

September 12, 2006 Yamhill Camera Club Meeting Minutes:

30 people in attendance!!

6 people were in attendance because of the News Register Article.

This years Officers:

President: Craig Pifer

Vice President: Michelle Early

Secretary: Julie

Treasurer: Gary

Our New President Craig Pifer opened the Meeting at 6:30 P.M. September 12, 2006
He opened with great excitement for the coming year, we have great field trips planned, new competitions to enter, we will also have a new Fundraiser too plan for.
It will be a great year.

Craig also took a moment to thank Stuart for a wonderful job as last year's President,
He did an outstanding job.
Thank you Stuart!!

Craig called upon our Treasurer to give a report on our account as of September 12, 2006,
Gary reported that at this time we have \$1084.50, we also had paid for the meeting room
\$25.00 (9/12/06)

All memberships were due September 12th at \$15.00 per member.

Craig suggested a new fundraiser to go towards a new Laptop Computer for the club.
The fundraiser would be a Silent Auction.
Each member would donate a print, 8 x 10 Minimum Matted, Framed, ect.
The public would be invited to the bidding. Minimum bid would be \$15.00
The Auction could be held at Carlton Mainstreet Photography and Events, if Craig can
get together with them.

Sandy Colvin has also recommended that we do the calendars again as a fundraiser, she could put it
together, we just need your Photos.

Jim asked if there was any Cameras or Camera Equipment left in storage. Stuart said there was
nothing left.

Craig mentioned a couple of competitions ~

OREGON BLUE BOOK Photos must be postmarked by October 2, 2006.
www/bluebook.state.or.us

NIKON PHOTO CONTEST INTERNATIONAL ~
Entry dates: September 1, 2006 – November 30, 2006.
Forms are available online or at the Shutterbug.

There is a print invitational for the 4Cs convention.

4C'S Convention will be held October 6 – 8th at Coos Bay.

\$40.00 entry fee before September 20, 2006

\$50.00 entry fee after September 20,2006.

Stuart has come up with a new competition for the club.

We will have a Photographer of the Year!!!!

If you win in our monthly competition you will be given points towards the Photographer of the year.

The only way you can receive points is if you enter at least 3 competitions thru out the year!! This sounds very exciting because we really have some Awesome Photographers in our group!!!!

We have a great Field Trip Committee, they have some fun things on the Calendar.

Our committee consist of :

Krista, Debbie, Stuart

The Field trips are a lot of fun if you attend, you can learn a lot and also get great ideas from the other members.

Please check out the trips that are already planned, and feel free to contact anybody on the committee if you have any ideas.

Congratulations to Hannah Early for her 1st. and 3rd. place wins at the State Fair Youth division, we are all very proud of you!!

Congratulations to Michelle Early for her three entries at State Fair, you did a wonderful job.

Michelle and Hannah Early gave us a presentation on Extension Tubes.

They informed us that they come in a set of three tubes 12, 20, 36

The allow you to get as close as possible, they are good for Macro Photography.

The set starts at about \$200.

There was a very good discussion on this topic a lot people had some good Input. The presentation was very informative. Thank you Michelle and Hannah.

Please remember to be courtesy of our Presenters, save comments and questions to the end of the presentation, or if asked if there is any questions.

Our Judges next month will be:

Ron, Adam, and Sandy.

Always remember to read and reread your Camera Manual you will find something new or it will remind you of something that you may have forgotten.

Julie