

**OCEANSIDE PHOTOGRAPHERS
MINUTES OF GENERAL MEETING FEBRUARY 2, 2011**

Place: Windsor Room, Qualicum Civic Centre

In attendance: 42 including five guests

1. Program Director Ken Davies introduced Boomer Jerritt who gave a presentation on night photography that was obviously enjoyed by all.

2. Coffee break. Ed Mosier displayed his collection of antique cameras.

3. The meeting reconvened with results of the 50/50 draw , won by Kim Greig.

4. Director of Judging Ed Mosier announced the chosen results of the assignment 'Red':

Honourable Mention	Linda Lundberg
Third	Ed Dunnet
Second	Gail Courtice
First	Frieda Van der Ree

Results for the assignment 'Wildlife/Pets':

Third	Alan Smith
Second	Diane Spence
First	Shelley Harynuk

5. Treasurer Ed Mosier reported a balance of \$1301.63 with one outstanding cheque for \$47.04.

6. Program Director Ken Davies will let us know when a program tentatively planned for March is confirmed; Michael Orton will address us in April.

7. The next assignment will be "Repetition."

The next Field Trip will be to Art Knapp Plantland in Courtenay on February 20th with lunch at the Crown Isle Golf Course Clubhouse. More details and directions will be sent out.

8. Vice-President Randy Hall spoke about the upcoming Oceanside Area in Pictures (OAIP) exhibition. He will send out a notice of key dates for the opening events.

Randy also asked that when members email images they specify in the subject line what the submission is for (slide show or assignment.)

9. Membership Chairman Gail Courtice announced that from now on new members would be charged \$12 for a name tag. Members are asked to take home their string tags.

10. Education Chairman Libby Lovis reported on the January Education Meeting. The February meeting has been rescheduled from the 15th to Tuesday 22nd. Libby encouraged members to send questions ahead of the meeting so that suitable resources can be prepared. A Mac group will soon be set up.

11. Data and Equipment Manager Jack Harynuk reported that 30 members have now entered information onto the database. The base continues to be revised. Summaries of various data can be found under 'Reports'. Members may contact Jack for help using the database.

12. New Business Members are asked to put aside unwanted objects for the club's garage sale in June. Libby volunteered to store some things if necessary.

13. Slide show of field trip images. The meeting concluded with another of Randy's excellent slide shows.

The meeting adjourned at 8:50 pm.