

Yamhill valley Camera Club Meeting Minutes March 10, 2009

Scott opened the meeting at 7:00

We talked about the size of Clinic Night, attendance has really increased, and we are very excited about that, we really hope that it grows even more. Larry and Diane Kurtz have not complained about to many people in their home, but we are just about to outgrow it. We need to start considering a new place to meet for clinic night.

Treasury Report- Gary As of March we have \$1553.17 in our account and we earned .47 in interest, total for the month we have \$1553.64.

Slide & EID Report- Tom we earned 86pts. In the 4C's EID Category, that now puts us in 10th place out of 19 clubs. We are doing a great job!!

We are in 6th place in the 4C's Slide Category out of 10 clubs. Tom Cattrell received an Honorable Mention (Slide Category) for his Photo "Beep-Beep CONGRADULATIONS TOM!!!!!!

4C's Update- Stuart October 9, 10,11th is the Convention Dates, it will be held at Mt. Hood Community College. They are in the middle of the planning stages.

Field Trip Committee- Summer Lake Park Field Trip was fun. 6 people attended. Took a lot of Water Fowl, and Blue Heron photos.

We like to use the Field Trips as learning experiences-if you have any questions you have people with you that would be more than happy to help you, you could also possibly try different equipment that you may be interested in. Please come out and have a good time on these Field Trips.

We are working on the March Field Trip, look for an upcoming email.

Ron Enoch is planning an outing to Crystal Springs Rhody Garden on April 18th. This is located in Portland.

Fair Committee- No Report

Fund Raiser Committee- Larry Please bring your photo selections that you would like to submit for the Club Calendar on CDs, need all photos by the May Club Meeting.

Clinic Night- Larry will not be here in June, we need to figure out somewhere to hold Clinic Night in June. (Larry won't leave us the keys to his home)

Scott will be doing a presentation on Layers for Clinic Night for the March 24th Clinic Night.

Clinic Night will be held at Larry's Home 1512 SW Wright St. McMinnville. 503-434-1012. Anyone interested in bringing snacks please let Larry know.

McMinnville Community Center, has asked if there is any Club Members that may be interested in teaching a beginner Photo Class for the Summer Parks & Recs Class series. If there is a few of you that might be interested in doing this contact Scott Carl. Deadline is Mid April.

We will be displaying Club Photos at The Cornerstone in the Month of July. We recommend that the Photos be no smaller than 11 x 14, if they are smaller they will be hard to see. Photos must be framed. I will be hanging the Photos July 5th at 2:00. I would like to have all the photos to me by Clinic Night June 25th.

Scott did a mini presentation on the angle you photograph something. The usual way people shoot animals or kids is they stand and shoot down at the subject. Your photo will look so much better if you get on their level and shoot the photo, don't be afraid to get on your belly!! Practice shooting from different Angles.

Ron Enoch won an Honorable Mention Ribbon in the Top 80!!!!!! Congratulations Ron!!!

We had 28 Photos enter into Competition this month. All of the photos entered was great.

EID Winners –

22pts. MartinChroust-Masin_YVCC_LinfieldFog
24pts. Qua_YVCC_YamhillBarn
22pts. ConniePainter_YVCC_Eagle
22pts. ScottCarl_YVCC_GreatBlueHeron
25pts. DanielHurst_YVCC_Sparks

SLIDE Winners-

22pts. AnneHill_YVCC_RedFlowerIce
23pts. ScottCarl_YVCC_MallardHenPortrait
22pts. ConniePainter_YVCC_SFSwans
22pts. TomCattrall_YVCC_Grosbeak
22pts. RonPetersen_YVCC_PearBlossomJazz

Clinic Night March 24th at 7:00 at Larry Kurtz's Home.

Club Meeting April 14th at 6:30 @ McMinnville Community Center. Julie & MarDee are bringing the Refreshments this Month.

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