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Nature Image of the Night

"New Growth Beside Old Growth in a Sequoia Grove" by Aaron Vizzini

March Calendar

Thursday 3rd	General Division Competition.....	7:00 pm	on Zoom
Sat 5th & Sun 6th	Garden and Arts Center Spring Sale.....	10 -5 & 10-4	
Tuesday 8th	In Person 2021 Awards	7:00 pm	Page 11

Nature Honors February 2022



“Lovely Egret Looking For His Dinner” by Laura Berard



“Flame Skimmer Flaunting Her Amazing Wings”
by Gert van Ommering

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“Red Shouldered Hawk Eating Rat” by Charlie Willard



“Red-Tailed Hawks Lunch Fight” by Don Goldman

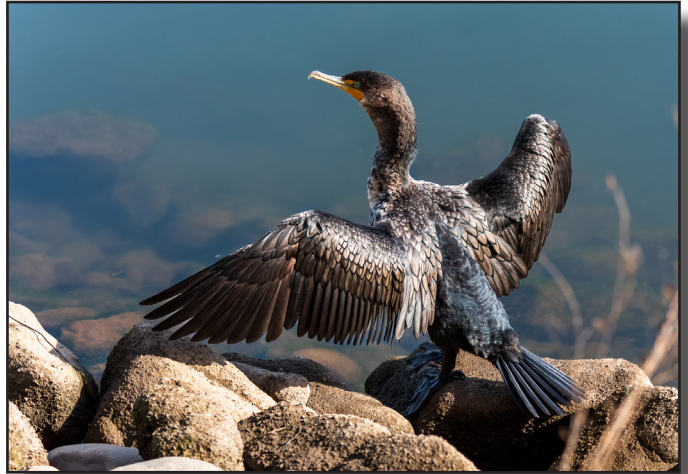


“Resting Grebe” by Gary Ritchie

**Nature Honors
February 2022**



“Eastern Golden Weaver Displaying on Nest” by John York



“Cormorant Drying Its Wings” by Pat Honeycutt



“Bewick's Wren with Grub” by Tod Bice



“Leopard on Kill” by John York

Nature Division Scores February 3, 2022

Aaron Vizzini, Director * Stephen Hinchey, Judge

Nature Category Scores

Arnold Doug	Panamanian Juvenile Little Blue Heron	10	Panamanian Broad-billed Motmot	11
Berard Laura	Busy Shore Bird Playing In The Water	10	Lovely Egret Looking For His Dinner	12
Bice Tod	Cottontail with eye to the sky	11	Bewick's Wren with grub	12
Cline Heather	Salmon decomposing at sunrise	11	Elephant Seals Point Reyes National Seashore	11
Curto Ernest			Deer in Field	10
Goldman Don	Sandhill Cranes in Formation	11	Red-Tailed Hawks Lunch Fight	12
Holtzclaw Truman	Beaver Splashing	11	River Otter Eating A Fish	11
Honeycutt Pat	Eagle American River	11	Cormorant Drying Its Wings	12
Johnson Joey	Panamanian Tamarin	9	Snowy Egret Stepping Out	11
Kness Trish	Bald Eagle Keeps Watch	10	Great Blue Herons Prepare Nest	11
Lindquist Ed	White-fronted Goose	11	Deer in Nature Area	11
Ritchie Gary	Sandhill Cranes in flight	11	Resting Grebe	12
Sandler Anne	Brown Pelican Landing	11	Tule Elk	11
Sturla Donna	Tundra Swans Grey Lodge	10	Sandhill Cranes Staten Island Road	11
Van-Ommering Gert	California Condor Portrait of a Survivor	11	Flame Skimmer Flaunting Her Amazing Wings	12
Vizzini Aaron	Clover and Mushroom on the Forest Floor	11	New Growth Beside Old Growth in a Sequoia Grove	13
Willard Charlie	Bighorn Pair Feeding in Snow	11	Red Shouldered Hawk Eating Rat	12
York John	Leopard on Kill	12	Eastern Golden Weaver displaying on nest	12

Landscape Image of the Night

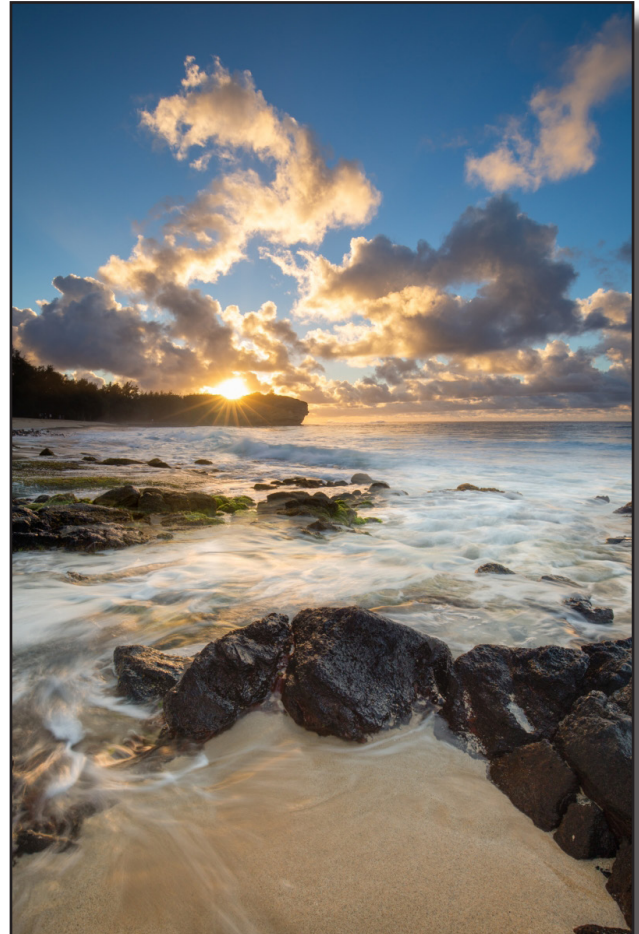
Life and Death at the
Edge of a Cliff”
by Aaron Vizzini



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“Storm clouds over The Polychrome” by Trish Kness



“Shipwreck Beach at Sunrise” by Heather Cline



“Winter Along the Mokelumne” by Ed Lindquist

Landscape Category Scores February 3, 2022

Arnold Doug	Rogue River Late Fall	11	El Capitan Winterscape	11
Berard Laura	Beautiful Groves Of Almond Trees	10	Berard Laura Lovely Sunflowers	10
Cline Heather	Lupine Field at Sunrise.....	11	Shipwreck Beach at Sunrise.....	12
Curto Ernest	Donner Lake	11	Forbes Island	11
Goldman Don	Crater Lake in Winter	11	Mammoth Hot Springs in Winter.....	11
Higham Henry	Somewhere in Nevada	11	Good Morning Miss Phillipine Sunrise	12
Holtzclaw Truman.....	Death Valley Joshua Trees	11	Yellowstone Color.....	11
Honeycutt Pat.....	Granite Dike and Mountains	12	Paine Grande Patagonia	11
Kness Trish.....	The Pinnacles at Crater Lake NP.....	11	Storm Couds Over The Polychrome	12
Lightfoot Jan	Red Earth	11	Sediments of the Painted Desert	11
Lindquist Ed.....	Fall Day at Comanche Lake	10	Winter Along the Mokelumne.....	12
Ritchie Gary	Reflection at The WAVE.....	12	Cinnamon swirls at White Pocket.....	11
Sandler Anne	People Enjoying Pacific Grove.....	11	On The Road	10
Sarappo Theresa	Grand Tetons Jenny Lake	11	Mono Lake	11
Van-Ommerring Gert...	Valley of Tears Iceland	11	Contorted and Colorful Basalt Iceland	11
Vizzini Aaron	Life and Death at the Edge of a Cliff.....	13	Fog on the Face of Half Dome.....	12
Willard Charlie	Mesa Arch with Fog Lifting	11	Grand Teton Winter Sunset	10

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“Fog on the Face of Half Dome” by Aaron Vizzini



“Granite Dike and Mountains” by Pat Honeycutt

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“Reflection at The WAVE by Gary Ritchie



“Good Morning Miss Phillipine Sunrise” by Henry Higham

Color Print Honors
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Image of the Night
“El Capitan Winterscape” by Doug Arnold



“View From Stoneman” by Doug Arnold



“Winter Along the Mokelumne” by Ed Lindquist



“Valley of Tears Iceland” by Lucille van Ommering

Color Print Scores

Judge, Rebecca Gregg * Directors, Gert & Lucille van Ommering

Arnold Doug	El Capitan Winterscape	13	View From Stoneman Bridge.....	12	25
Kent Dave	Edge of Mill Creek Pond.....	10	Joshua Tree Park in Spring	10	20
Kent Gay	Frosty Ivy	10	Cacti	11	21
Lindquist Ed	Fall Day at Comanche Lake	10	Winter Along the Mokelumne.....	12	22
Scott Dennis	Beauty Check	10	Cairo Shoe Merchant	11	21
Sturla Donna	Lily	11	Spider Mum and Leaf	11	22
van Ommering Gert	Blessed by the Setting Sun	11	Lava Hole, Kilauea, Hawaii.....	11	22
van Ommering Lucille	Valley of Tears, Iceland	12	Puffin with Mouthful of Sand Eels, Iceland.....	10	22

Monochrome Print Honors February 2022



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“Old Gas Station, Cottonwood AZ”

By Jorge Gaj



“Joshua Triplets” by Gay Kent



“King Tut’s Tomb” by Dennis Scott

Monochrome Print Scores

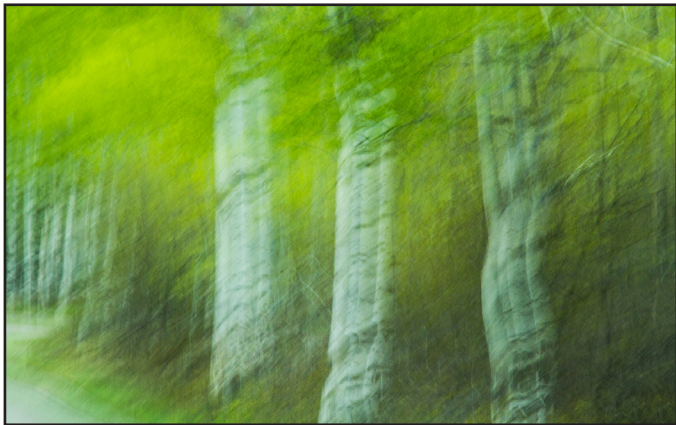
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Arnold Doug	Along the Firehole River, YellowstoneNP .	11	Sundial Bridge	9	20
Gaj Jorge	250 Grant St SF.....	11	Old Gas Station, Cottonwood AZ	13	23
Kent Dave	Sego Canyon Ruin, Moab	10	Skull	11	21
Kent Gay	Joshua Triplets.....	12	Bishop Creek Canyon Late Snow Thaw	11	23
Lindquist Ed.....			Foggy Day on Mokelumne River	10	10
Scott Dennis	Karnak Paver	11	King Tut’s Tomb	12	23
van Ommering Gert	Dyrholae Peninsula and Sea Stacks, Iceland ..	10	Simple Rigging	11	21
van Ommering Lucille .	Late Afternoon, Taos Pueblo	10	Mission de Taos	11	21

Color Print Honors February 2022



Image of the Night
Battle of the Bottles



"Aspen Dream" by Dave Kent



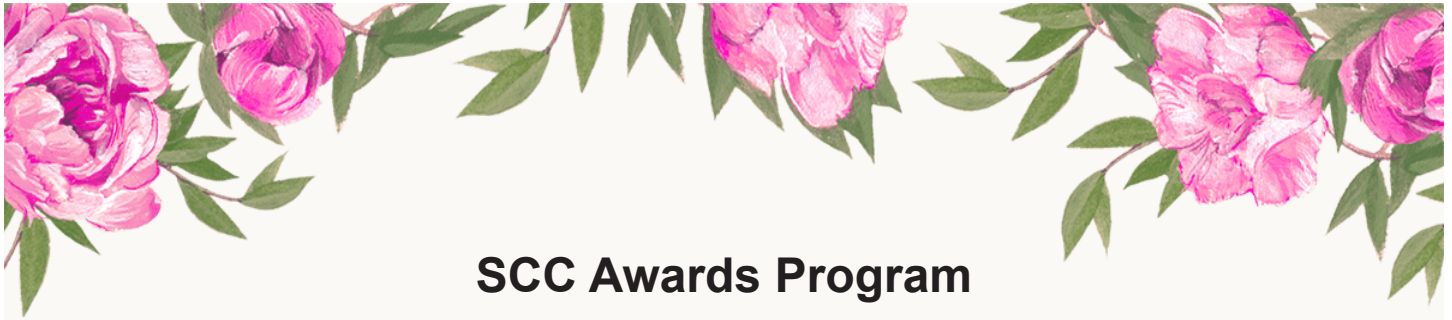
"Channeling Georgia O'Keeffe" by Lucille van Ommering

Creative Print Scores

Judge, Rebecca Gregg * Directors, Gert & Lucille van Ommering

Arnold Doug	Fortress	11
Kent Dave	Pink.....	10
Kent Gay	Rhododendron	10
Lindquist Ed.....		
Scott Dennis	Foresthill Bridge	10
Van-Ommering Gert.....	Battle of the Bottles	13
Van-Ommering Lucille	Out of This World	11

Watching	11	22
Aspen Dream	12	22
Horried Tree.....	9	19
Naked Ladies	10	10
Aswan Memorial.....	11	21
Midnight Umbrella.....	11	24
Channeling Georgia O'Keeffe	12	23



SCC Awards Program

Greetings SCC Members,

After nearly two years of the Covid pandemic, we are pleased to announce that on March 8, 2022 at 7pm, the SCC Awards Program (which was canceled in December of 2021 due to technical issues) will be hosted in person at the Sheperd Garden and Arts Center. This meeting will not be recorded or presented via Zoom.

We are making every effort to follow the CDC Guidelines that are currently in effect. The good news is that the statewide indoor mask mandate has been lifted. However, masks will still be optional at the Awards Program.

We are hoping that our gradual return to in-person meetings in 2022 will be a positive and socially uplifting experience for everyone. We have many new members to welcome, we have members that haven't seen each other in two years and we encourage all to attend the Awards Program.

Reconnecting with the people who share the love of photography can be healthy!

Awards for trophies and winners of 2021 will be announced and presented, as well as the recognition for the trophy winners of 2020. We will also be sharing the latest news regarding our participation in N4C (Northern California Council of Camera Clubs), answering any questions, and we will also discuss future arrangements with Zoom, in-person and hybrid zoom/in-person meetings.

Covid Guidelines

- Only people who are vaccinated should attend.***
- Wear a mask.***
- Maintain social distancing and hand hygiene.***
- Do not share food or drink with others (no food or beverage will be served).***
- If you feel sick do not attend.***
- If you are in a high-risk group or have not been vaccinated, do not attend.***

Remember you will be attending this event at your own risk. Please judge your ability accordingly. The safety of others depends on your actions. No food or refreshments will be served at this meeting.

On behalf of the SCC Board of Directors, we wish everyone a safe and happy year filled with photography.
Jan Lightfoot



Up Coming Events



Sharon Saltzman: Lotus Splendor

Viewpoint Photographic Art Center: Main Gallery

Exhibit Dates: Wednesday, Mar. 9 to Saturday, Apr. 2

Artist Reception: Sunday, Mar. 20 2:00 pm to 5:00 pm

2nd Saturday Opening: Sat. Mar. 12, 3:00 pm to 7:00 pm

During the pandemic, Sharon Saltzman narrowed her range to the confines of Sacramento's William Land Park. Her tranquil images highlight the kaleidoscopic colors of the plants flourishing in the park's Lotus Pond.



Franka Gabler: Ice-Elation

Viewpoint Photographic Art Center: Main Gallery

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When the national and state parks closed due to covid, Franka Gabler, a scientist and landscape photographer, retreated to her studio. An experiment using cut flowers resulted in a series of stunning images of flowers encased in ice



Sierra Camera Club Member

Michele McCormick: Avian Artistry

Viewpoint Photographic Art Center: Step Up Gallery

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When covid deprived Michele McCormick of the ability to travel, she focused on the Northern California region and discovered that her seasonal interest in the avian realm is now a year-round passion. This exhibit showcases many of the region's winged wonders in various stages of grace.