



Omaha Camera Club Minutes,
November 16th,2021

- Welcome to all members and guest
- Participants: 28 members (13 on Zoom)
- Program: annual business meeting
- Maggie Hernandez made a motion to discuss the bylaws. Tom Pfeiffer seconded.
- Members asked a few questions about the new bylaw. Chris Amberg answered.
- Members voted for the new bylaws: all “aye”.
- Nomination for new officers: Larry Cameron and Ron Schmidt were nominated as new members of the board. All the members favored in voting. Congratulations.
- Membership dues: Student \$20.00; Individual \$35.00; Family: \$50.00
Options for paying Dues:
Through club website under Membership
Give check to Larry Schmidt
Mail check to Omaha Club Treasurer, 6837 Crabapple St, La Vista NE 68128
- Dorothy Sansom put together a survey about the program and asking some suggestion for new programs. If you have any idea or like to have a program on a certain subject, contact with Dorothy.
- Treasurer’s Report: Larry Schmidt traveling, Don reported:
11/1/21 Cash balance \$2,878
Projected Dues income 2022: \$1,646
Projected Expenses 2022: \$1,411
- President’s Report:
Created centralized Member Handbook
Expanded Website (pay dues online)
Added Zoom
Added Insurance coverages for club (Liability & Fidelity coverage)
Expanded Programing
Floor was opened for member discussion and feedback
- Nikki McDonald suggested to return to the alternating judging in print competition. One competition with members judging and one with an outside judge.
- Discussion about the print competition and how to shorten the time needed to judge. It was recommended that two computers be used next time to tabulate the results.s
- Nikki McDonald reported the awards for the Best of the Best in N4C for last year. The following received recognition:

- Allen Kurth, Marty Barker, Mike Barker and Nikki McDonald
- Homework 2023 Voting Results:
 - Architecture
 - Barns
 - Doors (or Doors & Windows)
 - Leaves
 - Lights & Shadows
 - Macro
 - Monochrome
 - Squares (Geometric shapes & lines dominate)
- We have updated our website with new member photos as we are working to keep the site fresh and recognize the great work of our membership.
- Don Otis introduced The Riverfront Project
 - An opportunity for the club to host an event in the new Gene Leahy Mall in summer of 2022
 - Suggestion to form a standing committee to coordinate ideas; an exhibit or educational presentation.
- Holiday gift for Nebraska Methodist College student pantry as a Thank You for the free room and use of their technology.
 - Gifts can be donated in any form: individual gift cards (small value of money); monetary donation via the club's website, any physical items mainly toiletries and food.
 - Any questions? Ask Eva Lovas.
- Conclude meeting:
 - Next meeting is Dec 7th at NMC. Zoom will be available.
 - December 7th meeting will be Show & Tell built around travel
 - Members will have up to 10 minutes to share photos and input on recommendations in traveling to the featured location.
 - Please invite a guest to join us, contact me for an invitation.
- Meeting was adjourned at 8:30 pm.

Notes: Eva Lovas (Secretary)

OCC Attendance Sheet

Date

11/16/21

<u>Last</u>	<u>First</u>		<u>Last</u>	<u>First</u>	
Amberg	Chris	z	Lee	Jim	z
Arce	Quinsen		Lee	Sheryl	
Barker	Stephen "Mike"	z	Lovas	Eva	x
Barker	Marty	z	McDonald	Dave	x
Bastedo	Edward		McDonald	Nikki	x
Bellinger	Paul	z	Muir	Maximum (Max)	
Burrell	Royce		Otis	Don	x
Cameron	Larry	z	Parker	Scott	
Cross	Don		Pfeffer	Tom	x
Davis	Linda	z	Place	Patricia	x
Evans	Paul	x	Sansom	Dorothy	
Foos	Bob		Scotton	Renato	x
Gustafson	Donna		Schaefer	Jim	
Gray	Donna	z	Schaefer	Judy	
Hall	Thomas	x	Schmidt	Larry	
Headley	Larry	x	Schmidt	Ron	z
Hernandez	Adrian	x	Stamler	Allan	
Hernandez	Maggie	x	Stevens	Ken	
Hosher	Eric		Turner	Terry	
James	Penny		Turner	Donna	
Kinzle	Janiece	z	Vanderveen	Heather	x
Kinzle	Kreg		Walling	Steve	z
Kurth	Allen	x	Wentworth	Sandra	x
Kugler	John	z	Wooge	Mark	
			Zucker	Irvin	z

In person 15
 Zoom 13
 Total 28

Z = Zoom Attendee

Guest:

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Email
