



# South Bay Camera Club **NEWS & VIEWS**



## July 2021

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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 techniques. 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 P.M.

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### [There are no SBCC meetings in July](#)

The next SBCC meeting is on August 9<sup>th</sup>. This meeting will be a virtual meeting on Zoom. The link to the meeting will be sent closer to the meeting date. This will be a Print Review meeting. Please submit your photos to the Print Review web page. Mike Macartney will be performing the critique.

### [SBCC Virtual Meetings to Continue through September](#)

The Torrance Airport opened the room for group meetings in July, with added requirements for liability waivers for every attendee. The county of Los Angeles requires masks for all indoor meetings. And with our club size we would not be able to socially distance in the room. Delta variant Covid infections are surging. So, the SBCC board has voted to continue meeting over Zoom through the month of September. The location for the October meetings will be announced after the board meeting on Aug 16. The status will be reviewed by the board every month until we are convinced that we can safely meet in person.

### [Thanks for the Donations](#)

The SBCC Board would like to thank the following members who have donated in July:

1. Jerry Fleury
2. Mike Calabrese

## [A note regarding our Critiques](#)

Until we can meet safely again, all reviews will be digital. However, the club is set up for both digital and print reviews (Awards and website). So we will alternate between digital and print reviews (even if there is no print). On months that normally have a print review, submit your digital file in the normal way for a print review. The digital file will be critiqued.

## [Tests for Hybrid Meeting in Work](#)

When the board is convinced that it is safe to meet in person, we are planning on having meetings that are both in person and over Zoom. People who want to will be able to attend in person, and those who can't will be able to log into Zoom and attend that way. Our elite squad of cyber elves are solving the problems and developing the techniques to allow us to have it both ways. Instructions will be sent out when the hybrid meetings are implemented.

## [No Phishing in the SBCC pool](#)

Someone has been using the contact information on our website to solicit information and funds from our officers. If you receive a request from our club officers please verify the request with the officer directly before submitting the information.

## [Reminder - Photo Name Limits](#)

When submitting photos to the website you cannot use special characters in the name. These are mostly punctuation marks (\*&^%\$#@"). Let's just use letters and spaces.

## [Facebook:](#)

Please post photos to our Facebook page (<https://www.facebook.com/groups/120819534606157/>) and take the time to critique the photos that others have posted.

## [Club Event Schedule](#)

(note: All events are subject to change due to the pandemic)

<u><a href="#">Schedule of upcoming club events</a></u>			
Aug 9	7 pm	General Meeting	First meeting of the SBCC new year. Photo critique. We do not know if we will be meeting at the airport or on-line yet. The critiquer is Mike Macartney.
Aug 11	9 am or when people show up	Coffee Klatch	Meets at "Klatch Coffee" to discuss whatever comes up and possibly photography. Klatch Coffee is at the southeast corner of PCH and Torrance avenue in Redondo Beach.
Aug 23	7 pm	General Meeting	Diane Racey presents "Elements of Award Winners"
Sept 13	7 pm	General Meeting	Digital Critique by Diane Racey
Sept 27	7 pm	General Meeting	Kevin Gilligan will present on his trip to Patagonia and Torres del Paine National Park in Southern Chile

## **Tell us what's up**

Is your photography exhibited at a show or other venue? Is there a contest going on that you think other club members would like to know about? Please let Don know at [sanderdl@att.net](mailto:sanderdl@att.net) to share this information with others.