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NOTE: 2nd meeting (10/21) of the month will be in the church next door!

SEPT COMPETITION RESULTS

Tyro TOPIC: OPEN

TBD	
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I did not receive the results of the first meeting competition before John Szabo left the country for vacation. Winners will be published in the next newsletter. ED

Accomplished TOPIC: OPEN

TBD	
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Tyro 9/16 TOPIC NATURE PRINTS Judged by Ralph Scott

BLACK & WHITE	
1 st Chrouching Tiger	Craig Twehues
COLOR	
1 st Broken Reed Reflections	Gail Penner
2 nd Looks like Yellow Gibbon	Craig Twehues
3 rd Lodgepole Pine Pollon Packets	Dave Libey

Accomplished 9/16 TOPIC NATURE PRINTS Judged by Ralph Scott

BLACK & WHITE	
1 st Mockingbird	Richard Jones
2 nd Scratching the Itch	Garry Walter
3 rd Down Upon the Swanny River	Jerry Carpender
COLOR	
1 st Cat Tail Jail	Jerry Carpender
2 nd Hanging from a Frog Hair	Garry Walter
3 rd Autumn Fern	Linda Franklin

OCT Goodies Catherine Miller & Margie Stigler
Please consider volunteering to bring some goodies to the meetings. We continue to have open slots for refreshments and need those folks who haven't volunteered to step forward with goodies rather than appetites. ED.

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2005

Competition Topics

MONTH PICTORIAL/NATURE

- Oct. Shadows/Open
- Nov. Prints/Show Motion
- Dec. Wideangle/Open

2006

Competition Topics

MONTH PICTORIAL/NATURE

- Jan. Open/Leaves
- Feb. Faces/Open
- Mar. Prints/Animal Close-up
- Apr. Ohio River/Clouds
- May Open/Prints
- Jun. Five/Open
- Jul. Prints/Turmoil
- Aug. Motion/Pink
- Sep. Open/Prints
- Oct. Stone Structures/Open
- Nov. Prints/Ferns
- Dec. Moonlit/Open

Coming Attractions:

Picnic: At the Statkus House in Oct. 9th, 1-5 pm. #13 Sleepy Hollow Lane, Union Township. BYOB.

Mid Sept, **Railroad Museum** Info TBD

10/10 Miami White Water Forest, Fall Forest Tour from 10-2. Stand by for details.

11/11 or 18 **Water Works** with Carl Shattix

10/08 **Theodore Barry Park** 10:30 am, Eastern Ave at the Boathouse, Point of Contact: Margie Stigler

CLASSIFIEDS

Sigma 500mm 7.2 & Nikon SB 28 DX Flash
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 camera.
 Contact Craig Twehues at: ctwehues@gmail.com.

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 the editor and he will remove your item from the list.
 There are no fees for using this service so if you have
 any equipment not being used please consider listing on
 this page. Ed.

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FROM THE DESK OF THE EDITOR:

The Contemporary Arts Center recently held a slide competition and our club was well represented. The following photographers were Runner-ups, (in no particular order): People Category: Linda Franklin. Places Category: Garry Walter, Virginia Cox, Jerry Spohr. Things Category: Virginia Cox, Linda Franklin, Garry Walter & Caroline Statkus.

In PSA recently, in the Nature Slide Division, an Honorable Mention was received by Virginia Cox.

A BIG HIGH FIVE AND “WAY TO GO PHOTOGS”, TO ALL THE MEMBERS WHO ARE WAXING THE LOCAL AND NATIONAL COMPETITION!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

RESULTS OF BUSINESS DISCUSSION AT LAST MEETING:

- Issue 1: Move annual dinner to avoid bad weather. PASSED. Date chosen was early/mid March. Annual competition will end in Dec as usual.
- Issue 2: Change format to less formal/less expensive. PASSED. Still need to decide on location. Options offered were pot luck at Baptist church (no booze) or Fort Wright Civic Center (maybe booze), either no cost.
- Issue 3: Change manner in which annual recognition is given (Award giving takes too long.) Numerous suggestions final motion was; same format as before but no judge comments PASSED.
- Issue 4: Change club year end date. Discussion revealed the club wanted to keep end of year as the end of the year. No vote taken, no change to by laws needed.
- Issue 5: Slate of Officers. Various suggestions offered but two were discussed in depth; judges should have office for two years and we should have 3 judges for each category rather than two. No motions could be agreed upon in the time allowed. Issue tabled.
- Issue 6: How to incorporate digital photography into the club's format. Numerous suggestions offered. No consensus could be reached in the time allowed. Issue tabled.