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N4C Calendar

Board Meetings

November 11 at 7:30pm

First Methodist Church
1600 Bancroft Ave., San Leandro

December 9 at 7:30pm

First Methodist Church
1600 Bancroft Ave., San Leandro

Competition Judging Schedule

On/around the 3rd Saturday of each month

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

Print judging location - contact Joan Field

CHECK IT OUT!

SF Bay Photo Walks

This is a group for anyone interested in exploring and photographing the SF Bay Area. Beginners and all skill levels are welcome. You can bring your iPhone or digital camera. This group was started to help people meet other photography enthusiasts in a supportive environment.

<https://www.meetup.com/SF-Bay-Photo-Walks/>

Announcements & Events

PHOTO EXHIBIT!

Millbrae Camera Club
is hosting an exhibit at the
Coastal Arts League
300 Main St., Half Moon Bay
Open Thurs.-Mon., 10-5

Open Reception
Sat., November 9

ANNOUNCEMENTS!

Want to let other photography
enthusiasts know about
upcoming events, exhibits,
workshops?

Send your info to
vjstephens56@hotmail.com and
I'll announce it in the the next
Foto FanFare!

Bay Area Photo Scene

Check out Bay Area PhotoScene for a searchable listing
of San Francisco Bay Area exhibitions, talks, artist
receptions, and workshops for people interested in
photography.

[Bay Area PhotoScene](#)

Creating and Submitting a Portfolio to N4C

By Doug Stinson, N4C Board Member

In the June 2019 issue of *Foto Fanfare* I described the new Portfolio Competition N4C will premier in 2020. This competition will provide an opportunity for members of N4C to showcase work that requires more than one image to explore a theme or concept, where the images work together as a cohesive whole so that “the whole is greater than the sum of its parts”.

A portfolio, as N4C has defined it, consists of a *Statement of Intent*, an *Overview Image* with thumbnails of the individual images in the portfolio, and between seven and ten individual images. The competition will be held once per year, with the results presented at the Annual Banquet. The portfolios will be evaluated by a team of assessors and their feedback provided to the participants.

Because it is clubs, not individuals, who are the “members” of N4C, each member club will need to set up its own portfolio competition to collect entries and funnel them up to N4C. It is not expected that clubs will judge submissions; this is just a mechanism to submit portfolios to N4C. Each club will need to inform its members of when its portfolio competition opens and closes. *Competitions should be open for submission early in 2020*. N4C will stop accepting submissions on November 1, 2020.

Although the portfolio competition will not be accepting submissions until 2020, it is not too early to start planning your portfolio. A portfolio is not something that can be thrown together overnight!

The rules for the Portfolio Competition are available on [N4C.org](https://n4c.org). You should go to that website, hover your cursor over “Competitions” and click on “New for 2020: Portfolio Competition”.

Quite detailed information on what a Portfolio is, how to create one, and how to submit one is contained in the document “Preparing and Submitting a Portfolio to N4C”. To access this information, go to [N4C.photoclubservices.com](https://n4c.photoclubservices.com). Hover your cursor over “Organization” and Click on “Documents and Files to Download”. Click on the little triangle next to “4.0 Interclub Competition and Judging”. Then click on the little triangle next to “4.G Instructional Material for Club Members”. Then click the [Download] button next to “Document: Preparing and Submitting a Portfolio to N4C”. If you have ever submitted a sequence to a Nature of Photojournalism competition, the submission process for portfolios will seem very familiar.

You can find an instructional video on creating an Overview Image at <https://youtu.be/NQaWqwnIKr8>, and you can find a video on creating a Statement of Intent image at <https://youtu.be/acgpsNtk8p8>

The Photographic Society of America (PSA) has been running a portfolio competition for several years. Although the PSA rules are not identical to N4C’s rules, you may find a look at successful PSA portfolios instructive. Check them out at <https://psa-photo.org/index.php?portfolio-galleries>.

Start having fun with portfolios!



Photo Opportunities in the Bay Area!

November

Pirates of Emerson Haunted Theme Park (11/1-2, Alameda Cty. Fairgrounds)

Sundance Stompede (11/1-3, various SF locations)

Day of the Dead (11/2, SF, Oakland, San Jose)

Free National Park Day! (11/11)

SF International Hip Hop DanceFest (11/22-24, Palace of Fine Arts)

Wizard World (11/22-24, Oakland Convention Center)

Great Dickens Christmas Fair (11/23-12/22, Cow Palace)

St. Francis Holiday Display (11/27-1/2)

SF International Auto Show (11/28-12/2, Moscone Ctr.)

Union Square Tree Lighting (11/29, Union Square SF)

San Rafael Parade of Lights and Winter Wonderland (11/29-30)

Dosas & Samosas, a Diwali dance party (November, South of market)

December

Run Wild San(ta) Francisco (12/1)

Festival of Lights Parade (12/1, downtown Los Altos)

San Francisco International Auto Show (11/28-12/2, Moscone Center SF)

Holiday decor and gingerbread houses (12/1-1/1, SF)

Swedish Christmas Festival (12/7, St. Mary's Cathedral, SF)

SantaCon (12/7, begins in Union Square, SF)

Santa Skivvies Run (12/8, Castro District, SF)

Parol Lantern Festival and Parade (12/14, Jesse Square through Yerba Buena Gardens)

Holiday Market Extravaganza (12/14, Scottish Rite Ctr., Lake Merritt)

Great Dickens Christmas Fair (12/1-22, Cow Palace, Daly City)

Salute to Vienna New Year's Concert (12/30, Davies Symphony Hall)

World Tree of Hope Lighting Ceremony (December, Grace Cathedral)



For more bay area photo opportunities check out [David Coleman Favorite Photo Spots Around the Bay Area](#)

October Competition Results

Pictorial - Projected Images (Judge: Melanie Leawart)

Basic Level (32 entries)

Award		Member	Club
1	Old sentinels	Debbie Bergvall	Contra Costa
2	Reflections of Liberty~Imagine you are an immigrant with tuberculosis, in Ellis Island Hospital in the 1930's. You could only gaze longingly at Liberty Island in the mirror facing your isolation bed.	Zina Mirsky	Rossmoor
3	The Magician	Mary Pieper-Warren	Marin
4	Seagull Tug of War - Goat Rock Beach	Kathleen Gebhardt	Santa Rosa
5	Bell at Incarnation Monastery, Berkeley	Bruce Lescher	Livermore
HM	Crystal Mums	Joyce Bell	Marin
HM	fresh foam	Previenn Sosa Estrada	Santa Rosa
HM	Playing standards	Sergey Gurevich	Peninsula



Pictorial Projected - 1st - Basic

Old Sentinels
Debbie Bergvall
Contra Costa Camera Club

Pictorial Projected (cont'd)

Intermediate Level (35 entries)

Award	Title	Member	Club
1	Bridging	Debasish Raha	Millbrae
2	Gathering of Pelicans	Eddy Lehrer	Alameda
3	Fast Running Water at Mossbrae Falls	Craig Turner	Diablo Valley
4	Mushroom Garden 1	Cass Kalinski	Santa Clara
5	Early Birds Flying Over the Water in Foster City at Dawn.	Ben Wang	Peninsula
HM	Graffiti by Nature	Debasish Raha	Millbrae
HM	Grapes From Castello di Amorosa's Vineyards in Calistoga, CA	Jean Millman	Alameda
HM	The Catch	Eric Cox	Rossmoor



Pictorial Projected - 1st - Intermediate

**Bridging
Debasish Raha
Millbrae Camera Club**

Pictorial Projected (cont'd)

Advanced Level (42 entries)

Award	Title	Member	Club
1B	Missed a drop	Anita Rama	Contra Costa
2	Moon Rise Reflections Over Dredge	Paul Kessinger	Fremont
3	Detail of a Japanese Pagoda	Joanne Gabel	Berkeley
4	Refraction in water	Sree Alavattam	Fremont
5	Circular Stairway at the Absalon Hotel, Copenhagen	Jim Koski	Villages
HM	A boy and his bubble. Lyon, France	Tamara Krautkramer	Santa Rosa
HM	Room With a View Bodie CA	Phillip Hann	Santa Rosa
HM	The path through the trees	Abby O'Rourke	Diablo Valley

Best in Competition - Pictorial



Pictorial Projected - 1st - Advanced

Missed a Drop
Anita Rama
Contra Costa Camera Club

Pictorial Projected (cont'd)

Masters Level (37 entries)

Award	Title	Member	Club
1	Melting Snow	Louis Cheng	Alameda
2	Painted Brook	Liz Lawson	Santa Rosa
3	Blue Ice on Tasman Lake	Leslie Crandell	Contra Costa
4	Solitude In Capitola	Bob Story	Villages
5	Night Balloon Show, Reno NV	Terry Yamaguchi	Millbrae
HM	Dolphin Gull Peers Over the Wave	Steve Rentmeesters	Livermore
HM	GrandMa and Me	Georges Pelpel	Contra Costa
HM	Pride and Joy	Mary DeShaw	Berkeley



Projected - 1st - Masters

**Melting Snow
Louis Cheng
Alameda Photographic Society**

Monochrome - Projected (Judge - Melanie Leawart)

Basic Level (25 entries)

Award	Title	Member	Club
1	Heavenly Streams	Betty Hovenden	Livermore
2	Roman Ruins in Turkey	Valery Garrett	Rossmoor
3	San Francisco Embarcadero 9.11.2019	Karen Laffey	Marin
4	X Marks the Spot in Vegas	Bev Lamberson	Berkeley
5	Homeless woman playing Sudoku on Fifth Avenue NYC	Julie Wash	Villages
HM	Cellular Absorption	Herbert Gaidus	Santa Rosa
HM	Night: Lake Merritt with Oakland skyline	Bruce Lescher	Livermore
HM	Workman on outside deck	Beth Schriock	Marin



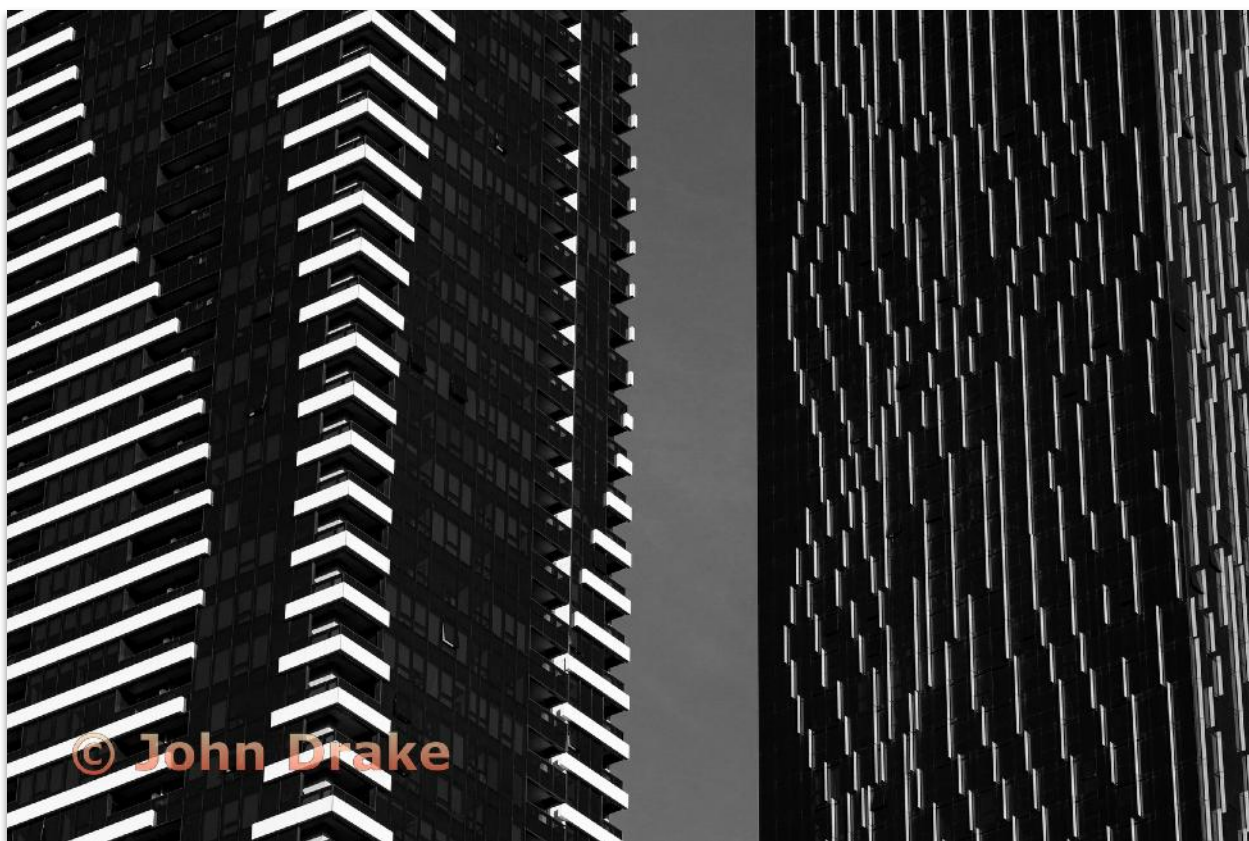
Monochrome Projected - 1st - Basic

**Heavenly Streams
Betty Hovenden
Livermore Valley Camera Club**

Monochrome Projected (cont'd)

Intermediate Level (31 entries)			
Award	Title	Member	Club
1B	"Two Buildings", Central Business District, Melbourne, Australia	John Drake	Berkeley
2	Young boys of Tanzania	Richard Finn	Livermore
3	Phillips Gulch Falls, Salt Point State Park, Sonoma County, CA.	Guy Miller	Santa Rosa
4	Way to the art gallery	Debasish Raha	Millbrae
5	Misty Dawn, Banff	Eric Gold	Santa Clara
HM	Chico.	Allen Nordgren	Rossmoor
HM	In the harbor at night	Craig Turner	Diablo Valley
HM	Petaluma Adobe, General Mariano Guadalupe Vallejo working ranch from 1836 to 1846.	Gustavo Arizmendi	Santa Rosa

Best in Competition - Monochrome



Monochrome Projected -1st - Intermediate

**"Two Buildings", Central Business District,
Melbourne, Australia
John Drake
Berkeley Camera Club**

Monochrome Projected (cont'd)

Advanced Level (37 entries)

Award	Title	Member	Club
1	Peruvian Laborer	Ken Lezin	Rossmoor
2	Gate lock	Jim Cutler	Millbrae
3	Out of work mannequins after Macy's Sunnyvale closing	Stephen Alexander	Light & Shadow
4	Morning Washdown	Eric Cox	Rossmoor
5	Golden-crowned Sparrow	Frank Langben	Villages
HM	Artistic portrait - grade school friends find each other a 2nd time.	Barbara Masek	Peninsula
HM	Smashing! Cape Disappointment, WA	Melissa Brookmire	Peninsula
HM	Taking The Handoff	Gary LaMusga	Diablo Valley



Monochrome Projected -1st - Advanced

**Peruvian Laborer
Ken Lezin
Rossmoor Photography Club**

Monochrome - Projected (con't)

Masters Level (34 entries)

Award	Title	Member	Club
1	Shadows, angles and shapes when looking down a staircase	Frank DeMartini	Peninsula
2	Interaction	Claudia Peterson	Light & Shadow
3	Pensive	Flo Hendry	Rossmoor
4	Man On Kyoto Train Station Stairs	Barry Zupan	Livermore
5	Would You Like to Swing on a Star?	Doug Kaye	Marin
HM	Beautifully Framed Old and Worn Ballet Slippers	Claudia Peterson	Santa Clara
HM	Path To Enlightenment	Rajani Ramanathan	Livermore
HM	Wi-Fi Not Included	Robert Stochak	Peninsula

Monochrome Projected 1st - Masters

Shadows, angles and shapes
when looking down a staircase
Frank DeMartini
Peninsula Camera Club



Travel - Projected (Judge - Melanie Leawart)

Basic Level (27 entries)			
Award	Title	Member	Club
1B	Sonoma Lake, a multi-purpose reservoir west of Geyserville, CA, provides 50 miles of shoreline for boating and fishing, 40 miles of hiking trails, and drinking water for over 600,000 in Sonoma County	Greg Pech	Santa Rosa
2	With 750,000 visitors/day, Grand Central Terminal is the second most-visited destination in NYC, after Times Square. Just don't call it Grand Central Station -- that's the post office down the street.	Dennis Herman	Marin
3	Fall in Yunnan Province, China. Women collect shucked corn to be stored and used for animal feed in winter months. In the background barley dries on racks.	Angela Grove	Marin
4	An old street in Shanghai	James Luo	Fremont
5	Unedited Vigeland Park Statue in Oslo, Norway	Nan Holmes	Villages
HM	Changing of the Guard at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier, Athens, Greece	Mishaa Degraw	Berkeley
HM	Monument Valley Arizona	Sukrat Gupta	Santa Clara
HM	The hike to Yosemite's Diving Board is strenuous, but the rewards of standing where Ansel Adams captured his iconic 1927 image, "Monolith the Face of Half Dome" are well worth the effort.	Herbert Gaidus	Santa Rosa

Best in Competition - Travel



Travel Projected -1st - Basic

Sonoma Lake, a multi-purpose reservoir west of Geyserville, CA, provides 50 miles of shoreline for boating and fishing, 40 miles of hiking trails, and drinking water for over 600,000 in Sonoma County
Greg Pech
Santa Rosa Photographic Society

Travel Projected (cont'd)

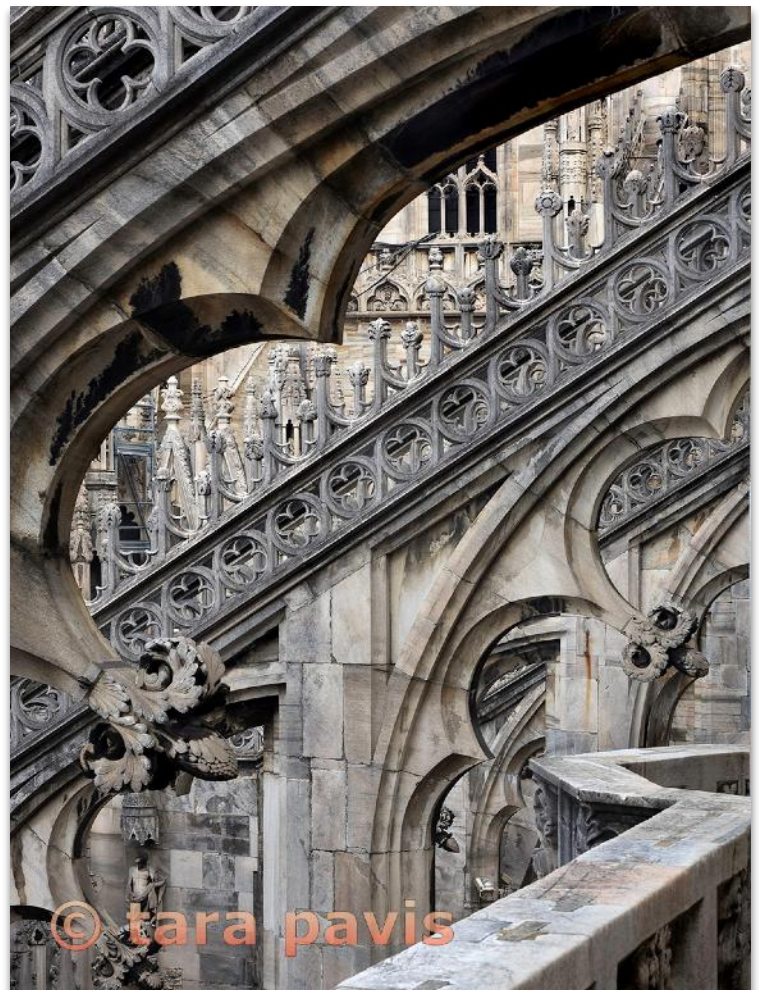
Intermediate Level (31 entries)			
Award	Title	Member	Club
1	At the Duomo di Milano, Milan, Italy. The roof of the cathedral is renowned for the forest of openwork pinnacles and spires, set upon delicate flying buttresses.	Tara Pavis	Santa Rosa
2	Fisherman's Harbor. Chefchaouen, Morocco	Dick Weston	Santa Rosa
3	Italy's medieval Castelvechio was built over the top of ancient Roman ruins to defend Verona from the warring city-state Venice	Alex Shiluk	Contra Costa
4	A woman rows her boat at the Cai Rang floating market, Can Tho, Vietnam	John Drake	Berkeley
5	An Elder with Prayer Wheel at the National Memorial Chorten in Thimphu, Bhutan	Joy Phoenix	Marin
HM	Angkor Wat, Cambodia ; A Buddhist temple complex, the largest religious monument built, holds a Buddhist shrine where a man sat with an orange-robed monk who blessed and prayed for him	Carol Lehrman	Marin
HM	Grand Haven, Michigan pier, lighthouses and recently renovated 100-year-old catwalk. The catwalk historically served as a way for the lighthouse keepers to move safely along the perilous pier.	Vicki Stephens	Livermore
HM	The blur of fast moving water at Mossbrae Falls Siskiyou County CA	Craig Turner	Diablo Valley

Travel Projected -1st - Intermediate

At the Duomo di Milano, Milan, Italy. The roof of the cathedral is renowned for the forest of openwork pinnacles and spires, set upon delicate flying buttresses.

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Santa Rosa Photographic Society



Travel Projected (cont'd)

Advanced Level (35 entries)

Award	Title	Member	Club
1	Buddhist shrine deep inside the ruins of Angkor Wat which was originally built as a Hindu temple dedicated to the Hindu god Vishnu	Jason Cheng	Fremont
2	Diamond Beach, Iceland - A Photographer's Paradise	Louis Cheng	Alameda
3	Tranquil Evening at the Chenonceau Chateau in the Loire Valley, France	Jim Koski	Villages
4	Dai-Loy Chinese Gambling House, open 1916, closed 1950, Locke, California. Locke was a Chinese farming community established on the Sacramento River in 1915.	Mark Brueckman	Alameda
5	Man's best friend seems to be wondering at the Gum Wall in Seattle where people stick chewed gum to the wall.	Rajeev Shankar	Fremont
HM	A Maasai giraffe roams Nairobi National Park with city skyline in the background. Park is fenced on three sides to try to keep dangerous wild animals out of the capital city of 7M. Nairobi, Kenya.	Tamara Krautkramer	Santa Rosa
HM	Heaven of lush farmlands bordered by incredible mountains of Guilin, China	Debbie Bergvall	Contra Costa
HM	Mono Lake Tufa State Natural Reserve	Abby O'Rourke	Diablo Valley



Travel Projected -1st - Advanced

Buddhist shrine deep inside the ruins of Angkor Wat which was originally built as a Hindu temple dedicated to the Hindu god Vishnu

**Jason Cheng
Fremont Photographic Society**

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Travel Projected (cont'd)

Masters Level (27 entries)

Award	Title	Member	Club
1	Port of San Francisco	Peter Nicholls	Villages
2	The largest Tibetan prayer wheel in the world is found in Heyin Town, Qinghai Province. It wheel weighs 200 tons, is about 86 feet high and 33 feet diameter, and must be turned by hand, many hands.	Steve Ziman	Marin
3	Monks walking on the oldest and longest teak bridge in the world, U Bein bridge that spans the Taungthaman Lake near in Myanmar. Watching the fisherman at work, on their way to dawn prayers.	Rajani Ramanathan	Livermore
4	Bell Towers of El Santuario de Chimayo, New Mexico	Marti Stites	Berkeley
5	Avalon, Catalina Island, CA, 2019	Joanne Gabel	Berkeley
HM	Life on the Chao Phraya River - Bangkok, Thailand	Nancy Goodenough	Santa Rosa
HM	The Rivers in Southern India Continue to Play an Important Role in the Daily Lives of the Local People from Daily Bathing to Laundry to Fun.	Susan Stanger	Livermore
HM	Willendorf, Austria.	Mara Phraner	Alameda



Travel Projected -1st - Masters

**Port of San Francisco
Peter Nicholls, BPSA
Villages Camera Club**

Journalism - Projected Images (Judge: Melanie Leawart)

Basic Level (20 entries)

Award	Title	Member	Club
1	Street Sweeper (35mm Lens)	Juan Palacios	Light & Shadow
2	Centro Cultura, Havana, Cuba, Teatro Bertolt Brecht presents a music and dance tribute to mythological royalty.	Bette Hollis	Marin
3	On 9-11 this year, this Menlo Park fire station displayed 343 flags in memory of the 343 firefighters who died at the World Trade Center in New York on 9-11-2001.	Steve Sells	Millbrae
4	[Seq] SF March	Robin Palmer	Berkeley
5	Are We Hiking with Hunters in Our Local Parks?; (Wild Turkey with Crossbow arrow, Livermore, CA, 08/26/2019)	Sue Griffin	Livermore
HM	Anticipation! Preschoolers prepare for their dance in the Princess Diva recital. Vacaville, California. July 13, 2019.	Valery Garrett	Rossmoor
HM	Oakland Pride Parade September 8, 2019- Behind the scenes! While much more tame than SF, it had its moments.	Stephen Race	Contra Costa



Journalism Projected -1st - Basic

**"Street Sweeper" (35mm Lens)
Juan Palacios
Light and Shadow Camera Club**

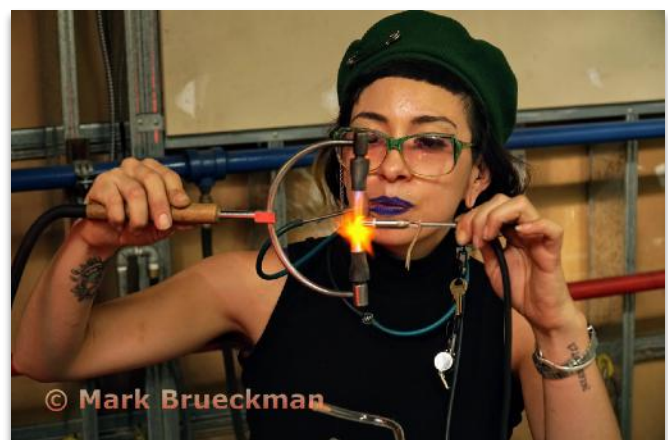
Journalism - Projected Images (cont'd)

Intermediate Level (27 entries)

Award	Title	Member	Club
1B	[Seq] The Crucible	Mark Brueckman	Alameda
2	Ready for Flying	Terry Yamaguchi	Millbrae
3	[Seq] Swarm	Jeff Dunn	Alameda
4	San Francisco firefighters attend a live fire drill on Treasure Island, one of the few such facilities in California. SFFD staff has been criticized as they have no replacement plan as this training center is torn down for redevelopment.	John Drake	Berkeley
5	Chennai, India - Rice Cultivation. Rice appeared around 1400 BC in southern India after domestication in the northern plains; it then spread to all the fertile alluvial plains watered by rivers.	Joy Phoenix	Marin
HM	Educational Program at Oakland Zoo includes student interaction with various species: Student with Giant Tortoise	Teres Ryan	Villages
HM	White water ocean kayaking involves the thrill of riding the crashing surf over coastal rock features.	Cass Kalinski	Santa Clara
HM	Wobbly Angus calf is only minutes old, weights about 75 lbs. In a few minutes cow will do placentophagy - eating the placenta - gives some nutrition and helps keep away predators.	Richard Finn	Livermore



Best in Competition - Journalism



Journalism Projected -1st - Intermediate

**The Crucible
Mark Brueckman
Alameda Photographic Society**

Journalism - Projected Images (cont'd)

Advanced Level (36 entries)

Award	Title	Member	Club
1	[Seq] Building a ger	Bill Stacy	Santa Rosa
2	Fisherman's Daughter with Endless Work To Do; The Floating Village, Siem Reap, Cambodia, March 2019	Joy Wang	Fremont
3	June 11, 2019 Livermore, Ca. Hometown cowgirls Keely Kirkman and Jillian Murray compete in the "Locals Team Roping" during the 101st annual Livermore Rodeo	Betsy Kingsbury	Livermore
4	End of an era - Century Theater domes being demolished	Stephen Alexander	Light & Shadow
5	This was the final event of the 5th Annual Oakland Pride Wellness EXPO, on the 8th of September, the Annual Pride in the Park Vogue Ball - with cash prizes and judges.	David Fry	Alameda
HM	A karate-kid attempts to break a board with his fist at the Cherry Blossom Festival in San Francisco Japantown. April 13th, 2019.	John Erve	Millbrae
HM	Remnants of family housing at George AFB now sits abandoned after the base was closed pursuant to a decision by the 1988 Base Realignment and Closure (BRAC) Commission at the end of the Cold War.	Abby O'Rourke	Diablo Valley
HM	Too much midsummer	Gordon Jalkemo	Villages



Journalism Projected -1st - Advanced

**Building a get
Bill Stacy
Santa Rosa Photographic Society**

Journalism - Projected Images (cont'd)

Masters Level (24 entries)			
Award	Title	Member	Club
1	[Seq] College Park High School's Nico Ceresa Going For A Personal Record In The Long Jump, Alhambra Invitational, March 10, 2018	David Grube	Contra Costa
2	[Seq] Rescue	Lyrinda Snyderman	Berkeley
3	[Seq] Pole Vault	Ed Oswalt	Berkeley
4	A Bharatnatyam (Indian dance) dancer getting ready for her Arengetram, which is a ceremony that lets the dancer perform on stage for the first time after completing all necessary exams and courses	Rajani Ramanathan	Livermore
5	[Seq] Leshan	Loujean LaMalfa-Prince	Santa Rosa
HM	Going For The Ball, AYSO U8 Soccer, Clayton, CA, 9-7-2019	David Grube	Contra Costa
HM	Kaluza of Coventry & Kaluza Twirls 50 Hula Hoops While Reading Hello Bugs!	Amory Donaldson	Diablo Valley
HM	[Seq] Learning paragliding	Mike Hancock	Marin



Journalism Projected -1st - Masters

College Park High School's Nico Ceresa Going For A
 Personal Record In The Long Jump, Alhambra Invitational,
 March 10, 2018
 David Grube
 Contra Costa Camera Club

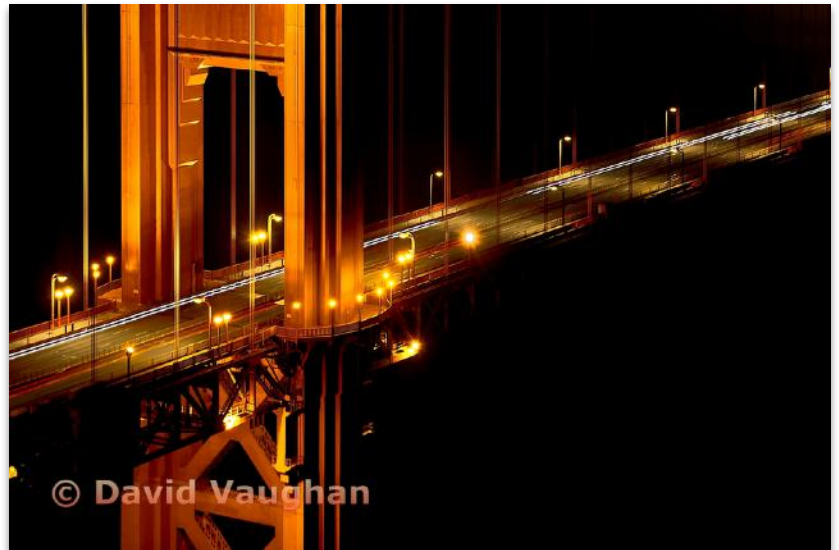
Color - Prints (Hosting Club: Light & Shadow/Judge - Chris Casell)

Basic Level (6 entries)

Award	Title	Member	Club
1	Golden Gate Bridge	David Vaughan	Marin
2	Milkweed seeds scatter in the wind	Bruce Lescher	Livermore

Color - Prints - 1st - Basic

**Golden Gate Bridge
David Vaughan
Marin Photo Club**



Intermediate Level (11 entries)

Award	Title	Member	Club
1	Christina	Steve Kessler	Peninsula
2	geothermal rhapsody Yellowstone	Bernhard Votteri	Peninsula
3	Balancing Act	Cindee Beechwood	Marin
4	Neon Fireworks	Gary Oehrle	Livermore



Color - Prints - 1st - Intermediate

**Christina
Steve Kessler
Peninsula Camera Club**

Color - Prints (cont'd)

Advanced Level (24 entries)

Award	Title	Member	Club
1B	I Am a Proud Filipino	Lee Cahili	Santa Clara
2	Practice on the way to the audition	Bruce Paul	Santa Clara
3	NAVAJO SANDSTONE-ANTELOPE CANYON	Jean DeVinney	Rossmoor
4	Evening of the Autumnal Equinox, Mono Lake	Paul Kessinger	Fremont
5	SS Red Oak Victory Charles is one of the many volunteers who keep the SS Red Oak Victory ship from rusting away.	Bob Gingg	Marin
HM	As sea retreated a log appeared	Sonny Mencher	Peninsula
HM	Late Afternoon	Bob Diamond	Light & Shadow
HM	Thistle	Karen Therman	Contra Costa

Best in Competition - Color Prints



Color - Prints - 1st - Advanced

**I Am a Proud Filipino
Lee Cahili
Santa Clara Camera Club**

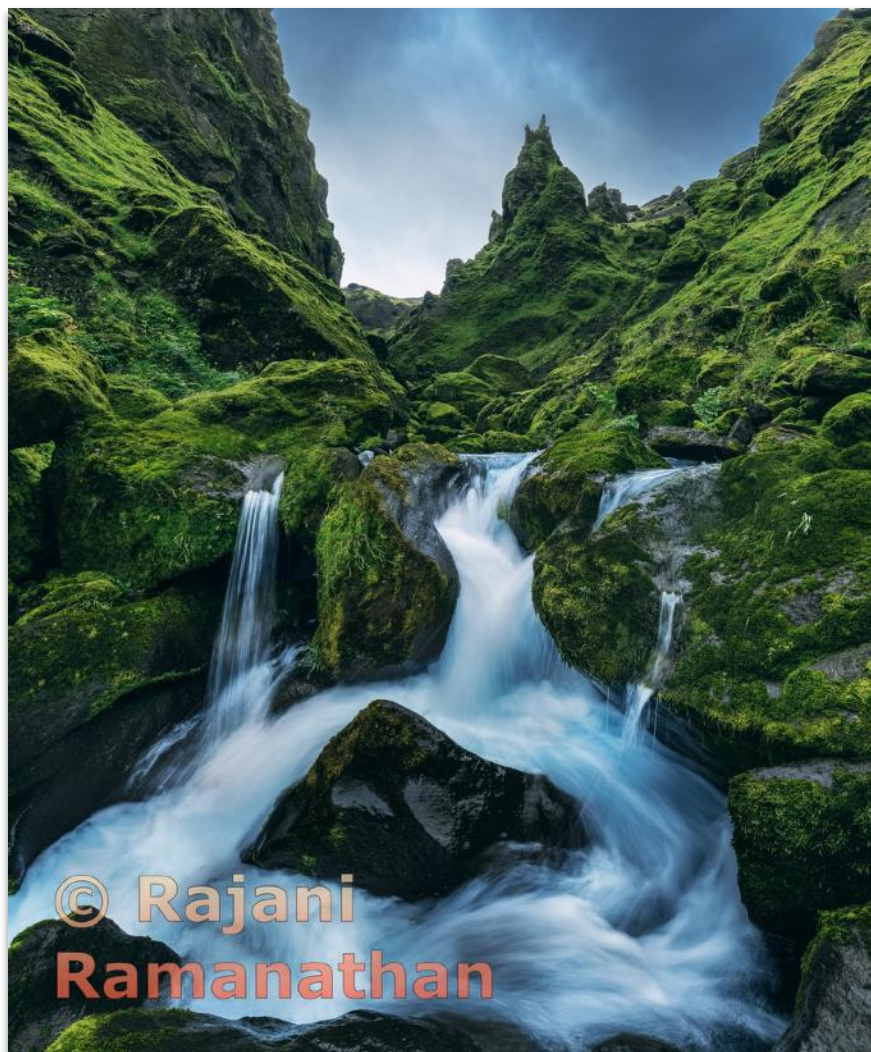
Color - Prints (cont'd)

Masters Level (24 entries)

Award	Title	Member	Club
1	Phenomenal Pakgil (pronounced Thakgil), Iceland	Rajani Ramanathan	Livermore
2	Early autumn in Vancouver	Nik Favretto	Peninsula
3	Family play	Anita Rama	Contra Costa
4	Sunflower Bud	Charles Ginsburgh	Peninsula
5	The Look Of Sweat	Claudia Peterson	Santa Clara
HM	Burned Out Redwood Tree	Paul Pokrywka	Millbrae
HM	Desert Shadows	Dorothy Weaver	Marin
HM	Forlorn and Starving	Lynn Oakleaf	Diablo Valley

Color - Prints - 1st - Masters

**Phenomenal Pakgil (pronounced
Thakgil), Iceland
Rajani Ramanathan
Livermore Valley Camera Club**



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Monochrome - Prints (hosting club Light & Shadow/judge - Chris Cassell)

Basic Level (8 entries)

Award	Title	Member	Club
1	Big Lagoon, Muir Beach	Dennis Herman	Marin
2	Unfolding	David Vaughan	Marin
3	Lowell Sproul Hall Plaza Dancers - 1967	Stephen Williams	Peninsula



Monochrome - Prints - 1st - Basic

**Big Lagoon, Muir Beach
Dennis Herman
Marin Photo Club**

Intermediate Level (11 entries)

Award	Title	Member	Club
1	Flowing Spring	Betty Hovenden	Livermore
2	A resting place on a summer day	Debasish Raha	Millbrae
3	The new Mira Condo Tower viewed from above.	Marvin Siegel	Marin
4	Cactus	Vicki Anderson	Contra Costa

Monochrome - Prints 1st - Intermediate

**Flowing Spring
Betty Hovenden
Livermore Valley Camera Club**

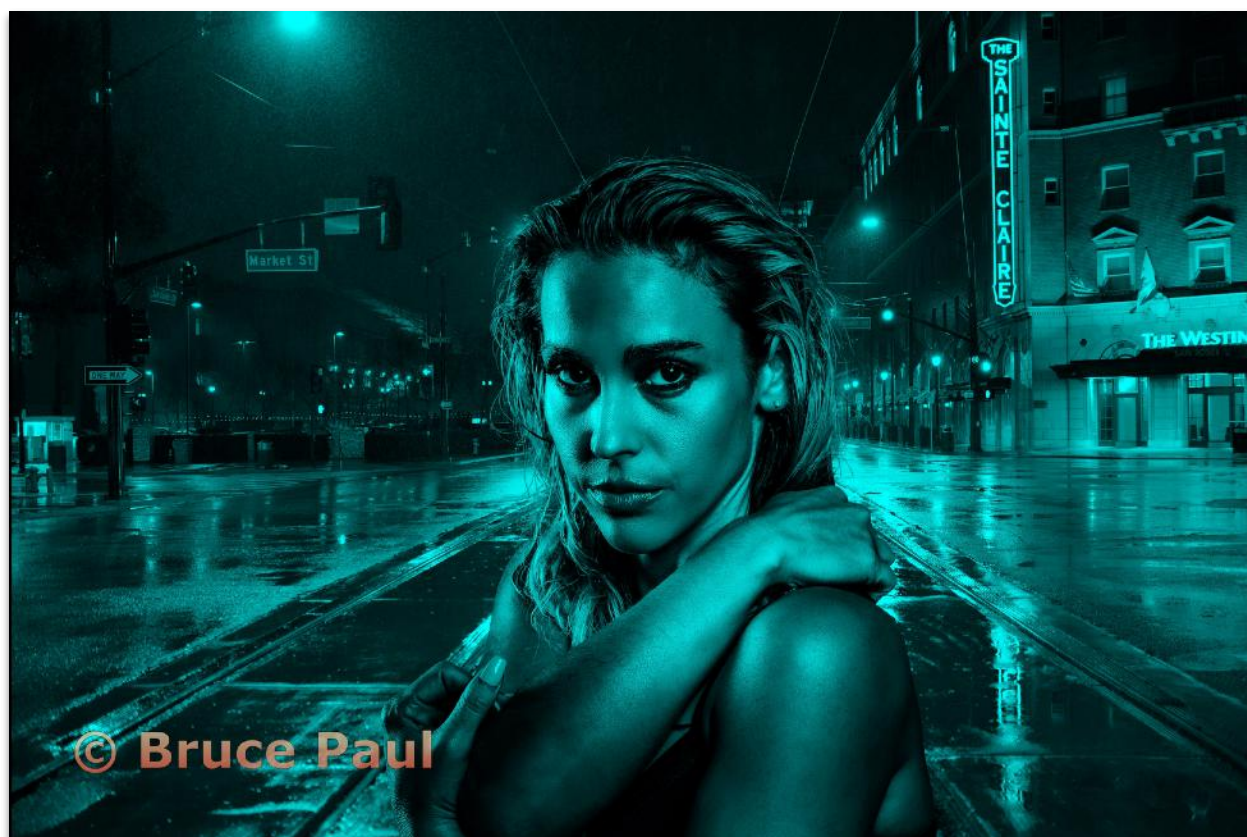


Monochrome- Prints (con't)

Advanced Level (21 entries)

Award	Title	Member	Club
1B	Leaving Macaila	Bruce Paul	Santa Clara
2	Zen	Cindy Micheli	Livermore
3	Old Wagon	Sharon Anderson	Contra Costa
4	Hanging out in the Hanging Bridge	Lee Cahili	Santa Clara
5	Temples, 'Sun' and 'Moon' rising thru the mist	Debbie Bergvall	Contra Costa
HM	Hairdo-; Wild Mustang in the Utah High Desert	Mansoor Assadi	Marin
HM	Youth	Jean Chen	Rossmoor

Best in Competition - Monochrome Print



Monochrome - Prints - 1st - Advanced

**Leaving Macaila
Bruce Paul
Santa Clara Camera Club**

Monochrome- Prints (con't)

Masters Level (22 entries)

Award	Title	Member	Club
1	Looking Up At The Future	John Mentil	Rossmoor
2	The Twists and Turns of Call Lilies	Claudia Peterson	Santa Clara
3	Dressed for Church, Sunday Morning, Oakland	Eric Ahrendt	Contra Costa
4	Little Girl Of India (10842934)	Claudia Peterson	Santa Clara
5	Peppers and Friends	Charles Ginsburgh	Peninsula
HM	Double moon bridge of the Four Lakes, Guilin, China	Henry Lam	Contra Costa
HM	Rowboat with Glass Balls	Sharon Strochak	Peninsula
HM	Smoke Break, Inle Lake, Myanmar	Rajani Ramanathan	Livermore



Monochrome - Prints - 1st - Masters

**Looking Up at the Future
John Mentil
Rossmoor Photography Club**

Travel - Prints (hosting club Light & Shadow/judge - Chris Cassell)

Basic Level (8 entries)

Award	Title	Member	Club
1	Butcher in a meat market. Mandalay, Myanmar circa 2001.	John Woodworth	Marin
2	The 99 Domed Mosque - The mosque stands not far from Pantai Losari Makassar in South Sulawesi, Indonesia. The 99 domes are symbolic of the 99 names of asmaul husna, Allah.	Lidia Sari	Livermore
3	Sunset over the Palouse.	Bob Gingg	Marin



Travel - Prints - 1st - Basic

Butcher in a meat market. Mandalay, Myanmar circa 2001
John Woodworth
Marin Photo Club

Travel - Prints (cont'd)

Advanced Level (20 entries)

Award	Title	Member	Club
1B	Monks of the Rongwo Monastery, who belong to the Sykya Sect, "debate" over the finer points of Tibetan Buddhism with lots of clapping, pointing and yelling as part of the dialog.	Steve Ziman	Marin
2	River Cullenagh Flows thru the Village of Ennistymon in County Clare, Ireland. Discolored River is due to Water Passing thru Peat Bogs in Surrounding Watershed	Al Ludwick	Livermore
3	Sunset at the Accademia Bridge in Venice	Rick Budde	Marin
4	In India, Women are the Major Work Force. Here Carrying Material to the Cement Mixer	Bob Cossins	Millbrae
5	Junks cruise among the karst formations in Halong Bay, Vietnam	Sharon Thorp	Santa Clara
HM	Kalinga Tribe -Indigenous people who inhabits the northern highlands of the Philippines	Lee Cahili	Santa Clara
HM	Worker Harvests Mustard for Seeds and Remaining Biomass, Sumerpur, Rajasthan, India	Jane Postiglione	Contra Costa

Best in Competition - Travel Print



Travel - Prints - 1st - Advanced

Monks of the Rongwo Monastery, who belong to the Sykya Sect, "debate" over the finer points of Tibetan Buddhism with lots of clapping, pointing and yelling as part of the dialog.

**Steve Ziman
Marin Photo Club**

Journalism - Prints (hosting club Light & Shadow/Judge - Chris Cassell)

Basic Level (7 entries)

Award	Title	Member	Club
1B	Making Connection with Oceanic Friend Gray Whale, Baja Calif.	Kazuko Hamano	Santa Clara
2	It only takes a moment for visitors to the Louvre to take a picture of the Da Vinci's Mona Lisa. Da Vinci took 4 years to paint the famous smile.	Gene Morita	Marin
3	Pilot Steve Stavrakakis performs "A Tribute to the American Vet" in a Romanian IAR-823, on October 5th at the Livermore Municipal Airport Air Show.	Betty Hovenden	Livermore

Best in Competition - Journalism Prints



Journalism - Prints - 1st - Basic

Making Connection with Oceanic Friend Gray Whale, Baja Calif.

Kazuko Hamano

Santa Clara Camera Club

Journalism - Prints (cont'd)

Advanced Level (16 entries)

Award	Title	Member	Club
1	Wreck of a B-52 bomber shot down on December 27, 1972, still rests where it fell in a lake in a residential area of Hanoi as a reminder of the Vietnam war.	Sharon Thorp	Santa Clara
2	Spectator gives a cool look to a scantily-clad dancer at San Francisco's Carnaval Parade	Pecche Turner	Millbrae
3	The Irony of the Indigenous Squatter	Lee Cahili	Santa Clara
4	Oakland A's Catcher Watches Kansas City Royal's Batter Lorenzo Cain Break his Bat (10960872)	Jane Postiglione	Contra Costa
5	A Shawl Dancer, at the Indigenous Peoples Day Pow Wow in Berkeley, Seemingly Spreads Her Wings	Ed Mestre	Livermore
HM	Trying to Look Inconspicuous, 2016 Super Bowl City, San Francisco	Bob Cossins	Millbrae



Journalism - Prints - 1st - Advanced

Wreck of a B-52 bomber shot down on December 27, 1972, still rests where it fell in a lake in a residential area of Hanoi as a reminder of the Vietnam war.

Sharon Thorp

Santa Clara Camera Club

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CT	Chinatown Photographic Society	http://chinatownphoto.org/wordpress/en/
DV	Diablo Valley Camera Club	https://diablovalley.photoclubservices.com
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
RO	Rossmoor Photography Club	http://rossmoorcameraclub.photoclubservices.com/
SC	Santa Clara Camera Club	http://www.sccc-photo.org
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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 Interclub Competition

2019 Competition Year

Jan	Millbrae	P	M	N	C	P	N	C	
Feb	Contra Costa	P	M	T	J	P	T	J	M
Mar	Livermore Valley	P	M	S	J	P	N	C	
Apr	Diablo Valley	P	M	N	C	P	T	J	M
May	Fremont	P	M	T	J	P	N	C	J
Jun	Millbrae	P	M	N	C	P	T	J	M
Jul	Santa Clara	P	M	T	J	P	N	C	
Aug	Rossmoor	P	M	S	T	P	T	J	M
Sep	Marin	P	M	N	C	P	N	C	T
Oct	Light & Shadow	P	M	T	J	P	T	J	M
Nov	Peninsula	P	M	N	C	P	N	C	

P =

M = Monochrome

N = Nature

T = Travel

C =

J =

S =

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* No competitions scheduled in December.