



Sun City Photography Club
Minutes of the October 11, 2011 Member Meeting

Vice-President Rich de Alsa called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM He welcomed all in attendance.

Minutes of the Members' September 13, 2011 meeting were accepted as posted on the Club Website.

Financial Report:

The Treasurer's report was given by Vice-President Rich de Alsa as Treasurer Sandy LoPresti was unable to attend the meeting. Expenses for September were 2,325.27 which included the purchase of a new projector. The current balance is \$3,169.92. Revenues from CAM for new and renewal membership \$662.02 is not reflected in the current balance.

Announcements:

- **Bluffton Library Exhibit:**
Will be from Saturday Oct 29th to Saturday Dec 10th, a few days before the exhibit please email Rick the name of your photo; your name & phone number asking price or indicate that it's not for Sale NFS.
- **Hugh O'Connor**
Made a request for photographers to take photos of dogs that are available for adoption
- **Resident Information Directory**
Bob Rasmussen and his team accepted photos for the 2012 directory and will select several photographs for submission to the Publisher of the Resident Information Directory. The Publisher will make the final decision.
- **Monthly Competition Photo:**
There are still some problems with submission. Cut-off is 12 hours before the meeting. Three steps for submission:

Email your photograph to raasla1@gmail.com.

1. Email subject line should read: monthly competition photo
2. The submitted file should be a JPG.
3. The following file naming convention should be used: Level-Photo title- Photographers name.jpg

Nomination Committee:

Reported the following candidates for 2012

- President: Richard deAsla
- V.P.: Robert Kampwirth
- Secretary: Bill McKinnery
- Treasurer: Sandy LoPresti
- Education Director: Jeannine Rowe
- Past Pres.: Stan Abrahamson

Holiday Party:

The Holiday Party will be held December 13th at Hidden Cypress. It will begin at 7:00 and dessert and fruit would be served. The cost will be \$8.00 per person.

Education:

Nancy Hoff announced that the Nikon SIG will have an organizational meeting at the studio on October 13, 2011 at 7:00. She invited members to try two other SIG's the club has, the Creativity SIG and the Canon DSLR Users SIG. The club is having three classes this month that require SignUP Genius to register. Check the club calendar for Saturday Open Studio with Monitors present.

As always the committee is always looking for new instructors. If interested call Nancy at 705-3170.

Membership:

Gracene Peluso reminded the members to sign up for 2012 either on-line or at the studio

Program:

The guest speaker and judge was Professor Phil Dunn from the USCB. The subject and competition theme was - "Weather"

The next Photography Club meeting will be November 8th at 7:00 PM in Hidden Cypress.

Our scheduled guest speaker is our own Wes Grady, who's topic will be "Travel Photography." The monthly competition is "Fall."

Respectfully submitted

Mary Clare Pott
Secretary