

Spring 2010 Interclub Print Competition / Final Standings

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The spring 2010 inter-club print competition was held on Tuesday, March 16th at the Quiet Corner Camera Club in Mansfield Center, CT. Joe Peters served as competition organizer and coordinator. This was the first time Quiet Corner hosted an interclub print competition, which was carried out with a level of energy and efficiency usually seen from “veteran” host clubs. Despite the lack of any kind of electronic scoring device, the competition judging was completed in just under an hour. A small platoon of club members worked in preparing prints and running the competition: Susan and Vinny Audette, Sandy Hoyt, Marcia and Wayne Kilpatrick, Bob LaMay, Tom Leffingwell, Anne Marie Mercure, Liz Ostwald, and Dave Westlake. Offering helpful advice and support were Antoinette Gombeda, HonNEC, and Art Vaughan, MNEC. Special thanks go to the folks who provided snacks and refreshments... a table filled with tempting tasty items that would have put the average church bake sale to shame.

Judges for this competition were long time member of the Quinebaug Valley Photo Club, Victor Boomer, NECCC B&W print circuit vice-president Mike DiStefano, MNEC, and Roxanne Pandolfi, head photographer for the Willimantic Chronicle.

A total of 201 prints were submitted: 60-class A, 33-class B, and 108-Color. Participating were 26 clubs, 15 in class A, 8 in class B, and 26 in Color. There were thirty eight award winning prints... 9 class A, 6 class B and 23 in Color.

The top scoring clubs for this season are:

B&W Class “A”: Photographic Society of Rhode Island, with 259 points.

B&W Class “B”: Flagpole Photographers, with 255 points (moves to class “A” next year).

Color: Photographic Society of Rhode Island, with 261 points.

Below are the results of the Spring competition, plus the final club standings for 2009-2010.

B&W Class “A”	Fall		Winter		Spring		Final Standings	
	Pts	Place	Pts	Place	Pts	Place	Pts	Place
Photographic Society of RI	96	1	70		93	1	259	1
Merrimack Valley Camera Club	95	2	72		88		255	2
Castle Craig Camera Club	91	3	73	2	88		252	3
Greater Bridgeport Camera Club	90		72		89		251	
Charter Oak Photographic Society	84		77	1	85		246	
Greater Lynn Photographic Assoc.	89		68		88		245	
Fall River Camera Club	85		68		91	2	244	
Norwalk Camera Club	84		69		91	2	244	
Milford Camera Club	85		70		87		242	
Cape Cod Viewfinders	87		65		89		241	
Photographers Forum	82		73	2	86		241	
Stony Brook Camera Club	82		69		88		239	
Eastern Maine Camera Club	85		67		86		238	
Manchester Camera Club	82		65		90		237	
Candlewood Camera Club	86		60		86		232	
Springfield Photographic Society	63... *		65		&		128	

B&W Class "B"

	Fall		Winter		Spring		Final Standings	
	Pts	Place	Pts	Place	Pts	Place	Pts	Place
Flagpole Photographers	93	1	62		91	2	246	1
Seacoast Camera Club	82		69	1	93	1	244	2
Monadnock Camera Club	83	2	66	2	88		237	3
Quinebaug Valley Phot Club	8	2	64	3	86		233	
Boston Camera Club	80		63		89	3	232	
Quiet Corner Camera Club	78		62		84		224	
Housatonic Camera Club	66... 3x		69		58... 3x		193	
Pine Meadow Photographers	41... 2x		42... 3x		81		164	
Southeastern CT Camera Club	64... 3x		63		&		127	

Color

	Fall		Winter		Spring		Final Standings	
	Pts	Place	Pts	Place	Pts	Place	Pts	Place
Photographic Society of RI	89		81	1	91		261	1
Stony Brook Camera Club	91	1	75		93	2	259	2
Greater Lynn Photographic Assoc.	87		73		95	1	255	3
Charter Oak Photographic Society	90	2	76	2	86		252	
Cape Cod Viewfinders	88		76	2	87		251	
Photographers Forum	90	2	69		91		250	
New Haven Camera Club	91	1	73		86		250	
Merrimack Valley Camera Club	83		73		93	2	249	
Flagpole Photographers	86		70		91		247	
Candlewood Camera Club	88		68		90		246	
Castle Craig Camera Club	86		71		89		246	
Eastern Maine Camera Club	86		71		87		244	
Norwalk Camera Club	82		71		91		244	
Manchester Camera Club	82		71		90		243	
Quinebaug Valley Photo. Club	86		68		89		243	
Seacoast Camera Club	85		74		84		243	
Fall River Camera Club	85		71		85		241	
Milford Camera Club	85		65		91		241	
Monadnock Camera Club	78		74		87		239	
Seven Hills Camera Club	83		69		87		239	
Boston Camera Club	77		68		91		236	
Greater Bridgeport Camera Club	82		65		89		236	
Quiet Corner Camera Club	79		67		87		233	
Southeastern CT Camera Club	88		52... 3x		89		229	
Housatonic Camera Club	77		61		83		221	
Pine Meadow Photographers	74		60		83		217	
Springfield Photographic Society	84		67		&		151-%	
Lakes Region Camera Club	83		63		&		146-%	

1x = One print submitted
2x = Two prints submitted
3x = Three prints submitted
& = No prints submitted
% = Incomplete entry for year

Individual Winners:

B&W Class "A"

PL.	Pts.	Club	Maker	TITLE
1st	26	Fall River CC	Lori Fitzgerald	Twin Tail Lights
2nd	25	Greater Bridgeport CC	Gary Broad	Superbowl Commercial Reject
2nd	25	Norwalk CC	Margaret Harris	Snowscape
2nd	25	Photographic Soc. of RI	Christina Richardson	Cowboy
HM	24	Cape Cod Viewfinders	Larry Sweeney	Otter Point In Fog
HM	24	Greater Lynn Phot. Assoc.	Robert Lamacq	Old South Church
HM	24	Manchester CC	Kent Messamore	Tree
HM	24	Norwalk CC	Robert Gaunt	The Road North
HM	24	Photographers Forum	Ralph Lebel	Potter's Hands

Score Range: 18-26 pts.

B&W Class "B"

PL.	Pts.	Club	Maker	TITLE
1st	26	Boston CC	Joe Lifik	Ancient Bristlecones
1st	26	Seacoast CC	Sandy McMillan	On Alert
3rd	24	Flagpole Photographers	Robert Berthier	Ice Storm
3rd	24	Monadnock CC	Rhonda MacLeod	Appearances May Be Deceiving
3rd	24	Seacoast CC	Larry Oberlander	Lydia
HM	23	Flagpole Photographers	Ercole Gaudio	Beggar

Score Range: 19-26 pts.

Color

PL.	Pts.	Club	Maker	TITLE
1st	25	Castle Craig CC	Dan Champagne	Pollen Collector
1st	25	Greater Bridgeport CC	Gary Broad	Brazilian Ocelot
1st	25	Greater Lynn Phot. Assoc.	Greg Bartosik	Painted Lips
1st	25	Greater Lynn Phot. Assoc.	Karen Hosking	Willow Tree and Pond
1st	25	Merrimack Valley CC	Art Vaughan	Resting Butterfly, Proffitt, Texas
1st	25	Milford CC	Monica Baer	Catch Of The Day
1st	25	Milford CC	Linda Brinkerhoff	South American Rhea
1st	25	Norwalk CC	Margaret Harris	Curves
1st	25	Photographic Soc. of RI	Preston Reynolds	That Light
1st	25	Seven Hills CC	Bethany Roberts	Four Monks
1st	25	Stony Brook CC	Tony Mistretta	Peppers
3rd	24	Boston CC	Yair Egozy	Anna At The Loire Valley
3rd	24	Boston CC	Moti Hodus	Coyote Family, Yellowstone
3rd	24	Boston CC	Mark Staples	Skyladder
3rd	24	Candlewood CC	Bill Snellings	Shanghai All Lit Up
3rd	24	Flagpole Photographers	Don Brooks	Alfalfa Harvest
3rd	24	Flagpole Photographers	Anne Eigen	Fellowship
3rd	24	Manchester CC	Sally Turner	Pink Perfection
3rd	24	Merrimack Valley CC	Bob Ring	MIT-A Study In Architecture
3rd	24	Photographers Forum	Dave Marden	"One Designs" On Display
3rd	24	Quinebaug Valley PC	Lori Labrecque	4 Peacock Feathers
3rd	24	Seven Hills CC	Don Roberts	Bob At Work
3rd	24	Southeastern Conn. CC	Mike Cohn	Nubble Light

Score Range: 19-25 pts.