

Creative Projected Image of the Month:
Sunflower Transition by Rose Bower



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Important Dates

- Feb. 02:** Slides: pictorial; Prints: pictorial Judge: Trenkins McClain
- Feb. 16:** Slides: travel and journalism; Prints: journalism Judge: Dick Hixson
- Mar. 02:** Slides: pictorial; Prints: pictorial: Judge: Wendal Delano
- Mar. 16:** Slides: nature and creative; Prints: nature and sequence Judge: Robin Braunfeld

Nature Projected Images

Judge: Don Sogar

Jan. 20, 2006

Nature Image of the Month: Aurora Borealis above the Arctic Circle, Alaska by Pat Prettie

Class A-O (5 entries)

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| 1 Spreading Gooseberry IE) | Jane Postiglione |
| 2 Panama Pacific Water Lily after rain, Maui, Hawaii (E) | Gordana Zura |

Class A-Z (12 entries)

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| 1. Sand Crabs, Fanning Island (E) | George Field |
| 2. Snail Ingesting Blossom (E) | George Field |
| 3. Young Green Heron portrait (E) | Bill Stone |
| 4. Elephant Seal Pup resting at San Simeon, Ca (E) | Jane Postiglione |

Class AA-O (5 entries)

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| 1. Snowplant Amongst Pine Needles | Barrie Bieler |
| 2. Great Fountain Geyser & White Dome Geyser
Erupt Simultaneously, Yellowstone Nat'l Park (E) | Dick Stahlke |

Class AA-Z (9 entries)

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| 1. Geat Blue Heron and Chicks (E) | Bill Blakewell |
| 2. Northern Elephant Seal Bull Covers Himself with
Sand for Sun Protection (E) | Dick Stahlke |
| 3. Pelagic Cormorant Joins Two Sealions at the Rocks (E) | Jim Halpin |

Class AAA-O (3 entries)

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| 1. Aurora Borealis above the Arctic Circle, Alaska (E) | Pat Prettie |
| 2. Jack O'Lantern Swarm (E) | Robert Beall |

Class AAA-Z (15 entries)

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| 1. Alpha Male and Female Dominate Lower Ranking Wolves(E) | Sherry Grivett |
| 2. Pig Frog with Egg Mass (E) | Glenn Corlew |
| 3. A Flock of Black-Necked Stilts(E) | Joan Field |
| 4. Monarch Butterfly Emerges from Chrysalis (E) | D. Hohenstein |
| 5. Roseatte Spoonbill Foraging, Ding Darling Reserve (E) | Glenn Corlew |

Nature YTD 1/06

A

Gordana Zura	13.0
Gabrielle Riemer	13.0
George Field	11.0
Bill Stone	11.0
Jane Postiglione	9.0
Bob Rogers	4.5
Denny Weigand	2.0
George Field	2.0
Carolyn Kramer	2.0
Bill Stone	2.0
Morris Johnson	2.0

AA

Dick Stahlke	20.0
Barrie Bieler	14.0
Jim Halpin	12.0
Bill Blakewell	6.0
Wayne Miller	4.5
Jason Young	4.0
Ed Maxwell	2.0

AAA

Sherry Grivett	18.0
Pat Prettie	13.0
Joan Field	12.0
Glenn Corlew	9.0
Robert Beall	8.0
Rose Bower	7.0
Donita Hohenstein	6.5
Stephen Weiss	3.5

Spreading Gooseberry by Jane Postiglione



1st Place Nature O-A

Sand Crabs, Fanning Island by George Field



1st Place Nature A-Z

*Alpha Male and Female
Dominate Lower Ranking
Wolves
by Sherry Grivett
1st Place AAA N-Z*



*Projected Nature Image of the Month:
The Aurora Borealis above the Arctic Circle,
Alaska by Pat Prettie*



Creative Projected Images

Judge: Don Sowar

Jan. 19, 2006

Creative Image of the Month: *Sunflower in Transition by Rose Bower*

A (14 entries)

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| 1. Steady as She Goes (E) | Bob Rogers |
| 2. Self-Portrait in Poppies (E) | Donita Hohenstein |
| 3. Ghost Ship passes East Brother Lighthouse (E) | Bob Rogers |
| 4. Wet Road Ahead (E) | Kalynda Stone |
| 5. Strands of Light in a Wave (E) | Jane Postiglione |

AA (18 entries)

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| 1. Sunflower in Transition (E) | Rose Bower |
| 2. Tsunami hits Peggy's Cove (E) | Glenn Corlew |
| 3. She has the Whole World (E) | Wayne Miller |
| 4. Bird of Paradise in Rhythm (E) | Rose Bower |
| 5. Nature's Ballet (E) | Glenn Corlew |

Creative YTD 01/06

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Bob Rogers	19.5	Glenn Corlew	13.0
Jason Young	8.0	Rose Bower	11.0
Gordana Zura	7.0	Wayne Miller	10.0
Jane Postiglione	7.0	Joan Field	9.5
Donita Hohenstein	5.0	Barrie Bieler	7.5
Kalynda Stone	3.0	Dick Stahlke	5.5
Bill Stone	2.0	Pat Prettie	4.0
Denny Weigand	2.0	Sherry Grivett	4.0
Gwen Halpin	2.0	Stephen Weiss	4.0
Morris Johnson	2.0	Dan Katzman	1.0

Swirling Lights by Pat Prettie



1st Place Creative Prints

Travel Prints

Date: Jan. 19, 2006

Judge: Don Sogar

15 Entries

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| 1. Buddhist Monk, Ankor-Wat | Bill Blakewell |
| 2. Prayer and Bathing at the Ganges | Jim Halpin |
| 3. Matchu Pitchu, Peru with Quaina Pitchu Mountain
as a Backdrop | Jane Postiglione |
| 4. Architecture of Cahos, Weisman Art Museum,
Minneapolis, MN | Sherry Grivett |
| 5. Flating Fishing Village, Halong Bay, Vietnam
HM California Coastal Range from Mt. Diablo | Dick Kramer
Bob Rogers |

Creative Prints

Jan. 19, 2006

Judge: Don Sogar

16 Prints

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| 1. Twirling Lights | Pat Prettie |
| 2.. Mobius Flow | Sherry Grivett |
| 3. Girls in Hollywood | Wayne Miller |
| 4. Visionary | Bob Rogers |
| 5. Textured Tex | Sherry Grivett |
| HM Maple Leaf Rag | Dick Kramer |

Travel YTD 01/06

Gordana Zura	11
Jane Postiglione	7
Pat Prettie	6
Sherry Grivett	6
Bill Blakewell	6
Jim Halpin	6
Robert Beall	4
Barrie Bieler	4
Eric Lee	3.5
Dick Kramer	3
Denny Weigand	2.5
Bill Stone	2.5
Bob Rogers	2.5
Ed Maxwell	2
Wayne Miller	1
Bill Chamband	1
Morris Johnson	1

Creative YTD 01/06

Wayne Miller	15
Pat Prettie	10
Sherry Grivett	9
Barrie Bieler	8
Jane Postiglione	5
Bob Rogers	4
Morris Johnson	3
Dick Kramer	2.5
Joe Hearst	2
Denny Weigand	2
Bill Stone	1

Miscellaneous Messages

NEW!!! There is a new format for submitting electronic images that Gabrielle Riemer would like for us to use, and which is probably a good format for all our electronic images.

1. **Subject** of the email should be "CCCC - CATEGORY - Month/Day/Year" for example "CCCC- NATURE-Jan 19 2006"
2. For the **body** of the email use the following:

Photographer: type your name here (useful when you are using somebody else email account)

Photo # 1 Title: type the title of the picture here

Photo # 1 Category: A-Z (for zoological) or A, AA-Z or AA, etc.

Photo # 2 Title: type the title of the picture here

Photo # 2 Category: A-Z (for zoological) or A, AA-Z or AA, etc.

Photo # 3 Title: type the title of the picture here

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Also I think we should use a common format for naming the files.

I propose: Category_PhotographerFirstInitial&LastName_ShortTitle.jpg

For example: A_BRogers_EveningSunlight.jpg or AZ_GField_SandCrab.jpg

If everyone uses the same format it would be much easier.

In addition Bob Rogers has new rules for submitting images to N4C which are:

Every electronic image should have as a prefix to the title the following information: Category (Pictorial, etc.)Division (A, AA, Master's etc.). So the electronic images will have a lot of information. And don't forget to bring your blue cards with S or E on them to indicate whether they are regular slides or electronic images. And we thought writing all that stuff on the slide itself was complicated.