OCEANSIDE PHOTOGRAPHERS MINUTES OF GENERAL MEETING May 4th 2016

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 — BRAD 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 – West Room QB Civic Centre

The meeting began at 7pm with Richard welcoming everyone.

Brad introduced the speaker for the evening Thomas Dawson who gave an illuminating talk on his landscape photography in various locations.

After a guick break the management gave a few reports

MShip Frieda - 60 renewals and new members have so far paid their dues. 5 new members this evening. Dues to be paid by June 30th.

Programmes Brad - Brad wished good luck to the new person in the position of programmes and said it is a good and enjoyable position and encouraged someone to give it a try.

Treasurer, Ed - Figures are posted on the website under the members database. We had just enough money last year to do all the activities and need at least 90 members for this to be maintained. The variety of activities relies on directors to participate so he encouraged people to stand for election.

FT and Assignments, Sally - Sunday 15th May at Elk Falls Provincial Park Exit 28 on Highway 19. Lunch at the Riptide Marine Pub 1340 Island Highway Assignments - My back yard

Education , John - Education meeting on 17th May - Les McLean will do a programme on Dodging and Burning so bring cameras for hands on. No meeting in July/August and resuming in September. If there are any requests please email John.

Newsletter, Shelley - The next newsletter has a theme of Events and Festivals and articles with photos attached are needed. Photos at least 500K

Technical, Jack - Special meeting on Monday 16th May with a presentation by Adam Gibbs - free for members with membership card and \$5 for others.

President, Richard - Announced that Vivienne would run the election of officers

Nominations

President	Ed Dunnett	Elected
Vice President	Kathy Desjardins	Elected
Secretary	Teresa Lange Kings	Elected
Treasurer	Nick Bosma	Elected
Membership	Frieda van der Ree	Elected
Programmes	Vacant	
Education	John Critchley	Elected
Data and Equipment	Jack Harynuk	Elected
Newsletter	Shelley Harynuk	Elected
Exhibits	Vacant	
Field Trips and		
Assignments	Rick Horte	Elected
Social	Sally Shivers	Elected

Richard thanked everyone for their help during the past year.

He then announced that Libby Lovis has been given a Life Membership in thanks for her contribution to the club.

Mary Watts was given \$100 from London Drugs as the Winner of the Photographer of the Year.

Ed now took over as the new President.

He reiterated the necessity of someone coming forward to take on the Programmes and Exhibits slots on the Management as without these the club has difficulty being a fully functioning club. There would be lots of help given to any new incumbent.

There followed the slide show of the Field Trip to Cowichan Bay and Favourites prepared by Richard and then the Assignments prepared by Jack.

Assignment slideshow - Weather

Colour

3rd Beth Millar 2nd Mary Watts 1st Ken Meisner

Black and White

3rd Beth Millar 2nd Inge MacDonald 1st Ken Meisner

Digital Art

3rd Jack Harynuk 2nd Inge MacDonald 1st Mary Watts

Meeting adjourned at 8.55