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Competition Meetings will be held the first and third Tuesday, 7:30 PM, at Touchmark 2911 SE Village Loop, Vancouver WA. - http://www.touchmark.com/
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Last Month Print Night - Results YTD

Year to date Color

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Year to date Mono.

Mono Print Chair: Stephen Cornick

Large Mono		
Albert Tang	270	
Don Funderburg	46	
Doug Fischer	266	
Grant Noel	65	
John Johnson	23	
Katie Rupp	93	
Lois Summers	48	
Michael Anderson	25	
Sharp Todd	278	
Tim Morton	121	
Small Mono		
Albert Tang	268	
Bev Shearer	39	
Bev Sheaver	20	
Don Funderburg	23	
Jan Eklof	89	
Katie Rupp	21	
Michael Anderson	21	
NDR (Sarma Nathalapati)	20	
Sharp Todd	176	
Stephen Cornick	44	
Tim Morton	22	

Last Month Print Night - Judges Choice



 $SharpTodd_FPCC_Old\ DockAndSunset_LC$



 $Lois Summers_FPCC_Abiqua\ Falls_LM$



 $DougFischer_FPCC_DisappointmentLight_LM$



 $Sharp Todd_FPCC_Surfer Carving The Face_LC$



 $Lois Summers_FPCC_Oreson Coast Sunset_LC$



 $Lois Summers_FPCC_Group Dive_LC$



 $Lois Summers_FPCC_LiRiverFisherman_LM$



 $Sharp Todd_FPCC_Cape Disappointment Moonlit_LM$

Last Month EID Night - YTD

EID chair: John Craig

FPCC Year to Date Total EID Scores

	Mono	Color
Albert Tang	134	265
Bob Deming	84	215
Charles Boos	84	174
David LaBriere	130	264
Don Funderburg	87	<u>179</u>
Doug Fischer	138	275
Dwight Milne	63	222
Frank Woodbery	128	269
George Clark	66	<u> 185</u>
Grant Noel	45	
James Watt	128	256
Jan Eklof	131	280
John Craig	135	274
John Johnson	<u>67</u>	
Jon Fishback	133	267
Katie Rupp	135	284
Lin Thompson	130	285
Lois Summers	43	87
Mark Forbes	23	<u>46</u>
Rachel Fishback	64	172
Ray Klein	138	266
Rick Battson	31	255
Rick Swartz	88	<u>177</u>
Ruth Boos	85	<u>171</u>
Sandy Watt	130	258
Sharon Deming	131	273
Sharp Todd	142	278
Stephen Cornick	87	<u>177</u>
Tim Morton	68	<u> 157</u>
Tom Ambrose	44	89
Wayne Hunter		<u> 181</u>
Wendy Seagren	69	<u>131</u>

Last Month EID Night - Judges Favorites



 $DougFischer_FPCC_Wolf_O$



 $DavidLaBriere_FPCC_Alan'sWheelPile_M$



JohnJohnson_FPCC_Milky Way At Zabriskie



 $Wendy Seagren_FPCC_Emerald Electric_O$



 $Wayne Hunter_FPCC_SpiderWith Hat_O$

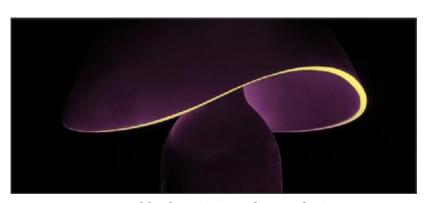
Last Month EID Night - Judges Favorites- Contd.



 $Sharp Todd_FPCC_Surfer Carving The$



 $Katie Rupp_FPCC_Great Egret In Flight_O$



JonFishback_FPCC_Bowl & Bottle_O



 $JanEklof_FPCC_SewingSupplies_M$



 $Sharp Todd_FPCC_Cape Disappointment Drama_M$



 $Katie Rupp_FPCC_Keel billed Toucan_O$

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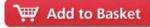
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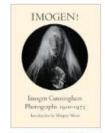
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Imogen Cunningham

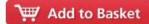
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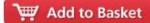
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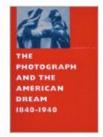
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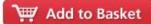
Photograph And The American Dream, 1840-1940, The

Andreas Bluhm, Stephen White, Bill Clinton, Imogen Cunningham

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History—Imogen Cunningham







Imogen Cunningham 1883-1976







Imogen Cunningham, arguably one of the most influential photographers of the 20th century, was active in her craft almost until her death at age 93. Outspoken and irascible she once mentioned to my aunt, who was having marital difficulties, "Who needs em? I get along fine without a man."

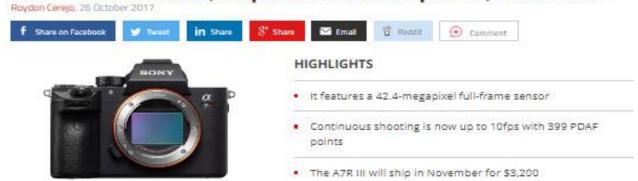
Imogen managed to raise a family and stay active photographing people most of her life. She once said, "No one likes their own face."

Although she seldom earned more than a meager living during her lifetime, the image above of the *Unmade Bed*, today may bring as much as \$10,000 in the vintage print..

Jon Fishback

Cool Stuff

Sony A7R III Full-Frame Mirrorless Camera Launched With Faster Burst, Improved Focus Speeds, and More



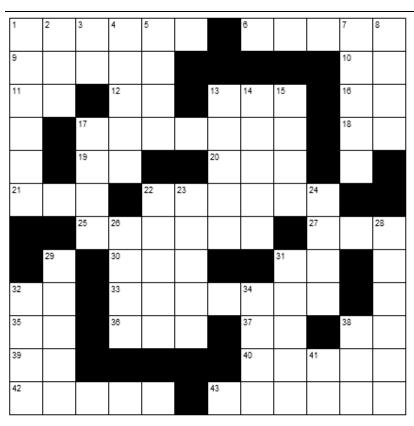
Sony may have its brand new flagship A9 full-frame camera to brag about but that doesn't mean its forgotten about its very popular A7 series. At an event in New York, the company announced the A7R III, a refresh to the A7R II which was launched in 2015. The new model offers a host of improvements like faster burst shooting, better autofocus performance and lots more, in the same sized body as it predecessor. The Sony A7R III will go on sale in November for about \$3,200 (roughly Rs. 2,08,100).

Starting with the main bits, the sensor in the new A7R III is the same 42.4-megapixel BSI CMOS sensor, but with a new front-end LSI which is said to effectively double the red out speed of the sensor. It also gets an updated BIONZ X image processor which is supposed to be about 1.8 times faster than the A7R II. This enables the camera to achieve nearly twice the burst shooting speeds compared to its predecessor, at 10fps with full autofocus when using the mechanical shutter or the electronic shutter. This lets you shoot up to 76 compressed RAW images or 28 uncompressed RAW images in burst mode. The maximum ISO as also been bumped up from ISO 25600 to ISO 32000. Autofocus speeds have improved, which now offers precise focusing in low light up to -3 EV, which an improvement of one full stop. The Eye AF is also said to have gotten an improvement in detection precision and speed.

The Sony A7R III has 399 phase detection autofocus points which cover about 68 percent of the image area, and 425 contrast detection AF points. There's 5-axis image stabilisation in the body itself, which offers 5.5 step shutter speed advantage. Sony offers a new piece of software to go with the camera, called Imaging Edge for pre and post processing work like live-view PC remote shooting and RAW development. Pixel Shift Multi Shooting is a new feature to debut with the A7R III, which shifts the sensor in 1-pixel increments to capture four separate pixel-shifted images. These four images can be composited together and processed utilising the new Imaging Edge software suite.

Other improvements include a higher resolution OLED electronic viewfinder (EVF), dual SD card slots (for UHS-II and UHS-I cards) and USB Type-C (USB 3.1, Gen1) port. Sony has also added other improvements around the back of the camera which include a joystick for navigation and moving focus points, a 3-inch touchscreen for touch focus and an 'AF On' button. The A7R III also has some rock solid video chops as it is capable of shooting 4K video, utilising the full resolution of the sensor, or in Super 35mm format, which essentially shoots at a higher resolution and then down-samples the footage to 2160x3840, thereby giving you much better detail, dynamic range and colours. It also records HLG (Hybrid Log Gamma) metadata, which lets HLG compatible HDR displays to accurately display the footage without needing any post processing. High framerate shooting is also present at 1080p 120fps.

Crossword - James Watt

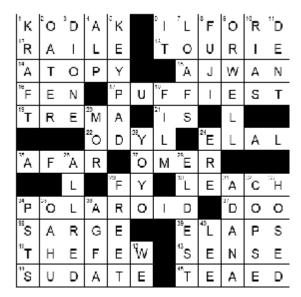


Down

- 1. Tibetan dish made with ground roasted flour and butter. (6)
- 2. Acronym for a US non-profit organization that fosters cardiac care. (3)
- 3. Shortened form of a Latin phrase that relates to someone's habits of working. (2)
- 4. Used to give strength/structure to concrete.(5)
- 5. Large antelope, native to parts of Africa and the Arabian peninsula. (4)
- 7. Used as a directive in music; sad and pensive. (5)
- 8. A brand of film. (4)
- 13. River in N India, flowing SE from the Himalayas to the Ganges. (5)
- 14. A deep or seemingly bottomless chasm. (5)
- 15. Foundation, bottom, stand or pedestal. (4)
- 17. Containers used for storage or cooking. (4)
- 22. What some might do on their day off.(5)
- 23. Discharge or excrete waste matter from the body. (5)
- 24. Old Scottish; to foretell the future. (4)
- 26. Italian sports car; "---- Romeo" (4)
- 28. Get the measure of; determine or evaluate. (6)
- 29. Female given name: from an Arabic word meaning "honest and faithful". (5)
- 31. Disintegration of a cell by rupture of the cell wall or membrane. (5)
- 32. Most students will get at least one of these in a term. (4)
- 34. It replaced the franc. (4)
- 38. Biblical High Priest of Shiloh. (3)
- 41. Internet country code for top level domains in Spain. (2)

Across

- 1. A well known lens brand. (6)
- 6. Another well known lens brand. (5)
- 9. Another name for a farrier. (5)
- 10. "for example" for example. (2)
- 11. Organization with 12 steps. (2)
- 12. In proximity to; near. (2)
- 13. One of a boxer's repertoire. (3)
- 16. Initials of a northern Californian city known for it's cable cars. (2)
- 17. Brazilian palm with stilt like roots. (7)
- 18. Common British word for thanks. (2)
- 19. Where a patient goes for major surgery. (2)
- 20. Initials of a Portland orchestra that provides music education to nearly 500 youth. (3)
- 21. Toward the stern of a ship or tail of an aircraft. (3)
- 22. What some of the clues in this crossword are about.
- 25. Endangered antelopes that originally inhabited the Eurasian steppes. (6)
- 27. Small round seed that lives in a pod. (3)
- 30. The side to go for shelter. (3)
- 31. Initials of a southern Californian city known for it's movie and TV industry. (2)
- 32. Unit of measure of typeset matter. (2)
- 33. A type of lens that gives a wide view. (7)
- 35. IV plus VII. (2)
- 36. Insect that lives in a colony. (3)
- 37. TV show "This is --". (2)
- 38. Letters denoting a shoe width. (2)
- 39. The form used before 'a' vowel sound.(2)
- 40. Monies used in Cambodia. (5)
- 42. A lens that can be used for close-ups. (5)
- 43. First name of Ottawa Redblacks running back, Madu. (6)



Fun With PSA - Editor

2018 IN SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH, SEPTEMBER 30 - OCTOBER 6, 2018

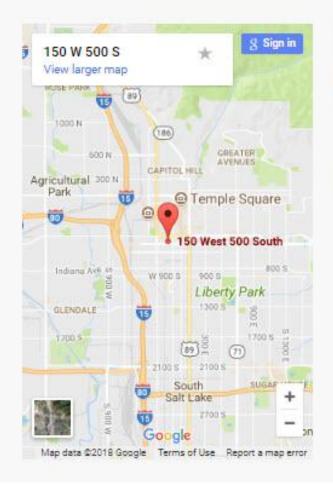
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The conference will take place from Sunday, September 30, 2018 through Saturday, October 6, 2018.

CONFERENCE HOTEL:

Sheraton Salt Lake City Hotel 150 West 500 South Salt Lake City, UT 84101





Random Thoughts—Brooks Jensen

Creativity on Demand

In my case one of the assumptions is that there is such a thing as the creative muse. That is to say, I can't be creative, necessarily, on demand.

Now, I don't believe in the muse as some kind of angel floating around; that bonks me on the head with a creative wand. I do believe, however, that the mind is constantly working on solving creative problems and seeing creative ideas, but it does so often on a very subconscious-even unconscious-level, and that sometimes ideas and solutions just bobble up from the well of our own subconscious mind. Sometimes we connect the dots in our brain that we can't connect in our mind, and not until that comes forth in our mind do we see it.

So I have great faith in brain, even more than I have great faith in mind. That's what I mean by the creative muse. Well, you can't—at least I can't-call this fourth on demand. Sometimes creative ideas strike me at the oddest times, when I'm totally engaged in something not photographic. When I'm in the shower, when I'm out to dinner in a restaurant with some friends, all of a sudden boom! There's some creative idea. So I've learned to do a couple of things.

The first is, I've learned to capture these ideas when they come to me by constantly carrying with me a little pocket recorder, so that I can make a quick note and recall things later. The second thing I've discovered, photographically anyway, is that I can increase my odds of the creative muse being involved in my photography when I spend more time doing photography. It's as simple as that. The more time I spend making pictures the more time I spend printing pictures, the more time I spent working with pictures, the greater the chances are that I'll be with the camera or in the darkroom when the creative muse strikes. Then the challenge is simply to be receptive to it.

Being Quiet

I've come to the conclusion that the technology that I've grown accustomed to and that I lived with everyday is getting in the way of my photography.

I'm not talking about camera technology; I'm talking about some of the other technologies. We have in the age of the Internet, the computer, the television, the radio, the CD player. There's so much noise that comes at us on a regular basis: the traffic, the hustle and the bustle of life.

I don't think that I can take enough time to stop and really listen, and look, and observe, which is the great task of a photographer. It's not making pictures. It's watching, it's observing; it's seeing life. I don't spend enough time listening. I think this is why so many of my friends who are landscape photographers love to get out and photograph. They love to be in the land in the quiet, in the desert, in the forest, where they can hear not technology, but nature. Here's an example of how things have changed for me of late.

When I use to go out photographing, I would drive around with the music on, or with a spoken-word tape playing in the car, maybe even with the radio on, and I would be involved in the technology while I was looking for photographs. Now I turn all that stuff off. I've discovered that it diverts me from the attention of seeing, that multitasking may be a virtue in today's hectic life, but it's not a virtue in art making. I turn off the air conditioner. I roll down the windows. I let myself get hot and sweaty, and deal with the flies and the mosquitoes, because that puts me into the place I'm trying to photograph better. I discovered that the more I turn off, the more I can plug into what's happening in the world. And I think my photographs have gotten a lot better because of it.

Making a Commitment and the Conflict that is Inevitable

So much of modern life is caught up in conflict. Whether it's political conflict or legal conflict, it's all over the news; it's all over TV; it's all over our lives; it's all over our office politics, so that an awful lot of us just get to the point where we've had enough conflict.

This is a topic that's worth considering relative to the making of artwork, because there's nothing more difficult in making artwork than making a commitment, for the simple reason that the minute you make a commitment, and a statement, and a piece of artwork, and you put it out there in the world for people to see, you are going to invite conflict. There are going to be people that don't like it; there are going to be people who disagree with you; there are going to be friends that tell you that it's a great piece of work, but if they did it they would have done it this way.

So, in some regards its a lot easier to avoid the conflict and the differences of opinion by simply not making the artwork, or not showing the artwork or not saying, "This is what I believe. This is what I stand for. This is the artistic statement that I choose to make." that's a tough thing to do.

This may be the source of so much banal artwork—the kind of artwork that runs no risk whatsoever of all offending anybody or conflicting with anybody. Now, don't get me wrong. I'm not advocating conflict as a means of creating great artwork, because just because its controversial, or just because there's conflict involved, doesn't say anything about whether or not it's interesting or good artwork. That's another whole topic entirely.

I propose that if your objective in making artwork is to avoid conflict, or if you're fear in making artwork is that people won't like it or it will be controversial or it will put you into a position of conflict, the only practical outcome of that avoidance of conflict is the procrastination to do work. You just won't do it, and that's a shame. For all intents and purposes, being an artist is putting yourself in the mettle of controversy, in the middle of conflict, and taking a stand that puts you in a position where people will disagree with what you've done. It comes with the territory. It's part of being an artist.

In Case You Were Wondering

Something well known to most of you, I think needs repeating with a graphic example.

Recently I was working on a project that required maximum depth of field and I set the macro lens to F/32 and began. Then I remembered that all lenses have a "Sweet Spot, so I did a test and determined that for this lens, it was F11.

So; to determine how much degradation I would encounter at F/32, I performed the experiment below. The subject is the back of a piece of mount board. Neither of the top two images have been sharpened, they are a 2X2 inch crop from an 11 X 17 inch image, at 350ppi.

As you can plainly see the image shot at F32 is considerably more degraded right out of the camera.

After sharpening the bottom two images, I think you can see the F/11 image is considerably sharper.

By the way, did you have any idea that archival mount board had this much texture?

Editor

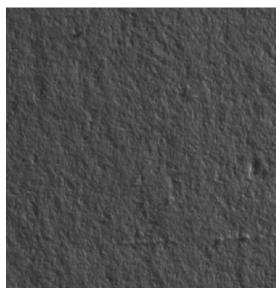
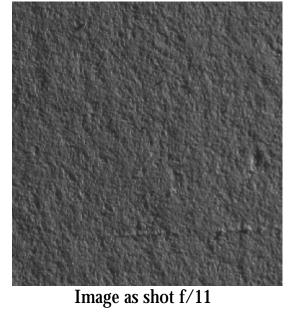


Image as shot f/32



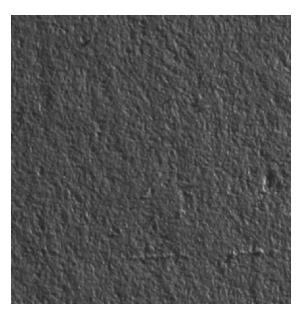


Image shot at F/32 Sharpened



Image shot at F/11 Sharpened

Doug Fischer Visits Yellowstone.

On January 25^{th} Doug met with a tour group at West Yellowstone Best Western. The plan for the group was seven days in the park. The group spent three days going into the park in two modified Ford Expeditions. The weather was cold, minus five the

first day out.

The two guides, one for each of two vehicles, knew that the pack of wolves had recently killed an elk and the plan was to find it the first day. They missed the kill the first



day, so did some touring.

It was discovered, on day two, through communication between



tour guides that they had not gone far enough the first day. So, after an hour and half trip, they proceeded and were successful in finding the large bull elk that had been killed.

The pack had to come down a hill and cross the road to approach the kill. They were tentative at first and came down

in small groups.

The weather was cold and snowy, which hampered the view to some extent, and to get close to the feeding it became necessary to walk off the road in three feet of snow.





After eating in the vehicle and warming up Doug plowed through the snow and was able to finally get close enough to shoot over the heads and around the existing photographers. As he got closer, it became obvious all

the good angles were taken by other photographers, that were already set up with tripods There was no room for his tripod, so he was forced to hand hold the camera. Doug spent about an hour and a half in the cold and snow photographing the wolves on the kill.

The group spent about five hours at this location and the cold finally drove them to leave.

Doug says this experience was the highlight of the trip. Additionally, they spent two nights at Old Faithful as well.



I am sure, if you are interested, Doug will share costs and information as to the tour group company.

Additionally, Doug had this to say via email:

There were 18 wolfs in the pack. I was able to identify and photograph about 8 individuals. I took my 2 Olympus M1-Mk II cameras. We kept our camera with our longest lens in our laps at all times. I used my 300mm f4 (600mm full frame equivalent) for most of my long animal shots. On the other camera I kept my 40-150 f2.8 lens (80-300mm full frame equivalent) and my compact Canon GX7 (24-100mm) in my pocket at all times. That way I was ready to shoot from 24mm-600mm quickly with one of my cameras. Focusing could be challenging because it was often snowing. Cold was an issue. We kept the vehicle interior about 25-32 degrees with windows cracked open so windows did not steam up and we did not have to shed layers each time we got back in the vehicle, which was often. I took about 5000 shots on the trip. I often had my camera in high speed capture mode taking 3-5 images with a single press of the shutter. I used manual mode when shooting animals with my shutter set around 1/1000-1/1250 of a second, aperture f4-5.6 and my ISO on auto.



Meeting: February FPCC Board Meeting

Attendees: John Craig; Frank Woodbery; Sandy Watt; James

Watt; Doug Fischer; Ray Klein;

Bob Deming;

Date: February 27th ,2018 **Time:** 3:00pm at New Seasons

Community Room.

Unmounted Prints: 4C's are now accepting unmounted small prints. (96 sq in) There was a general

discussion about FPCC following this change. Decided that our club would follow, and Doug Fischer

would send out an email to club members prior to next Tuesday's print meeting. The print rules on our

FPCC website will also need to be changed. The details will need to be explained to members.

Prints Going Forward: There will be a meeting at New Seasons on Thursday 3/01/18 with the print

stakeholders. Steve Cornick is out for the year and we have no Mono print Chair. Doug does not want

to continue as Color print Chair. We need members to step up to fill these roles.

There were a few suggestions how to deal with the diminishing print numbers.

a. Have them the same night as EID but that would eat into EID discussion.

b. Possibly club level prints only; no print chair; members present their prints.

2019 Convention: John and Rick did some preliminary field trips drives to scout possible areas.

There are some issues with Cape Horn on SR14 and will need to be revisited. Fort Vancouver and the

Black Pearl Horse event will still need to be followed up on. It may be too early to tie down some events.

There is a Hotel Development Tax – grant possibly available. (\$5000 min) Would need to have the

money up front and then the grant would reimburse the 4C's event. We will need insurance but do not

have to be an LLC. John will put out a memo to the subcommittee members about a meeting in

March. Both Jon Fishback and Sharp Todd said they would be willing to present at the convention.

501c7 status for club: Tom Ambrose not available for update. James investigated PO Boxes. Cost

would be about \$120 per year for mid-size USPS box at Hearthwood.

Board decided to let 501c7 status go for the moment. We do not require it for the convention.

Club Projector: We are still looking at possible purchase. It would only be used for off-site events.

May not be of value if we do not use it enough. Frank to continue to look for suitable one. John

mentioned that 4C's are thinking of going to 1400 x 1050.

Chair Reports.

EID: John mentioned everything OK; just a few problems with sizes and titles. John will do EID chair

for one more year but not 2019 as it is the convention year and he will be otherwise occupied.

Ray Klein mentioned that he would be interested in Mono print Chair.

Social Chair: Expenses for Member Handbooks approved. Sandy made them herself as commercial

prices for small quantity were too expensive. Invoice for \$24.00 presented for 12 books. Check 1188 paid to reimburse.

Financial Chair: Current balance is \$4265.14. All members paid up.

Field Trips: Rick Battson not available

Touchmark: Next event; Easter Egg Hunt. Several members volunteered to help.

Web-Master: Bob mentioned no problems but would like to update the website. Would like to get all

pages on CSS, that would make it easier to change. Some ideas were put forward as the website may

be a little dated or stale. We may form a sub-committee to look at updating. Background, text, and

navigation areas could be better. Bob presented invoice for website costs \$16.99. Check 1187 paid to reimburse

Print Chair: Doug mentioned that Linda posted prints on 4C's website for December/January award winners.



PSA Rep.: Jon Fishback



4 C's Rep.: John Craig