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**Nature Image of the Night**  
"Alpha Female Domination" by Jan Lightfoot

## June Calendar

Thursday 7th ..... Travel Competition  
Sunday 10th ..... Gold Rush  
Tuesday 12th ..... Print Program  
Saturday 23rd "Ian Plant" .... Yerba Buena PSA

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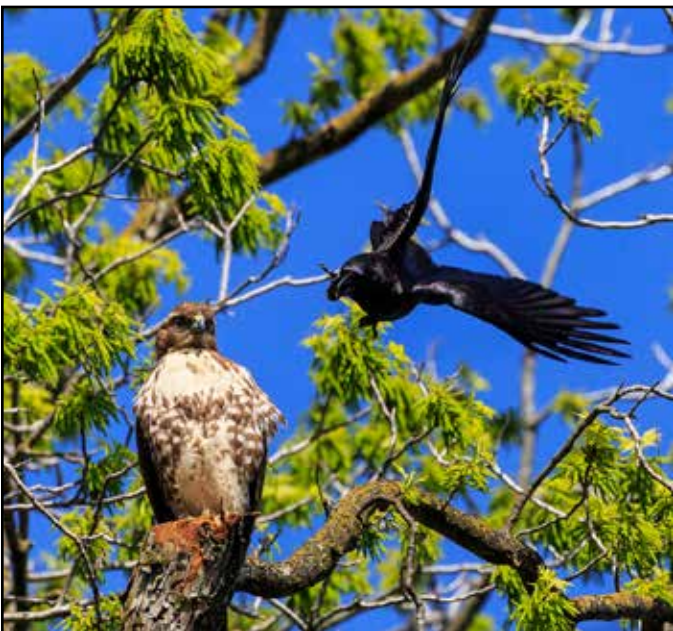
## Nature Division Honors May 2018



“Bald Eagle Going to Roost” By Charlie Willard



“The Forest Approaches” By Aaron Vizzii



“Crow Attacks Juvenile Cooper's Hawk” By Doug Arnold



“Emerald Toucanet in Nest Hole” By John York



“Launching Peregrine Falcon” By Truman Holtzelaw



“Egret Strikes Again” By Robert Benson



# Nature Division Honors May 2018



“Attitude” By Jim Berger



“Oregon Seals” By Michael Ohl



“Juvenile Bald Eagle with Snow Goose”  
By Kristian Leide-Lynch



“Mother and Child” By Lucille van Ommering



“Triple Falls at Columbia Gorge” By Julius Kovatch



“Young Red Hawk Fluffing Up to Stay Warm”  
By Charlie Willard

## Nature Division Scores, May 2018

**Mel Wright, Director \* Kristian Leide-Lynch, Assistant \* Sam Shaw, Judge**

Score	Image	Score	Image	Score	Total	Cum
Arnold Doug .....	Crow Attacks Juvenile Cooper's Hawk. 12	....	Meadowlark's Song.....	12	24	47
Benson Robert .....	Egret Strikes Again .....	12	....	Gadwalls Calmly Watch Coots Scoot .....	10	22 44
Berard Laura .....	Deer Fighting for Territory .....	11	....	Male and Female Duck Courting .....	11	22 41
Berger Irene.....	Ms. Woodduck.....	10	....	Three Amigos .....	11	21 42
Berger Jim .....	Attitude.....	12	....	Primping .....	11	23 44
Bice Tod .....	Osprey Stare Down .....	11	....	Spotted Towhee .....	11	22 44
Cawood Gary .....	Great Egrets Posturing for Territory..	11	....	Peregrine Falcon.....	10	21 44
Goldman Don .....	Hanging on for a Drink Ranthambore India.	11	....	Stage Coach Falls Yankee Jim's Road .....	10	21 45
Grady Kathleen .....	Pacific Ocean Sunset .....	9	....	Mossy Trees .....	10	19 19
Holtzclaw Truman .	Launching Peregrine Falcon .....	12	....	Night Blooming Cereus Cactus.....	11	23 45
Kopperl Ben .....	Black Tailed Jack Rabbit .....	10	....	Great Egret Colusa National Wildlife Refuge	11	21 21
Kovatch, Julius .....	Sandhill Cranes in Flight.....	11	....	Triple Falls at Columbia Gorge.....	12	23 46
Krueger Werner .....	Canada Geese Arriving .....	9	....	Sandhill Crane at Woodbridge No 2 .....	11	20 43
Leide-Lynch Kristian	Bald Eagle & Snow Goose.....	12	....	Sea Lion Chasing Salmon onto Beach .....	11	23 47
Lightfoot Jan .....	Alpha Female Domination .....	13	....	Hibernating Ladybugs .....	11	24 48
Lindquist Ed .....	.....	0	....	0 .....	0	23
McCaleb Peggy .....	Sandhill Cranes Interacting .....	11	....	Pipevine Swallowtail.....	12	23 23
Murphy Jeri .....	.....	.....	Hummingbird in Flight at Tulip Garden .....	9	9	9
Ohl Michael .....	Love Birds .....	11	....	Oregon Seals .....	12	23 45
Price, Willis .....	African Shoebill .....	11	....	Phidippu Jumping Spider .....	11	22 45
Sandler Anne .....	.....	0	....	0 .....	0	21
Snyder Jeanne .....	Flamingo .....	11	....	Sandhill Cranes and Red Wing Blackbirds ..	10	21 21
Sturla Donna .....	Blue Heron Resting on Fallen Tree ..	10	....	Burrowing Owls on the Alert .....	10	20 42
van Ommering Lucille	Contemplative .....	11	....	Final Hurdle .....	11	22 22
van Ommering Lucille	Mandrill Don .....	11	....	Mother and Child .....	12	23 23
Vizzini Aaron .....	The Forest Approaches.....	12	....	First Introductions .....	11	23 23
Willard Charlie.....	Bald Eagle Going to Roost.....	12	....	Young Red Hawk Fluffing Up to Stay Warm	12	24 46
Wright Janet .....	Pipevinew Feeding on Vetch .....	10	....	Mt. Diablo Fairy Lantern .....	10	20 41
Wright Mel .....	Turtles Branching Out at Avery Pond	10	....	Whimbrel Watching Watching Watching .....	11	21 44
York John .....	Emerald Toucanet in Nest Hole.....	12	....	Roosting Northern Potoo .....	11	23 44



“Meadowlark’s Song” By Doug Arnold



“Pipevine Swallowtail” By Peggy McCaleb





**Print Division  
Monochrome  
May 2018**

**“Water Works” By Bob Hubbell**



**“Cusco Musician” By Dennis Scott**



**“Killing Time” By Kathleen Grady**



**“Lady Washington Tall Ship Lines”  
By Gary Cawood**



## Print Division, Color May 2018



### Image of the Night

“Night in Havana” By Kathleen Grady



“Pergola Angles and Shadows” by Gary Cawood



“Tattooed Chin Village Woman” By Dennis Scott



## Print Division, Creative May 2018

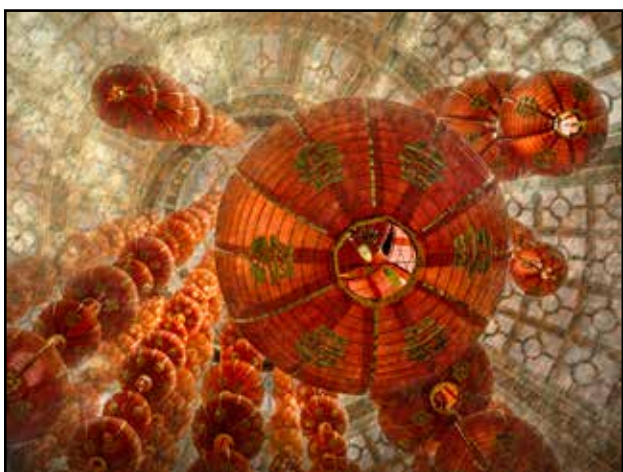


### Image of the Night

“Out of Sight, Out of Mind”  
By Lucille van Ommering



“Menacing” By Irene Berger



“Chinese Lanterns By Kathleen Grady



“Drummer, Pisac Peru” By Dennis Scott

## Print Division Scores, May 2018

Jim Berger, Director \* Jan Lightfoot, Assistant \* David Robertson, Judge

### Color

Name .....	Title #1 .....	Score	Title #2 .....	Score	YTD
Berger, Irene.....	Soft Curves .....	11	Sonoma Ranch .....	9	41
Berger, Jim .....	Hope Valley .....	9	Mad Sals Dockside.....	11	42
Cawood, Gary .....	Pengola Angle and Shadows .....	12	Pt. Reyes Lighthouse at Dawn .....	10	43
Grady, Kathleen .....	.....	.....	Night in Havana .....	13	13
Greenfield, Ning.....	Sad Princess.....	10	Fishing.....	9	30
Hubbell, Bob .....	Home Sweet Home.....	10	Laundry Day.....	10	42
Kent, Dave .....	.....	.....	Beaver Dam.....	10	30
Kent, Gay .....	Death Valley Steam on Wet Sand .	9	Tree Among the Boulders .....	10	39
Scott, Dennis .....	Tattooed Chin Village Woman.....	12	Fiesta, Paucartambo Peru .....	11	45
van Ommering, Lucille .	In the Hall of the Mountain King..	11	The Day After.....	10	44
Vizzini, Aaron .....	.....	.....	Amongst the Redwoods .....	11	11

### Creative

Baloney, Ed .....	.....	20
Berger, Irene.....	Close Friends.....	11
Berger, Jim .....	Waiting for BART .....	11
Cawood, Gary .....	.....	.....
Grady, Kathleen .....	.....	.....
Hubbell, Bob .....	Downcast.....	10
Kent, Dave .....	.....	.....
Kent, Gay .....	Palm Tree Trunk .....	11
O'Brien, Jeannie .....	.....	20
Sandler, Anne .....	.....	20
Scott, Dennis .....	Chin Village Student .....	11
Takeshita, Hayata .....	.....	.....
van Ommering, Lucille .	Out of Sight, Out of Mind .....	13
Vizzini, Aaron .....	Illuminated Monuments .....	11

### Monochrome

Berger, Irene.....	Hunter's Boots.....	10	Menacing.....	12	43
Berger, Jim .....	Hard Day's Night .....	11	In Flight.....	11	43
Cawood, Gary .....	.....	.....	.....	11	.....
Grady, Kathleen .....	.....	.....	Chinese Lanterns.....	12	12
Greenfield, Ning.....	Eternity Road.....	9	San Francisco Dreaming .....	10	29
Hubbell, Bob .....	Folsom Power House and Mural ..	10	Water Works .....	13	44
Kent, Dave .....	Aspen Dreams .....	11	A Run Through the Wood .....	10	42
Kent, Gay .....	.....	.....	.....	21	.....
Lindquist, Ed.....	.....	.....	.....	21	.....
O'Brien, Jeannie .....	.....	.....	.....	10	.....
Sandler, Anne .....	.....	.....	.....	10	.....
Scott, Dennis .....	Adrian Bellue .....	10	Drummer, Pisac Peru.....	12	46



## PSA Gold Rush Chapter

will feature **J.R. Schnelzer, APSA, PPSA**  
on Sunday, June 10, 2018 at the  
Crown Plaza, 5321 Date Ave,  
Sacramento, CA 95841

Admission; \$15.00 nonmembers  
Members free

Registration begins at 8:30 am

Don't miss this outstanding presentation

### Using the Creative Mind

1. Painted images- How to layer painting effects into original photographs in order to create a unique look.
2. Texturizing Images- This technique can be used to add texture to selected parts of an image and thus creating a very unique look.
3. Timescapes- This technique allows for multiple exposure over very long periods of time which creates very unusual images of moving objects.
4. Infrared- How to get started with infrared images. In the old days you needed special film and special handling, now cameras can easily be converted.
5. Tips and tricks- I will share some of my little tricks which can easily enhance your images.

Go to JR's website: <https://www.jrschnelzerphotography.com>

**Sam Shaw** will have a short program:- "**Passage to Eastern Europe**".



Sunset, Oregon, sea stacks,



J.R. Schnelzer



Ramshakled Barn

## Lodi Arts Show June 9th & 10th

Lucille van Ommering will be showing at the Lodi Arts Spring Show. It is back after 2 year's hiatus, with a new location (LangeTwins Family Winery in Acampo). It's been one of the best multi-media art shows in the region, and this year promises to be even better than in the past. Recognized Sacramento artists Tony Natsoulas and David Peterson were two of the jurors for the show. The volunteers have outdone themselves, and the new venue is even better than the old one. It'll only be held for 2 days (June 9-10),

### Blogs

[http://theonlinephotographer.ty-pepad.com/the\\_online\\_photographer/blog\\_index.html](http://theonlinephotographer.ty-pepad.com/the_online_photographer/blog_index.html)

<http://bythom.com>

<http://lenscratch.com>

<https://www.nytimes.com/section/lens>

### Gear Advice

<http://bythom.com/support.htm>

<http://www.dsrlrbodies.com/newsviews/the-data-recovery-interview.html>

<http://www.dsrlrbodies.com/technique/technique-articles/traveling-with-cameras.html>

## Sierra Camera Club Exhibit at Old Soul Weatherstone

is now OPEN! It is a beautiful display of 29 photographs taken by 16 of our camera club members. Please stop by to view all these wonderful images and have lunch or a cup of coffee and enjoy the atmosphere. Our 16 fantastic participating photographers are Charlie Willard, Gary Cawood, Michele McCormick, Barbara Maurizi, Jorge Gaj, Kathleen Grady, Irene Berger, Jim Berger, Ed Lindquist, Lucille van Ommering, Jeanne Snyder, Michael Ohl, Grant Kreinberg, Dolores Frank, Gay Kent and Dave Kent. The Exhibit will be up **through June 6th, 2018.**



Window & Flower Pot by Jorge Gaj

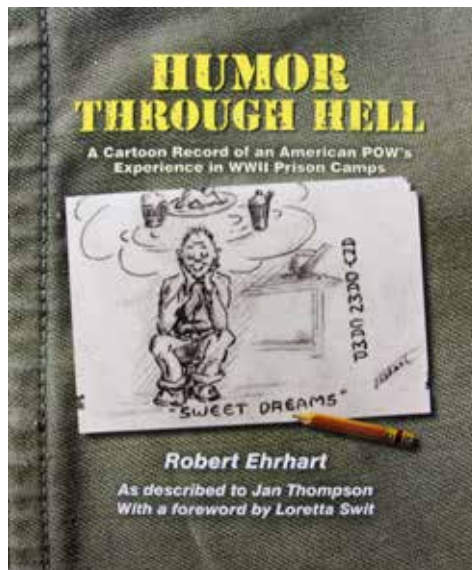
## Memorial

Robert “Bob” Ehrhart passed away this year on February 23 from pancreatic cancer. Bob was born June 4, 1923 in Oakland CA. While still a junior at Fremont High School he enlisted in the United States Marine Corps Reserves in September of 1940. In April of 1941 he was called up and sent on the USS Henderson to the Philippine Islands. His father, a former Marine had also been on the USS Henderson but was sent to France to fight in World War 1 in 1917.

Not long after Bob arrived in the Philippines the Imperial Japanese attacked Pearl Harbor and within ten hours began to attack the Philippine Islands. Bob was assigned to defend Fort Hughes and was surrendered to the Imperial Japanese in May of 1942.

Bob became a prisoner of war and was in the Cabanatuan prison camp on Luzon. It was here that he began to draw cartoons secretly about life in the camps. He was then transferred to Japan on the hell ship Tagu Maru for slave labor. Bob was a slave laborer for the Osaka Iron Works company in Osaka. He was a riveter on the docks in the shipyard. While he was working on the docks his drawings were discovered by the Japanese Guards. Bob was tied up on a flagpole with his feet barely touching the ground and severely beaten until he was unconscious.

Because of the United States fire bombings that were targeting the shipyards he was transferred



to Camp Akenobe that was 75 miles inland. Here Bob was a slave laborer in a Mitsubishi copper mine.

Bob was liberated after Imperial Japan surrendered August 15, 1945. After an extended period of recovery in military hospitals he was honorably discharged in 1946. He graduated from the University of California at Berkeley in 1950 with a degree in mechanical engineering. He married Winifred Scholtz in 1957. Bob and Winnie were active

members of Sierra Camera Club for many years. She preceded him in death in 2001.

After his retirement he and Dolores Frank enjoyed photography and traveling the world. They created digital shows of some of their adventures.

In 2014 Dolores helped Bob to publish a book entitled “Humor Through Hell, A Cartoon Record of an American P O W ’ s Experience in WWII Prison Camps ”. Available on Amazon for \$15. All profits from the book go to charity.



Dolores Frank and Bob Ehrhart

**Yerba Buena Chapter of PSA presents**

**IAN PLANT**

**Ian Plant THE “UNSEEING”  
Taking Photos with Attitude**

In an all-day seminar, world-renowned globe-trotter Ian Plant will inspire us with his images of the beauties of Earth and teach us how to see through the eyes of a dedicated photographer. Saturday, June 23 • 9:00 AM - 4:30 PM

Andrew Carnegie Lecture Hall - San Leandro Library 300 Estudillo Ave., San Leandro

Registration Fee: \$55 for PSA Members • \$60 for non-members Details can be found on Registration Form • PayPal available