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April Club Winners

Black & White



Steam Locomotive
Glenna McDougal
1st Place



Foggy Morn
Kathy Douglas
2nd Place

April Meeting

Our club met on April 28. We were blessed with several new members and the return of some we had not seen for the last few meetings

The monthly contest was *Black and White*. There were 34 entries! That was fantastic in itself. The winners were: First Place—*Steam Locomotive* by Glenna McDougal, Second Place—*Foggy Morn* by Kathy Douglas and Third Place was *Dandelion Seeds*, also by Kathy Douglas. We all have to agree that black and whites are dramatic and the pictures entered in April illustrated that well.

Beverly Yoskovich presented the program for the meeting. It was a very informative video on lighting and lighting effects. The entire program was more extensive than appropriate for one session, so the second part of the video will be used for the May meeting. Following that session, the club will utilize backdrops and lighting techniques that club members have for hands-on applications.

Janice called our attention to one of the photo field trips offered by PSA. This particular one is to the Catskills for 3 days and 2 nights. If you are inclined to participate, check out the PSA website at www.psa-photo.org, or call Janice, and she can direct you to the information. In the near future, we would like to charter a bus for a field trip of our own. Members must make suggestions for trips because we know many of our members have great locations in mind to photograph. We'd really like to do a photo trip that fits the needs and wishes of our club members.



Milkweed Seeds

Kathy Douglas
3rd Place

Sheep & Fiber Contest Winners

For the 6th Annual Sheep and Fiber Fest Photography Exhibit/Contest, there were more than 100 entries. Below is a list of the winners. If you notice photographers who are local and listed, please encourage them to join us in the GCPC.

Winners for **Animals** were: 1st—*Freedom* by Glenna McDougal, 2nd—*Redtail Hawk* by Trudy Roney, 3rd—*Kiss & Tell* by Lena Galing, 4th—*Let's Go Explorin'* by Tracy Tustin, and Honorable Mention—*Puppy Kisses* by Melinda Henderson.

Winners for **People** were: 1st—*Tooo T-i-g-h-t* by Denise Chadwick, 2nd—*Carson & Chick* by Bob Bedison, 3rd—*On the Range* by Donna Whipkey, 4th—*I Love You* by Bob Bedison, and Honorable Mention—*Cowgirl Smile* by Denise Chadwick.

Winners for **Scenery** were: 1st and Best of Show--*Winter at Lippencott* by Phyllis Woods, 2nd—*In the Hay Field* by Barbara Deynzer, 3rd—*autumn barn* by Phyllis Woods, 4th—*Miller Hall* by Bob Bedison, and Honorable Mention—*Golden Shades of Autumn* by Elizabeth Rogers.

Winners for **Still Life** were: 1st—*Perfect Chicory* by Pete Zapadka, 2nd—*Droplet* by Pete Zapadka, 3rd--*Pumpkins* by Janice Morris, 4th—*Summer Bounty* by Janice Morris, and Honorable Mention—*Good Morning Sunshine* by Andrew Corfont.

Winners for **Youth** were: 1st—*Look to the Sky* by Makalah Beazell, 2nd—*tenmile 2* by Jesse Kisner, 3rd—*City Storm* by Jessica Robinson, 4th—*Icy Pine* by Jake Young, and Honorable Mention—*Tulip* by Jake Young.

May Meeting

The next meeting will be at 7 pm on May 26th at the Waynesburg Bible Chapel. Please bring your entries. The contest this month is *April Showers*, so bring your best showers or rain photos. Remember that you may enter up to three photos that are each 4x6 or less.

Also, at the April meeting, Beverly will present the second part of the program on lighting. Then we'll set up some of the equipment club members have and use it for example photo shoots. With that information and practice with lighting, the July meeting competition topic will be *Portraits*

Sheep & Fiber Best of Show Winner



Winter at Lippencott

Phyllis Woods
Nemacolin

(Note: We have to get her in the GCPC!)

June and July Competitions

June's competition is "*Wisdom*" which means you should enter any photo that shows or suggests wisdom or learning. For July's competition we'll test our lighting techniques with "*Portraits*".

One More Note on Planning Ahead

This is a repeat, probably because your editor missed the April meeting, but we should plan a picnic at some photogenic spot for July or August, so bring your ideas to the May meeting.