The VIEW Finder

Jim Soe Nyun to present “Balboa Park Scavenger Hunt”

When: Thursday, August 9
Where: Tierrasanta Community Swimming Pool
11238 Clmnt. Mesa Blvd.
(Two miles east of I-15, on the left. Go to the Pool Building, look for entrance on street level. It is to the left of the center stairs.)

What can our members do with creative categories, a camera, one roll of film, and a lot of imagination? Join the hunt organizers led by Jim Soe Nyun for the results of the July 14th photographic scavenger hunt. Balboa Park was the setting for this year’s hunt, providing lots of visual stimuli for the participants.

Winning slides from the different categories will be presented, as well as those of worthy runners-up. Prizes will be awarded based on creativity and artistic merit. Technical excellence was an element of the judging, but secondary to the seeing and thinking components. Past years have seen work from newcomers to Photo Section displayed alongside the work of long-time veterans. Come and enjoy the work that makes it to the "big screen."

Quote: “To photograph truthfully and effectively is to see beneath the surfaces and record the qualities of nature and humanity which live or are latent in all things.”

Ansel Adams

Bring your camera and favorite lenses. I use 75-300mm for close (with the Nikon 1 softfocus filter), 28-105mm for full length. I will meter the shots for you and show you how to set your camera (manual mode, 125 sec. F16). Bring your own 100 ISO film. I always use Fuji Astia portrait slide film. The lights are color correct for this. But any 100 ISO film will work. I have a special infrared trigger that goes on your camera. Minolta users need to buy or rent the flash shoe attachment that makes your camera flash shoe like the Canon and Nikon. If your camera won't trigger the flash you will need to switch to a loaner I will have. Please leave your tripod at home.

When: Sat. Sept. 8, 2001
Where: Photo Arts Bldg., Balboa Park, 1780 Village Place.
Times: (3 people sign up per time block): 10-10:45, 11-11:45, 1-1:45, 2-2:45, 3-3:45. E-mail me or call me to reserve your time. We will shoot round robin style, with each person picking a model/pose/lighting style and taking the picture. Time will accommodate a maximum of 15 members, so contact me immediately to reserve your spot. I have done these shoots before and they are super fun!

Happy image making,
Steve Cirone

MOPA Exhibit: July 29 - Oct. 21
Navigating by Light, Philipp Scholz Ritterman’s photographs using urban lighting, firelight and moonlight to illuminate his subjects.

North County Camera Exhibit: July 28-Aug. 31
40 images curated from the 2001 Del Mar Fair Photography Competition. North County Camera, 945 W. Valley Pkwy., Escondido. Hours: Mon-Fri. 9-6 and Sat., from 9-5.
Zion National Park (possibly also first week of November)
Potential leader: Lindsey Martin
Alternate: Yosemite National Park

November 10:
1) Day of the Dead, Laguna Chapala Monarca, Michoacan, Mexico
Leaders: Karl Grobl (858) 689-1963, Carlo Terlizzi (760) 492-8610 & Carol Martinelli (858) 487-3317
2) Rainbow Basin (just outside of Barstow)
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