

WISCONSIN AREA CAMERA CLUBS ORGANIZATION February 4, 2006 Meeting Minutes

The meeting was called to order on February 4th at the US Bank in Butler by President Terry Jakubaitis. The minutes of the November meeting were approved.

President's Report: The Executive board met on January 25th. The main items discussed at the board meeting were: competition guidelines and the International Salon.

Secretary's Report: Anyone who would prefer to get the delegate report/information packet via email instead of US mail should contact Jean Sommers at jsommers@multi-fab.com. The reports will be sent in .pdf format.

Treasurer's Report: WACCO member dues of \$15.00 are due in February. Please send them in!

Competition Committee Report: The question of the definition of "Monochrome" image came up. It is defined as a "black and white and sepia tone or varying tones of one color."

A change in the way we decide on the final photos in a section of competition was discussed. The delegates voted to keep the current system of "rejudging" the top scoring images with the change in the minimum number of images to be "rejudged" reduced from 6 to 4 in the top 2 scoring categories. The other proposed changes of the bylaws for competition, which were handed out at a prior meeting, were approved. The competition committee will also research alternatives to giving out plaques for winners of competitions for next year.

The spring competition will be held Saturday, May 6th at the Best Western-Brookfield. Urban Ecology Center Photo Club will host this competition. The general slide/digital image category is Portraits (people and animal) and the nature slide/digital image category is Insects/Spiders. CDs for digital entries will be destroyed after the competition instead of returning them to their owners, unless otherwise requested. Entry forms and report cards can be found on the WACCO website or requested via email from Jeff Klug at kpw1255@aol.com. We are still looking for people to join the competition committee. Anyone interested should contact Jeff Klug.

PSA Councils Challenge 2006 entries from member clubs must be received by mail by May 4th or delivered by hand at the WACCO meeting on May 6th. See the "PSA Councils Challenge 2006" document and entry form for more information.

Program Committee Report: We are looking for suggestions for a seminar and workshop for the future. A digital forum program was suggested to be held in early August. More details to follow.

Individuals can now borrow the DVD's which have been acquired for the WACCO library. More DVD's will be purchased in the near future.

Digital Forum Report: Digital Forum meetings are held January through April on the 2nd Wednesday of the month at the U.S. Bank in Butler. Getting Started in Photoshop classes will begin on March 6th (Mondays). Advanced Elements Photoshop Classes will begin on April 4th (Tuesdays). They are limited to 16 people and are held at U.W.-Waukesha. Contact Lynne Rieger for more information. To register, call the University Extension Division at (262)521-5460.

Membership Committee: It was approved that if WIPA [a camera club made up of professional photographers] was interested in joining WACCO, they would be considered like any other camera club.

International Salon Committee Report: There are 5 shows scheduled after the judging: April 10th at East Troy Viewfinders, April 12th at Friends of the Arboretum in Madison, April 13th at Image Makers in Oconomowoc, May 18th at Menomonee Falls Camera Club [to be held at the public library], and May 27th at Wehr Nature Center Camera Club at Whitnal Park.

Because of a misunderstanding, there was a discussion on the background of the Wisconsin Circuit and its ownership. Jeff Tamms disclosed that he is the sole proprietor of the Wisconsin Circuit. Neither judges nor clubs are compensated for their participation in the events. It is a "for profit" venture which files with the IRS.

Awards Committee: Ellen Worzala received a certificate for her many years of competition recordkeeping.

May Meeting: It will be held at the Best Western in Brookfield on Saturday, May 6th at 9:00 am.

Submitted by Jean Sommers, Secretary

WISCONSIN AREA CAMERA CLUBS ORGANIZATION
May 6, 2006 Meeting Minutes

The meeting was called to order on May 6th at the Best Western, Brookfield, by President Terry Jakubaitis. The minutes of the February meeting were approved.

President's Report: The Executive board meeting is tentatively planned for June 8th.

Secretary's Report: Jean Sommers has resigned as Secretary as of the August meeting. Mary Dumont was appointed as Secretary to complete her term.

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Treasurer's Report: The Janesville Camera Club was dropped from WACCO since they have not paid dues for the past two years.

Competition Committee Report: The spring competition was held on Saturday, May 6th at the Best Western, Brookfield. Urban Ecology Center Photo Club hosted this competition. There were 43 people who entered 112 images. We are looking for a host club for the fall competition. The location for the fall competition has not yet been finalized.

We are still looking for people to join the competition committee. Anyone interested should contact Jeff Klug at kpw1255@aol.com.

Program Committee Report: A digital forum program called "Digital Solutions" is planned for August 5th from 11:00 am to 4:00 pm at the Best Western, Brookfield. The program will include color management, raw workflow, scanning techniques and Photoshop techniques. The price is \$35.00 (which includes lunch) if registered before July 22nd and \$50.00 after July 22nd.

More DVD's have been purchased. See the list for new titles.

Digital Forum Report: Digital Forum had a successful year. They will start up again in September.

Membership Committee: The Kenosha Camera Club was approved for membership if they are interested in joining WACCO.

International Salon Committee Report: There are 2 remaining shows scheduled: May 18th at Menomonee Falls Camera Club [to be held at the public library], and May 27th at Wehr Nature Center Camera Club at Whitnal Park. The participation was down from last year, however, the number of digital submissions are increasing. The images from the show will only be put on CD's this year, not on slides like past years.

Awards Committee: Delegates are encouraged to submit the names of other members for a recognition award.

Old Business: There is a half day seminar at Mosquito Hill Nature Center at Lawrence University in Appleton on Friday, October 20th. More details to follow.

New Business: The delegate handbook will be updated, distributed on CD's to Delegates and put on the Website in .pdf format in the near future.

August Meeting: It will be held at the Best Western, Brookfield, on Saturday, August 5th at 9:00 am.

Submitted by Jean Sommers, Secretary

Wisconsin Area Camera Clubs Organization



SPRING 2006 COMPETITION Hosted by Urban Ecology Center Photo Club

When: **Saturday, May 6th, 2006**

Where: **Best Western Brookfield**

1005 S. Moorland Rd.

Brookfield, WI 53005 (262) 786-9540

Time: 11:30 AM

Divisions & Categories

General Slide	Nature Slide	Small Color Print
Portrait (P)	Insect/spider (I)	Nature (N)
Open (All Others) (O)	Open (All Others) (O)	Open (all other) (O)
General Digital Image	Nature Digital Image	Small Mono Print
Portrait (P)	Insect/spider (I)	Nature (N)
Open (All Others) (O)	Open (All Others) (O)	Open (all other) (O)
Lg. Color Print	Lg. Mono Print	
Nature (N)	Nature (N)	
Open (all others) (O)	Open (all others) (O)	

The letter in the parenthesis () indicates the code letter to be used on entry forms.
 Complete form, detach & include with entry form(s), Slides, Digital Image on CD & Check
 (payable to WACCO)

Name: _____ Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

Entry Fees:	\$4.00 for 1-4	General slides	\$ _____	
	\$4.00 for 1-4	Nature Slides	\$ _____	
	\$4.00 for 1-4	General Digital Image.....	\$ _____	
	\$4.00 for 1-4	Nature Digital Image.....	\$ _____	
	\$4.00 for 1-4	Lg. Mono Print.....	\$ _____	Total Enclosed _____
	\$4.00 for 1-4	Lg. Color Print.....	\$ _____	
	\$4.00 for 1-4	Small Mono Print.....	\$ _____	
	\$4.00 for 1-4	Small Color Print.....	\$ _____	
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Category Definitions

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Open (O)

Nature Slide or Digital Image

Insects/spiders (I) Are minute invertebrate animals typically have the body divided into a head, a thorax of 3 segments; and in development, usually pass through Metamorphosis. spiders are any of one of a large family of arachnids.

Open (O)

Entry Instructions

Prints may be delivered in person from 10:00 AM to 11:00 AM, May 6th, and must be picked up after the judging. Reasonable care will be taken, but WACCO will not assume any liability for loss or damage. Slides will be returned to the Delegate of your club in their original containers.

Slides, Digital entries, entry forms for ALL divisions, and fees must be received by April 29, 2006.

Send to: WACCO Fall Competition
P.O. Box 26304
Milwaukee, WI 53226

For Questions call Jeffrey Klug (262) 628-1255

General Instructions

Entries must not have received an Honorable Mention or other award in any previous WACCO competition.

Each division entered requires its own entry form. Legibly fill in both the top and bottom portions of the entry form, and do not separate the two halves. (Entry forms are available from your delegates.) See instruction sheet for example.

Maximum of 4 entries per division.

Digital Image Instructions

The Digital Image should be a maximum of 1024 (Width) x 768 (Height) pixels or 7.68" (Height) X 10.24" (Width) @ 100 dpi. It should be a Jpeg format with a maximum files size of 1.4 mb. They must be on a CD which should have your Name, Phone number and E-mail address on it. The images should be put into folders labeled for the division entered (General or Nature). Each image should be labeled with Category, Entry #, Title. Where the category would be G for General and N for Nature, the entry # from the report card and title of the image with a dash between each item as shown.

EXAMPLE: G_1_Milwaukee Art Museum.jpeg

The image may not have received an Honorable Mention or award from any Division. The Digital entry CD are to be mailed to the WACCO P.O. Box with completed entry form, fees, and will not be return unless requested.

August 31, 2006

Hello WACCO Delegates,

I just wanted to take the opportunity to introduce myself as the new WACCO secretary. I'm fairly new to the WACCO organization, but my enthusiasm makes up for my inexperience!

I have several ideas that I hope will make getting information to you, the club delegates, and to your individual members easier and less costly to the organization. One is to add a section to your Delegate Handbook that will have information that only needs to be updated periodically, such as the club rosters and competition guideline and entry forms. You would then have that information readily available to your members.

Another is to develop a roster of individual members with contact information along with their photographic skills and interests. My goal with this roster is to develop better interaction between the individual clubs by providing a way to share the talent and knowledge of our members. If your clubs are anything like mine, finding experienced judges and interesting programs for our meetings is always a challenge. My hope is that this roster will give the clubs additional resources to explore. I would also look to this membership roster to provide the organization a way to disseminate information to its members quickly and cheaply.

At some point, I think our website could be further developed to provide better information to nonmember clubs and allow our current members access to organizational information, relieving the delegates of the burden of passing on information.

To protect our natural resources and the monetary resources of the organization, most of the information you will get from me will be in email form. Then, if it is not pertinent to your group, no paper has been wasted. There may be a few of us who still shoot film (yes, I am one) but there are very few of us who not embraced technology to some extent. I am asking that those delegates who are currently receiving paper copies and have access to email provide me with their email addresses.

Now that I have tooted the technology/ecology horn, all delegates are receiving hard copies of the all information from the August 2006 meeting, whether you attended or not. My flatbed scanner took a dive, and I wanted to get this information out in as timely a manner as possible. Going forward, most information will be coming to you in .pdf files.

Looking forward to getting to know more of you, and PLEASE, don't hesitate to share comments/suggestions/criticisms with me.

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WISCONSIN AREA CAMERA CLUBS ORGANIZATION
August 5, 2006 Meeting Minutes

The meeting was called to order on August 5th at the Best Western, Brookfield, by President Terry Jakubaitis. The minutes of the May meeting were approved.

President's Report: The Executive board met in July. They discussed a revamping of the current 2-tiered Competition structure that is currently in place. A new proposed 2-tiered structure was presented. Those who have won awards consistently would be placed in a separate group and they would compete against each other. It is hoped that this would encourage new photographers to enter and win an award. More discussion will take place in the next executive meeting. The delegates present encouraged the board to continue their discussion of the topic.

Treasurer's Report: Notices will be sent out to remind clubs that dues need to be sent in for the start of the new WACCO year.

Competition Committee Report: The fall competition will be held on Saturday, November 4th at a location yet to be determined. The Menomonee Falls Camera Club will be hosting the competition. The General Slide category is Domesticated Flowers and the Nature Slide category is Fungi/Mushrooms. The entry forms can be found on the WACCO website or emailed by contacting Jeff Klug at kpw1255@aol.com.

We are still looking for people to join the competition committee. Anyone interested should contact Jeff Klug at kpw1255@aol.com.

Wisconsin Print Circuit will be collecting images by the end of September or beginning of October. Delegates are should make an announcement at their September meeting so members can enter the competition.

The PSA Region 21 showcase is going digital this year. Seven images from each club can be entered. They should be scanned if not captured on digital. PSA will help scan if the club/member does not have the ability to scan the image. The deadline for entering is the end of October. If a club is not a member of PSA, a guest pass can be obtained for the competition.

Program Committee Report: A digital forum program called "Digital Solutions" was held on August 5th from 11:00 am to 4:00 pm at the Best Western, Brookfield. The program included color management, raw workflow, scanning techniques and Photoshop techniques. There were 20 people who registered for the program.

Digital Forum Report: Digital Forum will start up again on Wednesday, September 2nd at 7:00 pm at the Menomonee Falls Public Library.

Getting Started in Photoshop classes will begin on September 18th (Mondays); Advanced Elements Photoshop Classes will begin on September 19th (Tuesdays). Both classes run for 6 weeks. Registration is limited. Classes are held at U.W.-Waukesha. Contact Lynne Rieger for more information. To register, call the University Extension Division at (262)521-5460.

Membership Committee: The Photo Kenosha Group photo club joined WACCO.

International Salon Committee Report: No official announcement about this year's competition. More information to follow.

Awards Committee: Delegates are encouraged to submit the names of other members for a recognition award.

New Business: Because of the lack of members on WACCO committees, each club will need to provide volunteers for WACCO committees or the President of WACCO will appoint people to serve. A list of positions that need to be filled will be forwarded to each member club.

November Meeting: It will be held on Saturday, November 4th at 9:00 am, Waukesha State Bank, Exit 282 Oconomowoc and 1-94.

Submitted by Jean Sommers, Secretary

Category Summary Report

5/1/06 through 8/3/06

Category	5/1/06- 8/3/06
Inflows	
Administration income	105.00
Competition Income:	
Entry Fees	472.00
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Total Competition Income	472.00
Interest Earned	8.76
Program Income:	
Ticket Sales	595.00
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Total Program Income	595.00
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Total Inflows	1,180.76
Outflows	
Competition:	
Postage	18.97
Printing	28.13
Room Rental	250.00
Trophy & Ribbons	676.21
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Total Competition	973.31
Programs:	
Printing	30.00
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Total Programs	30.00
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Total Outflows	1,003.31
Overall Total	177.45
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Cash on Hand Report

As of 8/3/06

Accounts	8/3/06 Balance
Assets	
Cash and Bank Accounts	
Money Market	6,329.88
WACCO Checking	1,424.07
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Total Cash and Bank Accounts	7,753.95
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Total Assets	7,753.95
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Liabilities	0.00
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Overall Total	7,753.95
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Competition Committee Report 08/05/06

The next competition in November 4, 2006 will be hosted by Menomonee Falls Camera Club. We are looking for a Host club for Spring 2007. We have no location for this competition, we are having a hard time finding a place to hold it, but will continue looking any suggestions will be helpful.

Gerry E will look for place

W.W.s

We are looking for people to join the competition committee.

*Bank at Oconomowoc
goodwill?*

Here is how it would line up for the next couple of years

Year	General Slide	Nature Slide
Fall 2006	Domesticated Flowers	Fungi/Mushroom
Spring 2007	Weather	Wild Flower
Fall 2007	Tabletop	Birds
Spring 2008	Scapes	Wild Animals
Fall 2009	Photo Journalism	Natural Landscapes
Spring 2010	Portraits	Insects

We are looking for people interested in receiving the entry forms and report cards by email instead of hard copy. The forms are posted on the WACCO web site or if you email me I will send out a pdf file to you. This should help reduce our costs.

Jeffrey R. Klug
Competition Chairman
262 628-1255
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Nature Slide and Digital Image order and Definitions

Insects/spider Insects are minute invertebrate animals typically have the body divided into a head, a thorax of 3 segments; and in development, usually pass through metamorphosis. The usually 2 pair or wings, sometimes 1 pair or none. Spiders are any of one of a large family of arachnids forming an order having an unsegmented abdomen and are capable of spinning silk in the construction of webs for capture of prey such as flies or other insects.

Fungi/mushroom The non flowering plants subdivision of the Thallophyta which are devoid of chlorophyll, reproduce chiefly by asexual means, and obtain nourishment either as a parasite on living organisms or as a saprophyte on dead organic matter. They include molds, mildews, rusts, mushrooms, and puffballs.

Wild Flower Wild Flowers are NOT cultivated. Cultivated flowers, such as roses and tulips are not eligible for competition in this category

Birds Birds are warm-blooded, feathered, egg-laying vertebrate animals having fore limbs modified as wings. Chickens or other domesticated fowl are not eligible for competition in this category, nor are they eligible in the nature division.

Wild Animal Animals are living organisms other than plants. Wild animals inhabit the forests, deserts, etc., and are Not domesticated, tamed or bred for specific characteristics. Domesticated animals are not eligible for competition in this category, nor are they eligible in the nature division. Insects, Spider, and Birds are not eligible in this category of competition because of their special designation in other competitions.

Natural Landscape (New) No hand of man (roads, trails, light poles, building, etc.)

General Slide and Digital Image order and Definitions

Portraits (Animal and Human) A photo of an animal or person usually showing the face.

Domesticated Flowers A cultivated flower such as but not limited to Roses, Tulips, Etc.

Weather A condition of the atmosphere with respect to heat or cold, wetness or dryness, calm or storm, clearness or cloudiness.

Table top An image of static arrangements of objects.

Scapes / Scenic A photo representing a view of scenery, (Land, Sea or Air).

Photojournalism/sports Photojournalism (or "PJ") is devoted to recording current events or situations to preserve them for the future. News, features, man and man's environment, human interest...all are included.

Print Definitions

Monochrome Print - Representations in black & white or in varying tones of only one color.

Program Committee Report 8/04/06

Here are the DVD's in our library:

DVD-01 How to show your photos like a pro. Missing

DVD-02 Photoshop CS Photo retouching secrets

DVD-03 Photoshop for the beginner. Missing

DVD-04 Photoshop CS2 for the beginner

DVD-05 Photoshop Elements 3 unleashed

DVD-06 The best of Photoshop user the 5th year*

DVD-07 The best of Photoshop user the 6th year*

DVD-08 Adobe Acrobat 6 essentials*

DVD-09 Nikon The Speed of Light*

DVD-10 Adobe Indesign CS2*

DVD-11 The best of Photoshop user the 8th year*

CD - 12 A day with Monte Zucker*

CD - 13 How'd he do Dat Making a Monte Portrait*

CD - 14 Posing and Lighting the Bride and Groom*

DVD-15 Using Light Meters in the Digital Age*

* Belong to Klug's Photo World

They are available for your use; please call Jeffrey Klug 262 628-1255 or Email at kpw1255@aol.com to arrange pickup and return.

The next program called Digital Solutions will be held on August 5th at the Best Western Motel in the Symposium room. It will start about 11 AM to 4 PM. The program will include Color Management, Raw Workflow, Scanning Techniques, Photoshop Techniques. The fee for the day is \$35.00 which includes lunch. The presentations will be from local people. So far we have 19 people signed up for the seminar. No new seminars are planned because of low attendance to seminars.

Submitted by,
Jeffrey R. Klug
Program Chairman
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century Wisconsin breeds of horses, hogs, cattle and chickens can be seen in the barnyards and pastures. The gardens and fields are planted with many heirloom varieties of grains, flowers, fruits and vegetables.

Where: Old World Wisconsin is located 1.5 miles south of Eagle (Waukesha County) just off State Highway 67. Eagle is 35 miles from downtown Milwaukee, 55 miles from Madison, and 95 miles from Chicago. (262) 594-6300 • www.oldworldwisconsin.org

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| [] | [] Fuji | [] | [] digital |
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| [] | [] Pentax | [] | [] SLR |
| [] | [] Other | | |

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WACCO EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING MINUTES
November 28, 2006

Those present at the board meeting were:

Terry Jakubaitis, president	Bill Rietz	Lynne Rieger
Nancy Greifenhagen, vice-president	Jeff Tamms	
Jeff Klug, treasurer	Steve Haynes	
Mary Dumont, secretary	Rick Mayo	

The following issues were addressed:

Committee Positions: The president discussed the need to fill vacant positions on all the WACCO committees. After soliciting volunteers at the November Delegates meeting, and not getting any response, the president has assigned delegates to committees as needed. Please see the WACCO Committee Roster for those assignments. Delegates not wishing to fulfill respective assignments must assume the responsibility to get a replacement.

More members are needed for the Digital Forum, especially those who can put together programs.

Public Relations: The PR and competition committees will attempt to visit all membership clubs before the next competition in May 2007 to assist delegates in explaining competition rules, preparation of images and entry forms for submission, and new Novice section of the competitions. They will also explain some of the other programs WACCO is involved with, and solicit feedback regarding WACCO from the individual members.

Competitions:

1. The competition committee needs someone to be trained on the digital section of the competitions as a backup to Jeff Klug. Knowledge of Adobe Bridge is needed. Please contact Mary Dumont if interested.
2. Jeff Klug and Mary Dumont will put together information regarding the change from plaques to medals for vote at the February meeting. If approved, this change would be effective with the May 2007 competition.
3. Deadlines for entry submissions for upcoming competitions will be strictly enforced. Please make all members aware of deadlines.
4. A new Novice Exhibitor division has been proposed for the competition. This replaces the Class B section. Complete details will be submitted at the February 2007 Delegates meeting for discussion and vote.

Submitted by Mary Dumont, secretary

Attachments:

Committee Roster

Wisconsin Area Camera Clubs Organization



Fall 2006 COMPETITION Hosted by Menomonee Falls Camera Club

When: **Saturday, November 4, 2006**

Where: To Be Determined

Time: 11:30 AM

Divisions & Categories

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Photo Journalism (J)	Natural Landscape (L)	Nature (N)
Open (All Others) (O)	Open (All Others) (O)	Open (all other) (O)
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Total Enclosed

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WACO Competition Entry Form and Report Card

Fill in year and check Spring or Fall

Entry Form 200___ Spring ___ Fall ___
 Name _____
 Address _____
 City _____ Zip+4 _____
 Phone _____ E-Mail _____
 Club Affiliation _____
Division Entered _____
 General Slide Class A ___ Class B ___ Nature Slide _____
 General Digital Image ___ Nature Digital Image _____
 Lg Color Print ___ Lg Mono Print ___ Sm Color Print ___ Sm Mono Print _____

Image #	Title	Code	Score	Award
1				
2				
3				
4				

To Be completed by Competition Committee
 H.M. Acceptance Score _____ Entry # _____
 Do not separate Do not separate Do not separate



Report Card 200___ Spring ___ Fall ___
 Name _____
 Address _____
 City _____ Zip+4 _____
 Phone _____ E-Mail _____
 Club Affiliation _____

Division Entered
 General Slide Class A ___ Class B ___ Nature Slide _____
 General Digital Image ___ Nature Digital Image _____
 Lg Color Print ___ Lg Mono Print ___ Sm Color Print ___ Sm Mono Print _____

Image #	Title	Code	Score	Award
1				
2				
3				
4				

To Be completed by Competition Committee
 H.M. Acceptance Score _____ Entry# _____

Fill in Name and Address

Fill in Club Name

Check which Division entered

Enter Title and Category Code*
 Score and Award are filled in by competition committee

Image # should be placed on your print or slide

H.M. Acceptance Score and Entry# completed by Competition committee
 Bottom should be filled in the same as top. Do not separate card.

A Card should be filled out for each Division entered.

* Category Code
 Open - O
 Nature - N
 use the category code that is on handout sheet

Slide Instructions

All slides must be 2" x 2" mounts only. Slides should be "spotted" in the lower left-hand corner when held upright for viewing. Name and address of entrant, title and image number as it appears on the entry form must appear on all slides. Slide entries are to be mailed to the WACCO P.O. Box with completed entry form, fees, and self-addressed envelope or address label for the return of your slides by the host club. Election of General Slide Class B will be made by placing the letter "B" in the General Slide box on the Entry Form & Report Card (Any other mark will place the slides in Class A).

Name & Address	Kilborn Klapsaddle 1234 Nowhere Dr. Hope, WI 53666
Image # - Title	#1 Milwaukee Art Museum
Spot	MFCC Club

Large Print Instructions

Prints may be 8" x 12" to 16" x 20" - commercial, home processed or digitally printed. All prints must be mounted. Prints may be matted. Mount and/or mat size must be 16" x 20". No framed prints accepted. Name and address of entrant, title and image number as it appears on the entry form must appear on all prints. Print information should appear on the back of the print mount along with an arrow indicating the top of the print. Entry forms for prints must be received by the host club on the same deadline date as for slides. You may mail your prints to the host club or bring them in person on the day of the competition as outlined on the reverse. All prints must be picked up after the competition. If this is inconvenient, contact the host club or Competition Chairman and make other arrangements in advance.

Small Print Instructions

Prints may be 3 1/2" x 5" to 8" x 10" - commercial, home processed or digitally printed. All prints must be mounted. Prints may be matted. Mount and/or mat size must be 8 x 10 or 11" x 14". No framed prints accepted. Name and address of entrant, title and image number as it appears on the entry form must appear on all prints. Print information should appear on the back of the print mount along with an arrow indicating the top of the print. Entry forms for prints must be received by the host club on the same deadline date as for slides. You may mail your prints to the host club or bring them in person on the day of the competition as outlined on the reverse. All prints must be picked up after the competition. If this is inconvenient, contact the host club and make other arrangements in advance.

Digital Image Instructions

The Digital Image should be a maximum of 1024 (Width) x 768 (Height) pixels or 7.68" (Height) X 10.24" (Width) @ 100 dpi. It should be a Jpeg format with a maximum files size of 1.4 mb. They must be on a CD which should have your Name, Phone number and E-mail address on it. The images should be put into folders labeled for the division entered (General or Nature). Each image should be labeled with Category, Entry #, Title. Where the category would be G for General and N for Nature, the entry # from the report card and title of the image with a dash between each item as shown.

EXAMPLE: G_1_Milwaukee Art Museum.jpeg

The image may not have received an Honorable Mention or award from any Division. The Digital entry CD are to be mailed to the WACCO P.O. Box with completed entry form, fees, and will not be return unless requested.

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WISCONSIN AREA CAMERA CLUBS ORGANIZATION
February 3, 2007 Meeting Minutes

The meeting was called to order on Feb. 3rd at the US Bank, Butler, by President Terry Jakubaitis. The minutes of the November meeting were approved.

President's Report: Nothing new to report.

Vice-President's Report: Nothing to report.

Secretary's Report: A CD containing a copy of the updated WACCO Handbook and club roster were given to each club. Delegates who need a hard copy should contact the secretary.

Treasurer's Report: Several clubs have not paid dues for the Aug. 2006-July 2007 year. If dues are not paid before Feb. 15, 2007, those clubs lose their right to vote on WACCO matters and will not be allowed to participate in the Spring 07 competition. Going forward, to avoid confusion with possible officer changes at the club level, dues will be sent out in August and due by the November meeting. WACCO has \$7,181.88 in the treasury as of 1/30/07.

Executive Committee Report: Minutes from the meeting were approved.

Competition Committee Report: Announcement and entry form for the Spring 07 competition were distributed. Forms can be found on the WACCO website. The Spring 07 competition will be held on Saturday, May 5, 2007 at the Waukesha State Bank, Oconomowoc. We are still looking for a club to host the Spring 2007 competition. Categories are Weather (general slide) and Wild Flower (nature slide). The competition committee will explore donating a print one of the winning images to the bank as a "thank-you" for their generous use of the facilities there.

The competition committee is working on a Novice Exhibitor section to replace the Class B section of the current system. Details hope to be finalized by the May delegates meeting, with trial implementation scheduled for the November 07 competition. There are no changes for the Spring 07 competition.

The committee is exploring going to medals instead of plaques. The medals would keep costs down and there have been comments from members that a medal would be more desirable as it can be matted with the picture.

The PSA Councils Challenge 2007 entries are due at the May 2007 meeting. WACCO would like to have a better showing than 2006. In 2005 WACCO finished 1st overall, in 2006 – last place. Delegates are asked to encourage their members to submit only their best work for consideration. WACCO needs to have 10 entries in a section to participate. Sections are film slide, projected digital image, and print division. Each club may enter 2 images in each section. Contact Kathy Braun or Gerry Emmerich for more details.

Awards Committee: Nothing to report.

Nomination Committee: Nothing to report.

Old Business: WACCO came in dead last in the PSA Councils Challenge. Delegates should encourage their members to participate and submit their finest work.

Jeff Klug questioned whether WACCO wants to update the website to include more information. As it appears no one is interested in assuming the responsibility for doing so, the matter was tabled. The website address should be included on all printed material to help members become more familiar with it.

New Business: Nothing was discussed.

Next Meeting: It will be held on Saturday, February 2, 2008, 9:00 AM, tentatively scheduled at the US Bank, Butler. As a reminder, all delegates meetings are scheduled for the 1st Saturday of February, May, August and November at 9 AM.

Submitted by Mary Dumont, Secretary

WI Print Circuit closing date is March 18, 2007. Rules and entry forms can be found at www.wisconet.com. There is also a link from the WACCO website. The Wisconsin Circuit 2007

Exhibition Shows are as follows:

April 9, 7:00 PM: East Troy Viewfinders, East Troy

April 11, 7:00 PM: Friends of the Arboretum, Madison

April 12, 7:00 PM: Image Makers Camera Club, Oconomowoc

May 8, 7:00 PM: Menomonee Falls CC, Men. Falls library

May 12, 9:00 AM: Wehr Nature Center CC, Whitnall Park, Franklin

May (TBA): Racine Camera Club

Program Committee Report: The committee is still looking for suggestions on topics and scheduling times. More members are needed on the committee.

Public Relations Committee: Nothing to report. Chairman is looking for direction from Board as to specific duties.

Digital Forum Report: Digital Forum meets the 2nd Wednesday, monthly, at 7:00 pm at the Menomonee Falls Public Library. Currently there are 40-50 attendees.

Membership Committee: Chairman requested a roster addition, which was approved. Richard Yehl was added to the committee.

International Salon Committee Report: Waiting for confirmation before making an official announcement. More information to follow.

Awards Committee: Jean Sommers, past secretary, Jeff Klug, treasurer and past competition chairperson, and Jeff Tamms received awards honoring their long-standing work for WACCO. In addition, Jeff Klug, (Lg. Color Print) and Richard Nason (Lg. Monochrome Print) were awarded proficiency certificates.

Nomination Committee: The following is the Slate of Candidates for the May 5, 2007 election:

President: Terry Jakubaitus

Vice President: Nancy Greifenhagen

Secretary: Mary Dumont

Treasurer: Richard Knisbeck

Nominations from the floor will also be taken prior to the vote on May 5, 2007.

Old Business: Janesville has been dropped from WACCO. The club will not be able to participate in WACCO activities, including the WI. Print Circuit.

New Business: Nothing to report.

Next Meeting: It will be held on Saturday, May 5, 2007, 9:00 AM, at the Waukesha State Bank, Oconomowoc. As a reminder, all delegates meetings are scheduled for the 1st Saturday of February, May, August and November at 9 AM.

Submitted by Mary Dumont, Secretary

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Category Summary Report

11/1/06 through 1/30/07

Category	11/1/06- 1/30/07
Inflows	
Administration income	90.00
Competition Income:	
Entry Fees	392.00
Plaque Sponsor	56.00
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Total Competition Income	448.00
Interest Earned	5.83
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Total Inflows	543.83
Outflows	
Competition:	
Misc.	25.00
Postage	17.77
Printing	33.71
Trophy & Ribbons	338.71
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Total Competition	415.19
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Total Outflows	415.19
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Overall Total	128.64
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Cash on Hand Report

As of 1/30/07

Accounts	1/30/07 Balance
Assets	
Cash and Bank Accounts	
Money Market	6,344.49
WACCO Checking	837.39
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Total Cash and Bank Accounts	7,181.88
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Total Assets	7,181.88
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Liabilities	0.00
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Overall Total	7,181.88
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WISCONSIN AREA CAMERA CLUB ORGANIZATION COMMITTEES

Updated: December 2006

Competition

Chairperson: 1. Mary Dumont, Secretary UECPC
2. Nancy Greifenhagen, VP. MFCC
3. Jeff Klug, Treasurer MFCC
4. Bill Rietz MFCC
5. Steve Haynes MFCC
6. Jeff Tamms PPM
7. Gerald Emmerich IM
8. Ellen Worzala WNC
9. Geri Laehn FS
10. Richard Mayo UV

Public Relations

Chairperson: 1. Nancy Greifenhagen, VP. MFCC
2. Mary Dumont, Secretary UECPC
3. Don Frisque IN
4. Judy Ollech FP
5. Chad Davis PKG
6. Vern Leibbrandt FANP

Program

Chairperson: 1. Jeff Klug, Treasurer MFCC
2. Geri Laehn FS
3. Nancy Greifenhagen, VP. MFCC
4. Lynne Rieger WNC
5. Rick Kempfer IM
6. Phil Unterholzner

International/WI Circuit

Chairperson: 1. Jeff Tamms PPM
2.

Membership

Chairperson: 1. Gerry Emmerich ET
2. Don Frisque IN
3. Richard Yehl WM

Awards

Chairperson: 1. Bill Rietz MFCC
2. Kathy Braun PPM
3. Steve Haynes MFCC

Audio-Visual Librarian

Jon Moscicki (MFCC)

Nominations

Chairperson: 1. Bill Rietz MFCC
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Digital Forum (non-standing committee)

Chairperson: 1. Lynne Rieger
2. Jeff Klug
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Delegates currently not assigned to a committee

Joe Haertl East Troy
Darrell Ladish East Troy
Jack Worthen Fox Valley
Jackie Boyd Fox Valley
Al Christensen Image Makers
Don Gorzek MFCC
Clarence Miller Milwaukee Camera Club
Brian Chart Milwaukee Camera Club
Marilyn Wilson Racine Camera Club
Jim Scott Unlimited Vision
Al Godwin Unlimited Vision

