

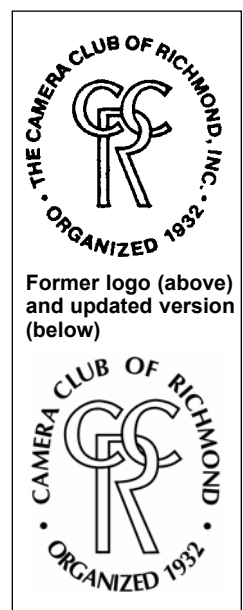
I want to thank Larry Runyon for presenting the June Program meeting on b&w landscape photography by Clyde Butcher. The program was enjoyed by twenty five members and guests.

I also thank Peter Kapasakis, Kayle Miller, and others who submitted logo designs for the Board’s consideration. At our June 27th meeting, the Board decided to stick with the club’s original “monogram” logo, enhanced graphically by Emily Pels.

Activities Director Greg Pels has many day photo activities planned for the second half of this year. I hope more members will participate. The is an excellent way to get to know your fellow members and to enjoy the outings together. I think it would be interesting to have a program just on these activities next year.

This is the club’s 75th year. We plan to have a birthday cake at our September 22nd Picnic.

Hope to see everyone next Wednesday, July 11, at the Science Museum for our Evaluation meeting.



AN UPDATE FROM OUR CLUB'S PSA REPRESENTATIVE



Carole Hagaman
is our club's
slide director
and PSA
representative.



Ed Hagaman
(above) flipped
burgers at the
PSA Mid-Atlantic
Chapter's Picnic
June 23 in
Deale, Md., while
Irvin Alley (left
in lower photo)
explored the
Rockhold Creek
by paddleboat.



If you want photographic instruction, high quality entertaining programs, new techniques, fantastic scenery, and accommodations in a brand new Marriott resort, plan to attend the Photographic Society of America's 2007 Conference to be held in Tucson, Arizona Sept. 2-9.

Tours will take attendees to the Arizona-Sonora Desert Museum, downtown Tucson, Mission San Xavier del Bac, Sabino Canyon, Pima Air & Space Museum, Saguaro National Park (at sunset), Old Tucson Studios, and the Center for Creative Photography where thousands of prints are hung for viewing with a special Ansel Adams exhibit. The area surrounding the resort has many cactus and typical desert flora.

Special presentations by Frans Lansing and George Lepp will surely be a great evening plus photo programs by over 50 different photographers and presenters.

The PSA International Exhibition of Photography will be shown, which includes images for the Color Projected Image, Prints, Photojournalism, Nature, Photo-Travel, and Electronic Imaging Divisions. These images are the best of the best from photographers around the world.

If you would like to see the type of images that will be exhibited, view last year's International Exhibition on the website of the Photographic Society of America. The address is www.psa-photo.org.



CCR'S 2007 CALENDAR OF PHOTOGRAPHIC EVENTS



Please mark these dates
on your calendar and
check each issue
for updates and
additions.

*Board meeting dates shown at
right are tentative and are subject
to cancellation or rescheduling.*

JULY

- 11 CCR Evaluation with Assigned Subject #2: "Rain"
- 13 CCR Downtown Night Shoot & Dinner (see next page)
- 13-15 New England Camera Club Council's 62nd Photo Conference, Amherst, MA (www.neccc.org)
- 21 CCR Photo Field Trip to Great Falls National Park
- 25 Board Meeting

AUGUST

- 8 Program: Tom Wyatt's "Saturday Afternoon at the Movies" (mid-'40s newsreel, a full-length Western feature, a serial episode, cartoon and free popcorn)
- 22 Board Meeting

SEPTEMBER

- 8-9 Air Show (see next page)
- 12 CCR Evaluation
- 22 CCR Annual Picnic & Photo Scavenger Hunt at Henrico's Three Lakes Park
- 26 Board Meeting
- 28 PSA's 69th Annual Conference, Tucson, Ariz.

OCTOBER

- 10 CCR Evaluation with Assigned Subject #3: "Harvest"
- 24 Board Meeting

NOVEMBER

- 14 Program
- 17 End-of-Year Judging
- 28 Board Meeting

DECEMBER

- 8 CCR Annual Awards Banquet at Steak and Ale Restaurant

CCR MEMBERS TREATED TO A SELECTION OF PHOTO-SHOOTS

By GREG PELS, *Activities Director*

During June, club members enjoyed two outings. The first, on June 16th was to the Beaver Pond at Pocahontas State Park. As with most outings, members dispersed throughout the area and concentrated on taking those kinds of photos that appealed to them. Tom, Militza, Rosemarie, and I stayed together as a group and found many interesting subjects to photograph.

The beaver pond was full of fragrant water lilies, several blue herons, numerous tree swallows, and other interesting subjects. I hope those who attended had fun on this outing and came away with some interesting photos.

On June 30th, we met at Maymont Park for a flower and butterfly/insect shoot. About eleven members gathered at the park and had a couple of hours of great photography.

Since it had rained the night before and was still a bit overcast that morning, the flowers were covered with raindrops and the light was ideal to capture their many colorful petals. I know that I had fun, and I hope the others did as well.

Militza and I have planned another spontaneous photo shoot. This shoot will be Friday, July 13, and will be a night shoot downtown. We will meet at 6:30 in Shockoe Bottom for dinner, then head out to photograph the town at night. I expect that for those who attend, it will be fun.

And, as previously planned, we'll take a photo field trip Saturday, July 21, to the scenic Great Falls National Park on the Potomac River. (Contact me for details if you're interested in going.)

The annual air show kicking off the Neptune Festival will be held at Oceana Naval Airbase on September 8-9. Weather permitting, I plan to go on Saturday the 8th. I will be leaving Richmond about 7 a.m.

It will be a long day, but one filled with the excitement of noise and fast planes capped off by a performance by the Blue Angels. An outstanding opportunity to capture some planes in flight. Alternative date will be Sunday the 9th.

On September 22, the club will hold its annual picnic at Three Lakes Park in northern Henrico County. Festivities will begin at 3 p.m.

Upcoming CCR Photo Activities

- ▶ Friday, July 13: Night Shoot & dinner, Downtown Richmond
- ▶ Saturday, July 21: Photo field trip to Great Falls Natl. Park
- ▶ Sept. 8 & 9: Oceana Air Show, Neptune Festival
- ▶ Saturday, Sept. 22: CCR Annual Picnic & Scavenger Hunt, Three Lakes Park

Greg Pels is our club's Activities Director



Lily, Maymont Park Shoot.



Swallows, Pocahontas Park Shoot.



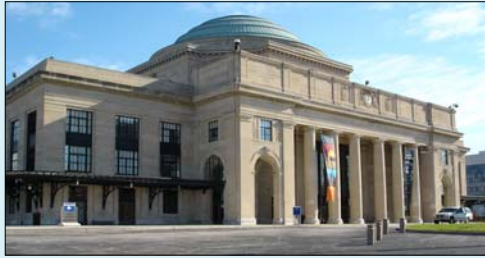
Water hyacinth, Maymont Park Shoot.

AT LEFT: Maymont and Pocahontas Park Shoot photos by Greg Pels.

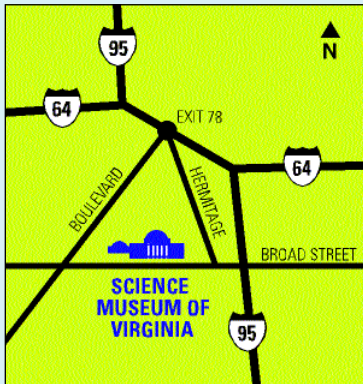
BELOW, LEFT: On CCR's recent Assateague trip, Cary Oesterwinter and Greg Pels ready their tripods for the perfect moment. BELOW, RIGHT: Carole and Ed Hagaman join Greg and Cary for a shooting break. (Both photos by Carole.)



WELCOME, VISITORS AND GUESTS, TO OUR MEETINGS!



The Camera Club of Richmond meets at the Science Museum of Virginia, 2500 W. Broad Street, Richmond.



The Camera Club of Richmond invites prospective members to attend our meetings which are held the second Wednesday of each month at 7:30 p.m. at the Science Museum of Virginia.

Annual dues are \$25 a person, \$40 a couple. Call any of our officers for additional information.

The club's website is:

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For a membership application, see Carole Hagaman, our club's PSA representative.

(Carole is serving a two-year term as PSA's vice president for public relations.)

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