THE AUSTIN SHUTERBULL

Club Newsletter Austin, Texas December 2017



### No Meeting in December

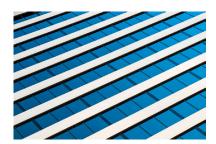


NEXT Meeting - Thursday, January 4, 2018 6:30 pm

Northwest Recreation Center 2913 Northland Dr. Austin, TX 78757 Visitors Always
Welcome

# November Evaluation: Stripes Judges: Brian Loflin, Dolph McCranie and Phil Charlton

#### Assignment Exceptional Images



White Stripes Bruce Lande



Night Streaks Dave Maguire



Church Pews Jeff Lava



Familiar Stripes Mike Martin



Afternoon Shadows Lois Schubert



Reserved Parking Rose Epps



Downtown San Francisco 2017 Pam Walker



Colorful Stripes Bruce Lande

#### General Exceptional Images



Strolling in the Park Barbara Hunley



Hot Pink Beverly Lyle



Two Friends Wedding Bernardo Silva



Lightening in Lauderdale Stennis Shotts



Reflections at de Young, SF Pam Walker



Café au Lait Dave Maguire



Japanese Garden Lois Schubert



Bison - Yellowstone Phil Charlton



Angst Desert Sculpture
Shannon Brent Paul Munch



Sentry Dan Tonissen



Vermont State Capitol Linda Sheppard



Lioness, Ft Worth Zoo Pete Holland



Yellow Hibiscus Rose Epps



Rocky Gorge in the Rain Kathy McCall



Bear Talk Mark Stracke



Flight Paul Munch



Vereins Kirche, Fredericksburg Pete Holland



Morning in Big Bend Beverly Lyle



Successful Fishing Mark Stracke



Axis Duel Brian Loflin

# Up coming classes

## In the beginning - The Basics First Class

#### Saturday, December 2nd 10:30 AM until 1:00 PM

at the Austin Yarborough Public Library Branch, 2200 Hancock Dr., Austin, TX, 78756

This is **the first of two classes** conducted by **Stennis Shotts** our Vice President and Head of Programs. Please arrive at 10:15 since we will start promptly at 10:30. No equipment required.

This first class will include:

- How to save and store images
- Preparation for taking a photo
- The Rule of Thirds.

The second class (date and location TBA) will stress:

• How to manage light i.e., ISO, Aperture and Shutter Speed.

### 2018 Calendar

(Field Trips are for paid ASC Members Only!)

**January** 

• Meeting: 1/4 Critique

**February** 

• Meeting: 2/1 Kelley Ahr – Conceptual

Photographic Art

• Field Trip: 2/3 Fossil Rim

March

• Meeting: 3/1 Critique

• Field Trip: 3/24 Wild Flowers and

lunch at the Shotts house

April

• Meeting: 4/5 Jack Hollingsworth -

iPhone photography I3–16 High Island – birds

• Field Trip: 4/13–16 High Island – birds and other photography

May

• Meeting: 5/3 Critique

• Field Trip: 5/6-11 New Orleans trip

**June** 

• Meeting: 6/7 Chris Sherman – Drone

Photography

• Workshop 6/16 Use of flash

July

Meeting: 7/5 CritiqueWorkshop: 7/7 Macro

August

• Meeting: 8/2 Phil – HDR and

Pete - Black and White

• Field Trip 8/4 Water Gardens – Cedar

Park

September

• Meeting: 9/6 Critique

• Field Trip: 9/8 Scavenger Hunt – will

announce location in advance

October

• Meeting: 10/4 Scavenger Hunt Review

• Field Trip: 10/12-14

South Texas Birding

November

• Meeting: 11/1 Critique

December

• Awards Banquet

# 2018 Exhibit opportunities

#### Northwest Hills Methodist Church - June 2018 in the North Hills Gallery

Once again the Austin Shutterbug Club has been invited by Northwest Hills Methodist Church to exhibit in June 2018 in the North Hills Gallery.

The club leadership has discussed this opportunity and agrees that we should take their invitation. Our "annual" show for has been there for several years, and the church provides a lovely reception. Our club offers monetary awards for the four top images, however, relatively few sales have resulted. Because some members are not inclined to invest additional \$\$\$ in printing and framing photos that are unlikely to sell, we encourage entry of images that have already been printed and framed for other shows or purposes. To enter a photo, we only ask that it not have been exhibited at North Hills Gallery previously. So be thinking about your possible entries.

Participating in group shows provides a valuable experience, especially for our newer members. We grow as photographers by learning how to select and prepare our photos for exhibiting. If you've not shown your work previously, you are encouraged to visit with Steve and/or Rose about it. You can have the presentation all done professionally (which can be expensive) but we can help you make your own prints, cut or purchase your mats, and use pre-assembled frames or assemble your own frames; or somewhere in between. There are many resources available locally and online.

We are also considering a smaller show at another location such as the Thai Fresh Restaurant in South Austin, where one of our members recently had a great show.

Rose Epps and Steve Houston, Exhibit Chairs

### Call for Entries

A Smith Gallery, Johnson City, TX Call for Entries: "chair"

Main Gallery
Juror | S Gayle Stevens
Entries Due | January 8, 2018
Exhibition dates | February 16 to March 25, 2018
Reception | JFebruary 24, 2018 from 4 to 8pm
for more info: amanda@asmithgallery.com

#### **FOR SALE**

Canon 400mm F5.6 Lens- \$800
With Camo lens coat, Tripod ring,
Zipper case, and both lens caps
Bill Johnson 512-781-4689
wbjhnsn@gmail.com
(Put Shutterbug Club in the subject line)

#### **FOR SALE**

Spyder 4 Pro - lightly used Advanced Monitor Calibration \$50.00

Kathy McCall - kwmccall@gmail.com

#### **AUSTIN SHUTTERBUG CLUB**

Minutes of the November 2, 2017 Meeting

The November 2, 2017, meeting of the Austin Shutterbug Club was convened by President Brian Loflin at 7:00 p.m. at the Northwest Recreation Center.

Brian thanked Kelley Ahr and Jill McLain for providing refreshments for this evening.

He welcomed and introduced guests Karen Duncan, Janelle Fears, Robert Fears, Ron Huff, and Gary Roberts.

Treasurer Lois Schubert collected dues.

Vice President/Programs and Events Stennis Shotts discussed our upcoming Holiday Party. It will be held on Tuesday, December 5 at Abuelo's Mexican Restaurant. Note that the date is changed from the usual Thursday to Tuesday due to availability of the restaurant.

Evaluation and Review was held. Judges this month were Brian Loflin, Dolph McCranie and Phil Charlton.

Tonight's meeting adjourned at 8:18 p.m.

Nancy Naylor, Secretary

**Internet Continuing Education and Information** 

https://photographytv.com/take-better-pictures/

Blake Rudis http://f64academy.com/blog/

http://digital-photography-school.com/tips

Mike Browne - YouTube

www.youtube.com/user/photoexposed

Tony Northrup - YouTube https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLBE338967F8DB7F2A

Anthony Morganti - YouTube www.youtube.com/user/AnthonyMorganti

https://www.rmsp.com/blog

Anne McKinnell

http://annemckinnell.com/blog/

http://www.lightstalking.com/photography-freebies/

https://www.on1.com/news/

http://www.outdoorphotographer.com/blog/

The Frame Corner will give **Austin Shutterbug Club Members** 

a 20% discount on moldings which is a great deal!

The Frame Corner

7112-A Burnet Road • Austin, TX 78757 Open: Tues - Sat. 10am - 5pm 512.453.7788

### 2018 Assignments

January - Arches: May be man made or arches in nature. Color or monochrome.

March - Landscape Panorama

Color or Monochrome

May - Patterns in Nature: color or monochrome

July - Yellow: Color only. Focus and principle subject of the image must be something yellow.

September - You are challenged to create an image of a person or persons that tells the viewer something distinctive about them without including the face. Okay to show the head, just not the face. It could show their age, profession, hobby, economic status, etc. Monochrome or color.

November - Black & White: Photograph whatever your heart desires. It is your choice BUT it must be entered as a pure Black and White, no color. Must have good black point and good white point with shades of gray tonalities.

Jeff Parker has several upcoming workshops Visit http://jeffparkerimages.com/joinme/ for more information.

ASC members get a \$10.00 discount!

#### Club Leadership for 2017

| President                   | Brian Loflin   | 512-331-2820 |
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| Vice President/Programs     | Stennis Shotts | 678-637-8367 |
| Secretary                   | Nancy Naylor   | 512-345-3350 |
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| <b>Evaluation Committee</b> | Dolph McCranie | 512-394-9031 |
| <b>Evaluation Committee</b> | Linda Avitt    | 512-468-1542 |
| <b>Evaluation Committee</b> | Cheryl Callen  | 512-519-9518 |
| <b>Evaluation Committee</b> | Phil Charlton  | 512-918-8061 |
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| Refreshments                | Joyce Bennett  | 512-301-2718 |
| Refreshments                | John Davis     | 512-327-5996 |
| Exhibits                    | Rose Epps      | 512-502-0608 |
| Exhibits                    | Steve Houston  | 512-418-8878 |
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| Electronic Communication    | Barbara Hunley | 512-250-1144 |
| Roster and Name tags        | Barbara Hunley | 512-250-1144 |