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Judging PSA Internationals

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Most of you are aware that for the past 45 years our club has sponsored an international photographic competition and exhibition. Very many of you have taken on one or more of the many and varied functions required to make our Oklahoma International Exhibition a success each year. Our exhibition is just one of many exhibitions around the world that is sanctioned and approved by the Photographic Society of America (PSA). Our club is a charter member of PSA and many of us are individual members. If you are not, I strongly encourage you to join. It is a great organization for the lover of photography.



**Judges: Standing - Jan Lee, Tom McCreary
Seated - Dennis Corbin, Carol McCreary, Doug Finch**

PSA has its annual convention every September. Its international exhibition is a big part of that event. The people responsible for each of PSA's competition divisions are spread out all over the country. All the jobs associated with our Oklahoma International are also required here. Division chairmen for the PSA exhibition have the added chore of transporting the acceptances over a long distance to put on the show.

Sept. 11, 2007

Competition: Prints: Color A & B,
Monochrome A & B, Nature & PJ
Judges: Greg Mayberry, Dennis
Corbin, Albert Janco
Program: PSA 2006 TOPS
Refreshments: TBA

Sept. 25, 2007

Competition: Projected Images: Open
A & B, Creative A & B, Nature & PJ
Judges: Carol McCreary, Tom McCreary,
Claude Klutts
Program: "Creative Techniques w/
Handouts" by Carol McCreary, PPSA
Refreshments: Esther & John Key

Board Meeting:

Tuesday - Sept. 18th, 7:30

Home of Jan Lee.

All members are always welcome

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Judging PSA International, Continued

This year, several of the major PSA divisions are being run from right here in OKC. **Carol and Tom McCreary**, who you all know are active photojournalism photographers, are responsible for PJ slides, digitals, and print section competitions. Wally and I are handling the same jobs for the large mono and color pictorial prints, and small mono and color pictorial prints. We have received the entries, rounded up qualified judging panels, held the judgings, and are now busily putting the accepted entries in order for exhibition this September at the convention in Tucson.

As with our club, PSA could not function without dedicated, willing participation from a large number of its members. Competitions and exhibitions are an important part of the PSA experience, and they don't just happen. So on behalf of PSA, and the McCrearys and Lees, I would like to thank all of our talented helpers and judges. Many thanks go to **Charles Taylor, Jackie Bartels**, and me for judging PJ; and to **Wally Lee, John Key, and Ed Lamb** for keeping us straight. **Carol McCreary, Tom McCreary, Dennis Corbin, Doug Finch, Jaci Finch, and Jackie Bartels** did a stellar job of judging the eight total sections for this year's pictorial prints. Support staff besides the Lees were **Ed Lamb, Debbie Devonshire**, and whichever of the others who weren't judging a particular section. **Dennis Corbin** gets major applause. He judged all eight sections, somehow remaining alert, appreciative, and fair through 2149 pictorial prints!

I've included a few photographs that **John Key** and I took to document some of the light-hearted moments of both the PJ and Pictorial print judging.



Judging PJ: (Foreground) Wally Lee, Carol McCreary
Tom McCreary (Background) Jan Lee & Jackie Bartel



Judging PJ: (Front) Wally Lee & Tom McCreary



Picking Pictorial Winners: Dennis Corbin, Debbie Devonshire, Tom McCreary & Doug Finch

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The Oklahoma Camera Club has missed **May & Bill Odgers**. They are enjoying a new beginning with a move to The Fountains at Canteberry. They are no longer driving and will be truly missed at Club Meetings. If you are in their neighborhood, stop by for a visit and they would certainly enjoy a ride to a club meeting.

The Oklahoma Camera Club has also missed **Shirley Alexander**. Doug and Jaci Finch visited with their daughter, **Beth Alexander**, who is living with her husband and two children in Kansas City. Beth has moved Shirley and Bob to an assisted living center in Kansas City where they are being lovingly cared for.

Dues are Due!!! We are starting a new year and looking forward to a lot of informative programs, exciting field trips and challenging competition. So, find our treasurer **Brad Smith** at the next club meeting or pay by Paypal by visiting our web site. Dues for the individual are \$30 and \$40 for the family; we have reduced rates of \$10 for students. Hurry so we can include your name and information in the Club Yearbook.

Send in Yearbook information - Please update your Yearbook information with any phone number changes, misspellings, PSA membership, star ratings and credentials, etc. Forward all of this information to **Jan Lee** at her e-mail address jandlee4@cox.net or call her at **751-8179**. Jan will be happy to receive any other Yearbook changes you have as well.

Club Field Trips: Mark your calendars - two field trips are being planned for this fall. On October 20, plans are being made to visit Honor Heights Park in Muskogee. And, on November 3 plans are being made for the "Fly-in" of airplanes at the Ponca City Airport. More information will be coming.

Around Oklahoma

Centennial Expo-The 101st Oklahoma State Fair

Sept. 13 - 23, 2007
State Fairgrounds (NW 10th & May Ave)
Oklahoma City, OK

Arts Festival Oklahoma

Aug 31 - Sep 3, 2007
Oklahoma City Community College
Oklahoma City, OK

Edmond Art Market Festival

Sep 15, 2007
Stephenson Park
Edmond, OK

12x12 Art Show & Sale*

Sep 29, 2007
Fred Jones Building
Oklahoma City, OK

* Over 125 Oklahoma artists are doing big things in one square foot for the upcoming **12x12 Art Show & Sale**, scheduled for September 29, 2007 at the Fred Jones Industries Building, 900 W. Main in downtown Oklahoma City. Presented by the Oklahoma Visual Arts Coalition (OVAC), the much anticipated annual event will raise vital funds for artists in Oklahoma.

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Competition Results

August 14, 2007 - Prints

Color Class A

Doug	Finch	1	2
Jan	Lee	HM	
Wally	Lee	HM	
Dave	Sims	2	3

Color Class B

Jaci	Finch	1	2
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Monochrome Class A

Jan	Lee	1	2
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Nature

Doug	Finch	1	2
Jaci	Finch	2	2
Esther	Key	3	3
Jan	Lee	2	2
Wally	Lee	1	1
Tom	McCreary	3	HM
Maxey	Pinson	3	
Dave	Sims	1	2

Photojournalism

Carol	McCreary	1	1
Esther	Key	2	3
Maxey	Pinson	1	

August 28, 2007 - Projected Images

Advanced Creative

Jan	Lee	2	2
Carol	McCreary	3	HM
Tom	McCreary	1	

Advanced Open

Jan	Lee	2	2
Wally	Lee	2	3
Charlotte	Mansfield	3	HM
Carol	McCreary	1	2
Tom	McCreary	2	2

Beginning Creative

Josh	Craig	3	HM
Debbie	Devonshire	2	3
Jaci	Finch	2	2
Brad	Smith	1	2

Beginning Open

Josh	Craig	HM	HM
Debbie	Devonshire	1	1
Dale	Donlon	3	
Jaci	Finch	1	2
Brad	Smith	1	2

Nature

Josh	Craig	1	HM
Debbie	Devonshire	1	3
Wally	Lee	3	HM
Jan	Lee	2	3
Greg	Mayberry	3	HM
Michael	Mayberry	1	3
Tom	McCreary	1	HM
Brad	Smith	2	HM

Photojournalism

Josh	Craig	2	3
Debbie	Devonshire	3	3
Wally	Lee	1	3
Carol	McCreary	1	2
Tom	McCreary	1	1

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Photography 101 Workshop

The next meeting is **Saturday, September 15th**, 10 AM at the home of **Ed Lamb**. Bring photos and/or equipment to start a lively discussion. For info or directions call **Ed Lamb 721-4714**.

Photoshop Workshop

Friday, October 5th at the home of **Carol & Tom McCreary** at 7:30 pm. There will not be a meeting in September due to the PSA Convention. At the October meeting, we will cover the "Out of Frame" action; bring your flashsticks to get a copy of the action. We will also have time for "**creative show and tell**" by anyone. Everyone is welcome - For info call **Carol or Tom, 634-1817**;
location - 425 S.W. 53rd St.



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Meetings 2nd and 4th
Tuesdays
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