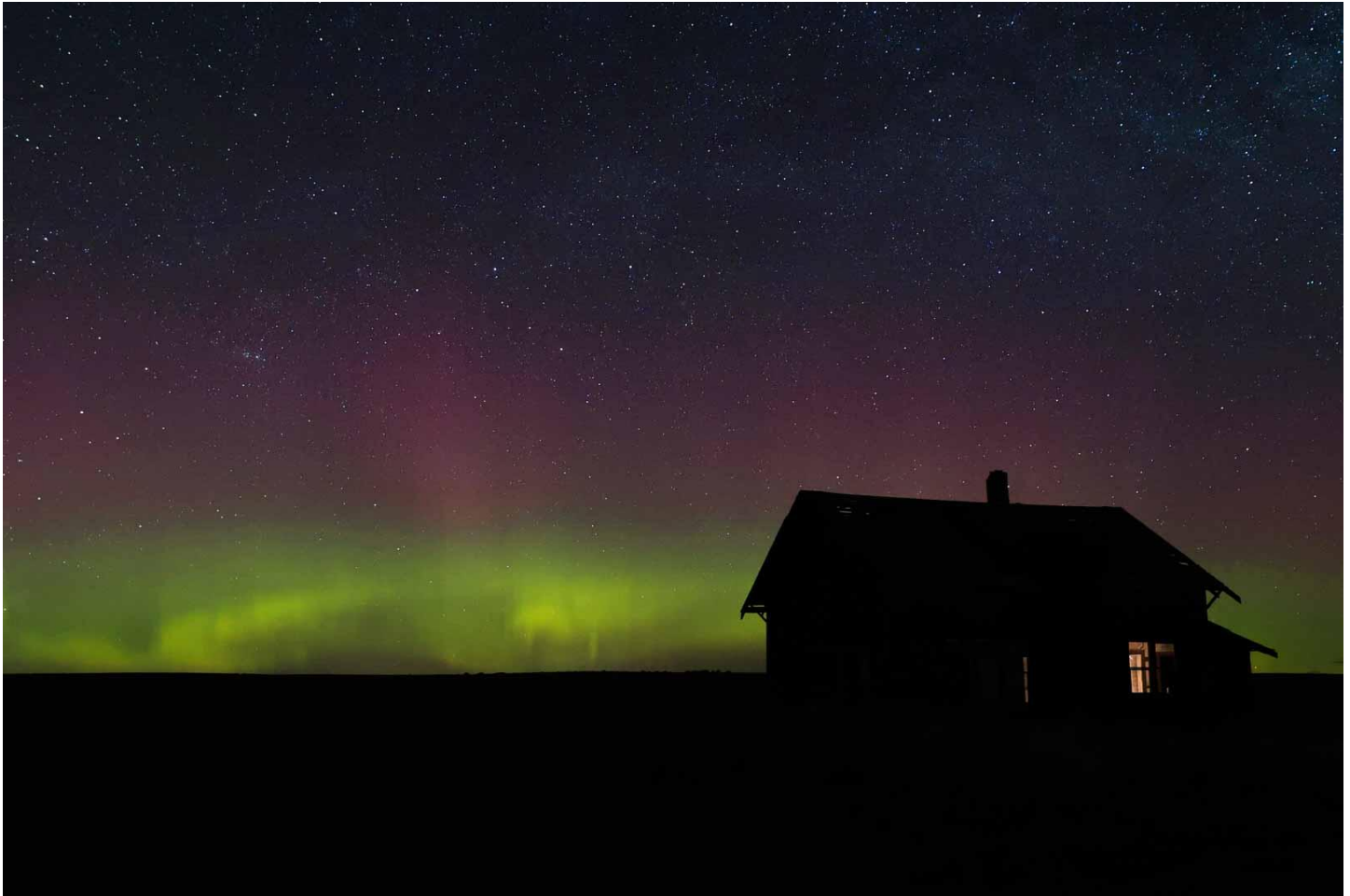


Newsletter for Pilchuck Camera Club – Everett Washington

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The Pilchuck Camera Club Newsletter

Serving members from the Puget Sound Area of Washington State



Pilchuck Camera Club

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.pilchuckcameraclub.com>

Members of:



Northwest Council of Camera Clubs (NWCCC)
<http://www.nwcameracclubs.org>



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<p>2022 Officers</p> <p>President – Sonya Lang</p> <p>Vice Presidents – Sherrie Tallman</p> <p>Treasurer – Tracy Carson</p> <p>Secretary – TBD</p> <p>Standing Committee Chairpersons</p> <p>Membership – Sherrie Tallman</p> <p>Social – Debbie Smith</p> <p>Sunshine: Debbie Smith</p> <p>Club Competition : Bill Schwarz</p> <p>PSA Club Representative: Sonya Lang</p> <p>NWCCC Delegate: Open</p> <p>Field Trips: Open</p> <p>Point Records: Bill Schwarz</p> <p>Historian: Open</p> <p>Pilchucker Editor: Bill Schwarz</p> <p>Web Master: Steve Lightle</p>	<p>COMING EVENTS</p> <p>Monthly Club Meeting: May 12, 2022 7PM Location: The Good Shepherd Lutheran Church 5511 64th Street SE, Snohomish</p> <p>Parking and Entry: East side of the building</p> <p>By EOD May 8, 2022 3 Regular Competition Images 3 Challenge Images (Intersecting Lines) To: pilchuckcameraclub@outlook.com</p> <p>Separate email for each contest (please) and the contest name in the subject</p> <p>Dimension requirements: No larger than 1920 pixels wide or 1080 pixels tall.</p> <p>Naming convention: “My Title – My Name.jpg” (hyphen)</p>
	<p>Program: Commentary</p>

Pilchuck Camera Club Meeting Minutes

Pilchuck Camera Club Thursday, April 14, 2022

President Sonya called meeting to order at 7:15pm

There were 11 members present. If you are not getting the newsletter let us know.

Treasury report by Tracy about \$750 in bank with additional \$150 to go in for about \$900.

We need someone to step up to do Social (refreshment organizing) and NW Council rep for PCC, which entails going to a meeting and reporting on what they are doing. Typically, the information is around the planning for the November conference.

Secretary position is also open.

Field trip coming up June 5th to Woodland Park Zoo- more information to follow

Wildflower report for Washington park is that lilies are up and things should really get going over the next few weeks.

Tonight, is the photography swap and there were tons of great goodies to choose from. Thanks all for making that a success!

Program tonight is club commentary.

Sherrie selected judges for tonight -Tracy, Sherrie, and Dell

Bill- image registration PSA Nature 20, PSA Travel 18, Challenge Solitary – 21, Regular 23

We had the most PSA submissions for Nature and Travel that we have had in two years. Thank you everyone!!!

Notes from the April 22nd PCC Board Meeting

Steve contacted Baker Heights and they have no opening date planned and recommend that we get another permanent site. Good Sheppard Lutheran Church will become our permanent meeting place. (5511 64th Street SE, Snohomish)

Our finances are likely good for the year and we will resume collecting dues in 2023. If an emergency arises. we will address it at that time.

Over the last several years we have drifted away from the rules for the annual Wildflower Competition. Editing should adhere to the PSA Nature rules.

We currently have 2 email accounts, one on Outlook and one on Gmail. We will stop using the Gmail account and only use the Outlook account.

We are planning on having the Scavenger hunt and picnic in 2022. June 5th will be an outing to the zoo (WPZ).

Renata is moving out of the area.

Debbie will be filling the Social and Sunshine chairs.

NWCCC representative is open.

Board position – Secretary is open.

Membership -Sherrie will continue to be the membership person keeping up the email list, along with her Vice President duties until we get another membership coordinator.

We are looking at how to get more people interested in the club. A flyer was created and will be distributed around the community. Wearing a club T-shirt was suggested we will research that as an option for members to purchase on their own.

Luminosity Masks

Photoshop has long had the ability to create a luminosity mask (pretty complicated). Following an article by Tony Kuyper, I created some actions to do the work. Alas, somehow they disappeared. When I was looking at recreating them, I found he offers a Photoshop luminosity mask panel for free (also one for Elements). He also sells a panel for PS that has these masks and a many other shortcuts. You can get them and his other offerings at <https://goodlight.us/panels-and-videos.html>.

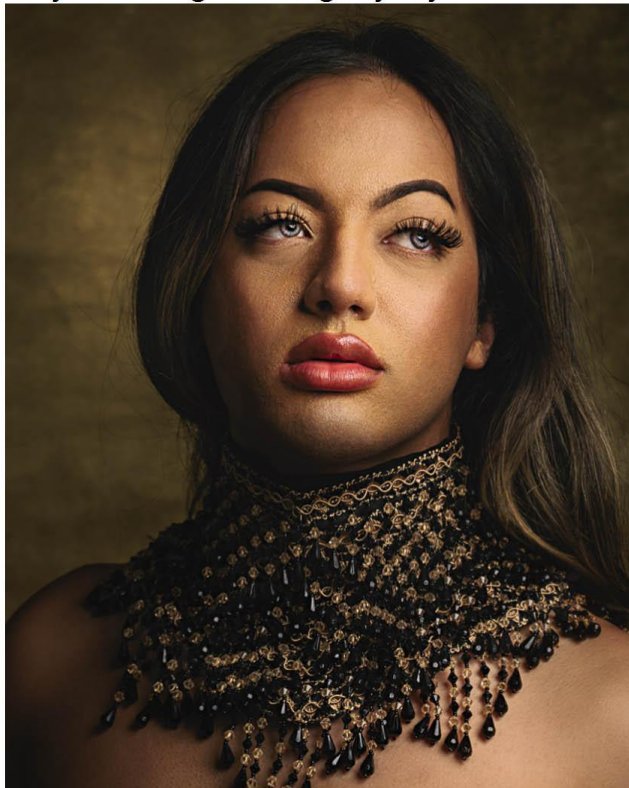
Regular Competition

Awards

First Place



1 A Lady Reading Her Nightly Hymns - Juan Stout



10 Egyptian Queen - Juan Stout



4 Great Blue Heron - Sherrie Tallman



9 Cheetah - Kevin Siefke

Honorable Mention



15 Red Rock SP - Bill Schwarz



20 Showoff - Bill Schwarz



21 What Now My Love - Juan Stout



1 A Lady Reading Her Nightly Hymns -
Juan Stout



2 Bristlecone - Kevin Siefke



3 Bryce - Tracy Carson



4 Great Blue Heron - Sherrie Tallman



5 Hexagons - Bill Schwarz



6 Hyacinth - Sonya Lang



7 RA - Debbie Smith



8 Red Breasted Sapsucker - Don Elliott



9 Cheetah - Kevin Siefke



10 Egyptian Queen - Juan Stout



11 King of the Daffodils - Sonya Lang



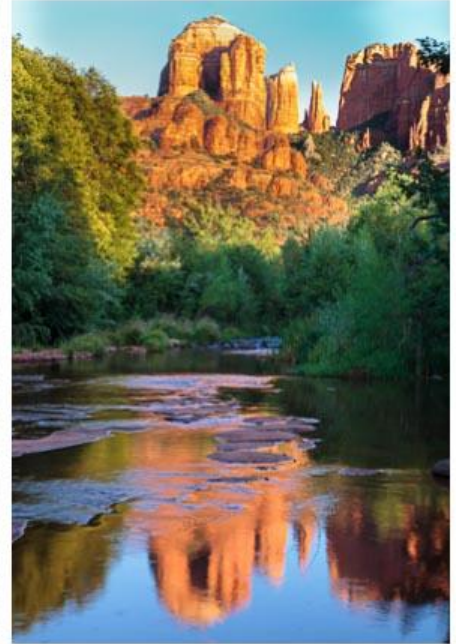
12 Light Show - Sherrie Tallman



13 Love Birds - Tracy Carson



14 RB - Debbie Smith



15 Red Rock SP - Bill Schwarz



16 Snoozin - Don Elliott



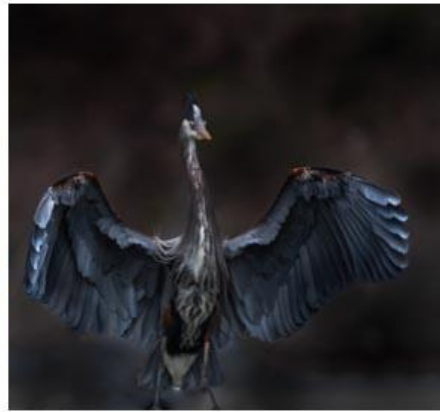
17 Longhorn and the Nose Ring - Sony



18 Plateau Lizard - Kevin Siefke



19 RC - Debbie Smith



20 Showoff - Bill Schwarz



21 What Now My Love - Juan Stout



22 Wide Open Spaces - Sherrie Tallma



23 Wolf - Tracy Carson

Scores

	Title	Maker	Score	Honor
1	A Lady Reading Her Nightly Hymns	Juan Stout	24	1
2	Bristlecone	Kevin Siefke	21	
3	Bryce	Tracy Carson	21	
4	Great Blue Heron	Sherrie Tallman	23	3
5	Hexagons	Bill Schwarz	19	
6	Hyacinth	Sonya Lang	20	
7	RA	Debbie Smith	20	
8	Red Breasted Sapsucker	Don Elliott	21	
9	Cheetah	Kevin Siefke	23	3
10	Egyptian Queen	Juan Stout	24	1
11	King of the Daffodils	Sonya Lang	21	
12	Light Show	Sherrie Tallman	21	
13	Love Birds	Tracy Carson	18	
14	RB	Debbie Smith	21	
15	Red Rock SP	Bill Schwarz	22	HM
16	Snootin	Don Elliott	21	
17	Longhorn and the Nose Ring	Sonya Lang	19	
18	Plateau Lizard	Kevin Siefke	17	
19	RC	Debbie Smith	20	
20	Showoff	Bill Schwarz	22	HM
21	What Now My Love	Juan Stout	22	HM
22	Wide Open Spaces	Sherrie Tallman	20	
23	Wolf	Tracy Carson	21	

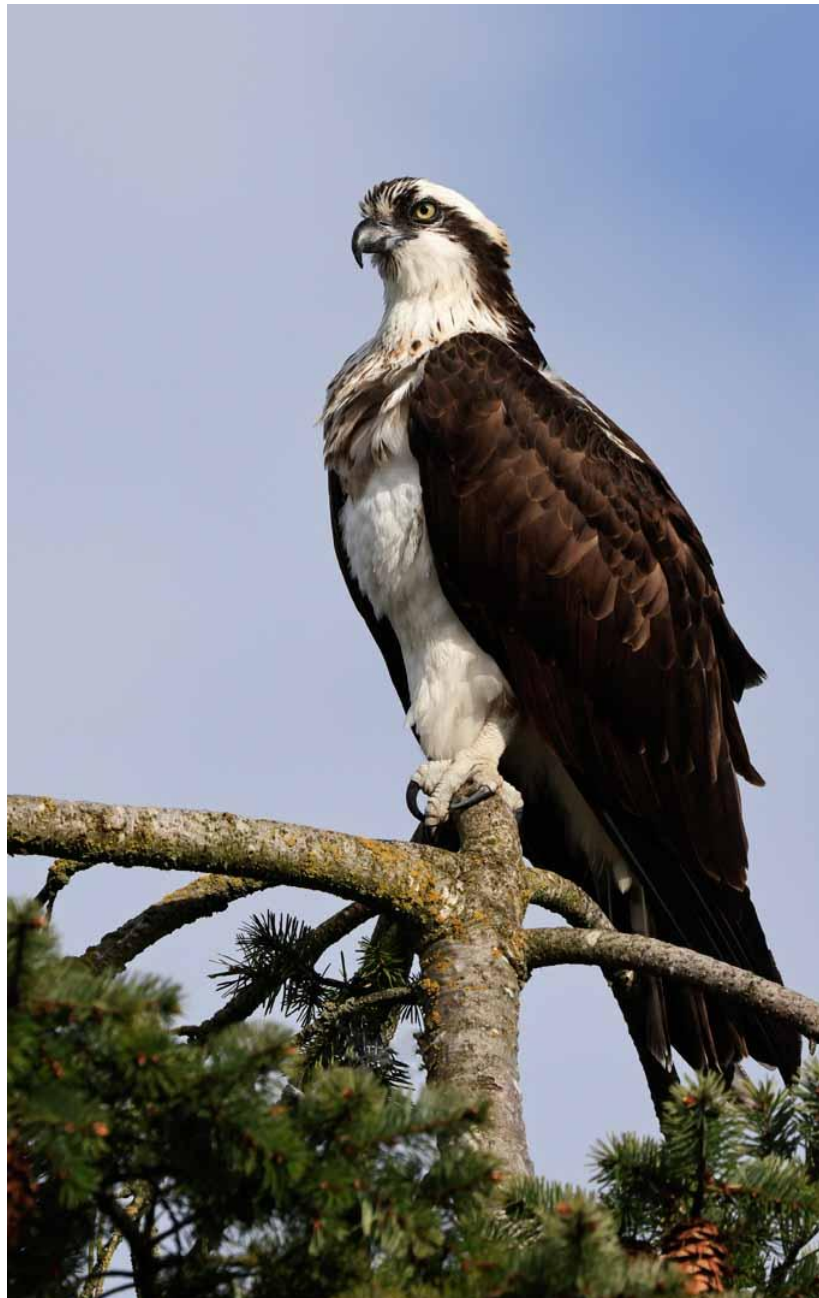
Monthly Challenge

Winner

Subject: Solitary

Winner: Sherrie Tallman

Title: Queen of the River



All Photos



1 All By Myself - Sherrie Tallman



2 Alone - Bill Schwarz



3 C1 - Ryan Wardle



4 CA - Debbie Smith



5 Heron Portrait 1 - Juan Stout



6 In a Sea of Grass Be a Tree - Sonya Lang



7 Into the Setting Sun - Dell Deierling



8 C2 - Ryan Wardle



9 CB - Debbie Smith



10 Horse in Pasture - Bill Schwarz



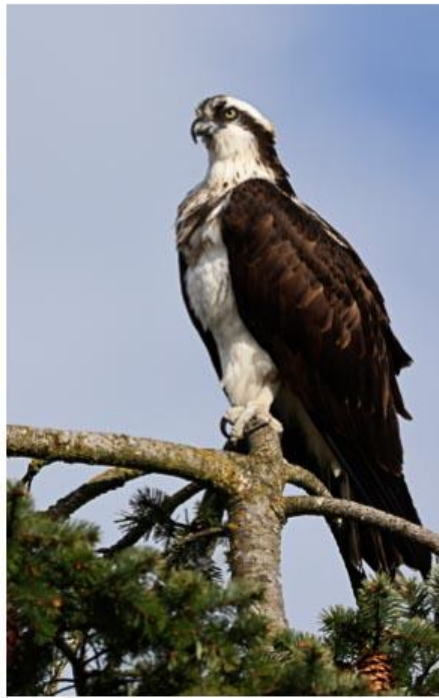
11 Last Cast - Dell Deierling



12 Lonely Daf - Sonya Lang



13 Osprey At Sunrise - Juan Stout



14 Queen of the River - Sherrie Tallma



15 C3 - Ryan Wardle



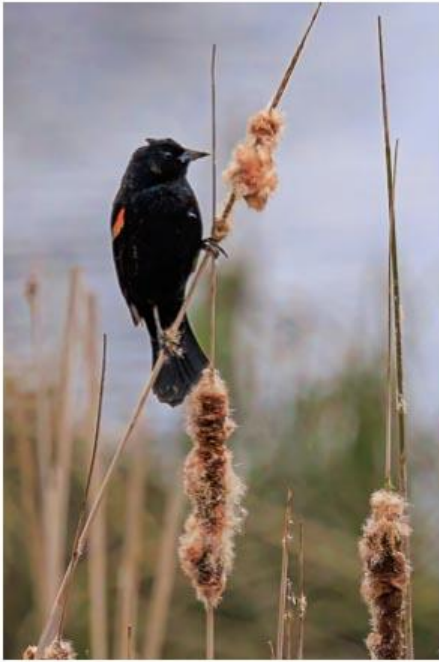
16 CC - Debbie Smith



17 Lava Glow Below - Dell Deierling



18 Lonely Flower - Bill Schwarz



19 Red Winged Black Bird In Cattails -



20 Small But Fierce - Sherrie Tallman



21 Uder the Cherry Tree - Sonya Lang