

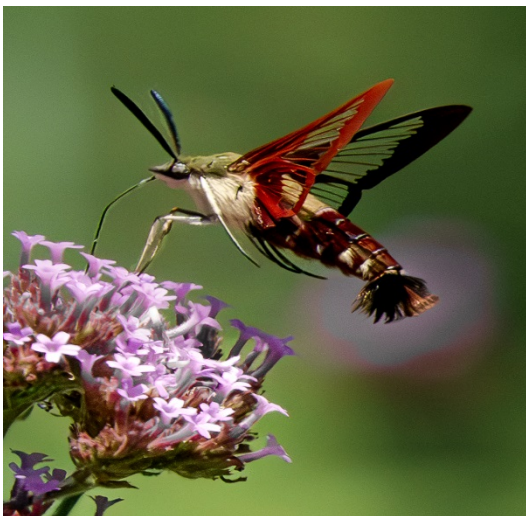
Rossmoor Camera Club

Yearbook 2023 – 2024



Kent Mason, "Mountain Laurel at the Rim,"

1st Advanced Digital of the Year



Louis Paley, "Hummingbird Moth,"

1st Intermediate Digital of the Year



Jean DeSchriver, "Chicago Windows,"

1st General Digital of the Year

Officers and Activities

President: Stewart Lillard Yearbook: Stewart Lillard, Joanne Mars
1st Vice President: Bob Schultz LW News: Stewart Lillard, Bob Schultz, and Louis Paley
2nd Vice President: Louis Paley Web Master: Christian Warta [from Ireland]
Secretary: Judy MacArthur Election Committee Chair: Bob Kaplan
Treasurer: Woody Shields Computer Support: Woody Shields, Rich Bambach, and
Zoom Host: Joanne Mars Stewart Lillard, Blair Blankinship
Past President: Jon Fife

Evening Program: Business Meeting

Tuesday, May 14, 2024, beginning at 6 pm with food orders from the menu,
Maryland Room, Clubhouse I, Leisure World of Maryland

Election of Officers for 2024-2025: Bob Kaplan, Chair

Announcement of Competition Topics for 2026-2027: Bob Kaplan, Chair

Video of Members' Images from the Year: Joanne Mars, editor

Images of the Year: (from April End-of-Year Competition)

1st Advanced Digital, Kent Mason, "Mountain Laurel at the Rim"

1st Intermediate Digital, Louis Paley, "Hummingbird Moth"

1st General Digital, Jean DeSchrive, "Chicago Windows"

Photographers of the Year:

Advanced Digitals: 1st Place, Judy MacArthur, 93 points; 2nd Place, Joanne Mars, 87 points; 3rd Place, Kent Mason, 74 points.

Intermediate Digitals: 1st Place, Blair Blankinship, 99 points; 2nd Place, Bob Schultz, 62 points; 3rd Place, Stu Lillard, 50 points.

General Digitals: 1st Place, Larry Kurlandsky, 77 points; 2nd Place, Ann Ferren, 63 points; 3rd Place, Julie Thomas, 52 points.

PSA Award Winning Photographs from Fall 2023: Larry Mars

Members Standings in Competitions for the 2023-2024 Season

Competition Summary (standings based on total points, using 10 points for 1st place, 9 points for 2nd place, 8 points for 3rd place, and 6 points for honorable mention, listed in descending order by total points)

NAME	TOTAL POINTS	NAME	TOTAL POINTS
<u>Advanced</u>		<u>General</u>	
Judy MacArthur	93	Larry Kurlandsky	77
Joanne Mars	87	Ann Ferren	63
Kent Mason	74	Julie Thomas	52
Larry Mars	34	Jo Witt	44
Bob Kaplan	33	Helen Montfort	43
Rich Bambach	6	Frank Roddy	40
Brenda Gillum	6	Jean DeSchraver	38
Santiago Montalvo	6	Barbara Kristal	34
		Joel Kristal	33
		Lou Smith	27
		Steven Goldenberg	24
		Walt Livingston	20
		Fred Shapiro	18
		David Mahler	12
		Shannon Shea	12
		Paul Lipson	6
		Regina Reale	6
<u>Intermediate</u>			
Blair Blankinship	99		
Bob Schultz	62		
Stu Lillard	50		
Julie Friedman	46		
Louis Paley	43		
Jon Fife	41		
Ruthe Kaplan	28		
Woody Shields	28		
Emmy Vickers	20		

**Awards non-competitive
Meritorious Service (occasional)**

1977-78 Griff Chiles
1978-79 Lois Heginbotham
1982-83 Al Forziati
1984-85 John Aitchison
1985-86 Bill Courtright
1986-87 Rox & Elmore Chatham
1990-91 Lucile Fonda
1994-95 Maxine & Ken Svendsen
1996-97 Lewis William
1997-98 Carl Hawver
1998-99 Lewis Willman
1999-00 Louise Levin, Richard Carlson
2001-02 Mary & Phil Chenoweth,
Art Drucker
2002-03 Lois Christeller
2003-04 Maxine & Ken Svendsen
2004-05 David Young
2008-09 Eugene Miller
2009-10 Pat & Chuck Bress
2011-12 David Young
2015-16 Richard Bambach
2016-17 Richard Bambach, Ron Masi
2017-18 George Kaye
2020-22 COVID-19 YEARS:
Joanne Mars, Woody Shields,
Rich Bambach, Bob Schultz,
Steve Kline, Frank Roddy,
Chris Warta, Bob Kaplan,
Jon Fife

Outstanding Members

1987-88 Dorothea Felber
1988-89 John Aitchison
1989-90 Melrose Jesurun
1990-91 Bill Courtright
1991-92 Carl Hawver
1992-93 Elliot French
1993-94 Roz & Elmore Chatham
1994-95 Nancy Stiles, Lois Christeller

Print:

1994-95, Carl Hawver

1999-00, Lois Christeller

2000-01, Carl Hawver

2001-04, Mark Ratner

2004-05, Pat Bress (adv), Shirley Dibble (gen)

2005-06, Chuck Bress (adv), Bunny Ostrower (gen)

2006-07, Mark Ratner (adv), Frank Desmond (gen)

2007-08, Pat Bress (adv), Fred Shapiro (gen)

2008-09, Mark Ratner (adv), Joanne Book (gen)

2009-10, Mark Ratner (adv), Joanne Mars (gen)

2010-11, Chuck Bress (adv), Norm Petersen (gen)

2011-12, Chuck Bress (adv), Joyce Stromberg (gen)

2012-13, Brenda Gilum (adv), Joyce Stromberg (gen)

2013-14, Chuck Bress (adv), Robert Stromberg (gen)

2014-15, Chuck Bress (adv), Aggie Eastham (gen)

2015-16, Chuck Bress (adv), George Kaye (gen)

2016-17, Mark Ratner (adv), Larry Mars (adv)

2017-18, Joanne Mars (adv), Gaby Dusan (gen)

2018-19, George Kaye (adv), Robert Kaplan (gen)

2019-20, Joanne Mars (adv), Ann Ferren (gen)

2020-21, NO PRINTS, COVID-19 YEAR

2021-22, NO PRINTS, COVID-19 YEAR

2022-23, NO PRINTS

Slides [Projected Images]:

2001-05, Larry Mars

Digitals:

2005-06, Mark Ratner

2006-07, Richard Bambach

2007-09, Larry Mars (adv), Joanne Mars (gen)

2009-10, Joanne Mars (adv), Genie Sachs (gen)

2010-12, Joanne Mars (adv), Algis Lukas (gen)

2012-13, Joanne Mars (adv),

Jean DeSchrivier (gen)

2013-14, Joanne Mars (adv), Nina Parish (gen)

2014-15, Joanne Mars (adv),

Steven Kline (gen)

2015-16, Joanne Mars (adv), Louis Paley (gen)

2016-17, Larry Mars (adv), Louis Paley (gen)

2017-18, Larry Mars (adv), Louis Paley (gen) &
Robert Kaplan (gen)

2018-19, Joanne Mars (adv), Ruthe Kaplan (gen) &
Ann Ferren (gen)

2019-20, Joanne Mars, (adv), Julie Friedman (gen)

2020-21, George Kaye (adv), Woody Shields (gen)

2021-22, Judy MacArthur (adv), Bob Schultz (gen)

2022-23, Judy MacArthur (adv), Stu Lillard (gen)

2023-24, Judy MacArthur (adv),

Blair Blankinship (inter), Larry Kurlandsky (gen)

2024-25,

Sept. 24, 2024 - Open Subject: Competition open to all images. Post-processing allows for removal of distracting features, e.g., a limb of a tree or a passerby on the edge. However, no new images from another photo e.g., clouds in the sky, can be added.

Oct. 22, 2024 - Leading Lines – A photo that captures an image that naturally draws your eye towards a specific point of interest.

Examples:



Nov. 26, 2024 - Faces: One or more human or animals faces.

Examples:



Jan. 28, 2025 – Open: Open Subject –Unrestrictive. [SEE, definitions for 2023-24]

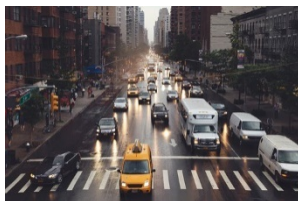
Feb. 25, 2025 - Travel: An image beyond 50 miles of Leisure World that portrays the land, buildings, people, or culture in its natural (not posed) state. This does not include images of the act or mode of traveling, e.g., inside an airplane or a train crossing a bridge.

Examples:



March 25, 2025 – Cityscape: An image that captures urban landscapes, i.e. manmade features like streets and tall buildings are the focus of cityscape photography.

Examples:

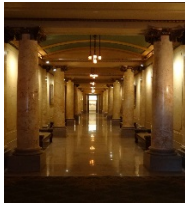


April 22, 2025 – End of Year: Up to three (3) images recognized by a judge in the 2024-25 competition.

RCC Competition Subjects for 2025/2026 Page 6

Sept. 2025 – Open Subject: Competition open to all images. Post-processing allows for removal of distracting features, e.g., a limb of a tree or a passerby on the edge. However, no new images from another photo, e.g., clouds in the sky, can be added.

Oct. 2025 – Public Interiors: Any indoor space intended for public use and/or enjoyment.



Nov. 2025 – Montgomery County: Any images taken in Montgomery County, especially those images that reflect objects and places that are known to be in the county.



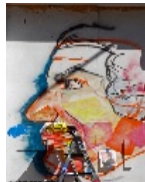
Jan. 2026- Open Subject: Advanced techniques allowed, unrestrictive.

Every item of the image must be from the submitting photographer.

Feb. 2026-Transportation: Image should depict movement of goods, or one or more persons.



March 2026-Street and Public Art: May include printings and/or sculptures as the main subject. The art must be in a public place; however, museum pieces are not included



April 2026-End of Year: Up to three images (3) recognized by a judge in the 2025-26 competitions.

Sept. 2026—Open Subject: Competition open to all images. Post-processing allows for removal of distracting features, e.g., a limb of a tree or a passerby on the edge. No new images from another photo, e.g., clouds in the sky, can be added.

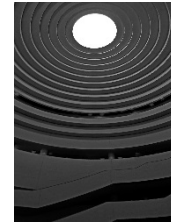
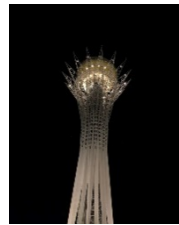
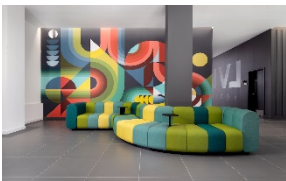
Oct. 2026—Still Life:



Nov.

2026

Architecture:



Jan. 2027—Open

Subject: Advanced techniques allowed,

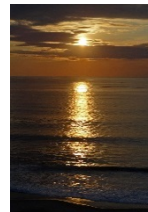
e.g., adding clouds in the sky or cars on a highway. Techniques that add new image elements not in the original image photographed by the member are prohibited, including applying textures or incorporating components (such as skies or a moon), except for the January open competition. Every item of the image must be from the submitting photographer.

Feb. 2027—Curves:



March 2027—

Sunrise/Sunset:



April 2027—End-of-Year: Up to three images (3) recognized by a judge in the 2026-2027 competitions.

August 20, 2023, Norbeck, Rm, RCC Meet and Greet Session, 2:30 – 4:00 pm

September 2023

Sept. through Oct., 2023, Bob Kaplan, “Steam-spitting Locomotives,” in Club II, Gallery

12, Tuesday, Norbeck Rm, 7-9:00 pm---David Luria, ‘What Makes a Great Image’

19, Tuesday, Norbeck Rm, 7-9:15 pm---Mike Washington, Judge for OPEN competition

October 2023 1 October, Sunday afternoon, 2:30-4:00pm, Auditorium, Club 2, Fireside Forum,

“Get Out of Your Condo and See Montgomery County,” Stu Lillard

10, Tuesday, Norbeck Rm, 7-9:00 pm---Denise Silva, ‘Doors & Windows,’ ZOOM

24, Tuesday, Norbeck Rm, 7-9:15 pm---Stu Estler, Judge for ‘Doors & Windows’

November 2023

14, Tuesday, Norbeck Rm, 7-9:00 pm---“What Makes a Successful Seascape Photograph,” Stu Lillard

28, Tuesday, Norbeck Rm, 7-9:15 pm---Joy Crosser, Judge for ‘Seascapes’

December 2023

5, Tuesday, Maryland Rm, Club 1, 6-8:30 pm---short videos, “Winter Scenes at Leisure World,” by Joanne Mars and “Brookside Gardens,” by Judy MacArthur, and a dinner social

January 2024

Jan. through Feb., 2024, Judy MacArthur, “Photography as Art,” in Club II, Gallery

9, Tuesday, Norbeck Rm, 7-9:00 pm---Michael Koran, ‘Smartphone photos’

23, Tuesday, Norbeck Rm, 7-9:15 pm---Robert Leonard, Judge for OPEN competition

February 2024

13, Tuesday, Norbeck Rm, 7-9:00 pm---Kent Mason, “Photographing the Seasons of Nature”

27, Tuesday, Norbeck Rm, 7-9:15 pm--Clay Blackmore, Judge for ‘Seasons of Nature’

March 2024

12, Tuesday, Norbeck Rm, 7-9:00 pm---Cole Thompson, “Black & White”

26, Tuesday, Norbeck Rm, 7-9:15 pm---Sarah Salomon, Judge for ‘B & W Photography’ competition

April 2024

9, Tuesday, Norbeck Rm, 7-9:00 pm---Nic Stover, “Leading Lines and Composition”

16, Tuesday, Norbeck Rm, 7-9:15 pm---Judge Cynthia Keith, ‘End-of-Year’ competition

May 2024

May through June, 2024, Bob Schultz, “Travel Photography,” in Club II, Gallery

14, Tuesday, Maryland Rm, Club 1, 6-9:00 pm, business and dinner, club video and PSA video

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1982-84, Robert H. Carleton

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**ROSSMOOR CAMERA CLUB (MD),
a continuous member of the
PHOTOGRAPHIC SOCIETY OF
AMERICA (PSA) since 1968.**

1984-85, Dorothy L. McCarthy

1985-86, John G. Marvin

1986-87, Lucile L. Fonda

**Leisure World of Maryland was set aside
for community use and placed in trust,
March 9, 1966. By April of 1966,
co-operative units were available for
occupancy.**

1987-88, Carl Hawver

1988-89, Albert Mapou

1989-90, Lucile L. Fonda

**In February 1968, Leisure World made a
darkroom (in Clubhouse One) available
to resident photographers seeking a quiet
place to develop and print their camera
film.**

1990-91, Moe Greenspan

1991-92, C. Bill Courtright

1992-93, Frances DuBois

1993-94, Melrose Jesurun

**PRESIDENTS of the ROSSMOOR
CAMERA CLUB**

1994-95, Richard Carlson

1995-96, Nancy Stiles

1968-69, James C. McCutcheon &

1996-97, Nancy Stiles and Hope Pantell

Walter L. Greene

1997-99, Lois Christeller

1970, William E. Meeds

1999-2001, Julia Sulsky

1971, C. Bill Courtright

2001-02, Virginia Winborne

1972, Charles C. Limburg

2002-03, Norman Petersen

1973, Benn C. Comstock

2003-06, Mary Chenoweth

1974-75, Emerson M. Brooks

2006-08, David Young

1975-76, Ferd A. Dreher

2008-09, Chuck Bress

1976-77, Beverley G. Fonda

2009-11, David Young

1977-78, Elmore R. Chatham

2011-12, Richard Bambach

1978-80, Miriam N. Ulrich

2012-16, Stewart Lillard

1980-81, Beverley G. Fonda

2016-18, Jon Fife

1981-82, Dorothea Felber

2018-24, Stewart Lillard