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Newsletter Of The Latow Photographers Guild

January 2005

From The Gallery



**Kinkakuji Pavillion
The Golden Temple
Kyoto, Japan - Nov 2004
By John Ward**

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From The President Richard Smit

From the President's Desk

I hope you had a good Christmas and New Year.

We had an excellent turn out for the Day In the Life of Burlington. Some of our own members won awards for their submissions. Congratulations and well done.

The next general meeting will be evaluation night.

On Jan 11 the New Exposures meeting will be led by Peter Young. This meeting is for the colour prints and slides, and digital images. Bring in those non B&W images and get them critiqued by your fellow photographers.

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January Schedule

- 4 General Meeting
Evaluation Results
- 11 New Exposures
Peter Young—critique of col
our prints, slides or digital im
ages.
- 18 Digital Group
Show and Tell. Bring an image
and show how you did it.
- 25 Studio Group
Glamour Photography. Use of a
model. How to set-up.

Other Events

- 3 Executive Meeting

Digital Group - January 18th

This month we will have a "Bring an Image" night for you to show off your digital creations. Bring your images on disk and we will present them using the digital projector. Then let the audience in on what techniques you used, filters etc., and just how you created them. From just straight photos to completely manipulated creations, this evening is always popular and gives everyone a chance to learn something new.

Paul Sparrow

Workshops and Seminars**How To Publish Your Own Book: for Visual Artists**

Cemetery photographer Pamela Williams will discuss how she publishes, promotes and distributes her photography books. Artist/Filmmaker Patrick Jenkins will present the story of his successful flipbook publishing venture. Williams' books include *Death Divine* and *Last Kiss*, while Jenkins is the author/illustrator of *Slap Shot!*, *In The Wink Of An Eye* and *Skateboarding*.

Date and time: **Sun. Jan. 23, 1:30-3:30pm.**

Course code: W61-XXX-1H05
Fee: \$25 (no member discount)
*Reserve your seat by registering in person at the BAC registration desk.
Or phone 905-632-7796 ext. 307*

FROM THE EDITORS DESK

Hi folks. I hope your year end celebrations went well.

If I have one complaint, it is the lack of good pictures or, any pictures, to put on the cover of the Newsletter. This month, I had none so, I put one of mine. Please be aware that any print of good quality that gives us an appreciation of the season will be considered as well as any article you might like me to print.

Over the holidays, I managed to review 1000 digital images that I had taken on Elle and my vacation to Hawaii and Japan. As most of you know, we were married in Japan. There is no formal marriage ceremony as such as all marriages are civil. We found out we were married after we presented the appropriate papers to Fukuyama City Hall and they said "OK"

When Elle and I kissed, all of the people giggled. A public show of affection is rare in Japan. Here are two shots.

**GTCCC - 2005 Interclub Competition**

The 2005 Interclub Competition will be held on Thursday March 18 and Friday March 19 at the Kodak Auditorium in Toronto. Entries are due on January 18, 2005, this is the absolute last day to submit your entries.

Attached (page 4 and 5) is the entry form, please note that there are some changes regarding members who belong to one of more clubs.

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2005 Juried Show

The 2005 Juried Show will be held in the Perry Gallery from April 23 - May 23. Photos can be colour, black and white (traditional or digital). The only requirement is that each photo must be framed, glass covered and have a wire backing for hanging.

The entry fee is \$10 for up to 6 photos.

Prizes: Juror's choice \$50 Honourable Mention 2 @\$25 (an additional \$15 for each accepted work)

More information will be announced when available ie juror, intake date and " meet the juror " night. In the meantime you can contact Larry Feldman at:

feldmang@sprint.ca

From the President (Continued)

On Jan 25 the Studio group will introduce Glamour lighting. For this we will be bringing in a model. You will need to sign up if you want to participate so that we can determine how many models will be needed.

In the latest minutes from Arts Burlington, they indicated a new parking plan for 2005. here are the highlights of the new plan.

1. Free annual pass for BAC members who have volunteered 50 + hours in 2004 for BAC programs and initiatives.
2. Free seasonal day passes for parents of children under 12 and under to encourage them to escort their children to and from their classes.
3. Renter's annual specified day pass. Pre sold to renters only, added to the rental charge. Renter's day pass, pre-sold to renters only.
4. All other members will have to use the pay as you go scheme by feeding the parking machine, or there is street parking (3 hour limit).
5. All current passes will be honoured until the expiration date located on the upper right hand corner.

According to the minutes the reason for the change is the present system is under subscribed, labour intensive, and not cost effective.

On a different note, I am looking for 2 volunteers to represent Latow on the Kaleidoscope committee. Please see me if you are looking for volunteer hours.

Happy Clicking
Richard

Proposed Changes to the Latow Constitution and By-Laws

The following changes were passed by the Latow Board of Directors for consideration by the members. To be voted upon in the March General Meeting.

By Law Changes

Article II Section 1

Presently: Up to two adults and their children under the age of majority may be granted a family membership.

Proposed: Up to two adults and their dependent children are eligible for a family membership.

Article II Section 4

Presently: Honourary members may be conferred to deserving individuals by the Board of Directors.

Proposed: Add Life Members. Life Membership may be given to deserving members by the Board of Directors. Life Members will have all the rights, privileges and obligations as a member of Latow. The requirement of dues to Latow will be waived.

Article III Section 6

Add: A student membership may be granted to a full time student attending an accredited school of high school or greater level.

Article V Section 9

Presently: Elected positions will be assumed at the termination of the annual business meeting.

Proposed: Elected positions will be assumed between June 30th and August 31st.

Article V11 Section 6

Add: Two signatures are required as bank authorization. The following four officers will have signing authority, President, Vice President, Treasurer and Secretary.

Article VI of the Constitution

Presently: Proposed amendments to the Constitution of the Guild shall be presented to the monthly Board Meeting for inclusion in the agenda of the next General Meeting. A two-thirds affirmative vote by members present is required to amend the Constitution.

Proposed: Proposed amendments to the Constitution of the Guild shall be presented to the monthly Board meeting for approval. Notification of the proposed amendments must be given, in writing, to the membership a minimum of thirty days prior to a subsequent General Meeting. A two-thirds affirmative vote by members present is required to amend the Constitution.

Article VII of the Constitution

Presently: Proposed amendments to the By-Laws of the Guild shall be presented to the monthly Board Meeting for inclusion in the agenda of the next General Meeting. A two-thirds affirmative vote by members present is required to amend the By-Laws.

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FEBRUARY NEWSLETTER DEADLINES

The deadline for next months Newsletter will be January 24.

PLEASE SEND IN YOUR ARTICLES AND COVER PICTURE CONSIDERATIONS BEFORE THIS DATE

GTCCC INTERCLUB COMPETITION 2004-2005

INDIVIDUAL ENTRY FORM

CLOSING DATE: January 25, 2005

ENTRANT NAME: _____

NATURE SLIDES:

#N1 TITLE:

#N2 TITLE:

PICTORIAL SLIDES:

#P1 TITLE:

#P2 TITLE:

COLOUR PRINTS:

#C1 TITLE:

#C2 TITLE:

MONOCHROME PRINTS:

#M1 TITLE:

#M2 TITLE:

NOTE: No Individual Photographer can enter more than 2 images in each section. If you are entering on behalf of more than one club, this entry of 8 maximum images must be distributed between the clubs, by noting after the title, the name of the club to be allocated for that image.

The following steps apply for slides entered in competition:

1. View each slide in its normal position, then put the spot in the lower left-hand corner.
2. Turn the slide up side down so that the spot is now in the top right-hand corner. Print your name and slide title as indicated below.
3. Your Club Rep will add the entry code for competition.

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View of slide ready for competition

