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 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. Note: **Zoom** until further notice.

Pilchuck Camera Club Web Page: http://www.pilchuckcameraclub.com

Members of:





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

Photographic Society of America (PSA) Web Page: http://www.psa-photo.org

2021 Officers

President – TBD August 12, 2021 **Monthly Club Meeting:** Vice Presidents – TBD Zoom **Treasurer – Sherrie Tallman** By EOD August 8, 2021 Secretary – Sonya Lang **3** Regular Competition Images 3 Challenge Images (Arch) **Standing Committee Chairpersons** To: pilchuckcameraclub@gmail.com Membership: Social - Renata Kleinert Dimension requirements for regular and Sunshine: Renata Kleinert challenge submitted images: No larger than **Club Competition : Bill Schwarz** 1920 pixels wide or 1080 pixels tall. **PSA Club Representative:** Sonya Lang "My Title – My Name.jpg" NWCCC Delegate: Renata Kleinert Field Trips: Open Separate email for each category (please) and Point Records: Bill Schwarz the topic in the subject Historian: Open Pilchucker Editor: Bill Schwarz Web Master: Steve Lightle **Program: TBD (Maybe Commentary**)

COMING EVENTS

Pilchuck Camera Club Meeting Minutes

Meeting occurred at 7PM July 8. Sonya was the host.

No old business.

New business: Sherrie reports no change in the bank account.

There were 14 Regular images, 12 Challenge images, and 11 PSA images from 4 makers.

...Bill Schwarz

Non-Destructive NIK

Quite often when using NIK Silver EFEX I wish I could go back and make another change. NIK has no 'Save Project' and the changes you make are lost once the image has been rendered and saved. You only get the result of your edits and cannot go back and change them. However, using Photoshop, you can go back and modify or add the changes you made. This is done via Smart Filters. I'm sure there are many ways to use the smart filter; here is how I've done it.

- Open the image in Photoshop (directly or through another app like LR)
- Menu: Filter Convert for Smart Filters
- Menu: Filter NIK Collection Silver Efex Pro 2 (other other filter)
- NIK will start up. Make your edits, control points, etc. And Save

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Now, if you decide to change any settings you made, click on the NIK filter and NIK will restart with the edits you made previously. This should work for any NIK filter. One downside – the saved tiff or PSD file may be very large.

Regular Competition Awards

First Place



3 Catcher's Mit - Steve Lightle



6 Osprey in Flight - sonya lang

Third Place



1 Angel blossom - Tim Garton



11 Tree in Winter Wheat - Sonya Lang



14 Wildflow - Tim Garton

Regular Competition All Photos







1 Angel blossom - Tim Garton

2 Athabasca Falls BW - Bill Schwarz

3 Catcher's Mit - Steve Lightle



4 Eagle Eyes - Juan Stout 5 Famous Palouse Tree - Sonya Lang

6 Osprey in Flight - sonya lang



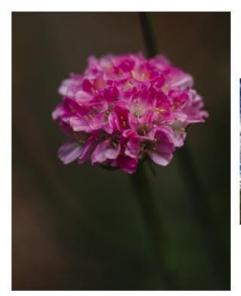




7 Blossom and bees - Tim Garton

8 Dinner Delivered - Steve Lightle

9 Pileated - Bill Schwarz







10 Pink Flower - Juan Stout 11 Tree in Winter Wheat - Sonya Lang

12 Splash of Milk - Steve Lightle



13 Wild Fern In Black and White - Juan

14 Wildflow - Tim Garton

Regular Competition Scores

| | Title | Maker | Score | Honor |
|----|------------------------|---------------|-------|-------|
| 1 | Angel blossom | Tim Garton | 21 | 3 |
| 2 | Athabasca Falls BW | Bill Schwarz | 17 | |
| 3 | Catcher's Mit | Steve Lightle | 22 | 1 |
| 4 | Eagle Eyes | Juan Stout | 19 | |
| 5 | Famous Palouse Tree | Sonya Lang | 21 | |
| 6 | Osprey in Flight | sonya lang | 22 | 1 |
| 7 | Blossom and bees | Tim Garton | 11 | |
| 8 | Dinner Delivered | Steve Lightle | 17 | |
| 9 | Pileated | Bill Schwarz | 20 | |
| 10 | Pink Flower | Juan Stout | 18 | |
| 11 | Tree in Winter Wheat | Sonya Lang | 21 | 3 |
| 12 | Splash of Milk | Steve Lightle | 20 | |
| | Wild Fern In Black and | | | |
| 13 | White | Juan Stout | 20 | |
| 14 | Wildflow | Tim Garton | 21 | 3 |

Challenge Competition Winner

Subject: Rustic / Weathered

Winner: Sonya Lang

Title: Weathered Chain



Challenge Competition – All Photos







1 Abandoned Cable - Sonya Lang

2 American Not So Gothic - Bill Schwarz

3 End of the Line - Steve Lightle



4 Gears and wheels - Tim Garton

5 Mini Singer - Juan Stout

6 Lavender Sickle - Bill Schwarz



7 No Sale - Juan Stout

8 Returning to the Earth - Tim Garton

9 Snohomish RR Bridge Grafitti -Sonya Lang







10 Old Timer - Juan Stout

11 Side window - Tim Garton

12 Weathered Chain - Sonya Lang