



Greene County Photography Club Newsletter

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Ice Berries

Kathy Douglas
1st Place—February 2008

Denise Presents Portraits

Those who braved the negative sounding weather forecasts and attended the February meeting were treated to lighting and posing techniques by Denise Chadwick. With experience at photographing babies, small children and others, Denise has "been there, done that" for the crying infants, the aggressive moms, and the good times too. Jerry brought the lighting and backdrop set up that he and Fran, and he and WCHS Camera Club members had used for sports team members, proms, and mostly HeadStart children. Denise explained how one could pose children and their parents for good results. Everyone who attended agreed that there were lots of good tips and examples of posing and lighting that could be used whether the subjects were members of your own family or a group for which you were gaining income.

February Monthly Contest Winners

Our topic was *Snow* or *White*, and everyone who entered the February contest has to be complimented just for getting outside when there was snow. Kathy Douglas' *Ice Berries* was first, Bob Bedison's *Snowy Tree* was second and Kathy Douglas' *White Rose* was third. Congratulations to everyone who entered the contest for February 2008.

Carolyn's Portfolio Draws Awe

Whether it be wolves, lighthouses, flowers, or the town of Mount Morris, Carolyn Whitehead has done an excellent job of photographing it. At the February meeting, she treated us again by exhibiting a portfolio of photos from all four of those and more. As we have previously seen, Carolyn sets great examples for the rest of us to emulate to improve our photography.



Snowy Tree

Bob Bedison
2nd Place --February 2008



White Rose
Kathy Douglas
3rd Place --February 2008

Field Trip Ideas

Please bring and share your ideas for club field trips to the March meeting. Some ideas were brought up at the February meeting including the Western Pennsylvania Wild Animal Orphanage, Phipps Conservatory, and the Pittsburgh Zoo. With those as a starting point, it would be good for us to have a brief discussion of the many places nearby that we could go as a group. In addition, if there is any member who could help organize such a trip, please volunteer at the March meeting.

Classifieds

In this and future newsletters, we will try to include a short *classified* listing. These are items Jerry would like to sell, and they serve as a model for our ads.

Item:	Seller:	Phone:
Hassalblad 500 CM Body, lens, film back	J. Hardy	724-627-6757
Mamiya RZ67 Body, Lenses, film backs	J. Hardy	724-627-6757

Announcements

Superior Photo in Morgantown is doing two digital classes that are two evenings each. One is DSLR and the other is Compact Digital Basics. Each class is \$20. Compact is April 15 and 22 and SLR is April 17 and 24. Call 304-292-8434.

These contests are coming up rapidly:

Sheep and Fiber Fest Here Prints in before May 9
Memorial Day Grafton, WV Prints in before May 21
Strawberry Fest Buckhannon, WV Prints in before May 2
There is one very soon in Washington County. Share if known.

Next Meeting:

Greene County Photography Club will hold its next meeting on **March 25th** in **Room 116 of Stewart Hall** at **Waynesburg University**. (Stewart Hall is across from the 1st National Bank Drive Thru one full block behind Mickey's Men's Store.) The theme for the March Contest will be portraits.

Programs and Meetings

The tentative list of programs and portfolio presentations for the next few months is: (Please excuse over-abbreviation in this.)

Feb—Denise's *Portraits* and Carolyn's portfolio
Mar—Pam's *Weddings* and Janice's portfolio
Apr—Frame Up & Gallery and Jerry's portfolio
May—Visit the Sheep and Fiber Fest Exhibit
June—Carolyn's *How'd You Do That* and ?? folio
July—Cris Hamilton's *Birds* and ?? folio.

2008 Member Sign-Up

The following are members for 2008:
(Those with * have paid 2008 dues)

Bob Bedison*	Kay Mooney*
Ruth Bedison*	Janice Morris*
Pam Blaker*	Keith Moredock*
Laura Boswell*	Janice Morris*
Ray Boswell*	Kathlene Namolek*
Susan Pool Boswell*	Pete Remeas*
Lovella Burns*	Sally Rishell*
Denise Chadwick*	Trudy Roney*
Andrew Corfont*	Rebecca Thomas*
Kathy Douglas	Ruth Thornberg*
Fran Hardy*	Suzanne Thornberg*
Jerry Hardy*	Lee Weaver*
Debbie Hoy*	Donna Whipkey*
Michael Kabay*	Carolyn Whitehead*
Ken Miller*	Deshirl Yesonosky*
	Beverly Yoskovich*

If there is an error (omission, spelling, dues, etc) in the list above, please call or email Jerry ASAP.

It's Dues Time

If there is anyone who has not paid your 2008 dues yet, please do so ASAP. Also, we seem to have lost a number of members from last year. If you are talking to any of those folks who have not rejoined, please invite them back. If we did something that did not satisfy them, find out what, and we'll try to make it right.