



South Bay Camera Club

NEWS & VIEWS



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The South Bay Camera Club is a non-profit social club providing for its members activities involving photography and continuing education in all types of photographic technique. Regular meetings are held on the 2nd and 4th Monday of each month (unless otherwise noted) at the Zamperini Field (Torrance Airport) Administration Building Meeting Room, 3301 Airport Drive. at 7:30 p.m. President: Phil Cohen (310-212-7200, phil@absolute.net); VP and Membership Chair: Lynne Alexander (562-420-9312, lynnealexander@verizon.net); Treasurer: Bob Houston (310-325-1056, rhouston@socal.rr.com); Secretary: Marge Robinson (310-378-7245, margesafari@earthlink.net); News & Views Editor: Bill Berry (310-378-9511, wh.berry@verizon.net). Mailing address: South Bay Camera Club, P.O. Box 1213, Torrance, CA, 90505: Web site: www.sbccphoto.org.

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EVENT SCHEDULE: Here is the schedule of meetings and events through December 2010. All meetings are on a Monday at 7:30 PM at the Torrance Airport Meeting Room (Zamperini Field), unless otherwise noted.

Date	Program/Event	Description/Background
Aug 9	Print Evaluation	The evaluator will be Annie Appel, professional photographer and image editing specialist at Silvio's Photoworks. Bring up to 2 of your best prints. Maximum size including mat: 16x20 inches.
Aug 23	S4C International Color and BW Print Exhibition	Dianne Racey of S4C will show the entries from around the world for this prestigious event. Come and see what the World is doing!
Sep 13	Digital Evaluation	Evaluator is TBD.
Sep 27	Travel Presentation	Keely McGeehan will present photos obtained during years of travel and missionary work in central and southern Africa --- cultures, people, wild life.
Oct 11	Print Evaluation	Evaluator is TBD.
Oct 25	Program/Presentation	This event is To Be Determined (TBD).
Nov 8	Digital Evaluation	Evaluator is TBD.
Nov 22	Program/Presentation	This event is to be determined (TBD).
Dec 13	Holiday Banquet	Details will be promolgated later.
Dec 27	No Meeting	Happy Holidays everyone!

Meetings Held in June:

June 14, Gallery Night:

It was good to relax and look at prints, our own and those of other members, at our annual Gallery Night. Thanks to everyone who contributed to this fine evening.

June 28, Annual Awards Banquet:

About 40 members and guests gathered at the Sizzler for installation of the new officers (Phil Cohen, Lynne Alexander, Marge Robinson, Bob Houston became the new President, Vice President, Secretary, and Treasurer, respectively), presentation of the print, projected digital voting, and the scavenger hunt competition.

The awards went to: Prints 1st place – Lynne Alexander (GREETINGS); 2nd place – Robin Young (Point in Pink); 3rd place — a tie between Doris Beaman (Late for Work), Michael Bowman (cell phone sunset), and Lynne Alexander (MIDWAY GEYSER BASIN). Projected Digital — 1st place – David Carriere (Teton); 2nd place – tie between Linda Detwiler (Night Glow), and Beverly Gates (Second Look Trumpeter Swan); 3rd place – tie between Michael Bowman (New Years day 2010), and Linda Detwiler (Unknown Destination). The first place prize for the Scavenger Hunt 2010 went to Ron Discipulo.

Warmest thanks go to Silvio's Photoworks, Paul's Photo, John Paul's Design, and the Hoodman Corporation for providing some fine raffle prizes

After dinner and the awards and prizes, we all enjoyed several slide presentations provided by members. Thanks to all those who provided these very interesting shows. Good job!

RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP NOW

Where else can you get 20 informative and entertaining meetings, two banquets and additional field trips and photo tips?

Send your \$40 check (\$70 for two memberships from the same household) to South Bay Camera Club, P.O. Box 1213, Torrance CA 90505, or bring it to one of the August meetings. Be sure to pick up your membership card from me at the meeting. Dues are used to pay for the meeting room, speakers, trophies and other prizes, refreshments, and maintenance and software for equipment..

Bob Houston
Treasurer

We Still Need Volunteers!

In addition to officers, the club needs people to serve as chairmen for various permanent and temporary committees. The permanent committees named in the By-Laws are: Program, Membership, Publicity, Newsletter Editor, Outings, Prints, and Digital Images. Temporary committees are created by the President as needed. Currently these are Refreshments, S4C Representative, and PSA Representative. All committee chairmen are automatically members of the board.

We are currently in urgent need of a Program Chairman, an S4C Representative, and Print and Digital Image Chairmen.

Please consider helping out by volunteering for a position, either as officer or committee chairman. You will receive more than you give --- the experience is rewarding. If members fail to step up to helping with club activities, the future of the club could be limited. I know all of you want to help!

SBCC Scavenger Hunt 2011

Our Scavenger Hunt chairman (Robin Young) has released the categories and rules for the SBCC Scavenger Hunt 2011. The complete text and illustrative images will be sent out in the September newsletter. Until then, here are the categories with brief explanations so you can begin thinking about photographs you might want to enter. Remember, all entries must be photos TAKEN BETWEEN MAY 1, 2010 AND APRIL 11, 2011.

1. STAIRS – Up, down, or around – stairs or steps.
2. BREAK-OUT – Photograph a breakout of some kind.
3. TRAINS/RAILROADS – Anything related to trains or railroads.
4. UMBRELLAS – Not only the kind you use on a rainy day but any kind.
5. SOMETHING THAT FLIES – Planes, birds, kites, bugs, etc.
6. NUMBERS – You find them everywhere: They're on road signs, buildings, vehicles, price tags, EVERYWHERE!
7. DOUBLE TAKE – Take a photo in which two similar subjects are captured at once.
8. BALLOONS – Balloons are fun and colorful....photograph one or more balloons for this category.
9. SOMETHING THAT NO LONGER WORKS – Photograph something that no longer works as it once did.
10. PUZZLE MACRO – Take a macro (close-up) photo of something, and try to stump the viewer as to what it actually is.
11. TRIPTYCH – A triptych is a work of art which is divided into three sections which are connected. Create an entry consisting of three panels that tells a story or illustrates a concept. Panels can be subdivisions of one photo or be constructed from up to three separate photos.
12. ZEN PHOTOGRAPH – Make an image that whispers serenity, simplicity, harmony. Make an image as silent as can be.
13. SELF PORTRAIT – not judged.

Outings and Field Trip Ideas for 2010-2011

Several outings and field trips are being considered for the coming year. Our Field Trip chairman Betsy Treynor will briefly talk about these at the next meeting (August 9) to get some member-feedback. If you have strong "druthers", write Betsy an e-mail (bgtreynor5@gmail.com). Current suggestions are:

September

Annenberg Space for Photography . (day trip) Hours Wed-Sun 11-6. 2000 Ave. of the Stars. Picture of the Year International", the very best documentary photography of 2009 from winning photojournalists and visual editors. Format: Over 100 prints on walls, plus digital video, electronic surfaces, blow-ups. Nearby: Creative Artists Agency new HQ. Lunch at food court nearby. Validate parking at the Annenberg.

LA County Fair. (day trip) September 4 — October 3 Pomona

October

Seal Beach Japan America Kite Festival. (day trip) 10am to 5pm, October 11,2, and 3, featuring kite ballet, fighter kites, Taiko drummers, and more.

Eastern Sierras. (overnight trip). Fri – Sun. rock Creen Lake/June Lake?South Lake, maybe Bodie. Fall colors everywhere!

Open Scheduling (overnight trip)

Alabama Hills and Manzanar

Open Scheduling (day trips)

Vasquez Rocks County Park.

Venice Beach.

Angel's Flight.

Griffith Park.

LA Cathedral, Music Center, and Disney Concert Hall

Red Rock Canyon State Park.

California Adventure Park (Disneyland).

Betsy wants to hear your feedback.

Board Meeting August 2:

The first board meeting of the new year was held on August 2. It was announced that the club treasury now stands at \$675.43, and that 13 members have paid up for the 2010-2011 year. Most of the meeting was taken up with planning meetings through December and discussing outings and field trips. The next board meeting will be held September 20 at the home of Bob Houston.

SBCC Print Evaluation Popularity Vote Totals for 2009-2010

Total Points	Picture ID	Member ID	First Name	Last Name	Title
25	228	566	Lynne	Alexander	GREETINGS
22	222	376	Robin	Young	Point in Pink
21	223	591	Doris	Beaman	Late for Work
21	229	566	Lynne	Alexander	MIDWAY GEYSER BASIN
21	232	650	Michael	Bowman	cell phone sunset
20	233	650	Michael	Bowman	the Queens Road Bridge
20	224	591	Doris	Beaman	Humpback Feeding
20	241	376	Robin	Young	Rockin' Sunset
20	231	376	Robin	Young	A Jewel
19	244	67	Ron	Discipulo	The Train and the Engineer
18	234	67	Ron	Discipulo	Roadster
18	230	376	Robin	Young	Lighthouse Fresnel Lens - 1st Order (BIG)
17	239	62	Marge	Robinson	Red Turban
17	242	67	Ron	Discipulo	San Monica Pier
17	249	660	Linda	Detwiler	Baskets
16	248	660	Linda	Detwiler	A Stir
16	227	208	Agust	Agustsson	Lonely Plot of the Unknown Sinner
15	220	376	Robin	Young	My Little Pony
15	225	67	Ron	Discipulo	Departing - LA Union Station
15	235	67	Ron	Discipulo	Yellow Daisy on a Vase
14	218	208	Agust	Agustsson	The Mausoleum was never far from their minds
13	219	208	Agust	Agustsson	They worked to the graveyard
13	226	67	Ron	Discipulo	Carousel horse
13	237	62	Marge	Robinson	pushkar scene
13	240	376	Robin	Young	Breath Check
13	250	660	Linda	Detwiler	Poppy Field
12	245	67	Ron	Discipulo	Cabrillo Beach Sunshine
12	258	62	Marge	Robinson	cleaning lady
11	264	571	Harry	Korn	Waiting
11	246	67	Ron	Discipulo	Sak
11	251	660	Linda	Detwiler	Poppy in the wind
11	257	732	Craig	Ishii	Linda - Low Key
10	266	571	Harry	Korn	Seascape
10	263	571	Harry	Korn	Pipes
10	260	571	Harry	Korn	Water Reflections
9	262	571	Harry	Korn	Tomatoes
9	255	732	Craig	Ishii	Manhattan Beach Pier
8	268	571	Harry	Korn	Phalyonopsis
8	259	62	Marge	Robinson	handicapped parking
7	261	571	Harry	Korn	Tapestry
7	253	732	Craig	Ishii	Big Bear
1	254	732	Craig	Ishii	Manhattan Beach Pier
1	252	732	Craig	Ishii	Big Bear
1	238	62	Marge	Robinson	Red turban
0	247	679	Ed	Fitzgerald	

SBCC Digital Evaluation Popularity Vote Totals for 2009-2010

Total Votes	Picture ID	Member Id	First Name	Last Name	Title
35	1666	30	David	Carriere	Teton
32	1649	660	Linda	Detwiler	Night Glow
32	1780	532	Beverly	Gates	Second Look Trumpeter Swan
31	1721	650	Michael	Bowman	New Years day 2010
31	1650	660	Linda	Detwiler	Unknown Distination
30	1593	62	Marge	Robinson	Two girls playing
30	1717	571	Harry	Korn	Gliding Pelican
29	1715	1	Phillip	Cohen	Pocket Watch
29	1726	251	Fran	Hill	Flower 3558
29	1727	251	Fran	Hill	
29	1636	688	Bobbie	Hedges	gossamer Wings
28	1653	317	James	Bardos	Grand Tetons
28	1601	19	Bill	Berry	Carmel Mission
28	1628	532	Beverly	Gates	Terns at Dusk
28	1730	251	Fran	Hill	Flower_003
27	1798	529	Karen	Cox	Butterflies
27	1630	650	Michael	Bowman	fire behind and out burgers
27	1662	62	Marge	Robinson	the light
27	1651	317	James	Bardos	Uncustomary Bodie 3
26	1637	688	Bobbie	Hedges	Hungry Hummer
26	1629	532	Beverly	Gates	Heron Newport Beach Back Bay
26	1608	679	Ed	Fitzgerald	Arch Way
25	1609	679	Ed	Fitzgerald	Antigua Vendor
25	1592	62	Marge	Robinson	August in Alaska
25	1612	69	Howard	Sachar	Moving Blossom
25	1613	69	Howard	Sachar	Busy Bee
25	1598	67	Ron	Discipulo	Portrait of Lisa
25	1725	650	Michael	Bowman	Like f like son
25	1757	24	Karen	Beatty	Tomato_frog
25	1691	376	Robin	Young	Pigeon Point
25	1714	1	Phillip	Cohen	Torrance Falls
25	1741	650	Michael	Bowman	what's playing tonight
24	1723	650	Michael	Bowman	from Redondo to Catalina
24	1739	711	Charles	Greenwood	Peruvian Man
24	1800	529	Karen	Cox	Coastline
24	1599	19	Bill	Berry	Our Lady of Angels
24	1589	376	Robin	Young	Kicker!
24	1640	591	Doris	Beaman	Reddish Egret
24	1802	566	Lynne	Alexander	WHAT SHARP TEETH YOU HAVE
23	1665	30	David	Carriere	Bryce 2
23	1685	208	Agust	Agustsson	Hamburger Time
23	1600	19	Bill	Berry	Wayfarer's Chapel
23	1603	655	Don	Stouder	Casino
23	1604	655	Don	Stouder	McKenzie River Bridge
23	1631	650	Michael	Bowman	the Station fire
23	1806	208	Agust	Agustsson	Promordial forces
23	1782	30	David	Carriere	Bubbles and Rocks

23	1783	660Linda	Detwiler	Yellowstone Ice
23	1761	69Howard	Sachar	Chinese Pagoda
23	1762	69Howard	Sachar	Chinese Bridge
23	1740	711Charles	Greenwood	Lioness_With_Cubs
23	1688	14John	Bohner	Ah - No SNOW
22	1747	14John	Bohner	Looking for Food
22	1734	67Ron	Discipulo	Poppy in B&W
22	1735	67Ron	Discipulo	Genevieve
22	1767	14John	Bohner	200 Years Dead
22	1768	376Robin	Young	EKG
22	1801	566Lynne	Alexander	BROWSING BY THE RIVER
22	1791	660Linda	Detwiler	Hotballoon9
22	1611	679Ed	Fitzgerald	Tikal
22	1595	376Robin	Young	Hideout
22	1596	67Ron	Discipulo	Fishing at dawn
22	1597	67Ron	Discipulo	Wind Surf Race
22	1641	591Doris	Beaman	Listen
22	1642	660Linda	Detwiler	PV Guiding Light
22	1803	566Lynne	Alexander	COOLING OFF
21	1882	30David	Carriere	Emerald Pool
21	1594	62Marge	Robinson	Back off!
21	1610	571Harry	Korn	For Frank
21	1632	650Michael	Bowman	Manhattan Beach night surfer
21	1792	571Harry	Korn	Trapeze School
21	1794	571Harry	Korn	Roller Coaster
21	1799	529Karen	Cox	Sunrise
21	1807	208Agust	Agustsson	Swap Meet
21	1758	24Karen	Beatty	Smiley
21	1743	650Michael	Bowman	this is not a double exposure
21	1719	571Harry	Korn	Swimming Dolphins
20	1733	67Ron	Discipulo	The War Hero
20	1689	376Robin	Young	Ocean Oil
20	1695	107Betsy	Treynor	Keyes Ranch Rock
20	1713	107Betsy	Treynor	San Francisco
20	1745	62Marge	Robinson	black and white
20	1738	711Charles	Greenwood	Little Brown Chapel
20	1786	660Linda	Detwiler	CabrilloBeachbird1
20	1763	69Howard	Sachar	Chinese Walkway
20	1795	107Betsy	Treynor	Stormy_Morning
20	1796	107Betsy	Treynor	Piedras_Blancas_Light
20	1790	660Linda	Detwiler	LAWInter
20	1626	107Betsy	Treynor	Wishing
20	1614	69Howard	Sachar	Chinese View
20	1586	503Michele	Uruburu	Hot Pedro Nites
20	1605	571Harry	Korn	A Day At The Beach
20	1686	208Agust	Agustsson	Casper the friendly Ghost
20	1804	208Agust	Agustsson	view from the car
19	1883	30David	Carriere	Teton Reflection
19	1682	67Ron	Discipulo	Grace
19	1678	24Karen	Beatty	Desert Sunrise
19	1667	30David	Carriere	Yellowstone
19	1672	24Karen	Beatty	Sad Car
19	1652	317James	Bardos	Sinder

19	1655	618Bill	May	MOROCCO WHITE WALL
19	1587	503Michele	Uruburu	Rockin 110
19	1588	503Michele	Uruburu	Remember Ramona
19	1633	208Agust	Agustsson	the Bay
19	1793	571Harry	Korn	Curved Rectangles
19	1764	650Michael	Bowman	A green flash at the Santa Monica pier
19	1787	660Linda	Detwiler	LassenTower1
19	1755	19Bill	Berry	Tete-a-tete
19	1756	24Karen	Beatty	Horned_Frog
19	1692	107Betsy	Treynor	Indian Stones
18	1677	24Karen	Beatty	Nuts and Bolts
18	1718	571Harry	Korn	Fin Whale
18	1752	14John	Bohner	Dangerous Second Glances
18	1615	107Betsy	Treynor	DeHavilland
18	1663	62Marge	Robinson	at the taj mahal
18	1664	30David	Carriere	Bryce Utah 1
18	1670	19Bill	Berry	Mustang
18	1639	591Doris	Beaman	Circles in the Sand
18	1871	24Karen	Beatty	Cooks_Bank
17	1881	30David	Carriere	Yellowstone Bull Elk
17	1680	532Beverly	Gates	pelican bathing
17	1654	618Bill	May	Morocco Warren
17	1634	208Agust	Agustsson	where's the Beef
17	1591	376Robin	Young	Hummer
17	1602	655Don	Stouder	Sunsphere
17	1753	19Bill	Berry	Colorful Drinks
17	1797	107Betsy	Treynor	Big_Wave
16	1746	62Marge	Robinson	Festival of Lights
16	1607	571Harry	Korn	Orchids for Andy
16	1627	107Betsy	Treynor	Pyrocumulus
16	1681	67Ron	Discipulo	Red Bull Soap Box Race
16	1675	24Karen	Beatty	Weed_Warrior
16	1683	67Ron	Discipulo	Fishing on Rock at Newport Beach
16	1684	69Howard	Sachar	Goldfish Pond
16	1687	208Agust	Agustsson	Green lady and the Skateboarder
16	1671	19Bill	Berry	Sundown
16	1673	24Karen	Beatty	Green_and_Blue
16	1889	27Snehendu	Kar	Crystal Jelly Colony
16	1894	650Michael	Bowman	Spring Fest Redondo beach
15	1886	27Snehendu	Kar	Spring Festival Tomar 3
15	1887	27Snehendu	Kar	Lincoln Memorial
15	1851	679Ed	Fitzgerald	Shadows
15	1638	688Bobbie	Hedges	Ripples in the Pond
15	1832	27Snehendu	Kar	Smiling Anemonie
15	1769	376Robin	Young	Comfy?
14	1785	660Linda	Detwiler	HotBalloon 7
14	1754	19Bill	Berry	The_Market_Determing_Aesthetics
14	1852	679Ed	Fitzgerald	Egyptian Columns
14	1866	660Linda	Detwiler	Springtime
14	1875	107Betsy	Treynor	Mother_and_Child.jpg
14	1895	650Michael	Bowman	The wind and sea
14	1896	650Michael	Bowman	The Tugboat

13	1876	566Lynne	Alexander	MONKEY BUSINESS
13	1872	24Karen	Beatty	California_Glory
13	1879	62Marge	Robinson	3 indian rhinos
13	1690	376Robin	Young	Blue Eyes
13	1770	376Robin	Young	Screeeem!
13	1668	19Bill	Berry	Homeward Bound
12	1660	566Lynne	Alexander	YOSEMITE WINTER
12	1880	62Marge	Robinson	four eles
12	1869	208Agust	Agustsson	Madrona Marsh Tree
12	1873	24Karen	Beatty	Daybreak
12	1874	107Betsy	Treynor	Baby_Elephant.jpg
12	1850	679Ed	Fitzgerald	
12	1865	660Linda	Detwiler	A view
12	1853	571Harry	Korn	Orchid
12	1854	571Harry	Korn	Necks
12	1855	571Harry	Korn	Interior
12	1857	14John	Bohner	Antidote to Los Angeles
12	1858	14John	Bohner	Free In the Wind
11	1848	655Don	Stouder	Flower Color
11	1849	655Don	Stouder	Banjo Player
11	1870	208Agust	Agustsson	Madrona Marsh in Fog
11	1888	27Snehendu	Kar	Rock of Gibraltar
11	1657	688Bobbie	Hedges	Pacific Whiteside Leaping for Joy
11	1674	24Karen	Beatty	Mr._Green_Thumb
11	1676	566Lynne	Alexander	PELICAN
10	1659	688Bobbie	Hedges	Mom with Baby Dolphin
10	1661	566Lynne	Alexander	YOSEMITE FALLS
10	1877	566Lynne	Alexander	SURVIVING THE SURF
10	1878	62Marge	Robinson	michelle
10	1864	660Linda	Detwiler	morro Bay Hollister Peak
9	1847	655Don	Stouder	Silver OR
6	1868	208Agust	Agustsson	Shed in the Fog

Bill Berry
SBCC News & Views Editor

Equipment for Rent!

Did you know that you can bolster your equipment list for an important shoot by renting the equipment by the day? This is also a good way to try-out and test new equipment you are thinking of buying. Most full-service camera stores have equipment to rent. At Paul's Photo, for example, you can even rent a slide projector and screen, digital projector, and camera bodies, lenses, and speedlites. Hasselblad and Leica cameras, for example, are available for as little as \$30 a day. In digital cameras, the Nikon D300 is yours for \$100 per day, the D700 for \$150 per day, and the top-of-the-line professional D3 for \$150 per day. Need a lens? The 70-300mm for Nikon SLRs runs \$15 per day, while the 80-400mm is \$40 per day. The SB-800 speedlite runs \$20 per day.

On the Canon side, the EOS 40D digital body is \$100 per day, while the EOS 20D is \$30. Both the EF 28-70mm and EF 70-200mm lenses run \$30 per day. The 580 EX speedlite is \$20.

Other camera bodies and lenses are available at Paul's or your favorite full-service camera store. Stop in and check it out — it might serve you well some day.