

Grand Photos General Meeting

April 13, 2011

The meeting was called to order at 2:00 pm by President, Sue Marrugi. Sue introduced our Speaker of the day, Nancy Sams.

The business part of the meeting began at 3:10 pm. The 50/50 drawing was held and Scott Montgomery won \$35.00.

Sue mentioned that today is the last day to get info to Marilyn Vosburg for In Focus.

Photo Shoot Chairperson, Linda McKean explained that there are two photo shoots coming up. One in April at the Grace Voss Museum in Cave Creek and May 9th a short photo shoot for digital fixed lense cameras (formerly called point and shoot). This is limited to 8 people. Yesterday a photo shoot was held at the Japanese Friendship Garden. Sixteen people attended. The committee will meet in October to go over ideas with leaders/mentors.

PSA representative Stan Borman noted that the PSA Conference is scheduled and is on the website. A meeting will be held April 19th to discussed the conference. This is open to anyone interested in attending the conference.

Webmaster Steve Shank stated that the website is still evolving and encouraged members to add photos for the center section. This section will change photos each month. The website offers resources to manufacturers, instruction videos, blog info, pod casts and YouTube video instructional material. In order to join the website forums you need to register.

Larry Linder, ACCC representative stated that the ribbon from the competition are here for pick up. List of scores is available for viewing in the lab. There were 23 honorable mentions and 58 acceptances. It

appears that more digital is being entered. The results for the Grand Photo Competition will be announced next Wednesday.

We will be hosting ACCC in the Fall.

The Fun and Friendly Contest was won by Estelle Rapasarde. Arnie Becker stated that the next contest will be in October and the topic will be “What I Did This Summer”. Photo must be taken between Memorial Day and Labor Day.

Sue wished everyone a safe and fun Summer.

Meeting was adjourned at 3:45.