

NECCC Spring 23-2024 Digital Interclub Competition

The Spring 2024 Digital Interclub competition, hosted by the Greater Lynn Photographic Association, was held on Saturday, April 27, 2024. Thirty-nine clubs participated in the Color section (26 from Class A and 13 from Class B), thirty-nine clubs participated in the Nature section (20 from Class A and 19 from Class B), and thirty-seven clubs participated in the newly formed Monochrome section. A total of 457 images were judged in a little under three hours. We were unable to zoom out this spring judging, as the person who normally does it for us with his own equipment and multiple microphones was on vacation, but we did record it and after the recording has been finalized, we will post it on the website in this same area and send the link out to all the participating clubs to share with their membership. We do hope to be able to zoom out the judgments for next year.

Our judges were **Mary Boucher**, MNEC of Merrimack Valley Camera Club, MA; **Paul Smith**, MNEC of Gateway Camera Club, MA and **Karl Zuzarte**, MNEC of Photographic Soc. of Rhode Island. All are B&W print makers, very knowledgeable on all subject photographers and have judged throughout New England in International Exhibitions, interclub, and regular club competitions. All three were very qualified to judge each section presented.

This report contains the listing of the clubs total scores (top scoring clubs at the top) and a list of the winning images for each section.

2024-25 Digital Competition: Next year's Interclub will continue with the same rules and regulations set up for this year. They will again be hosted by Greater Lynn and judged live in person at the Greater Lynn Headquarters. We will continue doing three competitions-fall; winter and spring. Your chairman for 2024-25 will continue to be NECCC BOD members Pam Lintner, HonNEC and Susan Mosser, HonPSA, HonNEC. We will however be expanding our judge's pool selection to include judges from CT along with MA, NH and RI. **We will also be dividing the Mono section into two Classes A & B and this will be done by the year-end total scores for each club. The top scoring clubs will be in Class A and the lower scoring Clubs will be in Class B. All clubs were notified in the Spring report card which Class they would be in next year.**

Class B clubs that must move up to Class A in Color for 2024-25: 1. Eastern Maine-ME-Tied First-135 points
2. Quiet Corner-CT-Tied First -135 points

Class B Club that must move up to Class A in Nature for 2024-25: Flagpole-CT First Place- 141 points

We are also implementing a new choice to those Class A clubs who have been in Class A for a few years and are listed with year-end totals as one of the five lowest clubs who have competed with a full entry of 4 images per each of the three competitions for the year (total 12 images). You can now move back down to Class B if you wish, however you must stay in Class B for 2 years before being able to move backup to Class A, so you would need to consider this very carefully prior to asking to be moved back down. You would need to notify us prior by October 15, 2024 that you are moving down a class.

The dates for next year's competitions have not been selected yet but will again be in the fall (November), winter (moving to January) and spring (April). Dates will be announced at the NECCC Reps luncheon on June 15, 2024 and a notice will be sent to all the clubs. If your interclub director will change next year, please send me, Susan Mosser, the new name and contact information at s.jmosser@comcast.net so we are sure the correct person gets the information needed to compete.

The NECCC BOD and especially Pam and I, would personally like to thank Cindy Gosselin, HonNEC very much for all her work on interclub throughout this year and in past years. She guided Pam and I on what needed to be done and continued to do the club tabulations and ribbons for this year's competition. She is

stepping down from her duties as Interclub Co-Chair after over 15 years of working as Co-Chair with Bill Barnett, FPSA, HonNEC and then this year working with Pam and I.

2023-24 Competition Co-Chairman

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**NEW ENGLAND CAMERA CLUB COUNCIL
DIGITAL INTERCLUB COMPETITION
SPRING APRIL 27, 2024**

CLASS A – Color

Camera Club	Maker Last	Maker First	Title	Score	Award
MA Cape Cod Art Center	Doo	Mary	Sunflowers Talking	11	HA
MA Springfield	Harper	Richard	Celebration	11	HA
MA Seven Hills	Doherty	Jody	Splash	11	HA
CT New Haven	Saldana, MNEC	Denise	Dragon Eyes #2	11	HA
MA GLPA	Brady, MNEC	Jim	Reaching For the Horn	11	HA
CT New Haven	Peterson, MNEC	Paul	Knapweed Flowers	12	HA
MA Assabet Valley	Abrahamsen	Sue	Black Skimmer Skimming	12	HA
CT Candlewood	Tyrseck	Rick	Grand Teton Sunrise	12	HA
NH Seacoast	Comly	Dan	Exploring a Marigold	12	HA
RI PSRI	Berthiaume	Noreen	Jellyfish Dance	12	HA
MA GLPA	Taggart	Nina	Charles River Reflections	13	3rd
MA Cape Cod Viewfinders	Director	Stephen	Icelandic Dream	13	2nd
MA GLPA	Forward	Frank	Beach Aurora	14	1st

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CLASS B – Color

Camera Club	Maker Last	Maker First	Title	Score	Award
NH Lakes Region	Steinberg	Gal	Haystack Rock & Milky Way	12	HA
MA Whaling City	Joseph	Marjorie	Mom and Kits	12	HA
MA NE Shutterbugs	Carney	Sandy	Kestel Catching a Bug for Lunch	12	HA
CT Quiet Corner	Hyatt	Drew	Malibu Sunset	12	HA
NH North Country	Hohenboken	Jen	Time for Reflection	12	HA
CT Quiet Corner	Kolk	Laura	Ice Cave at Dawn	12	3rd
ME Eastern Maine	Hartt	Mary	Canoe Trip	13	2nd
ME Eastern Maine	Armstrong	Tom	Golden Sunset Bee	13	1st

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CLASS A – Nature

Camera Club	Maker Last	Maker First	Title	Score	Award
CT New Haven	Grenier	Carlotta	Eight in a Row	13	HA
MA Merrimack	Marcoux	William	Nest Building	13	HA
MA Nashoba	Kay	James	Bobcat Teaches Kit to Hunt	13	HA
MA Assabet Valley	Gill	John	Anhinga with Fish	13	HA
CT Oxford Greens	Liang	Alice	Perfect Time for Berries	13	HA
MA Springfield	McNierney	Gwen	Looking Out at the World	13	HA
MA Boston	Schiller	Ilya	Large and Happy Family	13	HA
MA Stony Brook	Fitzgerald	Karen	Coastal Brown Bear Coy Cub Play	13	HA
MA Cape Cod Viewfinders	Director	Stephen	Whitetip Sharks Mating Ritual	13	HA
MA GLPA	Forward	Frank	Fighting Foxes	14	HA
MA Stony Brook	DiBattista	Jean	Green Heron Eating Frog	14	3rd
MA GLPA	Murphy	Kathy	Polar Bear Mom with Cubs of The Year	14	2nd
MA GLPA	Goodman, MNEC	Michael	Pelican With Fish	14	1st

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CLASS B – Nature

Camera Club	Maker Last	Maker First	Title	Score	Award
CT Flagpole	Slawitschek	Katie	Walking on Water	12	HA
NH Lakes Region	Robusto	Dan	Wait Your Turn	12	HA
NH Lakes Region	McQuade	Mike	Crossing Paths	12	HA
NH North Country	Burgess	Joe	Wintering Elk Jackson Hole	12	HA
CT Litchfield Hills	Krampitz	Michael	Winter Snack	12	HA
CT Coastal	Flick	Maryann	Wood Frogs Breeding	12	HA
CT Litchfield Hills	Meisel	Carl	What a Catch	13	HA
CT Flagpole	Cullens, MNEC	Rhonda	Puffin Coming in for Landing	13	HA
ME Eastern Maine	Woodworth	Diane	Rough Day	13	HA
MA Whaling City	Rosperich	Christine	Lion Cub Feasting	13	3rd
NH North Country	Mahanor	Terri	Feeding Time	13	2nd
MA Cape Cod Art Center	Doo	Mary	Lions Feasting on Zebra	14	1st

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Monochrome

Camera Club	Maker Last	Maker First	Title	Score	Award
CT New Haven	Saldana, MNEC	Denise	Old Pilings	12	HA
NH Seacoast	Baldasaro	Tony	The Climber	12	HA
RI PSRI	Rizvi	Syed	Street Kid #1	12	HA
MA GLPA	Forward	Frank	Cuban Bus Rider	12	HA
CT Charter Oak	Griswold	Tom	Idle Lathe	12	HA
MA Whaling City	Castenson	Richard	Are We Alone Now	12	HA
CT Flagpole	Abrams	Robyn	The Last Time in Your Light	12	HA
MA Cape Cod Viewfinders	Walczak	James	Vistahorn	12	HA
MA GLPA	Driscoll, MNEC	Brenda	I'm Listening Dad	13	HA
MA Gateway	Keifer	Cathy	Frog on Acorns	13	HA
MA Hockomock	Weinstein	Jeff	Mans Best Friend	13	HA
NH Seacoast	Siler	Matt	Boulder Beach	13	HA
CT Oxford Greens	Fleischman	Chuck	Old Number 40	13	HA
MA Cape Cod Art Center	Doo	Mary	Backlit Ostrich #2	13	HA
CT Greater Bridgeport	Smith, MNEC	Terri	Camel Walk	13	HA
ME Eastern Maine	Woodworth	Diane	Conflict	13	HA
MA Boston	Conlin	Kelly	Every Step Counts	13	3rd
CT New Haven	Grenier	Carlotta	Stallions Running through Snow	13	2nd
MA GLPA	Jordan, MNEC	Ken	North Reading Oak	14	1st

NECCC Class A Color Spring 2023-24

Club	Fall 2023		Winter 2024		Spring 2024		Grand Total	Final Place
	Score	Place	Score	Place	Score	Place		
MA Greater Lynn	48	2nd	53	1st	48	1st	149	1st
MA Gateway	49	1st	51	3rd	43	3rd	143	2nd
MA Cape Cod Viewfinders	47	3rd	48		43	3rd	138	3rd
NH Seacoast	47	3rd	50		41		138	3rd
MA Merrimack	48	2nd	47		42		137	
MA Nashoba	45		52	2nd	40		137	
MA Assabet Valley	44		50		42		136	
CT Flagpole	46		47		41		134	
RI Photo Society of RI	44		44		44	2nd	132	
CT New Haven	42		45		43	3rd	130	
MA Cape Cod Art Center	40		48		41		129	
CT Simsbury	43		46		39		128	
CT Candlewood	44		42		41		127	
MA Hockomock	41		47		39		127	
MA Springfield	46		42		39		127	
NH Manchester	44		45		38		127	
CT Charter Oak	41		47		38		126	
MA Boston	42		45		39		126	
MA Seven Hills	38		46		42		126	
MA Central NE	43		43		39		125	
MA Stony Brook	43		43		38		124	
MA Upper Cape	43		43		38		124	
CT Housatonic	42		41		40		123	
CT Oxford Greens	42		42		39		123	
CT Greater Bridgeport	41		44		36		121	
NH Photographers Forum	39		41		37		117	
CT North Haven	44						44	

NECCC Class A Nature Spring 2023-24

Club	Fall 2023		Winter 2024		Spring 2024		Grand Total	Final Place
	Score	Place	Score	Place	Score	Place		
MA Greater Lynn	49	3rd	54	1st	54	1st	157	1st
MA Nashoba	53	1st	50	3rd	48	3rd	151	2nd
MA Stony Brook	50	2nd	51	2nd	49	2nd	150	3rd
MA Gateway	50	2nd	50	3rd	46		146	
MA Central NE	47		48		47		142	
RI Photo Society of RI	43		51	2nd	46		140	
MA Assabet Valley	49	3rd	46		44		139	
MA Cape Cod Viewfinders	47		45		47		139	
MA Merrimack	43		50	3rd	45		138	
MA Springfield	44		46		44		134	
NH Seacoast	46		43		45		134	
CT Simsbury	48		42		43		133	
NH Manchester	44		44		45		133	
CT NewHaven	42		45		44		131	
MA Boston	44		44		43		131	
MA Hockomock	46		40		44		130	
CT Charter Oak	46		41		39		126	
CT Greater Bridgeport	46		40		40		126	
CT Oxford Greens	45		36		42		123	
CT Housatonic	40		41		38		119	
CT North Haven	44						44	

NECCC Class B Color Spring 2023-24

Club	Fall 2023		Winter 2024		Spring 2024		Grand Total	Final Place
	Score	Place	Score	Place	Score	Place		
CT Quiet Corner	47	2nd	43		45	1st	135	1st
ME Eastern Maine	47	2nd	43		45	1st	135	1st
CT Coastal	43		49	1st	40		132	2nd
CT Litchfield Hills	48	1st	43		41		132	2nd
NH North Country	46	3rd	42		43	2nd	131	3rd
MA Whaling City	46	3rd	45	2nd	39		130	
NH Lakes Region	41		44	3rd	43	2nd	128	
MA Fall River	46	3rd	43		38		127	
CT Milford	42		42		42	3rd	126	
CT Wallingford	40		44	3rd	42	3rd	126	
MA NE Shutterbugs	40		44	3rd	40		124	
NH NE Garden Club	44		39		37		120	
CT Conn Valley	44		32	*	29	*	105	
MA Berkshire	27	*	19	*			46	
* Less than total number of images submitted								

NECCC Class B Nature Spring 2023-24

Club	Fall 2023		Winter 2024		Spring 2024		Grand Total	Final Place
	Score	Place	Score	Place	Score	Place		
CT Flagpole	46	2nd	48	1st	47	1st	141	1st
MA Cape Cod Art Center	46	2nd	46	3rd	46	2nd	138	2nd
CT Coastal	46	2nd	47	2nd	44		137	3rd
ME Eastern Maine	46	2nd	44		45	3rd	135	
NH North Country	42		47	2nd	46	2nd	135	
MA Whaling City	44		46	3rd	44		134	
CT Quiet Corner	47	1st	42		41		130	
CT Candlewood	45	3rd	43		41		129	
CT Litchfield Hills	40		43		46	2nd	129	
NH Lakes Region	41		45		43		129	
MA NE Shutterbugs	41		45		42		128	
CT Milford	44		42		41		127	
MA FallRiver	44		42		40		126	
MA Upper Cape	44		42		39		125	
MA Seven Hills	41		37		44		122	
CT Wallingford	39		39		42		120	
NH Photographers Forum	39		39		37		115	
CT Conn Valley	41		31	*	40		112	
NH NE Garden Club	36		38		38		112	
MA Berkshire	30	*	19	*			49	
* Less than total number of images submitted								

NECCC Monochrome Spring 2023-24

Club	Fall 2023		Winter 2024		Spring 2024		Grand Total	Final Place
	Score	Place	Score	Place	Score	Place		
MA Greater Lynn	50	1st	49	1st	51	1st	150	1st
CT Flagpole	50	1st	48	2nd	45		143	2nd
MA Boston	47	2nd	48	2nd	45		140	3rd
MA Stony Brook	47	2nd	49	1st	43		139	
NH Seacoast	46	3rd	46		47	2nd	139	
CT New Haven	44		47	3rd	47	2nd	138	
MA Gateway	47	2nd	44		47	2nd	138	
CT Greater Bridgeport	47	2nd	42		46	3rd	135	
CT Simsbury	47	2nd	47	3rd	41		135	
RI Photo Society of RI	47	2nd	46		42		135	
MA Nashoba	45		48	2nd	41		134	
MA Merrimack	45		47	3rd	41		133	
MA Cape Cod Viewfinders	47	2nd	40		44		131	
MA Whaling City	44		44		43		131	
CT Charter Oak	42		44		44		130	
MA Springfield	43		43		44		130	
CT Wallingford	44		40		42		126	
MA Assabet Valley	43		42		41		126	
MA Fall River	41		42		43		126	
CT Milford	41		45		39		125	
MA Hockomock	38		42		45		125	
MA Upper Cape	42		40		42		124	
CT Coastal	40		43		40		123	
CT Quiet Corner	41		41		41		123	
MA Cape Cod Art Center	42		39		42		123	
MA Seven Hills	41		42		40		123	
NH North Country	40		40		42		122	
ME Eastern Maine	40		40		41		121	
CT Candlewood	40		38		42		120	
NH Lakes Region	42		36		42		120	
NH Manchester	40		37		43		120	
MA NE Shutterbugs	41		40		38		119	
NH Photographers Forum	39		39		39		117	
CT Litchfield Hills	40		37		39		116	
CT Oxford Greens	37		37		41		115	
CT Conn Valley	42		29	*	29	*	100	
NH NE Garden Club	19	*	11	*	30	*	60	
CT North Haven	45						45	
MA Berkshire	19	*					19	