



Indian River Photo Club August's 2024 Newsletter



Hello Members,

As we all know it is August, and it very hot outside. In just a few more weeks the temperatures will start get cooler, and we can start enjoying the outside again. Our July speaker was John Buck and he gave a great program on Human Connection with Photography. "Thank You John" The club also wants to thank Bill Menzies and Ben D'Andrea for judging the print contest . Etta brought in the snack and we had rootbeer floats. Everyone enjoyed them. The club thanks everyone who helps to make this club the best it can be.

UP Coming Date to Mark Down:

1. [American Muscle Car Museum Field Trip](#)

– Our club is invited to join the Camera Club of Brevard- When: September 21 Time 10:00am to 1:00pm Location: 3500 Sarna Rd, Melbourne (Please let me know if you would like to go by September 10th, so we have a count of who is going)

2. [Best Picture of the Year Party](#) When: **December 5, 2024** Time: 6:00 pm This is our club end of the year party and everyone is welcome. We will be doing potluck again this year because it works out so well.

3. [Indian River Photo Club 2025 Photographic Print Exhibit](#) at the Vero Beach Museum When: Intake **April 8,2025** 10:00am to 2:pm Exhibit Dates: **April 11,2025** Though **May 18,2025** Pickup Date: **May 19** 10:00am to 2:pm (Best in Show Award \$100)

The theme for this month's print and digital photo contest is "Mailboxes". Digital photos should be sent to Bill Conway at billcnwy@yahoo.com

This month's meeting is on August 22, at 6:30pm. I know you all will be there and thanks for supporting your club. Let keep it going Keep your camera ready, your flash cards clean and your batteries charged,
Billy Ocker IRPC, President

PHOTOGRAPHY CHEAT SHEET

SHUTTER SPEED

Shutter speed represents how long your camera's shutter remains open to light. Measured in seconds or fractions, like 1/1000 or 1/30, it plays a crucial role in controlling motion.

Fast shutter speeds freeze action, ideal for sports. Slow speeds, such as 1/15, create artistic effects like silky water or light trails.



30



15



1



1/100



1/1000

BLUR ACTION

NIGHT

SLOWER

FREEZE ACTION

SPORTS

FASTER

July's 2024 Winners Theme "Patriotic"

Class A Color Print

Ray McTeague "Independence Celebration" 1st Place

Kim Hunt "Love America" 2nd Place

Kathie Phillips "Old Glory" 3rd Place

Christine Wickham "A Very Patriotic Teddy" HM



Class A Monochrome Print

Mike Stewart "For the Flag" 1st Place

Kim Hunt "Uncle Sam" 2nd Place

Christine Wickham "Homer Alaska's 4th of July" 3rd Place



Class A Special Technique Print

Kim Hunt "Patriotic Pinwheel" 1st Place

Kathie Phillips "Eagle Eye" 2nd Place

Shelley Stang "Glory Reflected" 3rd Place



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Class Digital Color

Marisa Pfister "4th of the July" 1st Place

Ben D'Andrea "PFC Joe Schaefer" 2nd Place

Christine Wickham "Balloon Festival" 3rd Place



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Class Digital Monochrome

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Christine Wickham "Eagles Spirit" 2nd Place

Kim Hunt "Heart of Liberty & Freedom" 3rd Place



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Class Digital Manipulated

Kim Hunt "Patriotic Celebration" 1st Place

William Stewart "Uncle Sam" 2nd Place

Bobbi Whitlam "The Vero Pier" 3rd Place



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