



Omaha Camera Club Minutes
March 16th, 2021

Omaha Camera Club
Virtual Meeting via Zoom

Introduction of Guests: None

New Members: Cheryl Lee, a past member has rejoined our club after recently retiring from a teaching career.

Announcements: Don Otis president

1. Encourage our members to invite guests to check us out.
Send the guest's name and email address to Ed Bastedo.

2. April Competition:
 - Deadline for April competition submission is April 1st.
 - Reminder April homework assignment is 'Patterns (in Nature)'

3. 1st Tuesday Meeting Format change
 - When we have an educational program, we may limit the number of photos for Show & Tell to four (4) per member.
 - Should we run out of time, remaining participants will carry over to the following month's Show & Tell and be shown first.
 - Ed Bastedo is not available to Host our April 6th meeting. If one of our members is able to host it would be appreciated, otherwise I will host our meeting.

4. Our Website Committee is actively working on providing Marty Welter content. One of the new features will be a Pictorial Member Directory. Voluntary. We would like to include information about the equipment and software you use. A form will be sent out shortly and we hope everyone will participate in this. Share. Head and shoulder portrait.

5. Board Reports:
 - o Dorothy Sansom: Programs – Apr Shari Miller; macro; members are encouraged to bring something from nature;
 - o Larry Headley about the judges– we are in good shape!

6. Competition Chair Reports
 - o Allen Kurth – new people part in competition; appreciated
 - o Nikki McDonald – N4C; nothing from March

7. Fun fact: NFT: Non-fungible Token – black chain certificate for digital image;
 - o “Everydays: The First 5000 Days,”
 - o Jpeg that sold for \$69.3 million
 - Artist: “Beeple” aka Mike Winkelmann
 - 39 year-old Graphic Designer Charleston, S.C.

8. Competition Revel: Allen Kurth

- So many great photos! Thanks for all of you!

9. Next meeting is April 6th

- Program: Macro Photography with Shari Miller
 - “Embracing the Process, Practicing Gratitude: Learning to See Beauty in the Small Things”.
- Show & Tell (four (4) images per participant please)

Meeting was adjourned at 8:30 pm.

Note taker: Eva Lovas - Secretary