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Fresno Camera Club



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Autumn Conway Summit in Faux Oil by Patrick Rhames

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Meetings for October

Monthly Meeting
October 15th at 6:30 pm

Print Competition

Program Night

No program Night in October

Check back in January

Upcoming Dates:

- Oct 10th SJVCCC Digitals Due
- Oct 13th SJVCCC Meeting
- Oct 8th Program Night
- Oct 15th FCC Meeting
- Nov 7th SJVCCC Digitals Due
- Nov 10th SJVCCC Meeting
- Nov 12 SJVCCC EOY Due

FCC—Fresno Camera Club
SJVCCC—San Joaquin Valley Camera Club Council

October 2024

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
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6	7	8 Program Night 6:30 pm	9	10 SJVCCC Digitals Due	11	12
13 SJVCCC Meeting 10 a.m.	14	15 Monthly Meeting 6:30 p.m.	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31 		

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Program Night

No program night because of the fair!

October Meeting

October 15th at 6:30 pm - Print Competition

Bring your images by 6:15—Forms online

San Joaquin Valley Camera Club Council

Next Meeting—October 12th at 10:00 am

LOCATION: 1521 Tollhouse Road, Suite D, Clovis

Digitals due by October 10th

2024 Meeting Dates

October 13

November 10

December 8 End of Year Awards



Come and join us at council, you can go just to see judging comments, you can enter your images (\$1 per category) - 2 can be entered in each: Color Prints, Monochrome Prints, Photojournalism, Nature, Travel and Pictorial. Think about all those prints and digitals you already have that you can enter.

Ask our members who participate for more information on getting signed up to submit digital entries. There is a cost for lunch if you would like to have lunch.

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Fresno Camera Club 2024 Meeting Dates

November 12	Program Night	6:30 pm
November 15	Digitals Due	
November 19	Meeting – Digital	
December 10	Program Night	6:30 pm
December 12	Year End Digitals Due	
December 14	Year End Competition	
	Lunch \$10/per person	10:00 am



Great job at the Fair Fresno Camera Club.

I apologize if I missed anyone’s images!

Patrick Rhames—Who got Best of Show!



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Lori Azevedo



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Dan Dunham



Keith Putirka

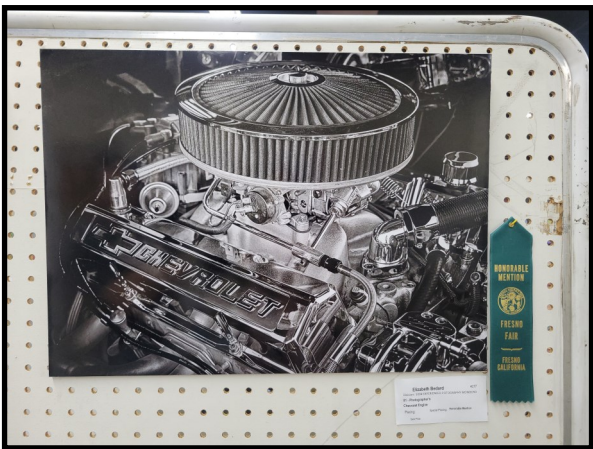


Fred Dille



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Elizabeth Bedard



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Paul Rutigliano was our Judge for September. He judged 39 images and selected Autumn Conway Summit in Faux Oil by Patrick Rhames as image of the night.

Lori Azevedo

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Elizabeth Bedard

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Jim Coppinger

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Dan Dunham

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Dee Humphrey

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Dean Lawrence

Black and White near Moraine Lake	9
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View Of Montana Mountains	9

Ning Lin

Aerial View of Half Dome	10
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White Tailed Kite	10

Keith Putirka

Open window on St Regis Tower	9
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Shadow on Overhang	9

Patrick Rhames

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Autumn Conway Summit in Faux Oil	10 1st
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Jonathan Rollins

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Bristlecone-pine-tree	10
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Jim Sanderson

Woman On Stairs	10
Coastal-Pre-Dawn-Colors	9
Fisher In The Mist	10

Loye Stone

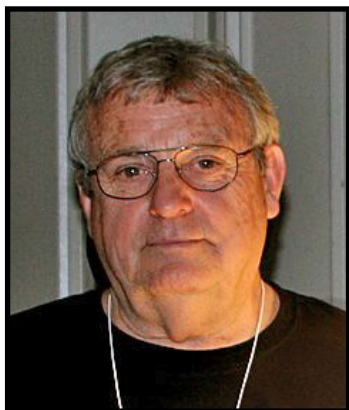
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Ben Tyson

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Autumn Conway Summit in Faux Oil

By Patrick Rhames

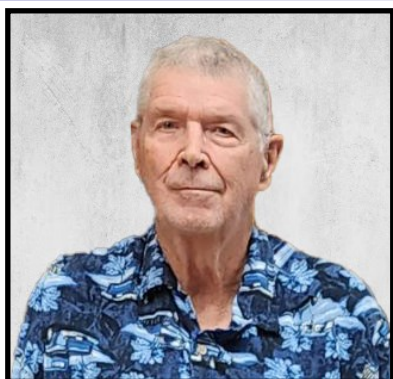
As the title declares, this is an image of Conway Summit looking South from US 395 between Lee Vining and Bridgeport CA. The date was October 9, 2023, and the time of day was 5:55 PM.

Jonathan Rollins, Jim Sanderson and I have made the trip over to the Eastern Sierras for the past several years to photograph the Fall Color Turn. I have photographed this same view several times in the past, but the results of those efforts were inferior to the naturally occurring composition that presented itself on this occasion. As you can see the Sun was near the horizon camera right (out of frame) and the display of color was superior.

Equipment used included my newest Nikon camera, the 35mm Z8, mounted with a new Z 24-70 f/2.8 on top of a tripod. Shutter speed was 1/250, aperture f/7, exposure was manual, metering mode was matrix (pattern), ISO 400, focal length 70mm. This was a single exposure (not bracketed).

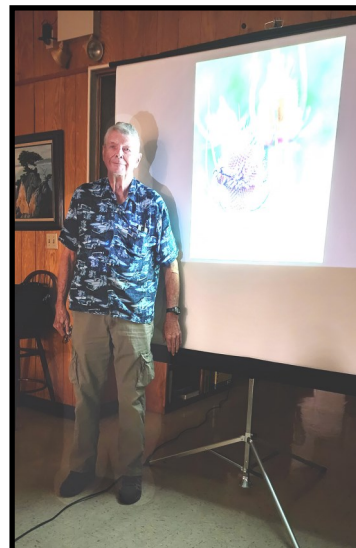


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Common Tessel, Uncommon Bee

By Jim Coppinger



Date: 9/01-03/2024

Location: Albion valley in Southern Idaho

The teasels like this one were plentiful; the yellow bumble bees with red stripes were not. On the 3rd day of searching I found them.

Camera: Nikon Z5

Lens: 24mm - 200mm

Settings: F stop 6.3; Speed 1/400th; ISO 200; Lens zoomed to 200mm.

Processing: a little with Photo Shop Elements 2024 - sharpened the image a little; increased the contrast a little; brightened the bee a little.



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White Browed Coucal

By Dee Humphrey



I took this photo in Tanzania Africa. Birds aren't my favorite thing to photograph because they're just so fast!! I used a 100/600 lense iso 1000 f8.



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Grebes Dancing

By Ning Lin



The Grebes Dancing was taken at Calero Reservoir on March 23, 2024. The courtship dance of grebes is one of the most beautiful in the world of birds. Usually, a pair of the grebes stand up to upright posture and rush across surface of water side by side with loud pattering of feet. Sometime three or four grebes could be seen dancing together. I use Canon EOS R5 with 100mm – 500mm Canon lens at 238mm with handheld. The setting was f/5.6, 1/2000 sec and iso 125; processed in Lightroom.

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An Overview of Photography
October 19, 2024
8:30 AM - 4:00 PM
Presenters: Neil & Susan Sullivan



Program Description

THE MAKING OF A GREAT PHOTO:

This is an opportunity to review the fundamentals of good digital photography-- getting sharply focused photos, good exposures, photographing in different lighting conditions and be inspired for creating unique powerful fun photos.

We will cover the technical aspects, such as focus, exposure, clarity, and lighting as well as composition- al and artistic elements. Whether you are new to photography with a new camera or just want to re- fresh your skills, this day will be great for you. Both your skill level and your artistic "eye" will improve. You will be creating photos with impact that tell the story you want to share.

We believe that quality dominates over quantity and by understanding both the technical choices and the artistic compositional elements you will bring your photos to a “standing ovation”.

Neil and Susan strive to inspire their students with knowledge, insight and techniques to create new pathways of individual expression.

Biography

Susan and Neil Silverman are a husband-wife team who have taught and photographed together for over twenty five years. They have been leading their own workshops for over twenty years. They embrace the technology and creative aspects of the digital world--but to share knowledge, techniques and inspiration with their students is their final destination.

Event location is:
Oakmont of East Sacramento,
5301 F Street, Sacramento, CA 95819.

For more information visit <https://www.psagoldrush.org/>

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Fresno Camera Club Membership for January 1 - December 31, 2024

The completed form below, together with your check/cash will pay your dues for the year 2024

Dues are paid by Calendar Year

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Make Checks Payable to Fresno Camera Club

Send to: Rosemary Aguinaldo, 4916 N Ninth Street #126, Fresno, CA 93726

☐ New Membership ☐ Renewal Amount Paid \$ _____ ☐ Cash ☐ Check # _____



Horn Photo offers Fresno Camera Club members a 15% discount on film developing and photo printing (not specialty items)

Visit our YouTube page for all our previous Featured Artists

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCISisSG-DIHzwOnI_KIZ5XQ



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PSA Information

Are You a Member of the
Photographic Society of America
(PSA)?

"ADVANTAGES OF HAVING PSA MEMBERSHIP

PSA has a **Personalized Image Evaluation Service**. This service is especially helpful if the maker wants to have his/her skills evaluated, if the maker would like to know what constitutes an acceptable image in one of the PSA Divisions, or for pre-viewing Images before entering them in club competition or a PSA recognized Exhibition.

PSA also has an **Image Analysis Course**, which is helpful in judging ones own photos or becoming a certified judge.

These are free services offered by PSA to members. Need a Mentor? Go to
<http://psa-photo/org.php?member-education-mentor-service>

PSA Galleries

PSA has several galleries on this website where members can share their photography with others.

PSA Member Galleries - For All PSA Members

Each State, Province, or Country may contain individual member galleries that showcase members' work. Individual images and bios in galleries may be updated by members as often as they would like. A list of available galleries is accessed from the left pane of this webpage, grouped according to PSA Member Area. They can also be accessed from a state/province/country and some chapter pages on the site.

Each PSA member can create a gallery of up to 6 images and a biography with a link to a personal web gallery. **Member galleries stay on the PSA site for as long as a member remains a PSA member in good standing.**



Many members have asked if we have field trips planned or if fellow members would like to go out on shoots. I created a page on Group-Me.com so we can see if other members would like to join us on photo-adventures:

https://groupme.com/join_group/101844135/odJSPSb1



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Fresno Camera Club 2024 Officers and Board

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Contribute to our Website!

Check out www.fresnocameraclub.org Email **Elizabeth** if you have any articles for the Fresno Camera Club website.

“Highlights” Submission

Do you have an article you would like published in an issue of “Highlights”? Do you have a suggestion for something you would like to see in “Highlights”? If you do, feel free to contact **Elizabeth Bedard** at eabedard@gmail.com

Submissions for inclusion in the next month’s “Highlights” should be received by the 15th of the previous month to insure inclusion in the next issue. This includes change of address, etc. All constructive criticism and corrections are welcome

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