



N4C Calendar

Board Meetings

September 11 at 7:30pm

First Methodist Church
1600 Bancroft Ave., San Leandro

October 9 at 7:30pm

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1600 Bancroft Ave., San Leandro

Competition Judging Schedule

3rd Saturday of each month

PI judging location - contact Gene Albright
(genea.genea@comcast.net)

Print judging location - contact Joan Field
(joan421@comcast.net)



Register Now!



November 3 - 5



Marriott Pleasanton
11950 Dublin Canyon Road
Pleasanton, CA 94588



Registration: \$80 per person for the full weekend



Reduced pricing for hotel rooms for this event weekend

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New TSA rules
will impact
photographers

New security regulations issued by the Transportation Security Administration now requires travelers to remove electronic devices larger than a cell phone from their carry-on bags and place them in a separate bin - mirroring that of a laptop screening process. As of last month, this new procedure is already in place in 10 U.S. airports.

For more information refer to the DPR article [here](#).



FOTOCLAVE 2017

November 3 - 5

An Entire Weekend of Photographic Inspiration

FotoClave IS returning, bigger and better than ever, with **three** keynote and **nine** break-out speakers!

FotoClave begins Friday evening at 7PM with highly regarded Canon “Explorer of Light,” **George Lepp**, a FREE lecture open to the public, then continue Saturday all day with three rooms of breakout speakers. **Seth Resnick**, “one of the 30 most influential photographers of the decade” according to **Photo District News**, will engage us Saturday evening and Sunday morning. And to complete a perfect photographic weekend, Sunday afternoon we will learn from the captivating photographs and useful tips by an acclaimed workshop instructor and one of our local favorites, **Brenda Tharp**.



George Lepp



Seth Resnick



Brenda Tharp



All registered attendees are eligible for our **FREE Juried Photo Contest**. There will be monetary rewards and the Award judges will be none other than Seth Resnick, George Lepp and Brenda Tharp. Interested photographers will also have the opportunity to purchase a book showing all of the accepted entries.

Enter the contest by going to the [website](#). Sample images from event presenters are displayed on the [Fotoclave Gallery site](#). Accepted images from the Fotoclave juried photo contest can be viewed there after photos are judged.

Entry Submissions: Start July 15

Entry Deadline: October 15

[Click here](#) more information regarding the rules and submissions specifications/limit.

Program Schedule

Friday, November 3

4:00 - 7:00 pm

Registration

Pre-Function Area

4:00 - 7:00 pm

Vendor Tables Open

Pre-Function Area

7:00 - 9:30 pm

Keynote Speaker George Lepp on "Extreme Capture Techniques in Nature Photography"

Pleasanton/Livermore| combined

Saturday, November 4

8:00 - 9:00 am

Registration

Pre-Function Area

8:00 am - 7:00 pm

Vendor Tables Open

Pre-Function Area

9:00 am - 4:30 pm

Breakout Speakers each present twice
(Schedule Below)

All California Rooms
(Pleasanton, Livermore, Danville)

California Rooms			
	Pleasanton	Livermore	Danville
9:00 am 9:50 am	Becky Jaffe "Seeing Nature and the Nature of Seeing"	Gary Crabbe "The Right Light: Understanding Natural Light..."	Gail Pierce "iPhoneography-Works of Art on iPhone & iPad"-2-Hour Session
10:00 am 10:50 am	Becky Jaffe "Seeing Nature and the Nature of Seeing"	Gary Crabbe "The Right Light: Understanding Natural Light..."	Gail Pierce "iPhoneography-Works of Art on iPhone & iPad" - Continued
11:00 am 11:50 am	Lucy Beck "Magic and Artistry of Lightbox Photography"	Joe Hearst "Unfamiliar Excursions from Familiar Destinations"	Lowell Richards "Drones: A Great New Tool for Photographers"
12:00 - 1:30 pm	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch
1:30 pm 2:20 pm	Lucy Beck "Magic and Artistry of Lightbox Photography"	Joe Hearst "Unfamiliar Excursions from Familiar Destinations"	Lowell Richards "Drones: A Great New Tool for Photographers"
2:30 pm 3:20 pm	Charles Ginsburgh "Photography of Moving Subjects"	Eric Ahrendt "Spend Less Time: Better Results with Lightroom"	Doug Kaye "Luminosity Masks in Photoshop"
3:30 pm 4:20 pm	Charles Ginsburgh "Photography of Moving Subjects"	Eric Ahrendt "Spend Less Time: Better Results with Lightroom"	Doug Kaye "Luminosity Masks in Photoshop"

5:00 - 7:00 pm

Social Hour/No Host Bar for All Attendees

Pre-Function Area

7:00 - 10:00 pm

Dinner Banquet followed by

California Ballroom

Keynote Speaker Seth Resnick

"Creating Dynamic Images to Please Yourself-

The Road from Journalism to Fine Art"

Note: There will be chairs available to registered attendees not taking the dinner

9:30 - 10:00 pm

Regular Raffle

California Ballroom

Sunday, November 5

8:00 am - 4:00 pm

Vendor Tables Open (TBD)

Pre-Function Area

9:00 am - 11:00 am

Keynote Speaker Seth Resnick

California Ballroom

"Seeing Color & Enhancing Creativity-What Are the Ingredients that Make Images Work?"

11:10 am - 12:10 am

Competition Winners Shown with Awards

California Ballroom

12:15 pm - 1:30 pm

Lunch (You are on your own)

California Ballroom

1:30 pm - 1:45 pm

Super Raffle will be Held (must be present to win)

2:00 - 4:00 pm

Keynote Speaker Brenda Tharp

Pleasanton/Livermore Rooms

"The Engaging Photograph"

Combined

Register online using PayPal or register by mail and check using the form below.



FOTOCLAVE 2017 REGISTRATION

Register by Mail and check using form below OR REGISTER ON-LINE USING PAYPAL fotoclave.slickpic.com

Name _____ Name _____

Address _____ City, State, Zip _____

Phone () _____ Email _____

How did you hear about FotoClave? ☐ Camera Club ☐ PSA ☐ Meetup group ☐ School ☐ Ad ☐ Friend

☐ E-mail ☐ Other _____

Registration by Mail or Late Registraton at Door:

		Number	Total
Single	\$80	_____	_____
Couple	\$140	_____	_____
Single At-Door	\$90	_____	_____
Couple At-Door	\$150	_____	_____

Saturday Lunch

- (1/2 Sandwich - Asstd. Turkey, Roast Beef, or Vegetarian on Artisan Roll, Cup of Lentil Soup, & Chips \$25 _____
- or • Chicken Caesar Salad, Roll, (Check Line) \$25 _____
- Cookies and Ice Tea with either choice

Saturday Evening Banquet

Herb Roasted Red Potatoes, Caesar Salad and choice of:

- Chicken Marsala (Roasted Chicken Breast with Mushrooms and Marsala Wine Sauce) \$49 _____
- Pan Seared Tilapia \$49 _____
- Vegetable Wellington (Seasonal Vegetables with Cheese wrapped in Puff Pastry with a Red Bell Pepper Sauce) \$49 _____

(Vegetarian)

Dessert included, choice of

- Pick One • Chocolate Cake (check line of preference) _____
- New York Style Cheesecake _____

Total Enclosed



Please send registration form and check made payable to: "Fotoclave 2017" to arrive no later than Oct. 28 to Rick Budde at 675 Calle Arboleta, Novato, CA 94949 After that date, please register at the door (See price above). No refunds after November 1 except for medical reasons. For more information, please contact Jane Postiglione (postij9j@comcast.net) or Rick Budde (pen_rick@yahoo.com) or check out our website: <https://fotoclave.slickpic.com>

TO REGISTER FOR A ROOM AT THE HOTEL AT SPECIAL GROUP RATE -

<https://fotoclave.slickpic.com/hotel.html>

GOOD UNTIL OCTOBER 20, 2017



Photo Opportunities in the Bay Area!

October

Fleet Week (San Francisco)
Pumpkin Patch (Multiple cities/towns)
Diwali Festival of Lights (Pleasanton)
San Francisco Comic Con
Hardly Strictly Bluegrass (San Francisco)
Castro Street Fair (San Francisco)
Leap's Sandcastle Classic (San Francisco)
Treasure Island Music Festival

November

Christmas Trees (Pleasanton)
Great Train Show (Pleasanton)
Ia 'Oe E Ka La Hula Festival (Pleasanton)
Sonoma County Roller Derby (Santa Rosa)
Holiday Ice Rinks (San Francisco)
Day of the Dead (San Francisco)
Tree Lighting Ceremonies (Multiple cities/towns)

December

Christmas Trees (Pleasanton)
Dicken's Fair (San Francisco)
Holiday on Union Street (San Francisco)
Christmas Boat Parade (San Francisco)
Run in Your Underwear (San Francisco)
Family Christmas Show (Oakland)
New Year's Eve Fireworks (San Francisco)

For more photo opportunities check out fellow N4C member sites:
Bay Area PhotoScene at bayareaphotoscene.com
Best Photography Places In SF Bay Area at davidcolemanphotography.com/resources

Items for Sale...and Equipment Wanted



DSLR Donation Request

Do you have older model DSLRs accumulating dust? If so, please consider donating your used camera(s). Kathy Barnhart's (Berkeley Camera Club) son is a public high school teacher in San Francisco. The donated DSLR(s) would go to the school where it will be used to teach photography to the students. Contact Kathy Barnhart at kabarnhart@comcast.net if you have a DSLR to donate.

Do you have equipment for sale...or are you looking for equipment? Email the details to fotofanfare@gmail.com and it will be included in future editions.

August Competition Results

Pictorial - Projected Images (Judge: Barbara Mallon)

Basic Level (30 entries)

Award	Title	Member	Club
1	Incoming Pollinator	Betty Hovenden	Livermore
2	Under the Skylight, SFMOMA	Jean Chen	Rossmoor
3	Passing time in China Camp Sate Park	Matt Griggy	Marin
4	Old memories	Claudia Rodriguez	Santa Clara
5	Alone in the Field.	Lynda Stuber	Santa Rosa
HM	Landing of Dragon Fly	Suresh Yeola	Millbrae
HM	The Lizzie Oliver Fountain, Livermore, sparkles in the night	Bruce Lescher	Livermore
HM	The Perfect Wave	Shevaun Gallant	Millbrae

Intermediate Level (33 entries)

Award	Title	Member	Club
1	Girl with Flower	Nancy Yun	Santa Clara
2	All the Way Home, Gold Hill Lane, England	Gary Scales	Marin
3	Haja Sophia is open to all, Istanbul, Turkey	Karl Hoenke	Rossmoor
4	First Light at Barker Dam, Joshua Trees National Park	Tim Kelley	Contra Costa
5	Murphy House, Bodie State Historic Park, Bodie, CA. In 1879, Bodie had a population of approximately 7,000 people and around 2,000 buildings. By 1910, the population was recorded at 698 people	Thomas Cipriano	Alameda
HM	Early morning in the park	Anita Rama	Contra Costa
HM	Sunrise walk to Schollenberger Park.	Michael Funk	Santa Rosa
HM	Sunset reflected on a lagoon	Prasenjit Sengupta	Peninsula



Pictorial Projected - 1st - Basic

Incoming Pollinator

Betty Hovenden
Livermore Valley Camera Club

Pictorial Projected - 1st - Intermediate

Girl with Flower

Nancy Yun
Santa Clara Camera Club



Pictorial - Projected Images (cont.)

Advanced Level (39 entries)			
Award	Title	Member	Club
1	Milky way at Mobius Arch	J.R. Hsu	Contra Costa
2	Break of Day at the Vineyard	Wayne Angeloty	Fremont
3	Eclipse Sculpture Detail	Eric Ahrendt	Contra Costa
4	Custom Hot Rod at the Petaluma Car Show.	Ron Elkind	Marin
5	Cherry Trees in Full Blossom	Terry Yamaguchi	Millbrae
HM	Indian bride	Sree Alavattam	Fremont
HM	Peaks in Morning Light	Jane Allen	Marin
HM	Textured in Blue	Carol Thomas	Berkeley
Masters Level (34 entries)			
Award	Title	Member	Club
1B	The Bee Hummingbird, endemic to Cuba, is the smallest bird in the world, about the size of a thumb.	Obie Gilkerson	Berkeley
2	Violin Study	Claudia Peterson	Santa Clara
3	Sandhill Cranes in flight	Clarence Lockett	Livermore
4	Hanging On	Kathy Barnhart	Berkeley
5	The sky is filled with color at Suisun City on 4th of July.	Steve Goodall	Rossmoor
HM	City Glow And Jupiter Dominate The Night Sky	Marvin Miller	Santa Clara
HM	Moon lit Metate Arch Escalante UT	San Yuan	Contra Costa
HM	Smoothing and blending the chalk	Mike Hancock	Marin

Pictorial Projected - 1st - Advanced

Milky way at Mobius Arch

J.R. Hsu
Contra Costa Camera Club



Monochrome - Projected Images (Judge: Barbara Mallon)

Basic Level (23 entries)

Award	Title	Member	Club
1	Eiffel Tower Intricacies	Gary Oehrle	Livermore
2	Keeper of the public toilets...30 Russian Rubles, 50 cents.	Robert Adler	Rossmoor
3	Vintage Automobile	Marvin Siegel	Marin
4	And the fog rolled in...	Matt Griggy	Marin
5	Breaking Through	Betty Hovenden	Livermore
HM	Elephant Train, Amboseli National Park, Kenya	Sharon Thorp	Santa Clara
HM	Hope	Kotomi Ito	Alameda
HM	Peaceful morning at Hallstatt Austria	Limei Zou	Santa Clara

Intermediate Level (27 entries)

Award	Title	Member	Club
1	Roof Detail - Opera House, Valencia, Spain	Tim Cuneo	Santa Clara
2	Taking a stroll on the Stanford University Campus	David Horn	Santa Clara
3	CUSCUS-POSSUM LIKE ANIMAL-PAPUA NEW GUINEA	Jean DeVinney	Rossmoor
4	The Barracks	Mike Kwasnicki	Diablo Valley
5	To Move the 1892 Livermore Train Depot meant Maneuvering Between Several Light Poles and Traffic Signals	Richard Finn	Livermore
HM	Curves	Don Melandry	Berkeley
HM	Low Tide	Mike Kwasnicki	Diablo Valley
HM	Supporting Hands	Wendy Hannum	Marin



Monochrome - 1st - Basic

Eiffel Tower Intricacies

Gary Oehrle

Livermore Valley Camera Club



Monochrome - 1st - Intermediate

Roof Detail - Opera House, Valencia, Spain

Tim Cuneo

Santa Clara Camera Club

Monochrome - Projected Images (cont.)

Advanced Level (33 entries)			
Award	Title	Member	Club
1	New Growth in a Fern	Mark Forrette	Rossmoor
2	Study of Light Shadow and Texture	Dean McCoy	Livermore
3	Fluid Verticals	Fred Goldman	Peninsula
4	Dancing Waters	Mary Lou Froese	Millbrae
5	Half Dome After The Storm	Marvin Miller	Santa Clara
HM	Cirrus Bliss	Mary Sheft	Marin
HM	Fort Point Doors	Leonard Stanton	Alameda
HM	Grace	Lynn Oakleaf	Diablo Valley
Masters Level (30 entries)			
Award	Title	Member	Club
1B	Proud horses of the Camargue	Ginna Fleming	Marin
2	Trees' Reflections	TJ Campbell	Marin
3	Light Trails on the Tower Bridge, London	Clarence Luckett	Livermore
4	Boomerang	Jan Schmidt	Millbrae
5	Tired girl at the Dia de Los Locos parade. San Miguel de Allende. Mexico	David Coleman	Millbrae
HM	Night and Light.....SF Bay.	Steve Goodall	Rossmoor
HM	Reading the Morning News	Irene Bergamini	Diablo Valley
HM	Three Plus Three	Ron Rothbart	Berkeley



Monochrome - 1st - Advanced

New Growth in a Fern

Mark Forrette

Rossmoor Photography Club

Travel - Projected Images (Judge: Barbara Mallon)

Basic Level (28 entries)			
Award	Title	Member	Club
1	LONGSHENG RICE TERRACE-[CALLED DRAGON'S BACKBONE] LONGSHENG CHINA	Jean DeVinney	Rossmoor
2	Antarctic Summer	Jennifer Marano	Santa Rosa
3	Moonwalk. Craters of the Moon National Monument, Idaho	Mary Pieper-Warren	Marin
4	Rainbow at Victoria Falls, Zimbabwe	Sharon Thorp	Santa Clara
5	Monk looking to see the commotion behind him - Angkor Wat Temple	Thu Tran	Alameda
HM	Cesky Krumlov is bisected by the Vltava River Czech Republic's finest medieval sites	Limei Zou	Santa Clara
HM	Primary Curves, Mesquite Flat Sand Dunes, Death Valley	Michael Courtney	Contra Costa
HM	Selling her wares, Plaza de Santo Domingo, Oaxaca, Mexico	Leslie Baker	Marin
Intermediate Level (29 entries)			
Award	Title	Member	Club
1B	Phong Sunan Temple, Phrae, Thailand	Nancy Yun	Santa Clara
2	A Shan State woman with her child view the family cabbage planting. Kalaw, Myanmar	Bill Clark	Santa Rosa
3	Cathedral at Montserrat	Alex Taflya	Diablo Valley
4	The streets in Dubrovnik, Croatia are narrow and steep.	Edith Cornelsen	Livermore
5	Yogi in Varanassi (1 of 1)	Frances Williams	Marin
HM	Opera House At Sunset, Valencia, Spain	Tim Cuneo	Santa Clara
HM	Preparing the food for a Hindu Rite of Remembrance in honor of a loved one. Ubud, Bali	Diane Rice	Berkeley
HM	Uber & Lyft Italian Style, Florence, Italy	Mike Kwasnicki	Diablo Valley



Travel Projected - 1st - Basic

LONGSHENG RICE TERRACE-[CALLED DRAGON'S BACKBONE] LONGSHENG CHINA

Jean DeVinney

Rossmoor Photography Club

Travel - Projected Images (cont.)

Advanced Level (36 entries)			
Award	Title	Member	Club
1	Aarti ceremony (Hindu religious ritual of worship) on the bank of Ganges River in Varanasi, India	J.R. Hsu	Contra Costa
2	Matriarch of her Family. This Zapotec Clan uses hand spun wool and natural dyes to produce incomparable weavings in Teotitlan del Valle, Mexico.	Marti Stites	Berkeley
3	At the age of five, this young Burmese Kayan mother had brass coils placed around her neck by a medicine man who chose a date for the ritual by examining chicken bones. This fate awaits her baby girl.	Loujean LaMalfa-Prince	Santa Rosa
4	A seminomadic woman preparing meal in a simple kitchen, Sahara Desert, Morocco	J.R. Hsu	Contra Costa
5	Young girls prepare to sell garlands to Buddhists coming to pay homage with offerings of flowers and incense at the elaborate and unusual Hsinbyume pagoda. Mingun, Burma.	Tamara Krautkramer	Santa Rosa
HM	Beach Art, Local artists and beach goers enjoy a sunny day in Bandon, Oregon.	Andy Neureuther	Rossmoor
HM	In the Old Havana – historic center of Havana, Cuba	Marina Grabovskaya	Fremont
HM	Steetside dining at Patong, Thailand	Edward Nowak	Light & Shadow
Masters Level (21 entries)			
Award	Title	Member	Club
1	I think the Duomo is over there. Nuns are tourists too. Florence, Italy	Keith Cockerham	Marin
2	Tobacco Farm in Vinales, Cuba	Irene Bergamini	Diablo Valley
3	Taking Mama shopping, Bikaner, India	Ginna Fleming	Marin
4	Manhattan residents are living large in futuristic architecture on the constantly changing Hudson river waterfront	Lynn Letteris	Rossmoor
5	3 different cultures of Colombia cross paths waiting for a bus in the small northern coastal town of Palomino - indigenous Kogi people, a Friar from an eclectic sect, and two local kids.	Nancy Goodenough	Santa Rosa
HM	Every day life moves outdoors in Cuzco Peru 2	Bilha Sperling	Contra Costa
HM	The snow-covered peaks of the Sierra Nevada range glow with the warmth of the rising sun, as seen from the Alabama Hills near Lone Pine, California.	Mary DeShaw	Berkeley



Travel Projected - 1st - Advanced

Aarti ceremony (Hindu religious ritual of worship) on the bank of Ganges River in Varanasi, India

J.R. Hsu

Contra Costa Camera Club

Journalism - Projected Images (Judge: Barbara Mallon)

Basic Level (29 entries)			
Award	Title	Member	Club
1	Octopi In The Sky - Berkeley Kite Wranglers check out their giant kites at the First Annual Coyote Point Kite Festival July 10, 2017	Linda Field	Millbrae
2	Whale watchers are thrilled at the sight of a skyhopping whale - the boat captain not so much. Scammon's Lagoon, Guerrero Negro, Baha, MX	Ginny Meyer	Marin
3	A haircut on 24th Street, San Francisco	Arlene Cohen	Rossmoor
4	[Seq] Russian River Rodeo	Bill Stacy	Santa Rosa
5	[Seq] Italian Street Painting Marin	Sherri Oster	Santa Rosa
HM	California leads the country in providing Nature Trails for the Disabled	Neil Hersh	Millbrae
HM	Drummers in Action, San Jose Obon Festival (2)	Dwight Buzick	Light & Shadow
HM	EVERYONE MUST WAIT FOR THE GOATS TO CROSS THE ROAD-INDIA	Jean DeVinney	Rossmoor
Intermediate Level (30 entries)			
Award	Title	Member	Club
1	Midnight move of the Historic 1892 Livermore Train Depot Took a lot of Planning	Richard Finn	Livermore
2	[Seq] Marin County Fair at Night	Noel Isaac	Marin
3	[Seq] Port of Mandalay, Myanmar	Bill Clark	Santa Rosa
4	Smoke from a May 13th early morning 5 alarm fire could be seen for miles	Jan Schmidt	Millbrae
5	Eggshell Artist, Bali	Jean Chen	Rossmoor
HM	Bedroom Community, San Francisco	Larry Jones	Berkeley
HM	Everything Porks in the Fresh Market in Taipei, Taiwan	Linda Horng	Contra Costa
HM	Future Star	Karl Hoenke	Contra Costa



Journalism Projected - 1st - Basic

Octopi In The Sky - Berkeley Kite Wranglers check out their giant kites at the First Annual Coyote Point Kite Festival July 10, 2017

Linda Field
Millbrae Camera Club

Journalism - Projected Images (cont.)

Advanced Level (32 entries)			
Award	Title	Member	Club
1	Women harvest crops from the floating fields of Inle Lake. Traditional thanaka facial paste, made from tree bark, is a beauty treatment and a sunscreen. Myanmar.	Tamara Krautkramer	Santa Rosa
2	Maybe the SUV didn't see the truck	Mary Lou Froese	Millbrae
3	[Seq] May Day March in Toulouse, France	Marina Grabovskaya	Fremont
4	People line up to a local spigot to get potable water for their homes in Soweto South Africa	Phil Meginness	Livermore
5	2017 San Francisco Pride Parade participant group Verasphere gets last minute instructions for founding member Michael John Stone (Left). All costumes are made from recycled materials.	Barry Zupan	Livermore
HM	[Seq] Bull riding	Russell Flaum	Marin
HM	My daughter is present by FaceTime on iPhone as her cat, Lemony, is prepared for euthanasia	Chris Cassell	Light & Shadow
HM	Traditional Hawaiian wedding. Many people get married or renew their vows with a the kind of traditional Hawaiian wedding being performed here. The rainbow is a blessing on the marriage. Maui, Hawaii.	Zohra Kalinkowitz	Berkeley
Masters Level (23 entries)			
Award	Title	Member	Club
1B	Monster Cross Oakland 2017 Finish Crash as Leader go Airborn	Jim Harais	Marin
2	[Seq] 2 helicopters douse hillside fire in Moraga on 6-19-2017	Anita Rama	Diablo Valley
3	A sad reality of life in the streets of San Francisco.	Steve Goodall	Rossmoor
4	The water level of Detroit Lake, Oregon was extremely low during the drought period which ended in Fall 2016. The tree stumps in the foreground are normally covered with water.	Hans Siebert	Alameda
5	What Global Warming? King Tide, China Camp, San Rafael	Marilyn Bagshaw	Marin
HM	Magnificent Fourth of July Fireworks at Suisun City	Lynn Letteris	Rossmoor
HM	[Seq] Santa Rosa Protest March April 29, 2017	Liz Lawson	Santa Rosa
HM	Walkable Art at the Beach. A sand artist, Denny Dyke, creates labyrinths to walk on at Bandon Beach, OR, and draws many visitors to his Circles in the Sand, which can be created only when a minus tide, July 2016.	Roddie Stelle	Berkeley



Journalism Projected - 1st - Advanced

Women harvest crops from the floating fields of Inle Lake. Traditional thanaka facial paste, made from tree bark, is a beauty treatment and a sunscreen. Myanmar.

Tamara Krautkramer
Santa Rosa Photographic Society

Projected Images (cont.)

Travel Projected - 1st - Masters

I think the Duomo is over there. Nuns are tourists too.

Florence, Italy

Keith Cockerham

Marin Photo Club



Journalism - 1st - Intermediate

*Midnight move of the Historic 1892 Livermore
Train Depot Took a lot of Planning*

Richard Finn

Livermore Valley Camera Club

Best in Competition - Projected Images

Pictorial

The Bee Hummingbird, endemic to Cuba, is the smallest bird in the world, about the size of a thumb.

Obie Gilkerson
Berkeley Camera Club



Monochrome

Proud horses of the Camargue

Gina Fleming
Marin Photo Club

Best in Competition - Projected Images (cont.)



Journalism

*Monster Cross Oakland 2017 Finish
Crash as Leader go Airborn*

Jim Harais

Marin Photo Club

Travel

Phong Sunan Temple, Phrae, Thailand

Nancy Yun

Santa Clara Camera Club



Color - Prints (Hosting Club: Rossmoor / Judge: Eric Ahrendt)

Basic Level (9 entries)

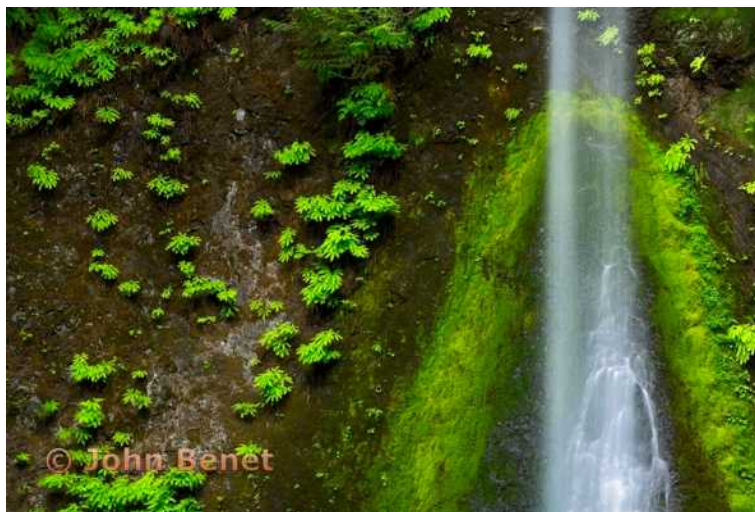
Award	Title	Member	Club
1	Moss Parabola Surrounds A Waterfall	John Benet	Marin
2	Circles and Arcs at the County Fair	Dana Christensen	Marin
3	Green Chevy	Erick Steinberg	Marin

Color Prints - 1st Place - Basic

Moss Parabola Surrounds A Waterfall

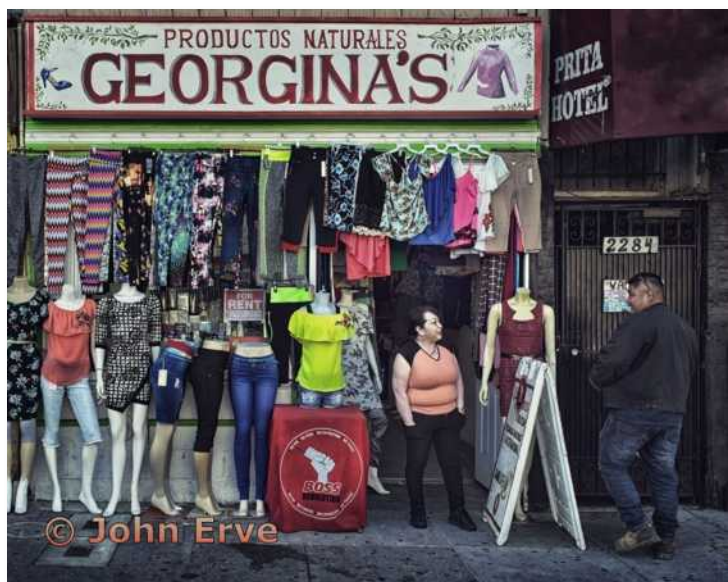
John Benet

Marin Photo Club



Intermediate Level (15 entries)

Award	Title	Member	Club
1	Georgina greets a gentleman in the Mission District, SF.	John Erve	Millbrae
2	Black and Gold Abstract	Craig Turner	Diablo Valley
3	Outdoor Tanning Bed, Berkley, CA.	John Erve	Millbrae
HM	Lion cub observes and learns from the facial expressions of its mother	Ginny Meyer	Marin
HM	Quiver tree at night, Keetsmanshop Namibia	Jon D'Alessio	Marin



Color Prints - 1st Place - Intermediate

Georgina greets a gentleman in the Mission District, SF.

John Erve

Millbrae Camera Club

Color - Prints (cont.)

Advanced Level (28 entries)			
Award	Title	Member	Club
1	Rough Seas.	Dawn Jefferson	Millbrae
2	Fishing in Maui, Hawaii.	Francesco Carucci	Santa Clara
3	Dancer suspended in an amazing move on stage during a Ballet performance	Bilha Sperling	Contra Costa
4	In the Namibian Forest	Catherine D'Alessio	Marin
5	Mbugami Sunset	Lynn Oakleaf	Diablo Valley
HM	Pier In Paradise	Susan Gerber	Livermore
HM	Setting Sun	Denise Crawford	Millbrae
HM	The Cypress Trees	Dawn Jefferson	Millbrae
Masters Level (25 entries)			
Award	Title	Member	Club
1B	Behind a Black Veil	Claudia Peterson	Light & Shadow
2	A Childs Clothing and Shoes from the Past Lay on Old Rattan Chair	Claudia Peterson	Light & Shadow
3	Corncockle	Lucy Beck	Contra Costa
4	Tulips	Marti Cagwin	Marin
5	Grand Teton Storm	Paul Pokrywka	Millbrae
HM	Cigar Aficionado	Irene Bergamini	Diablo Valley



Color Prints - 1st Place - Advanced

Rough Seas.

Dawn Jefferson

Millbrae Camera Club

Monochrome - Prints (Hosting Club: Rossmoor / Judge: Eric Ahrendt)

Basic Level (9 entries)

Award	Title	Member	Club
1	New Zealand Sunbeams	John Benet	Marin
2	Delta Excursion	Renate Johnson	Livermore
3	Trio of Succulents	Dana Christensen	Marin

Monochrome Prints - 1st Place - Basic

New Zealand Sunbeams

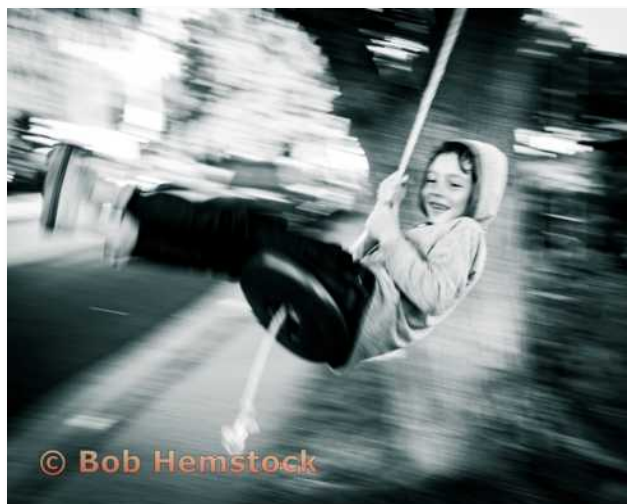
John Benet

Marin Photo Club



Intermediate Level (18 entries)

Award	Title	Member	Club
1	A happy, swinging boy	Bob Hemstock	Marin
2	The Storm Vignettes An Iceland Glacier	Tim Cuneo	Santa Clara
3	Abandoned Iceland Drangshlio House	Tim Cuneo	Santa Clara
4	I want that one...	John Erve	Millbrae
5	Band in Trinidad, Cuba	Barbara Hansen	Marin
HM	Innocence (7572743)	Debbie Lindemann	Livermore



Monochrome Prints - 1st Place - Intermediate

A happy, swinging boy

Bob Hemstock

Marin Photo Club

Monochrome - Prints (cont.)

Advanced Level (24 entries)

Award	Title	Member	Club
1	Walt Disney Concert Hall	Bob Gingg	Marin
2	Portrait of Gene	Barry Zupan	Livermore
3	Icelandic Ponies Follow the Leader	Al Ludwick	Livermore
4	Rainy Day at Milford Sound, New Zealand	Pecche Turner	Millbrae
5	Cuts Like Butter (7586035)	Catherine D'Alessio	Marin
HM	Common Raven	Greg Geren	Fremont
HM	Dome Shadows	Edward Nowak	Santa Clara
HM	Forgotten Doily	John Templeton	Contra Costa

Masters Level (24 entries)

Award	Title	Member	Club
1B	Vernon at Work	Susan Mayne	Marin
2	The Arch.	Ron Winter	Millbrae
3	The Wagon Wheel From Days Gone By	John Mentil	Rossmoor
4	Barista Rocker	Ed Mestre	Livermore
5	Dressed in Feathers, Jewels, and a Smile	Jane Postiglione	Contra Costa
HM	A Farmers Old Things	Claudia Peterson	Light & Shadow
HM	A Western Guy	Claudia Peterson	Light & Shadow
HM	The Silent Moment	John Mentil	Rossmoor



Monochrome Prints - 1st Place - Advanced

Walt Disney Concert Hall

Bob Gingg

Marin Photo Club

Travel - Prints (Hosting Club: Rossmoor / Judge: Eric Ahrendt)**Basic Level (15 entries)**

Award	Title	Member	Club
1	St. Andrew's Bay, Island of South Georgia. The king penguin breeding colony at this location has over 150,000 birds.	Sharon Thorp	Santa Clara
2	Picturesque Plaza Mayor lies in the historical center of Trinidad, Cuba. In the background is the Iglesia Parroquial de la Santisima Trinidad (The Church of the Holy Trinity).	Marvin Siegel	Marin
3	With His Loupe in Place, a Watch Repair Man Has Set Up Shop in a Village Square in Algeria.	Chris Johnson	Livermore
4	Jokulsarlon glacier lagoon, Iceland	Rodney Sweet	Contra Costa
5	Hiking to Oia, Santorini, Greece	Vicki Stephens	Livermore

Travel Prints - 1st Place - Basic

St. Andrew's Bay, Island of South Georgia. The king penguin breeding colony at this location has over 150,000 birds.

Sharon Thorp

Santa Clara Camera Club

**Advanced Level (19 entries)**

Award	Title	Member	Club
1	Wedding Ceremony with couple in their native dress, Began Plains Myanmar	Gene Morita	Marin
2	Venice	Francesco Carucci	Santa Clara
3	A woman walks her cow in a village, South India	Anita Rama	Contra Costa
4	Young Men enact traditional Tribal warrior dances at the Cing Cing in New Guinea	Bilha Sperling	Contra Costa
5	Pickled Vegetable Stall, Omicho Market, Kanazawa, Japan	Susan Mayne	Marin
HM	Taipei 101 Tower	Edward Nowak	Santa Clara

**Travel Prints - 1st Place - Advanced**

Wedding Ceremony with couple in their native dress, Began Plains Myanmar

Gene Morita

Marin Photo Club

Sequence - Prints (Hosting Club: Rossmoor / Judge: Eric Ahrendt)

Advanced (15 entries)

Award	Title	Member	Club
1B	Blooming Zinnia	Betty Hovenden	Livermore
2	Preening snowy egret	Shinnan Kiang	Livermore
3	The Steer that Got Away	Dawn Jefferson	Millbrae
4	Verreaux's sifaka is also known as the dancing sifaka due to the dance-like poses exhibited as it hops across open space on its hind legs. Berenty, Madagascar.	Gregory Cowle	Santa Clara
5	Ready, Set, Go	Lynn Oakleaf	Diablo Valley

Best in Competition - Prints



Color

Behind a Black Veil

Claudia Peterson

Light & Shadow Camera Club

Best in Competition - Prints (cont.)

Monochrome

Vernon at Work

Susan Mayne

Marin Photo Club



Sequence

Blooming Zinnia

Betty Hovenden

Livermore Valley Camera Club



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FR	Fremont Photographic Society	http://fremont.photoclubservices.com/
LS	Light & Shadow Camera Club	http://light-and-shadow.org/
LV	Livermore Valley Camera Club	http://livermorevalleycameraclub.com
MR	Marin Photography Club	http://www.marinphotoclub.com/
ML	Millbrae Camera Club	http://www.millbraecameraclub.org/
PE	Peninsula Camera Club	http://www.peninsulacameraclub.com/
PH	Photochrome Camera Club of San Francisco	http://photochrome.org/photochrome_club
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To promote a spirit of voluntary cooperation among the camera clubs of Northern California. To sustain and increase an interest in the science and art of photography among photographers of said area. To promote social and educational programs for the benefit of member clubs. To create and maintain a representative body which will serve the best interests of all member clubs and groups and attempt to provide workable solutions to their individual and collective problems. To provide services and facilities for the use and benefit of the member clubs.

N4C 2017 Interclub Competition Schedule

Month	Print				Projected			
Jan	P	M	N	C	P	N	C	
Feb	P	M	T	J	P	T	J	M
Mar	P	M	S	J	P	N	C	
Apr	P	M	N	C	P	T	J	M
May	P	M	T	J	P	N	C	J
Jun	P	M	N	C	P	T	J	M
Jul	P	M	T	J	P	N	C	
Aug	P	M	S	T	P	T	J	M
Sep	P	M	N	C	P	N	C	T
Oct	P	M	T	J	P	T	J	M
Nov	P	M	N	C	P	N	C	
Dec*								

* No competitions scheduled in December.

P = Pictorial

M = Monochrome

N = Nature

T = Travel

C = Creative

J = Journalism

S = Sequence

Go to n4c.org/competitions for more information regarding N4C interclub competitions.

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