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"Room with a View" by Dolores Frank May Print Honor

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Calendar HAPPY 4th of JULY! July 12 General Meeting July 20 Print Meeting

# Exploring Photography Field Trips

July 8 Auburn Cruise Night July 23 Tower Bridge Sunset July 27 Photo Walkabout

# **May Print Honors**

Print Division Directors, Dave Kent and Mike McHaney \* Judge David Robertson



"Cold Day in Bodie" by Bob Ashley



"Mono Lake Sunrise" by Bob Ashley



"Windows, Gladding McBean" by Bob Ashley



"El Capitan" by Charlie Willard



"Three Old Cars, Joshua Tree National Park" by Dave Kent



"Spring on the North Fork" by Jeanne Snyder

#### President's Message by Charlie Willard

For our June Nature and Travel meeting we had a very interesting evening with a wide variety of sequences and historic club photos. It was a very entertaining night showcasing the diversity of talent in the club. Special thanks to Jan Lightfoot for putting it all together and for sharing her unique experience in Cuba.

For General Photography we had an educational presentation by local professional photographer and photo trip leader, Bob Evans. Bob talked about the fine points of composition and showed some of his outstanding images. Thanks to Bob for sharing his images and knowledge of photography with us.

I am sure there are many photo opportunities in July including the offerings through our Meetup Group, Exploring Photography. If you are not on the e-mail system for Exploring Photography, just follow the link from the Sierra Camera Club website and join. There is no cost for SCC Members.

Eppie's Great Race is July 23, 2011. This is the 38th annual event which brings over 2,000 athletes and many more volunteers and spectators to the American River Parkway. There are photo opportunities almost anywhere along the course. If you want to volunteer to share your photos with the race, contact me and I will make you a volunteer photographer and get you special access. This will be limited to the first few who volunteer. For more information on the race and course, go to http://www.thegreatrace.org

I hope you are all having a great summer here in Sacramento, or is it Seattle? Likely, summer will return with our wonderful warm evenings and mornings for shooting in the magic hours. Happy shooting. Charlie Willard

#### **Print Division News**

July 19 is our 2nd Print Competition of the year. You may enter 2 Color and 2 Monochrome Prints. See page 13 in your Membership & Guidelines Book for competition guidelines. Dave Kent

#### **Nature Division News**

We will have a competition for our first meeting this fall, which will be THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 1ST. This will be on a Thursday due to Labor Day when our meeting would usually take place.

So, please get your cameras out over the summer and take some beautiful Nature images ! We look forward to seeing you in September. Donna Sturla



"Pierce Ranch Dairy, Pt Reyes" by Bob Ashley May Print Honor

# **General Photography Division News**

The July 12th Meeting will have two parts. The first will be a presentation by Paulo Oliveira.

#### **Project Ideas for the Photographer**

- The Ikea light box
- X "Rapid-strap" look-alike
- ℜ The "Blurromatic" lens
- X Cell phone headset camera trigger
- ℜ LED ring light from a Costco night-light

The second half will be a slide show by Tom Meyers. He will give a 45 minute presentation from his extensive historic collection of photos of Sierra Camera Club members and events. Tom narrates his photos, telling about each one with a wry sense of humor that keeps you listening closely. If you have not experienced one of his shows you are in for a real treat.

# Travel Division May Sequence of the Night Jan Lightfoot & Peggy Seale, Directors \* Richard Myren, Judge

