

OCEANSIDE PHOTOGRAPHERS
MINUTES OF GENERAL MEETING NOVEMBER 4TH 2015-11-06

PRESIDENT – RICHARD PEEKE-VOUT
PAST PRESIDENT – VIVIENNE BEARDER VICE PRESIDENT – BRAD POWELL
TREASURER – ED DUNNETT SECRETARY – LIBBY LOVIS

DIRECTORS: EDUCATION - JOHN CRITCHLEY EXHIBITIONS – SUCHA OLLEK
PROGRAMMES – VACANT MEMBERSHIP – DEVRA KUZBIK FIELD TRIPS/ASSIGNMENTS – SALLY
SHIVERS

NEWSLETTER – SHELLEY HARYNUK, VIVIENNE BEARDER AND FRIEDA VAN DER REE
DATA AND EQUIPMENT – JACK HARYNUK SOCIAL – VACANT

Place – East Hall QB Civic Centre

Attendance – about 60 including including 7 guests and one new member

The meeting began at 7pm with Jack introducing 8 member slideshows which were inspiring. New member Mike Woodworth talked briefly about a workshop in Tofino at the end of November.

8.00 – 8.20 Break

Director Reports started with a description of the job requirements.

Membership: Debra welcomed 7 guests and one new member. We are members of the MAC now and there is a show in December entitled Winter which all members are entitled to enter. Deb has entry forms or go to MAC website.

This year we have 80 members and last year at this time around 100.

VP: Brad asked how many members would be willing to do a slide show in the future and many put their hands up – inspired by the ones we saw tonight. CAPA judging course is sold out and the Rick Hulbert workshop has about 17 tickets left. Vivienne has tickets.

Treasurer: Ed reported we have \$6000 in the bank but warned this also includes the revenue from the Rick Hulbert workshop and as such is waiting to be paid out and also that much of this money is earmarked for rental, insurances etc. We need about 90 members to break even.

Assignments/Field trips: The field trip this Sunday 8th November is to the Big Qualicum River Hatchery with lunch at Deez. Assignment : Fall

Exhibitions: Sucha is arranging exhibits at TOSH, Bayside and Milner has expressed interest in our joining Art in the Garden. Corinne and Craig will talk in the New Year on the process of matting framing etc in preparation for showing.

Education: John reported there will be two topics for the Education meeting on Tuesday 17th November – Colour as a compositional tool and the second half of the meeting using our flash to make better photos. Bring cameras and flash.

Newsletter: Shelley reminded everyone that the newsletter is produced by a team and urged everyone to send in material for inclusion.

President: Richard again asked someone to step up to take on the role of Programmes Director and stressed there is always help at hand for this position – also he asked for someone to volunteer to be Social Director.

Equipment and Data: Jack mentioned that there is a 20% discount at Craig's framing until December 8th.

Assignment slideshows prepared by Jack

Colour

3rd Teresa Lange Kings
2nd Cliff Anderson
1st Inga McDonald
Honourable mention Peter Caljouw

Black and White

3rd Beth Millar
2nd Inge /Peter Caljouw
1st Wayne Duke

Digital Art

3rd Vivienne Bearder
2nd Peter Caljouw
1st Inge McDonald

The Field Trip slide show will be shown in December with the November Field Trip photos.

Please send Best of 2015 to Jack or Richard and Grizzly Trip to Brad for slide shows in December