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Meeting Schedule

October 8th, 2024

Executive Meeting (Zoom)

October 15th, 2024

Competition Night

Meetings will be held at Gethsamane Lutheran Church 1921 Cabana Rd W, Windsor at 7:30pm

GDCCC Digital Results September 2024

Congratulations to All

Color General - Star

1st, Charles Wilson, "Into The Dunes" (score of 26)

Color General – Salon

3rd, Alan Defoe, "Teton Mtns at Snake River" (score of 24)

Color General - Advanced

3rd, Laura Strilchuck, "Lake Louise" (score of 24)

Color General - Beginner

HM, Maria Amaya, "Dutch Horses, Curacao" (score of 23)

Creative - Star

3rd, Brian Masters, "Galaxie 500" (score of 23)

Creative – Salon

3rd, Maria Amaya, "Monarch Rhapsody" (score of 23)

Creative – Beginner

2nd, Caroline Tanchioni, "Wolf II" (score of 25)

3rd, George Schiefer, "Ballerina" (score of 24)

HM, Linda Menard-Watt, "The Total Eclipse" (score of 23)

Monochrome – Salon

2nd, Brian Masters, "Presence" (score of 24)

Monochrome - Advanced

3rd, Laura Strilchuck, "Allison" (score of 25)

3rd, Lillian Dajas, "Calm Before the Storm" (score of 25)

Monochrome - Beginner

1st, Caroline Tanchioni, "Rebecca" (score of 26)

3rd, Arlene Kochaniec, "Foggy Morning Crossing" (score of 24)

HM, Sherry Butts, "Brant Street Pier" (score of 23)

Nature - Galaxy

3rd, Charles Wilson, "Florida Scrub Jay" (score of 24)

Nature - Star

1st, Graham Brown, "Bull Elephant" (score of 25)

Nature – Salon

1st, Stephen Biro, "Snowy Egret" (score of 25)

Nature - Advanced

1st, Alan Defoe, "White Ibis Rivalry" (score of 27) *Perfect Score*

Nature - Beginner

1st, Bonnie Rilett, "Great Blue Heron" (score of 25)

2nd, Theresa Tessier, "Reddish Egret Feasting" (score of 24)

Motor City Print Competition – August 29th, 2024

Windsor Camera Club entered 18 Prints (10 colour and 8 Monochrome).
9 of the 18 entered won.

In the entire competition, 5 Images, for the entire competition, were given a score of 27. Windsor Camera Club received 3 of the 5 perfect scores.
Excellent!!!

Color Category

- 1st, Alan Defoe, "Eastern Bluebird Couple" (score of 27) **Perfect Score**
- 1st, Doug Myers, "Black Skimmer Fishing" (score of 27) **Perfect Score**
- 3rd, Claude Gauthier, "King Penguin Portrait" (score of 24)
- HM, Joseph Van Wissen, "Two Nations One River" (score of 24)

Monochrome Category

- 1st, Willy Van, "At The Top" (score of 27) **Perfect Score**
- 1st, Brian Masters, "Modesty" (score of 25)
- 2nd, Doug Myers, "St. Augustine Lighthouse" (score of 25)
- 2nd, Lillian Dajas, "Live Lofton Reflection" (score of 23)
- HM, Alan Defoe, "Babcock Grist Mill" (score of 22)

Print Nature



Alan Defoe
Reddish Egret with Fish
1st Place, GOLD 84.7 points

Linda Menard-Watt
A Red Damselfly
1st place, SILVER 82.7 points



Print Monochrome



Doug Myers
BMX Stunt Rider
1st Place, GOLD 86.0 points



David Brown
Pitch Perfect Ear
1st Place, SILVER 88.0 points

Print Open



Brent Groh
Steer Roping
1st Place, GOLD 89.3 points

David Brown
La Bandolera Incognito
1st place, SILVER 83.3 points



Digital Altered Reality



Brent Groh
Da-Vinci Ballet
1st place, GOLD 84.0 points

Digital Nature



Larry Zavitz
Great Egret #7
1st Place, GOLD 90.0 points



Arlene Kochanec
Tomato Worm
1st Place, SILVER 92.0 points



Brian Cowan
Mushroom
1st Place, BRONZE 76.3 points



Digital Nature



Charles Wilson
Northern Gannet Soaring
2nd Place, GOLD 89.5 points



Claude Gauthier
Egret with Catch
2nd Place, SILVER 86.3 points

Digital Monochrome



Laura Strilchuck
The Falrest One Of All
1st Place, GOLD 85.3 points

Margit Lanoue
Looking Up At Mountains
1st Place, SILVER 81.0 points



Digital Open



Charles Wilson
Aero L39 Albatross #2
1st Place, **GOLD 88.0 points**

Margit Lanoue
3 Sisters Sunrise
1st Place, **SILVER 84.7 points**



Ken Unis
Calla Lily
1st Place, **BRONZE 78.3 points**

Digital Open



Theresa Tessier
Sky Ryder
2nd Place, GOLD 86.0 points

Maria Guadalupe Amaya
Time To Go - Egypt
2nd Place, SILVER 83.7 points



Theresa Tessier
Cliffs at Pictured Rocks
HM, GOLD 85.3 points



Preparing and Submitting Images for Competition

1. Ensure Horizontal Images are 2160 pixels wide and Vertical Images are 2160 pixels tall. The resolution doesn't matter; it's the pixel dimensions that are important.
2. Make sure that your titles have 25 characters or less (including spaces but not including the "jpg" suffix).
3. To submit images, go to our Visual Pursuits website, log in, and select "Submit Images to a competition" from the "Competitions" menu. You can watch the video "How to Submit Images to a Competition" to assist you.
4. In each Monthly Competition, a Member may enter / submit a maximum combination of four images (Print and Digital), provided a minimum of 1 entry is a Print. Otherwise, a Member can enter a maximum of 3 Digital Images
5. For help with submitting images, contact any of the listed Mentors on the next page.

**Vertical
images
should be
2160 pixels
tall.**

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**Horizontal images
should be
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wide.**

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Mentors

WCC member who are willing to help our members learn to improve their images

Alan Defoe	Basic Lightroom, Photoshop & Elements, Birds & Landscapes tigerguy48@hotmail.com
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Doug Myers	Canon and Lightroom doug.sis@sympatico.ca
Brent Groh	Nikon, Profoto, Godox, Photoshop, Lightroom, Portrait Pro, action sports, music lighting, posing and flash brent@jbtrucking.com
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