



South Bay Camera Club **NEWS & VIEWS**



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A great resource!

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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[Virtual September 13 SBCC meeting](#)

The next SBCC meeting is September 13th. This meeting will be a virtual meeting on Zoom. The link to the meeting is at the bottom of this newsletter in **RED** (or maybe Blue). This will be a Print Review meeting. Please submit your photos to the Digital Review web page by midnight, Saturday September 11. **Diane Racey, who spoke at our last club meeting in August about Element of Award Winners, will provide the critiques of our digital photos. See her intro below.**

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

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. With our club size we would not be able to socially distance in the meeting room. Delta variant Covid infections are surging. So, the SBCC board has voted to continue meeting over Zoom through the month of October. The location for the November meetings will be announced after the board meeting on September 20th. 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 August: Jerry Fleury, Mike Calabrese, Besim Bilman, Dick Merrick, Margaret Pinto, Gary Stuart, Harry Korn, Bob Schlatter, and Livia Trauber.

May your images never be blurred (unless you want them to be).

[SBCC Member Does Good](#)

Are you up for a trip to San Francisco? **Linda Detwiler-Burner** has a photo on exhibition at the Presidio in San Francisco in the "My Park Moment Photo Show." The free My Park Moment photo show features people from all backgrounds across the country loving their favorite parks. More than 400 images are on view outdoors at four locations you can walk, bike, or drive between. The featured shots – from everyday parkgoers, kids, and even professional photographers – capture the beauty of the great outdoors and the joy that time in nature can bring. More information available at https://mailchi.mp/presidiotrust/my-park-moment-photo-show-opens-today-september-1?e=a8de504c7a&fbclid=IwAR0s3euApeo6VhOyIJP7KYWxD2wfsJqJ5idEQxlbDiTrCi-ZXm_R_60Dq-A

[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.

[About our September 13th Critiquer – Diane Racey](#)

Diane lives in Glendale, CA. She began her photographic endeavors with the gift of a Brownie camera for her 11th birthday. Many rolls of 127 black and white film cemented a love of monochrome photography. She joined Camera Circle of Glendale in 1981 and got her first 35 mm camera. Competition and Service have gone hand in hand, first at the club level and quickly to the Southern California Council of Camera Clubs (S4C) Council. She was S4C President in 1988-89 and was awarded an Honorable S4C in 1990. Since 1983, she has judged many times for clubs, councils, and International Exhibitions. Working on multiple Internationals as section and general chairs, she has headed the Golden West Small Print exhibition since 2004. School photography has been her profession for 30 years.

Diane joined the Photographic Society of America (PSA) in 1985. Appointed in 1986, she is the Director of Who's Who for Small Prints and served as the first Chair of Who's Who from 2000-2011. An APSA was awarded in 1992. Presenting programs at PSA Conferences and other service was recognized with a FPSA in 2003. Her exhibition record dates back to 1983 and she has Star ratings in seven sections, including a CPID Galaxy 8. Moving from darkroom to digital printing, she is usually in the Top Who's Who lists for Small Prints and received the very first Galaxy 4s in Small Prints: Monochrome in 2010 and Color in 2011. She earned her GMPSA in 2012.

[About our September 27th Presenter - Kevin Gilligan](#)

Kevin's "About Me" follows:

My visual perspective grew out of a love of the ocean, surfing and swimming. Growing up on NY's Long Island Sound and now living in L.A.'s South Bay I have a keen appreciation for beautiful ocean, beach, and water landscapes and portraits. My interests are eclectic. Art, portraits and sports photography, especially martial arts and surfing are also near and dear to my heart. I've been a surfer for almost 20 years, and have been doing martial arts for nearly 30 years, holding black belts in Krav Maga and Tae Kwon Do. I am a member of the Professional Photographers Association of America and read avidly about photography and photo technology. I've judged a number of national photography competitions hosted by ViewBug and Tamron among others. I'm constantly striving to improve my knowledge and

abilities. I also love to travel and explore new places. You can view my images from Ireland, Panama, Vietnam by clicking on the links. I've photographed the Special Olympics World Games in Los Angeles and multiple Major League Soccer (MLS) matches. I've also been featured on a number of podcasts including with photography luminary Skip Cohen. My work has been in over 25 group exhibitions, and three solo shows, Elements in 2015, Deliberations in 2017, and Developing Men in 2019. See my exhibits for more info on that. Recently, I began photographing Los Angeles from the air. I love the perspective. You can see my aerial images of Los Angeles here.

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.

SBCC Beginning Photo Group Re-start

The beginners group has been meeting virtually for the last year to discuss the basics of photography. With the new club year we have started over at the beginning. If you can't tell your f-stop from your ISO and would like to learn about the very basics of photography, join us for a discussion. We meet on the first Monday of each month at 7:00 pm. Send your name (and email address) to Sanderdl@att.net and you will be added to our roster. The link for the next meetings will be sent to you by email.

The 14th Annual Scavenger Hunt has arrived!

Find all the subjects and make a pleasing/creative picture of each. The winner receives recognition in the SBCC Newsletter and a small brass plate to adhere to a *South Bay Camera Club* wooden trophy. Rules and instructions are on the club website at [SBCC home page](#)

This year's Subjects:

1. Yarn
2. Window Display
3. Sphere(s)
4. Rusted
5. Reflection
6. Bulb
7. Oar(s)
8. Layer
9. Knife/Fork/Spoon
10. Dingy
11. Bicycle(s)
12. Plane
13. Selfie (not judged)

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, spaces, and numbers.

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)

Schedule of upcoming club events			
Sept 8	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.
Sept 13	7 pm	General Meeting	Digital Critique by Diane Racey
Sept 18	10 am	virtual S4C Banquet	As a member of SBCC, you are also a member for S4C. Each year, normally in June, S4C celebrates the end to the competition year with an Installation & Awards Banquet. This is a joyous occasion open to all where: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• End of Year Competition awards are presented;• High Point awards for the year are presented;• S4C Honors are presented;• The incoming Board of Directors is installed;• Service Awards are presented; and• The incoming President lays out an agenda for the year! Because of COVID, in 2021 the banquet will be held virtually over Zoom on September 18th, 2021 at 10AM. Please register now! Banquet Registration
Sept 20	7 pm	Board Meeting	
Sept 27	7 pm	General Meeting	Kevin Gilligan will present on his trip to Patagonia and Torres del Paine National Park in Southern Chile
Oct 4	7 p.m.	Beginner's Group	Contact Don Sandersfeld at sanderDL@att.net for information
Oct 11	7 pm	General Meeting	Critique
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Oct 18	7 pm	Board Meeting	
Oct 25	7 pm	General Meeting	Presentation

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 to share this information with others.

[Invitation to the Next SBCC Meeting](#)

Topic: South Bay Camera Club Meeting - Digital Review with Diane Racey

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Time: Sep 13, 2021 07:00 PM Pacific Time (US and Canada)

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88226405944?pwd=UjhlM3BOdHI0RU5uNTJBSkdxMjlSZz09>

Meeting ID: 882 2640 5944

Passcode: 229568