OCEANSIDE PHOTOGRAPHERS Minutes of General Meeting

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Treasurer - John Groenhof Secretary - Teresa Lange Kings

Directors: Education - Libby Lovis Exhibitions - Lavonne Gaddy Program - Lajla Stevenson

Membership - Deb Kuzbik Newsletter - Frieda van der Ree/Dennis Ritchie

Data & Equipment - Jack Harynuk

Field trips/Assignments- Sally Shivers

The meeting was held at the QB Civic Centre, August 6 2014.

Attendance: approx 41 members and guests

7:00pm: The meeting was called to order by President Vivienne. She thanked Ken Meissner for filling in at short notice

Lajla introduced Ken who gave us a presentation on Hawaii, the Big Island. Ken showed some amazing slides taken by himself and his wife Inge Mc Donald. Thank you again Ken for stepping in.

Break: 8:00-8:20

Membership: Deb introduced 2 new members and 2 guests. We have 92 members. Any member who has not paid their dues will be deemed inactive.

Vice President: Richard-no report.

Treasurer: John-\$5088 is the bank balance

Secretary: Teresa-no report.

Exhibits: Levonne is away. Members are asked to take any questions to Vivienne.

Education: Libby-away. Frieda-next meeting is September 16th. Libby and Frieda would appreciate any suggestions for education from members.

Programs: Lajla-someone from London Drugs will speak at the October meeting. She has speakers lined up for October and November and the December meeting is the social. Lajla asks that any member who could fill in at the last minute if there is a cancellation let her know.

Field Trips: Sally reminded us that Sunday's field trip is to Kid Fest in Parksville and lunch is at the Bayside. Members are asked to pre-register.

September Field Trip is to Cameron Lake and Cathedral Grove. September 14th

Assignments: August is Faces

Newsletter: Frieda-October's newsletter is under way. An error was made in the September newsletter regarding discounts at The Source. Discounts are only available in Qualicum Beach. Frieda will be hanging the exhibit at the Bayside and needs participants to email her the details of their work

Data and Equipment: Jack took members through the voting procedure on the website. He has asked for a member to step forward to lead a group on critiquing images with a view to improving our entries in the Lions Gate Competition.

New Business: Vivienne showed members a brochure from Lighthouse Country Fall Fair. Shelley will take over the Macro SIG from Jack. Richard will lead the meetings in September and October.

Results for Assignment: 58 submissions in Photographer's Choice.

B/W

3rd Wayne Duke/Kevin McGuinness/Inge McDonald

2nd Sally Shivers 1st Geoff Hallett

Colour Hon. Men Inge McDonald

3rd Wayne Duke 2nd Roy Watts

1st Kevin McGuinness

Digital Art

3rd Mary Watts

2nd Kevin McGuinness 1st Paul Edelenbos

Field Trip Slideshow: Heritage Museum

Thanks to Jack and Richard for putting together these presentations.

The meeting adjourned at 8:50

Minutes prepared by Secretary Teresa Lange Kings