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The Official Newsletter of the Arundel Camera Club

January 2001

Jan. 2 No Meeting

Jan. 9 Chris Mona: Photograph

Matting Jan. 16 Slide Contest

Jan. 23 Share Your Photo Night

Jan. 30 Print Contest

January 9th Speaker: Chris

Mona is a teacher at Anne Arundel Community College and will give a program and demonstration on matting photographs.

Results of December 12

Competition

Novice Slides

1. Kathy Funk Brothers Reading Together
2. Dolph Glendinning Waiting for Sunrise
3. Dolph Glendinning Cactus Flower
4. Kathy Funk Star Magnolia
HM Elizabeth Harris Circles of Red

Unlimited Slides

1. Diana Listmann Into the Fog
2. Mike Dulisse Pigeons Under Glass
3. Connie Gray The Bog
4. Frank Maminski Back Porch
HM Howard Penn Stamen and Shadow
HM Howard Penn Sea Dragon
HM Elizabeth Gauld Drink Up
HM Doug Wise Black Tail Deer

Black and White-Novice and Unlimited

Richard Fairhurst has acquired the necessary points and has been promoted in Color Prints.

Louis Sapienza has also been promoted in Color Slides.

Doug Wise has earned a Bronze [Certificate](#) in Color Slides.

Lonnie Kishiyama won 1st place in the open category for a shot of the silos at Kinder Farm Park and 2nd place in the Nature category for a flower shot on the B & A trail in the Anne Arundel Dept. of Recreation and Parks Photo Contest

A Proposal was put forward by Richard Fairhurst for the establishment of guide lines to be used by judges during club slide and print competitions. As Dick reports, "Currently the selections and placement of slide and print images are solely a choice of the particular judge or judges and may reflect a judges particular interest. Judges, however cannot be held totally responsible for their subjectivity, since they receive virtually no communication or guidance from the club concerning what we expect of them." A committee was formed to study some guidelines for future judges. The members of the committee are: Dick Fairhurst, Diana Listmann and Kathy Funk.

Magnet the Polar Bear ACC has had the opportunity to see the Baltimore Zoo's popular polar bear, named Magnet, in some of our club's photo competition. Now the Baltimore Zoo's 800 lb. polar bear is a winner and a star by winning a first-place finish in a nationwide contest sponsored by Microsoft. Magnet will have a role in the Microsoft's new "Zoo Tycoon" game and an honorary position with the company. He also will receive \$20,000 for his first place finish. The money will be used by the Zoo to build Magnet a new and larger place with two pools and more polar bears.

ACC Web Site.

You can read all past and present issues of the Newsletters and individual photo web sites by dialing into the club's web page site at <http://start.at/acc>

Howard Penn's URL is:

1. Bob Anderson Three Bottles
2. Ted Golczewski Feather
Abstract
3. Godfrey Gauld Wood Grains
4. Bei Ma (novice) Waiting
HM Ted Golczewski Rainy Day
HM Elizabeth Gauld Escaping
Seeds

Novice Color Prints

1. Robert Folger Tundra Swan
2. Dolph Glendinning Peaceful
Place
3. Dave Long Potted Flowers
4. Dolph Glendinning Tides Out
HM Dolph Glendinning Busy Bee
HM Dave Long Arches Of Capri

Unlimited Color

1. Ted Golczewski Storm Jumper
2. Howard Penn Zig Zag
3. Elizabeth Gauld Purple Flag
4. Ted Golczewski Inflation
HM Bob Anderson Fern
HM Howard Penn Toucan Sam
HM Elizabeth Gauld Dusty Block

Competition Judge: Warren Kahle

Warren is a member of the Professional Photographers of America (PPA) and serves on the Board of Directors of the Md. Assoc. of the PPA. Following his retirement from a 33-year career in urban planning. Mr. Kahle owned a photography studio and custom framing business in Bowie. He sold the studio in Oct. 2000 and moved his business into his home-office from which he continues to do commercial and portrait work. Mr. Kahle holds a [Masters Degree](#) in Urban Planning from Michigan State University, and a B.S. Degree in Earth Science from Northern Illinois University. In the US Navy

www.angelfire.com/md3/pennpoto/home.htm

You can also reach it by using the shortcut: go.to/howard_penn

March 2002 Themes:

Slides: Center of interest the color "red"
Color Prints Night Photos
B/W: Scenes from historic Annapolis

Board Member

Richard Young

An amateur photographer went to a dinner party. He took some prints to show the hostess who exclaimed how beautiful they were saying, "These are great! You must have a very good camera." The photographer said nothing. When the party ended, the photographer told the hostess, "That was a wonderful meal. You must have some great pots!"

ACC Christmas Party

Close to 30 members attended the Christmas Party at Joyce and Jim Ritter's home. Joyce's home was very cheerfully decorated for the holidays with many lights and a large Christmas tree awaiting the gifts to be placed underneath. The guests arrived with the holiday spirit and ready for a joyful evening of food, drinks and good cheer. All faces had smiles while greeting or socializing with each other.

After eating too much good food and much more socializing, the time arrived for the big game. Tenseness filled the air. Who would be the lucky (?) recipient of the infamous phantom ACC Holiday gift? After much selecting of gifts from under the Christmas tree only about 5 gifts remained—all large and suspicious looking. The room became quiet. A member approached the tree with the confidence that only comes from knowing just 5 possibilities remain, and chose one of the large packages. There was a gasp in the group. After the first wrapping was removed...no solution yet! A few more wrappings were removed and....the prize!! The tenseness of the crowd suddenly evaporated. I'm sure there was a certain individual who observed all that happened, smiled and wished all the members of the ACC a Happy Holiday Season.

The Arundel Camera Club meets every Wednesday evening when school is in session We meet at 7:30 and usually end around 9:00 p.m. at Severna High School, 60 Robinson Road, Severna Park in room G144. Meetings are open to the public, but only dues paying members may enter competitions. Annual dues are \$15.00 per adult. \$7.50 per full-time student. If a second family member joins the club, the second member's dues are discounted 50% - \$7.50.

he was the [Aerial Photo](#)

Interpretation Officer for an amphibious group in Norfolk, VA.

He also was Geography Editor of Encyclopedia Britannica Jr. in Chicago.

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