

November 2, 2016

SCCC Meeting Minutes – 10/27/2016

President Kevin Smith brought the meeting to order and called for the acknowledgement of guests in attendance. He reminded members that, due to the November holiday, the first meeting of the month will be November 3rd. The View & Review topic for that meeting will be "Wide Angle."

Mike Walsh, as a member of the Bylaws Committee, reviewed the most recent proposed changes to the Constitution and Bylaws documents. Those changes, which were based upon the prior meeting's discussion, had recommended that the N4C liaison should be the fifth board member and that it should become an elective position. Upon further consideration, club members agreed that the liaison post should not be tied to the at large board member position. Mike promised that the Bylaws Committee would update the club documents accordingly and present them again at the November business meeting. A change to the Constitution requires a ballot vote, approved by at least two thirds of the members present, while the Bylaws changes require only a majority via a voice vote. Since the changes to the two documents are so closely related, both will likely be presented on the same ballot.

Kevin Smith announced that club members Michael Greiner, Roger Van Klompenburg, Shane Monahan had each won N4C awards. Doug Conrad announced that John Paulson, likewise, was a digital award winner. Carl Hardy said that Michael Greiner, Jack Bristow, Shane Monahan, Mike Walsh, Vernice Kingsbury, and Frances Kingsbury had achieved awards in the color print category. Please check the club website for details regarding these recognitions.

Doug Conrad hosted the October digital competition. He deemed the experiment of distributing the entries electronically to the judges as a success. The B&W winners were Mike Greiner 1st and 2nd place, Shane Monahan 3rd place, Carol Blair 4th, Kevin Smith honorable mention, and Doug Conrad with two honorable mentions. The color winners were Mike Greiner with 1st place and two honorable mentions, Doug Conrad with 2nd place and two honorable mentions, Ron Nicolls with 3rd place, Bob Gillespie 4th, and Brad Engle with an honorable mention. Again, please check out the website for more information and a look at the winning entries.

Carol Blair hosted the October print competition. The color winners were Shane Monahan with 1st place, Jack Bristow with 2nd, Mike Greiner with 3rd and an honorable mention, Mike Walsh with 4th and an honorable mention, Shane Monahan with an honorable mention, and Doug Conrad with an honorable mention.

Thanks to Carl Hardy for providing treats during the club's break.

Next, Carol presented the B&W entries. Winners included Doug Conrad with 1st place, John Paulson with 2nd, Mike Greiner with 3rd and 4th place, Fran Kingsbury honorable mention, and Shane Monahan honorable mention.

Again, please remember that the November meeting will be held on the 3rd.

Respectfully submitted,

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Secretary/Treasurer