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### "Where Names Become Faces and Faces Become Friends"

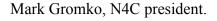
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One of the things I love about photography is that it brings me into contact with so many generous and interesting people. Whether in the field, at an event, or at club and N4C meetings, I have found that photographers are friendly, talented, willing to give support, and generous of spirit. These qualities were fully on display at the N4C Convention in Des Moines. The field trips, the speakers, and the overall organization were great!

Congratulations and thanks to the organizers, the many who gave their time and energy, and to the participant's who added their enthusiasm and helpful presence.

Photography is not only a vehicle for art: it is both a personal activity that keeps us fresh and constantly learning, and a social activity with opportunities to share and contribute. Thank you to all for being an active and contributing member of your club, the N4C, and the overall enterprise of photography!







Debbie Bates, of the Southwest Iowa Shutterbugs Camera Club has replaced Sharla Glick as Editor of the N4C newsletter. Please send all info to Debbie Bates at: <a href="mailto:edit@n4c.us">edit@n4c.us</a> or at <a href="mailto:flowerslave@hotmail.com">flowerslave@hotmail.com</a>. If you are mailing contest results address is 312 NE Grant St., Greenfield, IA 50849.

Please make sure all contest results are sent to Contest Chair, N4CBulletin Editor-Debbie Bates, and Recording Chair - Diane Darnielle as soon as your contest is judged.

Address change: Steve Thompson's email address is incorrect in the directory under Standing Committees. It should read: sathomps@unitelsd.com

## Competition Notes from Mark Gromko, N4Cpresident

#### Greetings N4C members!

I write at the beginning of a new "photo-year" for N4C, and look forward to the many images and experiences we will share through club activities, N4C contests, and conventions.

Last year saw several rule changes, one of which is the addition of an alternate judging metric that may be used instead of the familiar T,C,I metric. (That is, judging clubs may choose to use one or the other of these two ways to judge photos.) The second is a revision and reorganization of the Definitions and Rules for contest categories. Everyone in N4C should become familiar with these changes, but especially anyone submitting photos for competition or those participating as judges.

I will be writing about each of these changes in the monthly Bulletin, but information on both topics is currently available on the N4C Web site. Just click on the big blue button labeled "N4C Contest Rules" at the top of the Competition Page (http://www.n4c.us/competition.htm). See F-2 through F-3 for descriptions of the two judging metrics (of which judging clubs may choose to use either one). See F-5 through F-6 of the Handbook for the changes to Definitions and Rules for competition categories.

If you have questions about either of these topics, or any other issues, please contact me (mgromko@bgsu.edu), other members of the Board, Contest Chairs, or other N4C officers. Communication among club members, among clubs, and between clubs and N4C officers is essential for the smooth functioning of our clubs. This Directory is designed to help you find contact information for people you would like to communicate with. Use it well and often!

Mark Gromko	
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Please be sure to read the recent rewrite of the definitions and rules for the competition categories! Whether you submit photos to our monthly competitions, participate in judging, or simply are an interested observer, you will want to be familiar with the changes and reorganization of the definitions and rules.

One of the main features of the revision is an increase in clarity and ease of use. Where there were separate sections for "definitions" and "rules" before, these have now been combined into a single section. The revised section can be found on pages F-5 through F-6 of the Handbook.

Among the substantive changes, "Color Prints" has been renamed "Pictorial Prints," so that each of the six competition categories (Journalism, Nature, Travel, Pictorial, Black & White, and Altered Reality) now has a digital and a print competition. The definition of Travel has been refined slightly, removing the bias toward "distant" or "exotic" places. The definition of Pictorial has also been updated and coordinated with the definition of Black & White.

There was formerly a list of "allowable adjustments" for all digital categories. That list has been replaced with a brief paragraph under Statement of Ethics (item 4, page F-1); more detailed statements about adjustments are now included within each category, making clear that different adjustments are appropriate for different categories. The categories are in order from fewest adjustments allowed to most allowed (Journalism, Nature, Travel, Pictorial, Black & White, and Altered Reality) on pages F-5 through F-6.

We hope you find the revision makes the definitions and rules of competition categories easier to understand, use, and apply.

Phil Gilman, 92, Topeka, Kansas, passed away June 27, 2019, at Brookdale Topeka Memory Care Facility.

Phil was born January 27, 1927, in Topeka, the son of John and Frances Vollrath Gilman. He graduated from Topeka High School and received his Civil Engineer Degree from KU after serving two years in the United States Army during <a href="https://www.www.www.eng.univ.gov.new.gov



July 20, 1974. He planned the first Cottonwood 200 Bike Ride. Phil helped with the routing of the first Biking Across Kansas in 1975. Phil proposed to Elizabeth in Sterling, halfway across the first BAK. They were married on the porch of the Ward-Meade Home on July 20, 1975. They went on many bike trips, seven times on BAK, from Topeka to Kalamazoo, Cape Cod, Denmark, etc. After retirement, it was time to buy a motor home to visit grandchildren in New Jersey and Texas, as well as the National Parks. They made it to all states except Hawaii. Phil took up photography again and put together many beautiful slide shows.

Phil is survived by his wife, Elizabeth; daughter, Jeanine Roberts (Tom), Flemington, New Jersey; granddaughter, Kerianne Johnson (David), Houston, Texas; grandsons, John and Christian, Topeka, and Josiah, Flemington; step-son, Bill McLeod, Fort Worth, Texas; step-granddaughter, Shayla Beard (Ricky); and two step-great-granddaughters, Morgan and Reagon, Odessa, Texas. He was preceded in death by his son, John.

Celebration of Phil's life will be 11 a.m. Wednesday, July 17, 2019, at Lowman United Methodist Church, 4101 SW 15th Street, Topeka KS 66604. Phil's body was donated to KU Med Center for Alzheimer Research.

Memorial contributions may be made to Lowman United Methodist Church or Helping Hands Humane Society, 5720 SW 21st Street, Topeka KS 66604.

Condolences may be sent online to www.kevinbrennanfamily.com. Or

Elizabeth Gilman, 5032 SW 22<sup>nd</sup> Park, Topeka,KS 66614 or pg5032@cox.net

We sent Elizabeth a condolence card, because it never is too late to express your sympathy. Phil was such a special person; and over the years, the Gilmans added so much to N4C. This lovely letter from Elizabeth arrived today, and I do not think she would mind if I share it with you:

Dear Pat and Gene.

Thank you for the lovely card and note. Phil did so enjoy the N4C group. He began fading in 2007 with Alzheimers. It is a wicked disease. He had to give up driving and photography. I was able to care for him until July 9, 2016, when he fell and had to go to the hospital, got a pacemaker, in rehab for 3 months, and by this time he could not walk, even with a walker, so there was no way to care for him at home.

I found Brookdale Home for Alzheimer's patients only 2 miles from my house. He had loving care there and died peacefully after lunch on June 28, 2019. I was so glad I had made some good investments in the stock market to help pay the \$7,000 monthly fee.

I am doing okay with my duplicate bridge and church friends and good neighbors. I plan to stay here as long as I can drive, as I have a well-built house, good neighbors, a garage, a walk-in tub, and it is close to my activities.

Tell all the old timers of N4C that I miss seeing them, and check the winners every month. Sincerely, Elizabeth

# Congratulations to all the 2018-2019 N4C "Best of the Best" Competitions and Annual Award Winners Announced at the N4C Convention in Des Moines, Iowa Corrected F€€0/2019

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	Year			
Contest	End			
Category	Award	Photographer	Name of Club	Title
Digital – Altered	1st	Don Specht	Western Wisconsin	Elegant Milkweed
Reality	2nd	Bob Rude	Iowa City	Time Cubed
	3rd	Mark Gromko	Iowa City	Infinity and Beyond
	НМ	Allen Kurth	Omaha Camera	Impressions of Tulips
	НМ	Mike Barker	Omaha Camera	Ink Drop Face and Stars
	НМ	Dan Ray	Black Hills	Electric Dreams
	НМ	Sondra Barry	Wichita Area	Runaway Train
Digital - B&W	1st	Marianne Diericks	Western Wisconsin	Crowned Crane
	2nd	Jose Garcia	Dubuque	Smoke
	3rd	Ken Cheung	Minnesota Valley	Exercise on the Beach
	НМ	Deb Shoning	Des Moines	Boy at the Pond
	НМ	Bob Rude	Iowa City	Old Man
	НМ	Gene Schwope	Saint Paul	Hard Day on the Trail
	НМ	Allen Kurth	Omaha	Day Lily
	НМ	Deb Shoning	Des Moines	Afternoon in the Parlor
	НМ	Peggy Boike	Saint Paulb	Milkweed Pod and Stem
Digital -	1st	Steve Pacholl	North Metro	Sometimes You Need To Improvise
Journalism	2nd	Allen Kurth	Omaha	Settle Down Big Guy
	3rd	Chris Manning	Des Moines	Twin Powers Activate
	НМ	Ken Cheung	Minnesota Valley	SnowBirds Close encounters
	НМ	David Smethers	Dubuque	Rock climber scales sheer cliff face to summit rim of Grand Canyon
	НМ	Mike Barker	Omaha	Around the Last Barrel
	НМ	Larry Headley	Omaha	Learning to Count
	НМ	Larry Headley	Omaha	Surrounded
Digital - Nature	1st	Barry Mullin	Saint Paul	Orangutan Affection
	2nd	Beverly Hawkins	Women's Color	Love is in the Air
	3rd	Tim Beaulier	Duluth-Superior	Morning flight
	НМ	Allen Kurth	Omaha	The Bully
	НМ	Dale Rehder	Fargo-Moorhead	Where is Mine
	НМ	Terry Butler	Western Wisconsin	Mars, Air Glow, and the Milky Way
	НМ	Tom Ward	Iowa City	You Look Tasty
	НМ	Brad Eide	Fargo-Moorhead	Curves and light
	НМ	Marianne Diericks	Western Wisconsin	Courtship Ballet
	НМ	Nikki McDonald	Omaha	View from Below
Digital - Pictorial	1st	Mike Chrun	Western Wisconsin	St. Croix Morning
-	2nd	Brad Eide	Fargo-Moorhead	Sunrise at Mesa Arch, Canyonlands NP
	3rd	Angela Hoffman	Fargo-Moorhead	Sunrise Peek A Boo
	НМ	Sarah Becker	Des Moines	Mexican Sunrise
	НМ	Celine Hartwig	Iowa City	Parking Lot Reflection

	НМ	Marianne Diericks	Western Wisconsin	Smoky Mountains Sunset	
			Star-Trail		
			Des Moines	Reddish Egret Fishing in the Surf	
	НМ	Brian Stockton	Des Moines	Spirit of the Wilderness	
	НМ	Martha Farwell	Great River	Waiting	
Digital - Travel	1st	Kristie Burns	Des Moines	The Mists of Moab, Utah	
	2nd	Pat Boudreau	North Metro	Steptoe Butte Wa Dusty Road	
	3rd	Tom Schendel	North Metro	Milkyway at the Needles Eye -South Dakota	
	НМ	Deb Shoning	Des Moines	Storm in the Dust Bowl Oklahoma	
	НМ	Gary Schafer	Western Wisconsin	Lido Beach Sarasota Florida	
	НМ	Diane Lowry	Des Moines	Rockaway Beach, Oregon	
	НМ	Brad Eide	Fargo-Moorhead	Sunrise at Bamburgh_England	
	НМ	Tom Schendel	North Metro	Volcanos NP Lava Field HI	
	НМ	Jackie Stoken	Des Moines	Bergsbotn Norway Aurora Borealis	
Print - B & W	1st	Mark Gromko	Iowa City	Redwoods in the Fog	
	2nd	Dwight Tomes	Des Moines	New Iowa Resident	
	3rd	Mitch Keller	Sioux City	Winter in North Dakota	
	НМ	Diane Darnielle	Des Moines	Palouse Barn	
	НМ	Steve Litwiller	Iowa City	Snowy Mountain Ridge	
	НМ	Mark Gromko	Iowa City	Zebras Drinking	
Print - Color	1st	Vernice	Sioux City	Red Buildings	
		Kingsbury			
	2nd	Kristie Burns	Des Moines	Tangerine Dream	
	3rd	Wilford Yoder	Iowa City	Water Lilies in Blum	
	НМ	Michael Greiner	Sioux City	100 Years to Late	
	НМ	Mark Gromko	Iowa City	Flamingos	
	НМ	Mark Gromko	lowa City	Black Brook	
Print – Altered	1st	Paul Grillo	Des Moines	Where Ancestors Gather	
Reality	2nd	Mark Gromko	Iowa City	Perspective	
	3rd	Bob Rude	Iowa City	Sunset	
	HM	Bob Rude	lowa City	The Last Crow	
	HM	Paul Grillo	Des Moines	Monster!	
	HM	Paul Grillo	Des Moines	Steady Stream of Traffic	
Print -	1st	Mark Gromko	lowa City	Fast Down Hill	
Journalism	2nd	Celine Hartwig	lowa City	Smiling at My Reflection	
	3rd	Mark Gromko	lowa City	One Lap to Go	
	HM	Robert Lahti	Duluth-Superior	She Looks Ahead	
	HM	Paul Grillo	Des Moines	Shoot'em Up Cowgirl	
	HM	Deb Shoning	Des Moines	Preparing to Show	
Print - Nature	1st	Kristie Burns	Des Moines	Happy Couple	
i iiii - Nature	2nd	Dwight Tomes	Des Moines	Mama's Baby	
	3rd	Diane Fonger	Duluth-Superior	Lunch on the Mountain	
	HM	Kristie Burns	Des Moines	Feathers For Females	
	HM	Terri Dermody	Des Moines		
	HM	Michael Greiner	Sioux City	Old Man Egret Golden Flow	
Print - Travel	_	Ed Lorson	•	This is Scotland	
Filit - Travel	1st		Iowa City Camera Club		
	2nd	Robert Lahti	Duluth-Superior	Peggy's Cove Lighthouse	
	3rd	Diane Fonger	Duluth-Superior	Oak Alley Plantation New Orleans	
	НМ	Ed Lorson	Iowa City	School Days China	
	HM	John Ryan	Des Moines	Angels Landing	

	НМ	Diane Darnielle	Des Moines	Smokies Tremont, Tennessee	
Print - Panorama	1st	Paul Grillo	Des Moines	An Aura of Holiness	
	2nd	Mark Gromko	Iowa City	Grand Prismatic Spring	
	3rd	Ron Tigges	Dubuque	Christmas in July	
	НМ	Nancy Heather Brown	Des Moines	Greenwood Park	
	НМ	Mitch Keller	Sioux City	Hong Kong Skyline	
	НМ	Greg Hoglund	Topeka	Elephants at Watering Hole	
Photo Essay	1st	Madhu Singh	Iowa City	Winter in Iowa	
	2nd	Mark Gromko	Iowa City	Safari	
	3rd	Nancy Heather Brown	Des Moines	What I Learned This Summer	
	НМ	Bob Rude	Iowa City	Welcome to My Nightmare	
	НМ	Kristie Burns	Des Moines	Working Dogs	
	HM	Steve Litwiller	Iowa City	Clouds Sunrise to Sunset	
Club	1st	Jim Wendel	Albert Lea	Lens and Shutter	
Communications	2nd	Carl Hardy	Sioux City	Sioux Scope	
<ul><li>Newsletter</li></ul>	3rd	Barry Castetter	Black Hills	Black Hills Expressions	
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Club	1st	Doug Conrad	Sioux City	http://www.siouxcitycameraclub.com/	
Communications	2nd	Dack Nehring	North Metro	https://www.northmetrophotoclub.org/	
- Web	3rd	Kaleb Zook	Black Hills	http://blackhillsphotographyclub.com/	
	НМ	Mary Dahlke & Bev Kiecker	Minnesota Valley	http://minnesotavalleyphotoclub.org/live/	
	HM	Terry Butler	Western Wisconsin	http://wiphotoclub.com/	
	HM	Dwight Corrin	Wichita	https://wichitaareacameraclub.smugmug.com/	
N4C Service		Robert Lahti	Duluth-Superior	Service to N4C	
Award			Camera Club		
Small Club of the Year			Iowa City Camera Club		
Large Club of the Year			Des Moines Camera Club		
Photographer of the Year		Paul Grillo	Des Moines Ôæ ^¦æ Ô ` à		

# N4C September (2019-09) Contest Results

#### **B & W Pictorial Prints**

1st Grain Elevators - Diane Darnielle, Des Moines

2nd Lighthouse Keeper - Debbie Bates, Southwest Iowa Shutterbugs

3rd Western Windmill - Larry Mendenhall, Des Moines

HM Black Bear in Tree - Wilford Yoder, Iowa City

HM Boreal Owl - Joann Kuntemeier, Kuntemeier Kamera Club

HM Front Yard Flower - Veronika Fengler, Southwest Iowa Shutterbugs

11 entries from 4 clubs. Judging Club: Topeka Camera Club Chair: Greg Hoglund

Judges: Daryl Hurley, Don Jackson, Don Martin

Comments: Very few entries. Only 4 clubs entered. Good Quality of most entries.

Judging- Method 1

#### Digital Altered Reality

- 1st The Pillsbury Doughboy Drowned a Tree to Roast Smores Mick Richards, Minnesota Valley
- 2nd Forgotten Woman Diane Lowry, Des Moines
- 3rd Wanna Play a Game Sondra Barry, Wichita Area
- HM Pipe Dream Roy Hakala, Saint Paul
- HM Sparrow Marilyn Victor, Women's Color
- HM Rose Patty Foster, Des Moines
- HM Eagle Airlines Madhu Singh, Iowa City
- HM Street Walker Judy Mitschelen, Iowa City

84 entries from 20 clubs. Judging Club: Sioux Falls Camera Club. Chair: Jim Craig.

Judges: Ken Rasmussen, Tim Schmit, Marty DeWitt. Comments: good club participation

Judging-Method 2

#### Digital B&W

- 1st Great Grey Martha Farwell, Great River
- 2nd Poised for Takeoff Melissa Anderson, Western Wisconsin
- 3rd Peony Robert Lahti, Duluth-Superior
- HM Broodmare Band Ronnie Hartman, Saint Paul
- HM Uros Women, titicaca Floating Islands Marv Vikla, Saint Paul
- HM In the Days of Steam Sondra Barry, Wichita Area
- HM Young Union Soldier Linda Rutherford, Women's Color
- HM Glamour Shot Marilyn Victor, Women's Color
- HM Gooseberry Falls Terry Butler, Western Wisconsin
- HM Reflection Kathy Lauerer, Western Wisconsin

92 entries from 20 clubs. Judging Club: Albert Lea Lens & Shutter Photography Club.

Chair: Jim Wendel. Judges: Carol Haroldson, Donna Thoreson, John Eisterhold.

Comments: Several images had both size and KB way over the limit. Took time to fix before judging. Please have your

entrants check in the future.

Judging-Method 1.

#### Digital Journalism

- 1st I'm Going Down Betty Bryan, Western Wisconsin
- 2nd High Jumper Shane Abbitt, Des Moines
- 3rd Making the Catch Tom Ward, Iowa City
- HM River Rapids Tom Schendel, North Metro
- HM Jetski Flip Jean McDonough, North Metro
- HM Emergency Exit Mike Barker, Omaha
- HM Keep Your Eye on the Ball Doug Conrad, Sioux City
- HM 2019 Fargo Air Show US Navy Parachute Team-The Leap Sharon Watson, Fargo-Moorhead
- HM Polo Classic-Winning Jumper Bob Hosker, North Metro
- HM 2018 Fargo Airshow Navy Blue Angels Delta Break Out John Gustafson, Fargo-Moorhead

92 entries from 21 clubs. Judging Club: Shutterbug Camera Club. Chair: John F. Larson, Jr.. Judges: Jack Gustison, Shirley White, Michelle Hall.

Comments: Judging-Method 3.

#### Digital Nature

- 1st Osprey Scanning for Fish Don Specht, Western Wisconsin
- 2nd Beauty in Flight Melissa Anderson, Western Wisconsin
- 3rd Poison Dart Frog 2 Sonja Hoglund, Topeka
- HM Orange Meadowlark Dragonfly Candy Erk Manthey, Black Hills
- HM Winter Squirrel Marge Springett, Western Wisconsin
- HM Kermit Heather Vanderveen, Omaha
- HM Northern Gannet Diane Lowry, Des Moines
- HM Flying Pelican Mary Johnson, Western Wisconsin
- HM Following Close Robert Lahti, Duluth-Superior
- HM Beware...Eagle Overhead Markus Erk, Black Hills
- HM Goldfinch Sunshine Deb Zimmerman, Black Hills

106 entries from 21 clubs. Judging Club: Dubuque Camera Club. Chair: Cara Pusateri.

Judges: John Lacht, Bob Felderman, Grey Nauman.

Comments: Judging-Method 1.

#### **Digital Pictorial**

- 1st After the Rain Deb Shoning, Des Moines 2nd Dewy Gerbera - Dwight Tomes, Des Moines
- 3rd Lotus Bloom P^\àÃo œ• [ }, Saint Paul
- HM Frog Leg Donna Turner, Omaha
- HM After the Rain! Paul Grillo, Des Moines
- HM The Feeding Jann Kline, Heart O'Lakes
- HM Zennia Portrait Patricia Konyha, Wichita Area
- HM Hi Don Loseke, Omaha
- HM Yei Bi Chei and Totem Pole Jose Santos, Minnesota Valley
- HM Badlands Sundown Terry Butler, Western Wisconsin
- HM Spark Show Paul Hagen, Fargo-Moorhead

109 entries from 22 clubs. Judging Club: Duluth-Superior Camera Club. Chair: Michael Miller. Judges: Joni Tauzell, Matthew Moses, Amber Nichols.

Comments: Judging: Method 1.

#### Digital Travel

- 1st Reflecting the Grand Canyon AZ Tom Schendel, North Metro
  2nd Phelps Mill Battle Lake MN USA Gordon Court, Fargo-Moorhead
- 3rd Siux Falls South Dakota Falls Park Ron Tigges, Dubuque
- HM Haystack Rock Oregon Angela Hoffman, Fargo-Moorhead
- HM Bryce Canyon Utah Mike Miller, Duluth-Superior
- HM Spoon Cherry-1, MNPLS, MN Judy Lathrop, Women's Color
- HM Kenya Sunrise Melissa Anderson, Western Wisconsin
- HM The Invisible Bridge, San Francisco Terry Sposito, Women's Color
- HM Dark Hedges, Northern Ireland Martha Farwell, Great River
- HM Loon Lake in the Adirondacks, New York Jerry Swendsrud, Heart O'Lakes
- HM Wood Islands Lighthouse No 2 Canada Nikki McDonald, Omaha

97 entries from 22 clubs. Judging Club: Wichita Area Camera Club. Chair: Dwight Corrin.

Judges: Sondra Berry, Jim Boots, John Moody.

Comments: Judging-Method 1.

#### Journalism Prints

- 1st Street Chalk Art Wilford Yoder, Iowa City
- 2nd County Fair Best Friends Celine Hartwig, Iowa City
- 3rd Throwing the Punch Dwight Tomes, Des Moines
- HM Sign Tells All Cheryll Clamon, Iowa City

7 entries from 3 clubs. Judging Club: Kuntemeier Camera Club Chair: JoAnn Kuntemeier. Judges: Jane Kemp, Jeanie Yee,

Karen Caswell

Comments: Not many prints

#### **Nature Prints**

1st	A Bit of Sunshine -	Deb Shonin	a. Des Moines
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2nd Rocky Mtn Bull Elk - Diane Darnielle, Des Moines

3rd Facing the Wind - Kristie Burns, Des Moines

HM Backyard Bluejay - Wilford Yoder, Iowa City

HM Crested Crane - Elaine Sagers, Des Moines

HM Fawn in Trillium - Dwight Tomes, Des Moines

[12 entries from 4 clubs. Judging Club: Topeka Camera Club. Chair: Greg Hoglund

Judges: Daryl Hurley, Bill Tresek, Bud Carter

Comments: Not very many entries

#### Pictorial Prints (Color)

- 1st Great Sand Dunes Mark Gromko, Iowa City
- 2nd Field Friend Deb Shoning, Des Moines
- 3rd Shades of Blue Kristie Burns, Des Moines
- HM Pen and Ink in Progress Dwight Tomes, Des Moines
- HM White Sands N.P. Sunset Ed Lorson, Iowa City

HM Old Fence & Wildflowers Under Aspen - Delores Meister, Iowa City 14 entries from 4 clubs. Judging Club: Sioux City Camera Club. Chair: Carl Hardy

Judges: Carl Hardy, Jerry Wiershauser, Carol Blair Comments: Even though the number of entries was low the quality of the winning prints were excellent. Composition, color, and good story telling of the winning prints were very strong.

#### **Travel Prints**

1st Flying Over Salt Lake City - Kristie Burns, Des Moines
2nd Rafting the Grand Canyon AZ - Mark Gromko, Iowa City
3rd Fishing Village - Isajordur Iceland - Ed Lorson, Iowa City
HM Capitol Reef National Park - Elaine Sagers, Des Moines

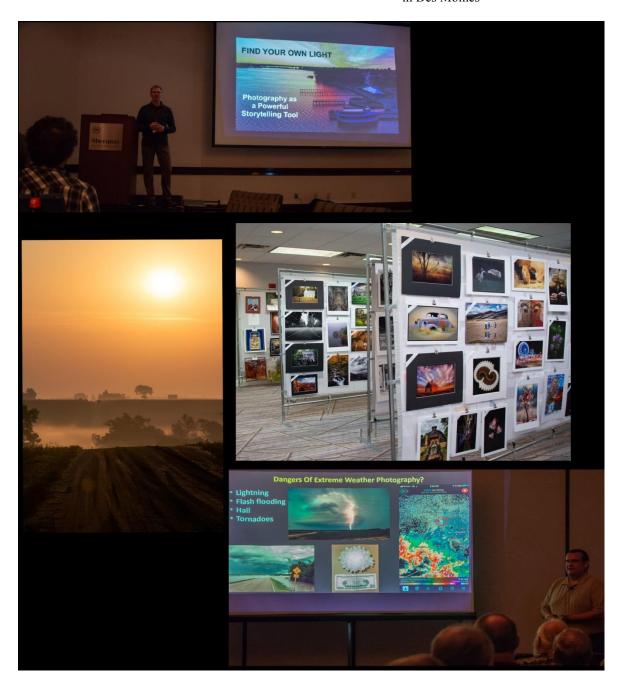
HM 1800 Farmstead in South Dakota - Wilford Yoder, Iowa City

8 entries from 2 clubs. Judging Club: Kuntemeier Kamera Klub. Chair: JoAnn Kuntemeier. Judges: Jane Kemp, Jeanie Yee, Karen Caswell

CommentsShort on Entries this month. Hope the numbers go up.Where is Sioux City?

Fall Convention:

Des Moines Camera Club did an awesome job on the fall convention. These are a few photos from the FB page "Finding your Light in Des Moines"



















#### Two new camera clubs:

West Central Camera Club (Manning and Audubon, Ia Area)

Image Makers – Lynda Richards (Carlisle, Ia)



Mini Spring Convention at Wesley Woods – April 24-26<sup>th</sup>2020

N4C Fall Convention 2020 – Hosted by Sioux City and Sioux Falls Camera Club

N4C Fall Convention 2021 – Hosted by Duluth Superior Camera Club

N4C Convention 2022 – tentative Wichita Camera Club( Change will be in email board decision minutes



## **New Contest for Mini Spring Convention**

Watch for upcoming details from John Larson & Dwight Corrin For Journalism Contest.

1year trial contest of Video Contest - Carl Hardy Chair

See you in November Please send pics and articles