

# **‘Club’ Competition – Final Report**

**Competition Title:** Altered Reality ‘Club’ Competition

**Competition Group:** Digital

**Closing Date:** February 28, 2018

**Club Hosting:** CAPA Director of Competition

**Location & Date of Judging:** CAPA’s online judging system was used from March 1 to 6.

## **COMPETITION JUDGING SYSTEM & COMMITTEE**

### **JUDGING SYSTEM**

For this competition, CAPA used its new ‘remote-judging system’ to:

- provide restricted access to three CAPA judges from different locations in Canada
- present the three judges with all the submitted images
- record the individual scores assigned by each judge
- download the competitions by the Director of Competitions

### **COMPETITION COMMITTEE**

**Competition Coordinator – Sheldon Boles** – CAPA Director of Competitions

### **JUDGES**

#1 – **Carole How** (CAPA Judge) from the Crescent Beach Photography Club

#2 – **Frank Pali** (Certified CAPA Judge) from the Langley Camera Club

#3 – **Gilles Vezina** (Certified CAPA Judge) from the R.A. Photo Club (Ottawa)

### **INSTRUCTIONS TO JUDGES**

Prior to commencing the judging process, all the judges were asked to consider the following when assigning a score to each image:

- Competition Judging Criteria as stated in the competition webpage:
  - image title that compliments or contributes to the vision or message being presented in the image
  - award scoring based on key elements such as composition, technique and subject matter
  - However will have a strong emphasis on the creative message, quality of execution, innovation and ‘wow’ factor

- Assign a score based on the CAPA standard scoring chart as outlined below:

Total image scores from all judges will range from **4 to 10 points** with a total score of 30 points.

½ points should be used to provide more separation in the aggregate scores.

The judges are asked to omit scores 1 and 2, which are deemed punitive, and to start at 4, as follows:

- 4 several significant flaws (should be rarely used)
- 5 fair, possibly with faults (such as – over sharpening, blurred image, over saturation, no focal point, etc...)
- 6 no significant flaws but does not stir the emotions or tells a story
- 7 good solid image (i.e. good choice in subject, lighting, dramatic composition, depth of field, emotional impact, tells a story, etc..)
- 8 very strong image – technically correct.
- 9,10 great image, impact, emotion. If you cannot find anything to improve the image, it must be 10.

## COMPETITION STATISTICS

<b>Highest Aggregate Score:</b> 131.5	<b>Lowest Aggregate Score:</b> 22 (only one image submitted by a club)
<b>Highest Image Score:</b> 24.5	<b>Lowest Image Score:</b> 15.5
<b>Total Number of Entrant:</b> 28	<b>Total Number of Images:</b> 158

**Disqualified Images: None**

## COMPETITION RESULTS & AWARDS

### Gold Medal Winner – Richmond Camera Club

First Name	Last Name	Images	Scores
Larry	Rezka	Watching you	23
Margaret	Kzrepkowski	Flower Girl	21
Luba	Citrin	The Passage of Time	21.5
Debbie	Gottdender	Cotton Candy	21
Julie	Brocca	Cruisin'	23
Claude	Sassoon	Meandering Office Tower	22
<b>TOTAL</b>			131.5

**Silver Medal Winner — Crescent Beach Photography Club**

First Name	Last Name	Images	Scores
Ronald	Kelman	Frequent Flyers	22.5
Roy	Abbott	Ghostly Hatching	24.5
Sheldon	Boles	Ancestry Search	21
Hafeez	Mian	Avatar	21
Derek	Hayes	Railway Evolution	19.5
John	Ostaf	Finn's Slough	20.5
		<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>129</b>

**Bronze Medal Winner – Etobicoke Camera Club**

First Name	Last Name	Images	Scores
Albert	Kurtz	Mountain Covered in Shards of Clouds	19
Alex	Konyukov	Black Ferrari Setting Fire	20
Christine	Kobielski	The Graduate, Picasso Style	23.5
Eva	Michalak	Keeping Unsustainable Peace	21
Michel	Gagnon	Wonderfully Weaved Woman	22
Theresa	Bryson	The Gatherer	23
		<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>128.5</b>

**Honourable Mention Ribbons** are awarded to 10% of the total entrants in a competition - rounded to the nearest whole number. This competition had 28 camera clubs which submitted images. Therefore, three Honourable Mention Ribbons are being awarded for this competition:

**Honourable Mention Ribbon - 4<sup>th</sup> Place – Montreal Camera Club**

First Name	Last Name	Images	Scores
Carole	Duhaime	Cracked Mirror	20
John	Surrige	Locomotion	21.5
Paul	Eifert	Cyborg	21.5
Phillip	Shapiro	Fun on the Water	22
Sylvia	Rourke	Whirlybirds on the Wild Side	22
Terry	Cohen	Fantasy Ballet Slippers	21
		<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>128</b>

**Honourable Mention Ribbon - 5<sup>th</sup> Place – Toronto Digital Photography Club**

First Name	Last Name	Images	Scores
Lorne	Rose	Emerald Bay as Tom Thomson would see it	20.5
Rita	Wong	Eve's Dance	19.5
Pat	Zuest	Feeding pigeons in St. Mark's Square	20.5
Theresa	Moore	Flower Spirit	23
Luba	Citrin	Good Morning!	22
Roger	Correia	Some Water Hazard!	21.5
		<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>127</b>

**Honourable Mention Ribbon - 6<sup>th</sup> Place – Langley Camera Club**

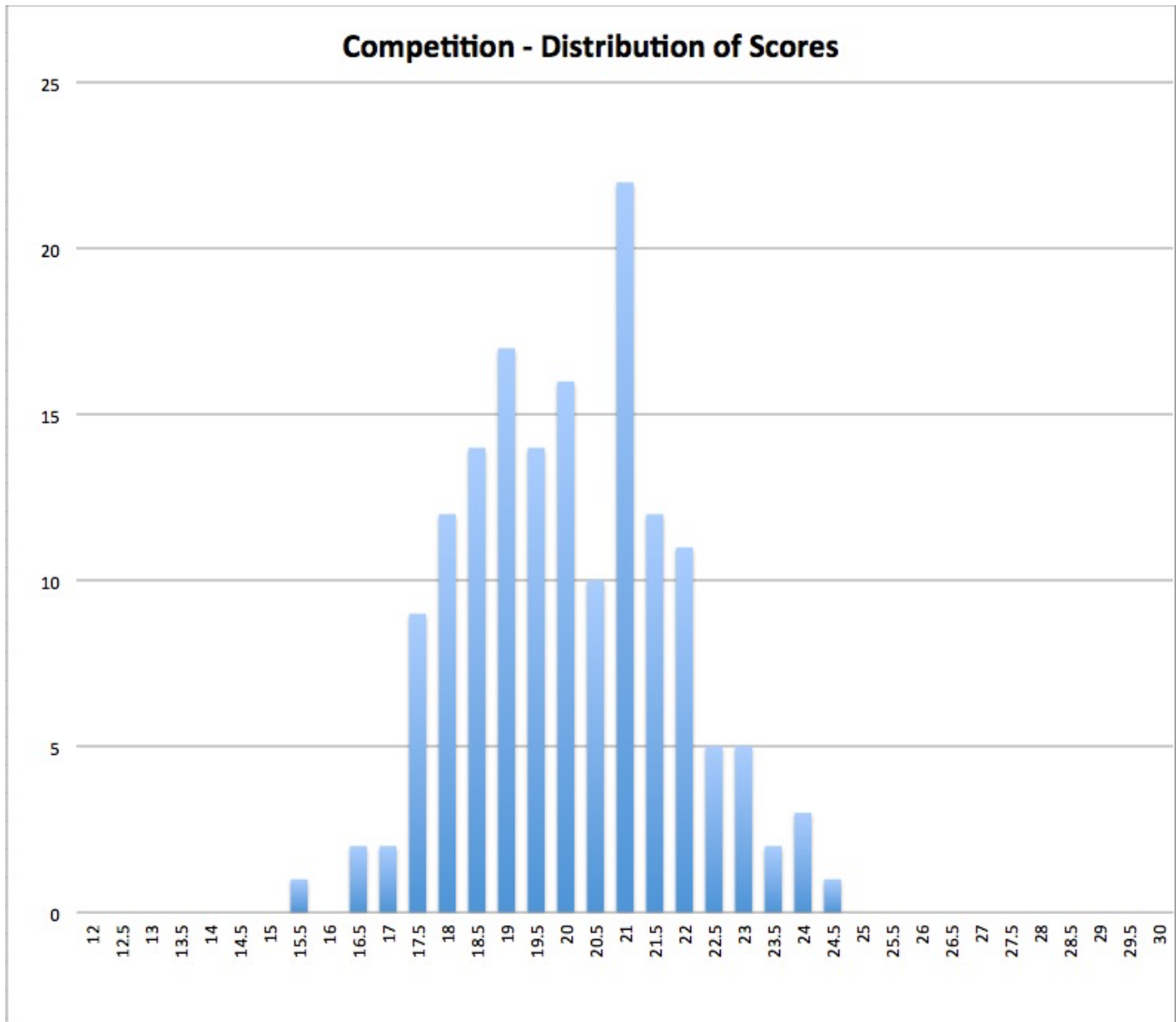
First Name	Last Name	Images	Scores
Gloria	Szabo	The Viking Ghost	19.5
Janet	Slater	Holding Back	20.5
Jim	Hatch	Going Home	22.5
Lorna	Scott	Death of a Forest	21.5
Arlette	Hatcher	Portrait in Smoke	20
Joy	Gerow	The Visitors	22
		<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>126</b>

**Merit Award Ribbons** (top three scored individual images as determined by the judges)

Merit Award	Photographer	Image Title	Score
1 <sup>st</sup>	<b>Roy Abbot</b> (Crescent Beach Photography Club)	Ghostly Hatching	24.5
2 <sup>nd</sup>	<b>Bela Acs</b> (Trillium Photographic Club)	Formation	24
3 <sup>rd</sup>	<b>Rick McKenzie</b> (Hamilton Camera Club)	Secrets Of My Garden	24

**NOTE** – There were three images which had the identical total score of 24 – submitted by: Bela Acs, Rick McKenzie and Jarold Dumouchel. Judges broke the tie and awarded the 2<sup>nd</sup> place to Bela Acs and 3<sup>rd</sup> place to Rick McKenzie.

### HISTOGRAM – Altered Reality ‘Club’ Distribution of Scores



**SORTED LISTING – Altered Reality ‘Club’ Competition Scores**

Title	FirstName	LastName	Judge #1	Judge #2	Judge #3	Total Score	
Watching you	Larry	Rezka	6.5	7.5	9	23	
Flower Girl	Margaret	Kzrepkowski	7	7.5	6.5	21	
The Passage of Time	Luba	Citrin	6.5	7	8	21.5	
Cotton Candy	Debbie	Gottkender	6.5	7	7.5	21	
Cruisin'	Julie	Brocca	8	7.5	7.5	23	
Meandering Office Tower	Claude	Sassoon	6.5	8	7.5	22	
<b>Richmond Hill Camera Club</b>							
<b>Total</b>						<b>131.5</b>	<b>GOLD</b>
Frequent Flyers	Ronald	Kelman	8	7	7.5	22.5	
Ghostly Hatching	Roy	Abbott	9.5	7.5	7.5	24.5	
Ancestry Search	Sheldon	Boles	7.5	6.5	7	21	
Avatar	Hafeez	Mian	7	7	7	21	
Railway Evolution	Derek	Hayes	7	6.5	6	19.5	
Finn's Slough	John	Ostaf	7	7.5	6	20.5	
<b>Crescent Beach Photo Club</b>							
<b>Total</b>						<b>129</b>	<b>SILVER</b>
Mountain Covered in Shards of Clouds	Albert	Kurtz	6.5	6.5	6	19	
Black Ferrari Setting Fire	Alex	Konyukov	7	7	6	20	
The Graduate, Picasso Style	Christine	Kobielski	8.5	7	8	23.5	
Keeping Unsustainable Peace	Eva	Michalak	7.5	6	7.5	21	
Wonderfully Weaved Woman	Michel	Gagnon	6.5	9	6.5	22	
The Gatherer	Theresa	Bryson	8.5	8	6.5	23	
<b>Etobicoke Camera Club Total</b>						<b>128.5</b>	<b>BRONZE</b>
Cracked Mirror	Carole	Duhaime	7	6	7	20	
Locomotion	John	Surridge	7.5	7	7	21.5	
Cyborg	Paul	Eifert	9	6	6.5	21.5	
Fun on the Water	Phillip	Shapiro	7	7	8	22	
Whirlybirds on the Wild Side	Sylvia	Rourke	6	7	9	22	
Fantasy Ballet Slippers	Terry	Cohen	7	7	7	21	
<b>Montreal Camera Club Total</b>						<b>128</b>	<b>HR #4</b>
Emerald Bay as Tom Thomson would see it	Lorne	Rose	7	6	7.5	20.5	
Eve's Dance	Rita	Wong	6.5	6	7	19.5	
Feeding pigeons in St. Mark's Square	Pat	Zuest	7	7	6.5	20.5	
Flower Spirit	Theresa	Moore	7	8	8	23	

Good Morning!	Luba	Citrin	8.5	6.5	7	22	
Some Water Hazard!	Roger	Correia	7.5	7	7	21.5	
<b>Toronto Digital Photo Club</b>							
<b>Total</b>						<b>127</b>	<b>HR #5</b>
The Viking Ghost	Gloria	Szabo	6.5	7	6	19.5	
Holding Back	Janet	Slater	6.5	7	7	20.5	
Going Home	Jim	Hatch	7	8	7.5	22.5	
Death of a Forest	Lorna	Scott	6.5	8.5	6.5	21.5	
Portrait in Smoke	Arlette	Hatcher	6.5	7	6.5	20	
The Visitors	Joy	Gerow	6.5	7.5	8	22	
<b>Langley Camera Club Total</b>						<b>126</b>	<b>HR #6</b>
Calla lily	Bert	Pierre	6.5	8.5	7.5	22.5	
Christmas Catus	Kathy	Ward	6.5	7	7.5	21	
Lilly of the Valley	Karen	Cunningham	7.5	7	7	21.5	
Native Dancer	Dan	Copeland	6	6	6	18	
Secrets of My Garden	Rick	McKenzie	9.5	7.5	7	24	
Swirls	Virginia	Stranaghan	6	6.5	6	18.5	
<b>Hamilton Camera Club Total</b>						<b>125.5</b>	
Across the river	Pierre	Pomerleau	6.5	8.5	8	23	
Autumn wind	Benoit	Fontaine	6	6.5	6	18.5	
Enchanted violin	Normand	Ballard	7	6	6	19	
From cold with love	Jean	Belanger	6.5	7	6.5	20	
Me Selfie and I	Jarold	Dumouchel	8	7	9	24	
Light in the hills	Gaetan	Allard	7	7.5	6.5	21	
<b>Les Photo Capteurs Total</b>						<b>125.5</b>	
Cups and Saucers	Rino	Masaro	7	6	6.5	19.5	
Golden Streaks	Ela	Piskorz	6	6.5	6	18.5	
Chrysanthemum Twirl	Geoff	Dunn	6.5	6.5	6.5	19.5	
Lighthouse Cubes	Leonie	Holmes	7	6.5	7	20.5	
Formation	Bela	Acs	9	7.5	7.5	24	
Armageddon	Doug	Doede	7.5	8	6.5	22	
<b>Trillium Photographic Club</b>							
<b>Total</b>						<b>124</b>	
Damn Giants-Road Rage							
Edition	Gordon	Wood	6.5	6	7.5	20	
distorted pears	Paul	Garner	6	7	7	20	
Eagle and Strange Clouds	Rita	Villis	6	7.5	6.5	20	
Halloween full moon with							
milky way	Don	Rycroft	6.5	8	6.5	21	
Irish World Traveller	Brenda	Fee	6.5	6	6.5	19	
The Mists of Time	Dan	Lavery	8	7	7.5	22.5	
<b>London Camera Club Total</b>						<b>122.5</b>	
Blue Cosmos	Richard	Letourneau	7	7	7.5	21.5	
Flamingo Fantasy	Leah	Gray	7.5	7	6.5	21	
Leopard Lady	Dan	Takahashi	6.5	6	6	18.5	

Moonlit Mirror	Vanessa	MacDonald	6	6	6.5	18.5
Pelican Dreams	Elaine	Freedman	6.5	7.5	7	21
The Girl With Snake Skin	Giuseppe	Buccoliero	8	8	6	22
<b>Victoria Camera Club Total</b>						<b>122.5</b>
Fairies	Ying	Shi	6.5	7	6.5	20
Glance back	Yidan	Zhao	7.5	7.5	6.5	21.5
Icefields Parkway	Yi	Zeng	6.5	6	6.5	19
Life	Zhiwen	Li	7	6	6	19
On the road	Vivienne	Xu	6	6	6	18
Reflection	Yun	Wang	6.5	8	7.5	22
<b>Jiahua Elite Photo Association Total</b>						<b>119.5</b>
Helena	Mervyn	Kumar-Misir	6.5	6.5	6	19
Camp Hill Autumn	Dean	Hirtle	6.5	6.5	6.5	19.5
Garlic 3D Scapes	Joyce SK	Chew	6.5	6	8.5	21
Oval Button Creative	Viki	Gaul	7	6	8	21
Cosmos Fantasy	Laszlo	Podor	6.5	6	5.5	18
Violin Girl	Darryl	Robertson	6	8	7	21
<b>Photographic Guild of NS Total</b>						<b>119.5</b>
Blush	Dave	Crystal	6	6	6	18
Slaving in the Garden	David	Gillespie	7	6	6.5	19.5
Let Me Out	Roy	Chaplin	6.5	6	7.5	20
Game Crossing	Scott	Secord	6.5	6.5	7.5	20.5
Gone Fishing	Tanya	McMichael	6.5	6.5	7.5	20.5
Prairie Dancer	Tracy	Friesen	7	7.5	6	20.5
<b>Chilliwack Camera Club Total</b>						<b>119</b>
Glowing Lily	Martina	Schneider	6	7	6	19
Longing	Sandra	Roemer	7	7	6	20
Shades of Fundy Bay	Caroline	Lajoie	7	6	8.5	21.5
Spider	Mike	Armstrong	5.5	6	5.5	17
The Ascension	Lynn	Fulton	6.5	6.5	8	21
Too Hot to Handle	Robert	Andrews	6.5	7	7	20.5
<b>Grand River Imaging and Photo Society Total</b>						<b>119</b>
The Texter	Betty	Johnston	6.5	6	6	18.5
Paper Blue	Rita	Newbold	6.5	6.5	7	20
Crossing Over	Gary	Roadhouse	6.5	7.5	7	21
Painted Aspen	Bert	Sharp	6.5	6.5	6	19
Blacksmith	Rob	Macleod	5.5	6.5	6	18
Walk on the Wild Side	Phil	Dyer	6.5	7	7.5	21
<b>Abbotsford Photo Arts Club Total</b>						<b>117.5</b>
Anybody Home	Bill	Locke	6.5	6.5	6.5	19.5
Blue Eyes	Frank	Miletto	6	7	5.5	18.5
Blood Moon	Kelly	Pape	7.5	7	6.5	21



Hooded Cobra	Paul	Lewendon	6.5	7.5	6	20
Steel Tree	Ray	Putnam	6	7	7	20
Glowing Tree	Sandi	Stang	5.5	6	6	17.5
<b>Central Okanagan Photo Society Total</b>						<b>116.5</b>
Light Painting	Brad	Chapman	6	7.5	5.5	19
Private Howard Emerson Bulmer	Clay	Merrithew	6.5	7	6	19.5
Sea Mystery	Denise	Trask	6.5	6.5	6	19
Skull Drive	Gary	Farrah	6.5	7	5.5	19
Kayaking on my mind	Jane	Smith	8.5	7	7	22.5
Poppies by Four	Janet	Crawford	6	6	5.5	17.5
<b>Photo Fredericton Total</b>						<b>116.5</b>
Composite	Sheldon	Felske	5.5	6	5	16.5
Demon Elk	Neal	Weisenberg	7	7.5	6	20.5
Dragon	Rick	Neidig	6.5	6.5	5.5	18.5
Spirit of St Eugene Mission	Wayne	Sills	6.5	6.5	5.5	18.5
Stepping Stones	Janice	Strong	8	7.5	6.5	22
Touchdown	Doug	Cunnington	6	7	6.5	19.5
<b>Kimberley Camera Club Total</b>						<b>115.5</b>
Cape Spear Tidal Wave	Eric	Bartlett	6	8	7	21
Church Street Reel	Greg	Bolger	6.5	6	6	18.5
Meghan	Joe	Chase	6.5	6.5	6	19
Dried Flowers	Michael	Wilkshire	5.5	6.5	6	18
Hey, Where Is The Dummy	Paul	Nicol	7	6.5	7.5	21
Someday I Will Jump	Scott	Humber	6	6	5.5	17.5
<b>Camera 35 St Johns Total</b>						<b>115</b>
Starburst Lilly	Carmen	Nedohin	6	6	5.5	17.5
Anatomy of Gaia	Christina	McWilliams	6	7.5	6.5	20
Moon Eclipse	Jean	McManus	6.5	7.5	7.5	21.5
Dissonance	Jill	Booker	6	6.5	7	19.5
Alter Ego	Oliver	Dolinsky	6.5	6	5.5	18
Spread Your Petal Wings	Olivia	Dolinsky	6	6	6	18
<b>The Manitoba Camera Club Total</b>						<b>114.5</b>
Groovy Autumn Memories	Lana	Hiscock	6.5	7.5	7	21
In the Garden	Nancy	Oliver	5	5.5	5	15.5
Shell Evolution	Zosia	Miller	5.5	6	6	17.5
Stickers on Fruit	Tony	Paine	7	8	6.5	21.5
Surreal Marsh Stork	Jan	Heerwagen	6	6	6	18
The Nightmare Of St. George	Valerie	Payne	6.5	6.5	5.5	18.5
<b>Cowichan Valley Camera Club Total</b>						<b>112</b>
Cityscape Illusion	Jeanette	Marten	5.5	6.5	5.5	17.5

Dreaming	John	Gallant	6	7.5	5.5	19
Molten Wave	David	Guscott	5.5	6	5	16.5
Ready for Liftoff	Rose	Harryman	5.5	6	6	17.5
Somewhere in Time	Mary-Anne	Morgan	7	7.5	7	21.5
Wood Nymph	Carol	James	7.5	6.5	6	20
<b>Vernon Camera Club Total</b>						<b>112</b>
Lazy Daisy	Carolynne	Renton	5.5	5.5	6.5	17.5
Frost in Blue and Gold	George	Mitchell	6.5	6	6.5	19
Cable Car Motion	Keith	Vaughan	6	6.5	5.5	18
Big Span	Ken	Renton	6.5	6.5	6.5	19.5
Lighthouse Motion	Marion	Sensen	6	6.5	5.5	18
Triangles	Rick	Hall	6	7	6.5	19.5
<b>Atlantic Lighthouse Photo Group Total</b>						<b>111.5</b>
Behind The Fence	Isobel	Lamarche	5	6.5	7	18.5
Blue Damsels	Robert	Nowland	5.5	6.5	5.5	17.5
Dragon Slayer	Norman	Dougan	7	7	7	21
Selva	Katerine	Kore	7	6.5	6.5	20
Venetian Dawn	Frank	Dwyer	6	7	5.5	18.5
<b>Kamloops Photo Arts Club Total</b>						<b>95.5</b>
Centric Raven	John	Kalley	6	6	5	17
Arachnid	Carol	Jackson	6	7	6	19
The Dreamer	Randall	Epp	7.5	8	8	23.5
Tree of Life	Gail	Stephan	6.5	6.5	6.5	19.5
<b>Surrey Photo Club Total</b>						<b>79</b>
A Lego Baby	Lea	D'Almeida	6.5	6.5	5.5	18.5
Blue Moon in the Valley	Larry	Easton	6	6.5	6.5	19
Last man Standing	Norman	Brown	6.5	7	5.5	19
Luminous Lookout	Meagan	Rae	5.5	6	6.5	18
<b>Regina Photo Club Total</b>						<b>74.5</b>
Homesteading The Last Frontier	Ric	Matkowski	7.5	8	6.5	22
<b>Calgary Camera Club Total</b>						<b>22</b>