

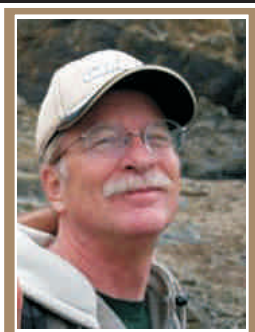
THE NEWSLETTER THAT FOCUSES ON PHOTOGRAPHY IN THE FOOTHILLS

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The Placer Camera Club meets the third Tuesday of each month except August
in the Beecher Room of the Auburn Placer County Library,
350 Nevada Street, Auburn, CA.
Visitors are always welcome.

An informal gathering at 6:30 PM is followed by the meeting which starts promptly at 7PM.

The President's Corner



This Month the Placer Camera Club starts its new year. Our club year runs from Sept to Aug. We have a few changes this year. We are adding 2 Image Evaluations for a total of 8. Two of those will be Prints only. The first Print Image Evaluation is November.

Starting this year we are reducing the number of entries to 3 instead

of 4. We have had a problem with too many entries and not enough time for the judge's comments which is why we have the evaluations. This will also help in ending the meetings on time.

This month we have our first **Image Evaluation** of the year. Our judge will be Tal Lewis. His website is: <http://www.talmadgelewisphoto.com/> Send your 3 digital images to placercameraclub@gmail.org

At the July meeting elections for club officers for the New Year were held. The results are:

President – Mike Schumacher

1st Vice President – Richard Myren

2nd Vice President – Tony Middleton

Treasurer – Judy Hooper

Secretary – Liz Staats & Dick Bozworth

We are in need of a club historian. If you are interested contact me.

There are other changes to the Annual Competition and judging that I will go over at this month's meeting as they are too lengthy to fit in this space.

See you Sept 18th!

Mike Schumacher

President Placer Camera Club



Through the Viewfinder

Submitted by Tony Middleton

Greetings from the Placer Camera Club Education Committee

As our new season begins we on the Board are hoping to better address the educational needs and wants of the PCC membership. To this end a new emphasis on education is being launched.

As this is your club it will be very important to get as much member participation as possible to make this a successful education season.

One of the needs for the committee will be to collect and identify some of the membership's ideas or wants for education. If you have any educational goals that you would like for the Education Committee to address please write them down and give them to any board member. Please include your contact information in order for a committee member to contact you to insure understanding or get clarification of your request.

Second on the list of needs is to compile a list of "Guest Instructors" built from our member base. We have a wealth of experience and knowledge in our membership that the committee hopes to tap into to make the educational opportunities meaningful. Again, if you are interested in participating as a guest instructor, please write down your name and contact information as well as areas of instruction you would be willing to help with, and your dates of availability. Get this information to any board member and they will get it to the committee. We hope to get enough instructors to share the classes identified by the committee.

Lastly, the members of the Board will be approaching some of the Club members to request that they join the Education Committee itself in order to make the goals more sustainable and to share in the committee workload.

Remember, this is your club. In order for the Club to succeed with its goals we need your participation.

Here is to a great Placer Camera Club season. See you soon,

PCC August Bar-b-que August 2012

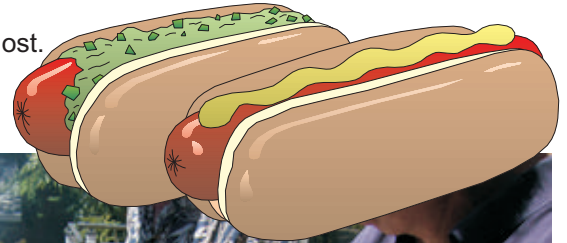
Submitted by Mike Schumacher

Placer Camera Club Annual Picnic 2012

This year's Annual picnic was a resounding success. The picnic was on August 11th at Sue Barthelow's home. Sue has a wonderful home of several acres in Auburn that includes forest and open areas with many areas of interest to photograph. We had a great feast of goodies including grilled hot dogs and hamburgers prepared by chef Jim Gamble. The weather was a bit too hot but fortunately Sue has a nice porch and deck area that we could enjoy the day and each other's company that was in the shade.

It was a fun fest that was made better by good company and a very gracious host.

Thanks Sue!



The Chow Line



Dick Bosworth serving Hot Dogs.



Jim Gamble the Cook



Sue Barthelow our Host.



Angel Wings • Sacramento Valley Wetlands 2012



Air Born • Sacramento Valley Wetlands 2012





Tundra Swans • Sacramento Valley Wetlands 2012



Prepare for Blast Off • Sacramento Valley Wetlands 2012



Washington California

Submitted by Patrick Jewel

We recently discovered **Washington California**-very photogenic!

On a beautiful stretch of river with a great swimming hole. Washington (originally, Indiana Camp) is located on the banks of the South Fork of The Yuba River and has a population of approximately two hundred people.

There is a hotel/bar and restaurant, grocery store, a one room schoolhouse that has educated students continuously for one hundred years, and two trailer park campgrounds.

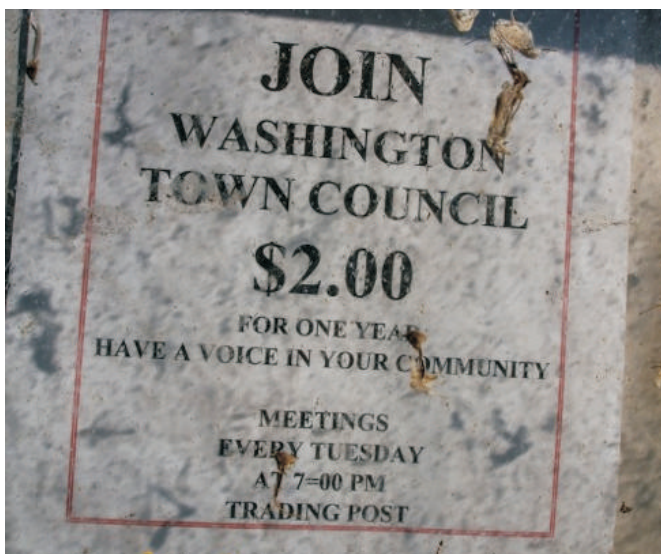
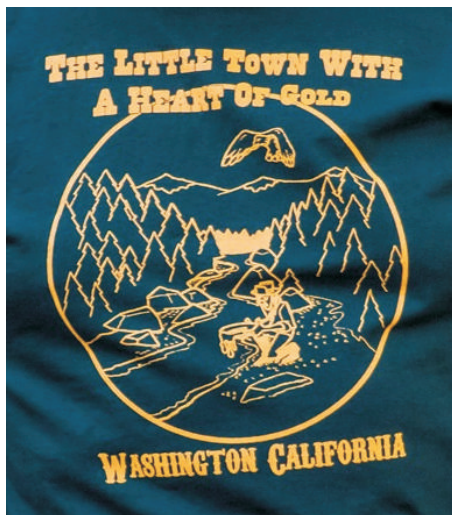
No gas station. Washington tee shirts available at grocery store.

The back porch of the hotel has a great view of the river and is a great place for cool drink or sandwich.

Friendly people

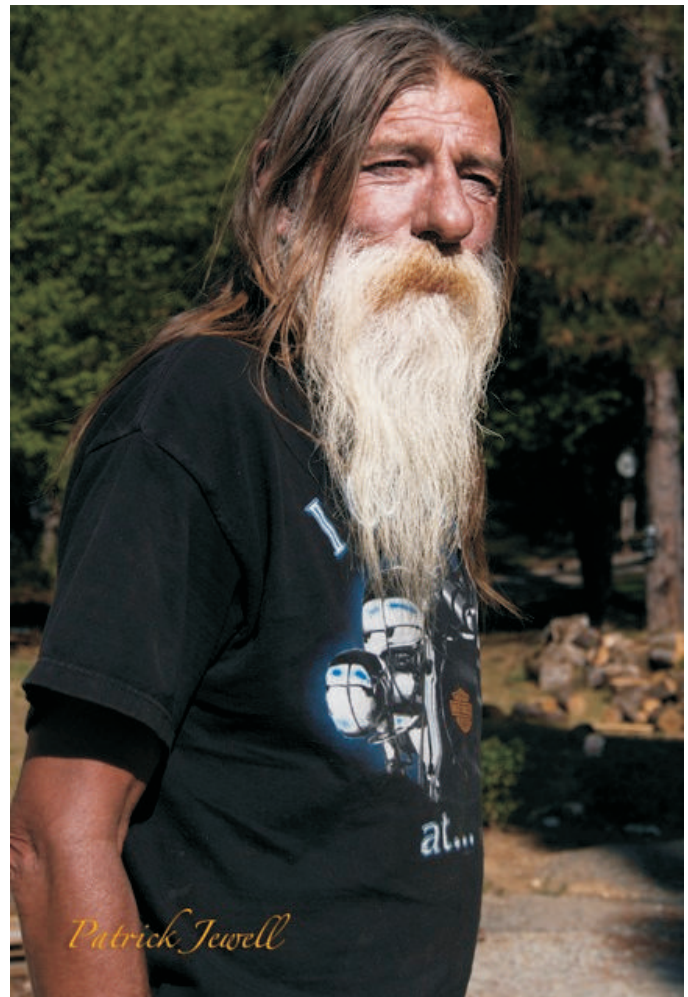
The elevation is 3652 ft.

Youtube has videos of a waterfall (link below) which we did not find-said to be "up the road a piece" Will check the waterfall next trip. <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PE5MTuX9VJI>



Washington California

Submitted by Patrick Jewell







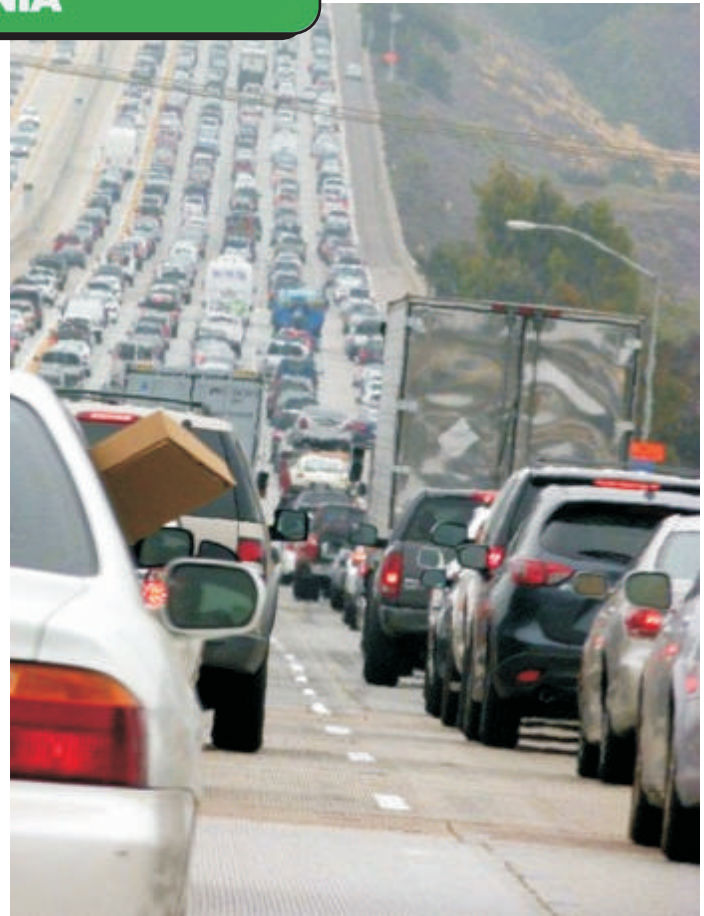


My Emergency Trip To San Diego

Submitted by Judy Hooper

Most of you know that in July I made a quick emergency trip to the San Diego area. Sorry I missed the meeting. I didn't have time for many photos, but here is what I saw, Traffic. Lots of car driving in smoggy overcast conditions The trip from the airport was at a standstill. I spent most of the time with my mom in the hospital. I did get to see my daughter win her barrel race in Ramona, and later a friend picked me up and we drove to Del Mar on the coast. More traffic, and fog. Not to be out done there was a drug raid across the street from my sisters house. The day before I left the weather cleared up a little and I got to see the blue sky. We went to the top of Mt. Helix, the high spot in La Mesa. The view into the El Cajon valley was clouded by all the smog. I now remember why I moved. My 93 year young mom is doing well and is home now.

Judy



PCC Members Websites

We are starting a list of Placer Camera Club member websites. I am gathering a list of member websites and will email the list out as soon as it is ready. When the list is complete we will link to member websites from the Placer Camera Club website. If you would like your website or blog to be included send the website to me at radioman@sebastiancorp.net If you can, put a link from your website to the Placer Camera Club website. This is what I have so far:

Jim Cormier	http://www.squareonegraphics.com/
Jim Bennett	http://www.youtube.com/user/lookydude
Bill Stenwick	http://bill-stenwick.smugmug.com/
Sande Parker	http://windsongphotographytoday.com
David Keyes	http://davekeyesphotography.com
Robbin Maloney	http://robbinmaloneyphotography.com
Mike Schumacher	http://morningstarimages.com
Truman Holtzclaw	http://www.abiphotos.com/
Walt Carnahan	http://www.sierrafoothillsaudubon.com/
Ardath Winterowd	http://flic.kr/s/aHsjyv86dM
Ron Parker	http://www.photographybyronparker.com/
Rod Bonser	http://tinyurl.com/rods-photo-sets
Sue Barthelow	http://www.suebarthelow.com/ http://www.suebarthelowimages.com/
Tony & Kristi Middleton	http://tony-and-kristi-middleton.artistwebsites.com/
Barry Walton	http://www.barrywaltonphoto.com/



PCC Dues Are Due for New Year.



Hello everyone.

Sept. is the start of a new year for us and that means that your dues are due.

\$25.00 per member.
\$40.00 per family of 2.

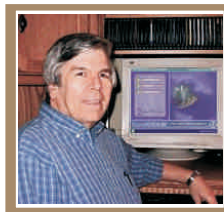
You can pay me at the meeting or mail a check to:

Placer Camera Club
PO Box 4990
Auburn CA 95604

Hope to see you all at our next meeting.

Judy Hooper

From Your Editor.



Placer Camera Club Members... Things are coming along nicely with my transition to PCC Newsletter editor.

If you have any suggestions on how I can improve the newsletter feel free to pass them on to me by e-mail or phone.

I have been receiving lots of positive feedback on the newsletter so far so that's a good indication that you are all happy with the PCC newsletter.

I look forward to your submissions each month to help add interest to our Newsletter.

Jim Cormier
Your Newsletter Editor.



Sew on Placer Camera Club Logo Patches

If you haven't purchased your very own **Placer Camera Club Patches** they are still available for just **\$5.00** each. You can call **Jim Cormier at 530-637-4700** or send him a check made out to Square One Graphics and he will mail your patches out to you. The patches are a great way of identifying where you are from when you are out in public on a shoot.

Get yours today while they last. Only 12 left.

I did some checking on 8-inch patches for the back of a jacket.
The costs are: 5 pieces \$33.25 each OR 10 pieces \$21.35 each.
Is anyone interested? Call or e-mail me.

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We have a great selection of
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Huey Monitor Calibration

The club has a Huey Monitor Calibration System
for use by the members.

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