# The PILCHUCKER

### Newsletter for Pilchuck Camera Club – Everett Washington

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Serving members from the Puget Sound Area of Washington State



The Pilchuck Camera Club was organized June 12, 1964 and is a member of the Photographic Society of America (PSA) and the Northwest Council of Camera Clubs (NWCCC). Membership is open to any-one interested in color or monochromatic digital photography. Club meetings are held at 7:00 p.m. on the second Thursday of each month in the Baker Heights Social Hall, 1401 Poplar Street, Everett, WA.

Pilchuck Camera Club Web Page: http://www.pilchuckcamer aclub.com

Members of:



Northwest Council of Camera Clubs (NWCCC) http://www.nwcamer aclubs.org



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### **COMING EVENTS**

#### **Monthly Club Meeting:**

7 pm at the Baker Heights Social Hall 1401 Poplar Everett Washington August 10<sup>th</sup>

#### **August 8, 2017**

**3 Regular Competition Images** 3 Challenge Images — Transportation To: jbasingerokie@comcast.net

### SEND ALL IMAGES No later than

August 8, 2017

Dimension requirements for regular and challenge submit-ted images: No larger than 1920 pixels wide or 1080 pixels tall.

### **August Refreshments** Sonya Lang

**Program: Commentary** 

#### **Pilchuck Camera Club June Meeting Minutes**

The monthly meeting of the Pilchuck Camera Club was held on July 13, 2017 and called to order by President Tracy Carson at 7pm. There were 13 members present and Frank Townsend of the Olympic Camera Club. Glenn Moffitt joined as a new member.

Treasure Greg Thomas reported \$1420.01 as per May 2017 report in the Treasury.

President Tracy Carson presented certificates to the winners of the monthly competition.

The Judges were: Greg Goodman, Paula Kelly, Tracy Carson

There were 51 Reg, 35 monthly challenge and 25 PSA images shown. Tabulation and Projection were by Jim Basinger and Steve Lightle

Program for the evening was a commentary from Frank Townsend, NWCCC Representative of the Olympic Camera Club He spoke about the upcoming Conference on November 11 at the Everett Community College and Session 1 of Gary Freidman's video on introduction to Light is Everything.

New Business: Bill Schwarz has volunteered to be the new club news editor. Thank you, Sonya Lang for the many years you served as the editor. A job well done! Congratulations Bill.

Old Business: Members were to read PCC By-Laws and send in any suggestions but there was no date due so no suggestions were received.

It was suggested that Dues be paid in November so that members are in good standing for the January image submissions.

Meeting adjourned 7:30pm

Respectfully Submitted

Sonia Rahm

#### **Cover Image**

**Title: Mossy Forest Stream** 

By: Sherrie Tallman

I was attending a photography workshop in the Olympics in June of 2017. This stream, with a picturesque wooden bridge crossing it, is on the hike to Sol Duc Falls, approximately 1/2 mile from the parking lot. We stopped at this stream on the way back out from Sol Duc Falls and the class members positioned themselves along the banks. I took a number of images around the stream, as the instructor had me working on using Kelvin temperatures rather than my camera's cloudy or shady settings. I usually take a range from K5000 to K6000, at f/20 and f/22 - usually with -1/3 or -2/3 exposure compensation. However, I often needed to lower the exposure compensation to -1 or -1 1/3 while in the woods to get the right color saturation. I shoot at ISO 100 and use the Aperture Priority setting. I also have a specific landscape "roll of film" that I use.

Coincidentally, I returned to that area 3 1/2 weeks later to a greatly reduced water flow. Many cascading streams were completely dried up, including one I forced myself not to stop and photograph on June 18, as I was on a time deadline. I was so disappointed to find that it had dried up!

#### **Articles and Other Information**

Frank Townsend attended our July meeting and gave us a NWCCC update.

#### NWCCC ANNOUNCES FALL COMPETITIONS

by Frank Townsend

The Northwest Council of Camera Clubs is comprised of 18 clubs in the Northwest corner of the state, the Pilchuck Camera Club is among the eighteen. Each year the Council sponsors four photography competitions, including the Traveling Print Salon a club competition where each club is competing against other clubs within the council on a round robin type manner. Pilchuck's prints are sent to other clubs for judging while other clubs' images come to Pilchuck for judging. Top scores from each club are sent to the Council for independent judging. This year's prints recently completed "making the rounds" but next year's competition begins in November.

In addition to the Traveling Prints there are three individual competitions, these are submitted as individuals who belong to clubs within the Council. As the Pilchuck Camera Club is a member club you are encouraged to participate in these competitions, all of which close on October 1. The first is the Open Print Salon where you may enter up to 3 color and 3 monochrome either in the large print category or the small print category. Another interesting competition is the Open Digital Competition where you may enter up to 4 images, either color, monochrome or creative. And finally there is the Digital Slide Show Competition (formerly known as the Rix Showcase). There are two categories in this completion, either Photo Essay or Travel Essay but these are done as slide shows rather than individual prints.

This article only lightly touches on the competitions, for rules and entry forms visit the Council's website at nwcameraclubs.org and click on "Competitions" at the top of the page. Members of the Council will be happy to help you in any way, please don't hesitate to ask.

# **Monthly Completion**

Subject: Reflection

Winner: Steve Lightle

Title: B&W Lily Reflection



## **Regular Competition Winners**



Blue Iris in Full Bloom - Greg Thomas



Harris's Hawk - Paul Priebe

#### Second Place



Incoming - Lee Dygert

Second Place



Second Place

Just The Right Spot - Renata Kleinert



Second Place

Thors Well - Tracy Carson



Second Place

MALE ANNA'S HUMMINGBIRD - JIM BASINGER

### **Regular Competition Results:**

	Title	Maker	Score	Honor
1	Aaliyah Marie	Sonya Lang	18	
2	B&W begonia	Paula Bailly	18	
	Blue Iris in Full Bloom reg			
3	images	Greg Thomas	25	1ST
4	Bottoms Up	Paul Priebe	22	
5	Buck Moon	Lee dygert	19	
6	Crabbers	Gary Lingenfelter	16	
7	Dragonflies in Three	sonia rahm	16	
8	EAGLE 1 JIM BASINGER		20	
9	Evening at the Marina	Patricia Garrison	19	
10	Flag	Bill Schwarz	17	
11	Forest Bench	Sherrie Tallman	20	
12	Fourth Of July	Renata Kleinert	22	
13	Girls crabbing	Doug Goodman	17	
14	Gordon Seagull	Steve Lightle	19	
15	Hunter	Lee Dygert	21	
16	Ivy House	Tim Garton	18	
17	Moma Duck with chicks	Jim Rahm	18	
18	Momma Mallard	Sonia Rahm	14	
19	Newport Pelican	Tracy Carson	20	
20	EAGLE ON OYSTERS	JIM BASINGER	17	
21	English Rose	Gary Lingenfelter	16	
22	Greenbank Sunset reg images	Greg Thomas	20	
23	Harris's Hawk	Paul Priebe	23	2ND
24	Heron	Bill Schwarz	20	
25	Incoming	Lee Dygert	23	2ND
26	Just The Right Spot	Renata Kleinert	23	2ND
27	Kookaburra	Steve Lightle	19	
28	Lake Stevens Pier	Patricia Garrison	15	
29	Leaf Frog	Doug Goodman	20	
30	Meade Hotel Staircase	Sonya Lang	22	
31	Momma Mallard and her Babies	sonia rahm	16	
32	Mossy Forest Stream	Sherrie Tallman	19	
33	peekaboo rose	Paula Bailly	17	
34	Sixty two	Tim Garton	19	
35	Thors Well	Tracy Carson	23	2ND
36	Turbo Prop Otter in Flight	Jim Rahm	17	
37	Harvey Creek Band	Gary Lingenfelter	22	

38	Hybiscus	Greg Thomas	20	
39	I See You	Paul Priebe	22	
40	MALE ANNA'S HUMMINGBIRD	JIM BASINGER	23	2ND
41	Mothra	Bill Schwarz	20	
42	Pick your brain	Doug Goodman	21	
43	Red Rock Park	Patricia Garrison	16	
44	Sol Duc Falls	Sherrie Tallman	22	
45	Stringed chair	Paula Bailly	21	
46	The Palouse Patterns	Renata Kleinert	20	
47	This way to Modern	Tim Garton	19	
48	Very cool Dranonfly	Jim Rahm	20	
49	Water Lily Glow	Steve Lightle	20	
50	Wild Intent	Sonya Lang	19	
51	Yellowstone	Tracy Carson	21	

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