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Newsletter Of The Latow Photographers Guild

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ALL SOULS DAY, MEXICO Photo by Antony Connell

From The President Richard Smit

First, I would like to welcome all new and returning members. I hope you are all as excited about the year as I am.

We had a great volunteer turnout for the Art Market on Sept. 18 and 19. Thank you to all who volunteered.

On Oct. 3 we will be hosting, along with Duncan & Wright, the 3rd annual One day in the Life of Burlington. There is still time to sign up at Duncan & Wright in Burlington. Rumor has it that 'Slash' is Number 1. We will see if this is true on Dec. 1, the award night.

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On Oct. 19, the digital group will be traveling to Boshler Studio. There is room for 40 members. If you wish to attend please contact Paul Sparrow.

I know it's early, but it is time to think about Christmas. On Nov 26 to 28, the BAC will be hosting the Christmas Sale & Soup Bowl Event. Think about putting photographs into this event. Also, it is an opportunity to get in some volunteer hours.

Happy Clicking
Richard

UPCOMING EVENTS

I'm the GTCCC rep. for the Meadowvale Photography Association. On October 27, 2004 we will be having a Nikon rep. as our guest speaker. We are extending an open invitation to all those that are interested in attending. There is no cost involved. Please advise your members of our invitation and any others that you feel might be interested.

Our meetings start at 7:30p.m., and are held in the Meadowvale Town Hall, corner of Old Derry Road and Second Line in Mississauga.

Thank you,

John

Meadowvale Photography Association

Oakville Arts Council is having a Portfolio Critique Day for original work including slides, photos and digital images on Saturday November 13th and Photo-documentation Days on October 12th for 2D work and October 13th for 3D

There are fees for both these events and you must book at (416) 591-8883 for the Portfolio Critique and (905) 815-5977 Ext 2 for the Documentation.

For further information on OAC membership see www.oakvillearts.com

DIGITAL GROUP

October 19th

October's meeting of the Digital Group will be a special treat for our members as we will tour a completely "digital" studio at **Bochsler PhotoImaging**. www.bpimaging.com

Their studio will present a live demonstration for capturing hi-res digital studio images. Video projection will be used so that everyone can see the various aspects of producing the image and making a print.

Since this will no doubt be a popular night, and the seating will be limited to 40 people, you will have to pre-register with me on a first come first served basis.

The evening will take place at the **Bochsler Photo-Imaging** studios here in Burlington starting at **7:00pm**. Their location is 945 Sheldon Court - off of Harvester Rd. between Appleby Line and Burloak Dr.

I look forward to this special evening and want to thank the Bochsler Imaging team in advance for their invitation to tour one of Canada's premiere commercial photography studios.

You can pre-register with me via e-mail at psparrow@cogeco.ca or contact me by phone at (905) 523-5665.

Paul Sparrow
Digital Group Leader

For a map go to www.mapquest.com



FROM THE EDITORS DESK

I hope you all enjoyed the layout of last months Newsletter. I will continue in the same format but, it is your Newsletter. If you would like me to add something, subtract something or change things around drop me an Email. My new Email address is: latowsecretary@cogeco.ca.

It is difficult to understand why I now get Emails about Viagra when before, I didn't get any. It is obvious that one of the members in Latow needs it because I get all the ads. Anyway, I can fully assure you that I do not need Viagra. Please check your computers for Adware and remove it as it will infect all of us.

I also had to send out an Email to all of you about jokes. I love them but, not in my Emails. I try to keep everything well organized and these simply clutter up my work space. To those of you who didn't send me jokes, I apologize for the Email however, someone did it. Maybe the same person who has a thing for Viagra. Anyway, keep it Latow business and tell me the jokes at a break in our meetings.

Don't forget that the deadline for next month is posted on Page 3. Sorry but, I will be very strict on this so, get your cards and images in early.

This month I selected a very appropriate photo sent to me by Antony Connell. It was taken last year in Mexico. Here is what Antony had to say about the shot:

"The enclosed was taken in Mexico last October during the annual All Souls day or Night of the dead or in our case Halloween where the dead are remembered by their families in all sorts of traditional ways. As seen here it can also be a fun event."

Next month the image should be appropriate for November. How about some great fall foliage. Get your picture "up front"

Slash



**DEADLINE FOR THE NEXT
NEWSLETTER IS:**

October 20th, 2004

**HOW TO REGISTER FOR THIS
YEAR'S MEMBERSHIP**

Your 2005 Program has a membership application attached with the dues requirements. If you require a locker, the information is also there. The new 2005 program is at www.latow.com. Make sure you go here often for the latest news and updates.

Don't forget that you are also required to take out a membership in the Burlington Art Center (BAC). It's mandatory for you to do so. The BAC provides a good home for us and Latow fully supports the Art Centre.

There are volunteer requirements for both Latow and the BAC. Please ensure you are aware of these and ask if you need more information.

Just in time for the fall photography:

October 5 General Meeting:

Guest speaker Peter Van Rhijn from the Mississauga Camera Club.

Topic: "Autumn", an Instructional show on Fall Photography. First part deal with techniques to enhance Fall Photography, second part involves audience participation.

Evaluations:

The first evaluation will be held on Tuesday November 2, 2004. Entries need to be in on October 26. This is a change from the date published in the brochure as on the 19th the digital group has a tour of the Borchsler studio.

Before entries are submitted this year, I am going to try to give you an update on where you are, ie. bronze, silver, gold or platinum. Then you will know how close you are to reach the next level.

Toni Browning

HELLO MEMBERS,

This announcement serves to inform those that were not present at the opening meeting, and serves to remind those that WERE present. On Saturday October 16, there will be an outing to Apps Mill. This is a reprise to last year's autumn outing, as it went so well. We will meet at the Meadowlands Starbucks in Ancaster at 8:15, and depart at 8:30. That should provide enough time to buy a hearty cup of java for the way down, and wake up those sleepy eyes. I forgot to mention at the meeting that friends and relatives are welcome for the outing.

Apps Mill and area is about a half hour drive from our departure point, and for those that have never been there, it offers plenty for autumn imaging. There is a creek that runs through, and nearby it runs under a road. If we're fortunate enough, the creek will be quiet and superb reflections may be had. The more daring imagists may want to bring rubber boots and venture into the creek....if they wish. By the way, the outing is on rain or shine; so bring appropriate footwear for the conditions....and needless to say, wear clothing suitable for the weather. Depending on how long you plan to stay, you could bring a picnic lunch and beverages. After a couple of hours of diligent imaging, you'll probably feel the need to replenish yourself.

For those interested, Apps Mill has a website and to access it, just punch in Apps Mill on Google, and the link will come up. Of course it goes without saying, it would help to indicate Canadian pages. Anyone that has questions about the outing, feel free to call me. I'm in the brochure under Field Trips. Looking forward to seeing you on the 16th.

SNAPPY TRAILS,
Ron Chalecki



OCTOBER'S LINE UP

- 5th GENERAL MEETING
Speaker Peter Van Rhijn
"Autumn" Fall Photography
- 12th BLACK & WHITE GROUP
Hands-on in the darkroom
- 19th DIGITAL GROUP
Studio Tour (see page 2)
**EVALUATION ENTRIES
DUE TONIGHT**
- 26th STUDIO GROUP
Basic Studio. Types of light,
light meters, using camera
flash and studio strobes will
be discussed
- OTHER EVENTS**
- 3rd One Day in the Life of
Burlington
- 4th EXECUCITIVE MEETING

The dates and programs are subject to change.

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If you have a Samsung cellular phone that needs repair, see me. I am the Operations Manager for the company that repairs these products. Unfortunately, I can not do anything for repairs to other Samsung products.



Evaluations: It is going to be a very exiting year, we could have a few of our members reach the 20 mark in the Platinum level and they will then receive a special award. I have prepared a spreadsheet with the results as of September 2004. If it shows that you have B2, that means that you have 2 Bronze HM and need 3 more to get to the Silver Level, B5 means you are due to go to the silver level. If there are any discrepancies or errors, please let me know. Toni Browning

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Evaluation Results as of September 2004				
Name	Slides	Monochrome Prints	Multi Colour Prints	Digital
Barclay, Rob	B2		B1	
Beaudoin, Gary	B	B1	S3	
Browning, Bill	S		S2	
Browning, Toni	B4		S1	B4
Buijs, Dirk		S5		
Chalecki, Ron	P16			
Curle, Ailsa		S6	S10	
Gaudet, Joe		G13		
Hamilton, Jim	P18			
Holmes, Leonie	G10	P5	G4	
Howard, Les	S6		S10	
Johnson, Kirk	B2	G1	G7	
Jurasek, George				B2
Kater, Barbara	B1	B	B1	
Limberger, Marianne	P9			
Marshall, Keith			S2	
Morrissey, Bill	G8	G2		
Morrissey, Pam	G4			
Morton, Tim	B4	B2	B5	
Pingree, John		B	B5	B5
Rischke, Mary			B	B1
Russell, Bob	G1	S1	S5	B2
Ryan, Brooke	B1	S4	S2	
Schulze, Peter	S	S2	S4	
Shotton, Bill	G13	B1	P5	
Smit, Richard	B4	B2	B1	
Spence, Keiron				B1
Stafford, Bill	G1			

Name	Slides	Mono-chrome	Multi Colour	Digital
St.Pierre, Bernie	B	B1	B1	
Wallace, Bob	S3	B4		
Wallace, Ruth	S3	G	B1	
Ward, John			B4	B5
Warren, Bill	P3	P4	S1	
Webster, John		G1		
Young, Peter		B4	S3	
Young, Vicky		B		

Honourable Mention Requirements:		
Level	Points	Promoted
Bronze	20	5
Silver	22	10
Gold	24	15
Platinum	25	after 20 a special award



Canadian Association for Photographic Art (CAPA)-Group Night

The Toronto Argonauts are pleased to offer this great opportunity to CAPA members, their family and friends. Watch the Argos take on the Montreal Alouettes at a great price and be seated in the special CAPA section! **DEADLINE FOR ORDERING IS FRIDAY OCTOBER 15 - 3PM.**

Thursday October 28th – 7:30pm



PRICE LEVEL AVAILABLE:

Green Section – \$24.50 (Regularly \$35.00 – Between the 15-35 yard lines, 100 level seating) – Tickets will be grouped & booked together to the best of our ability and availability. No refunds or exchanges.

HOW TO ORDER:

Call 416-341-2715 and order today. Ask for Account Executive John Kutchera
To order have your VISA, Master Card, Diners/Enroute or American Express ready

SPECIAL CAPA DIGITAL CONTEST:

Email us your favorite sport photo (digital slide – from in-camera digital capture, scanned slide or negative) by October 15th to kutchera@argonauts.on.ca as per the format below:

Each digital image file should be submitted in the following format:

- High quality JPEGs saved in PC file format (use quality setting of 90% or better)
- Images should be in the proper orientation for viewing – (upright on monitor)
- Resolution shall be no larger than 768 pixels along the longest dimension
- Subject line in email should be in the following format: “CAPA CONTEST-From (Name here)-filename.jpg”
- Please add Name, Mailing Address and Telephone in body of email stating you have entered the contest.

Photos will be judged on creativity, composition and “capturing the moment”, by a selected panel of CAPA judges.

Top 2: Entrants chosen will win the right to photograph the game live on October 28th.

Note: Photos will not be used for professional purposes without permission from the photographers.



See you on the field.