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5:30 PM)

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Presidents Message

Well,

It is now September, and there is only a little more than three months left of this year. Where does the time go? We are entering the fall festival season and there are about 75 festivals listed in this weeks "Fun Section" on the Advocate. Festivals can be great places to take picture of people doing things. There are festivals covering food, entertainment, culture, and everything in between. Which festivals to go to? That is up to you and your taste. I personally like the Roberts Cove Germanfest, Highland Games of Louisiana, and Louisiana Renaissance Festival. That's all for now, see you at the meeting.

Richard

Vice-Presidents Message

It is time to think about the organization, planning and activities of our club for next year. As always, our club benefits from the efforts of members volunteering to serve. We need help with all the activities that are sometimes taken for granted: programs, speakers, field trips, snacks, exhibits, monthly competition, regional competitions, newsletters, web sites, equipment setup -- the list goes on and on. If you are interested in helping our club in 2007, please contact Gordon Buck at the next meeting.

Thank you

Guest Speaker

Dennis Sipiorski - Southeastern Photography Teacher.

Dennis has taught photography in Louisiana University's for over 25 years and will be discussing his classes on the coast and his visits to the islands of Louisiana.

Member News

New Critique Sessions

The Board has decided to open a new Critique Session to all members. Whenever the monthly competition is Projection the display stands on the walls will be available for members to show their work and ask for constructive criticism. Index cards will be provided for each print. Critiques and notes will be written on these so the photographer may take them home. The new Critique Session will begin with the August meeting and with each monthly Projection Competition.

Competition

By Judy Collins

Monthly Schedule

Sept.	Prints	Water
Oct.	Projection	
Nov.	Prints	

Projection is defined as slides or any digital image that can be shown on the video projector. Negatives and prints may be scanned.

Digital Projections

1. Montana Sunrise	Gordon Buck #1
2. Apothecary	Michael Tilley #1
3. A Day with Dad	Jean Buck #2
HM1. Oxbow Bend	Earl Arbeneaux # 2
HM2. A Simpler Time	Michael Tilley #2

Slides

1. Falling Giants	Richard Tilley
2. Grey Lady Turning	Nathaniel Klumb
3. Last Leaf Left	Nathaniel Klumb
HM1. Faithful Friend	Kitty Kuhnert
HM2. Sunrise at Bright Angel Point	Gene Bachman

Exhibits

By Pat Mauras

I would like to thank everyone who participated in the Greenwell Springs Library exhibit. We had 13 participants - a smaller than average amount - but the exhibit looked really good. We had an inquiry about purchasing 2 of the photographs.

I would also like to thank everyone who helped with the hanging - especially Ted Traigle who "took charge" and got things moving along, and Greg Hersh for making, framing and hanging the sign. Everyone was a big help - we couldn't do it without you!

A big thanks goes out to everyone who braved the rainstorms and showed up at the reception. As always, the food and the company was great.

Field Trip Report

By Elizabeth Mangham

A small group of dedicated LPS'ers made the early Saturday trip to Clinton. There are many historic buildings which were great fun to photograph. Due to the large number of photo ops, we were unable to get to them all. A good reason to go back! We did photograph the court house (c. 1840), First Baptist Church, St. Andrew's Episcopal Church (c. 1871), the Confederate Cemetery, and the Marsden House. It was a great trip and everyone got some really good shots. David Dendy demonstrated his large format camera and educated some of us who had never seen one used. All in all, a great time was had by all.

Don't forget to sign up if you want to go on the October Sunset/Moon Shoot Picnic October 8 at 2:00 P.M. We will meet in the parking lot near the theater in the shopping center at the corner of Seigan and I10. If you need information email me: emangham34@yahoo.com. You will need to pay David Dendy \$10 for food and drink for that field trip at the next meeting. Remember if you don't sign up, I will **not** arrange boat transportation for you and David will buy food **only** for those who pay. I think this will be a great opportunity for "swamp/water" and sunset/moonrise photography as well as lots of fun.

This is also your last opportunity to get photographs for a field trip exhibit for 2006. We are unsure about the efficacy of such an exhibit and would appreciate your feedback on this issue. Because so few have taken advantage of the field trip opportunities, we are concerned about the number of photographs. Let us know if you have photographs you would like to exhibit. Remember, entries must have been taken on a field trip in 2006. (Rodeo photographs cannot be exhibited.) Pat and I look forward to your input on this.

GSCCC

By Rhonda Mock

If you have prints for the GSCCC competition contact Rhonda Mock at rmockmt@bellsouth.net. All images, CD's, slides & prints, must be postmarked by the 5th of each month and must reach the judging club by the 15th of each month.

September 2006

Pictorial Prints - 4 Color & 4 B/W

Nature (Projected Images & Prints)

4 projected - sides or digital & 4 prints

October 2006

Pictorial Slides & Pictorial Projected

Digital - 4 slides & 4 digital images

Photojournalism Projected Images &

Photojournalism Prints - 4 Images (any