

# *VIEWFINDER*

*Landscape Winners*



Superset and Gold of the Month

Bay of Fundy Outcrop, Petty's Cove Bruce Barton

### Landscape Winners



Advanced Gold      Dunes      Shirley Trentowsky

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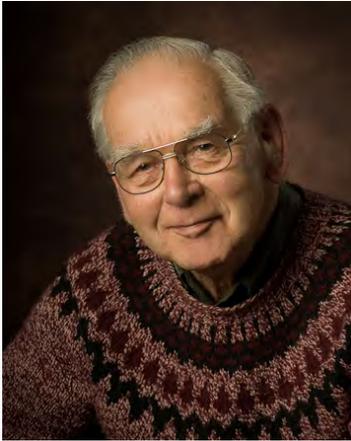
### Useful Websites

How about our own camera club? <http://www.etobicokecameraclub.org>

There is a wealth of information on our own ECC website. If you have misplaced your copy of our programme, it is on the website. Current and archived issues of this newsletter are there if you want to see what has happened in previous issues. Upcoming competitions are highlighted.

There is a section called resources and this contains some presentations, tutorials and helpful information.

## *In Memoriam*



### **Arthur Tracey**

A long-term member, Arthur Tracey, passed away on Saturday, February 28th. His wife, Rita, was a patient in the same hospital, and she was able to be with him.

Rita joined Etobicoke Camera Club back in 1968. They were involved in the many club activities. Art looked after equipment and projection Art won many awards for his images.

They left ECC in the late 1970's and joined the Islington Camera Club. He and Rita were the heart of that Club. He was slide chairman, and then planned the programs for many years. He took care of the equipment, repairing and maintaining it for the club and for all of us.

Their house was a second home to all club members. Judging took place there, plus many club projects which we worked on together.

They both became judges and helped to judge competitions all over Toronto. Art put together many slide shows with music and commentary by Rita. He loved to put on his shows in camera clubs and nursing homes.

After selling their business, they bought a large motor home and travelled for several months at a time. They were avid traveller going to many far-flung destinations as well as Canada and the US. They took the motor home on all our outings offering a ride to anyone who needed it. It was a great shelter and meeting place whatever the weather, and the annual barbecue became a tradition.

With the demise of analog and the popularity of digital photography, the Islington club closed its doors, and the Tracey's came back to Etobicoke Camera club bringing other family members into the photographic fold. Daughter, Leslie, is a member.

There will be an announcement in the Etobicoke Guardian. Art wished to be cremated without any fuss.

Our sympathy goes out to Rita, Leslie, and the family.



### **Evelyn Sanders**

We are very saddened to report the passing of Evelyn Sanders, a past member, on February 22nd, 2015 after a lengthy illness.

Evelyn Sanders joined the Club in the season of 1998-99, and took over Membership in 2002. She retired from her position after 10 years duty.

She was always the friendly face to greet our members and guests. Evelyn worked behind the scenes to update and keep records of members from season to season, plus helping to keep us all straight as to who we were with our fancy name tags.

## *In Memoriam Cont'd*

She kept us up to date with emails and cards for members' illness and members passing away.

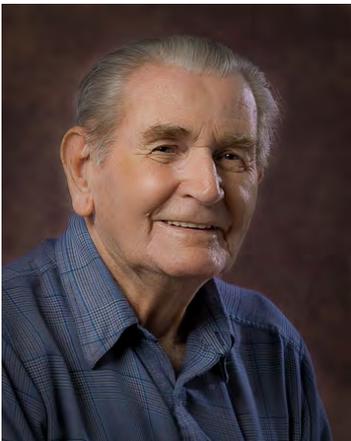
Over the years, Evelyn helped with organizing the annual Christmas Social. When the Club was smaller she convened a New Members Night at her home each year to help assimilate new members into the Club.

As well she was an important Board member during her 10 years as Membership Chair, helping to decide the direction of the Club over that time.

Her hard work and dedication to our Club was recognized at our banquet in 2012 when she was presented with an Award of Appreciation.

She was a Superset Photographer, winning ribbons with her lovely images. She was active in a book club, and she and husband, Gary, enjoyed golf, dancing, and travel. Family was very important to her. Evelyn's cheerful nature and her gift of caring about others made her well-respected and loved by all.

Our condolences go to Gary and her family at this time.



### **Bill Harrison**

We are very saddened to report the passing of Bill Harrison, an Honorary Life Member, on April, 18th, 2015 at the age of 94.

Bill joined Etobicoke Camera Club in 1964, and was a driving force over the years within the Club.

Bill contributed so much to ECC. He acted as President, looked after the Viewfinder, Publicity, Workshops, Director-at-Large, and Honorary Board Member over the many years. He opened his home to members to learn how to create A/V presentations. He would take on Club projects to incorporate all members' slides into special shows based on various themes, and these productions by the members would be shown at the end-of-year banquets. He built the large wooden equipment case which you see come out every ECC meeting .

He won many awards for his slide images, and produced many wonderful slide shows to entertain and educate members and guests.

For all his efforts and dedication to ECC, Bill was made an Honorary Life member in 1986.

When digital came into our lives, he was one of the first to take up the challenge. In 2004, Bill generously offered his laptop and digital projector the club so that we could move forward and keep up with the digital world.

When DigSig (digital) group was created, Bill made a significant contribution to the success of this group with teaching and sharing information and knowledge, which allowed members to gain photographic insight and digital expertise.

Bill was recognized at our banquet in 2006 when he was presented with an Award of Appreciation for his contribution to our members, and for the betterment of ECC.

## *In Memoriam Cont'd*

In the last few years of his life, he belonged to “The Old boys Club” which consisted of other past members of ECC, Mark Bargent (Honorary Life Member), Doug Powell, and Des Hollingbery. In 2013, they brought their A/V presentation to the Club and treated us to a variety of shows, and their continual love of photography.

Bill was wonderful fellow, interested and caring in the world around him, and always generous with his time and expertise.

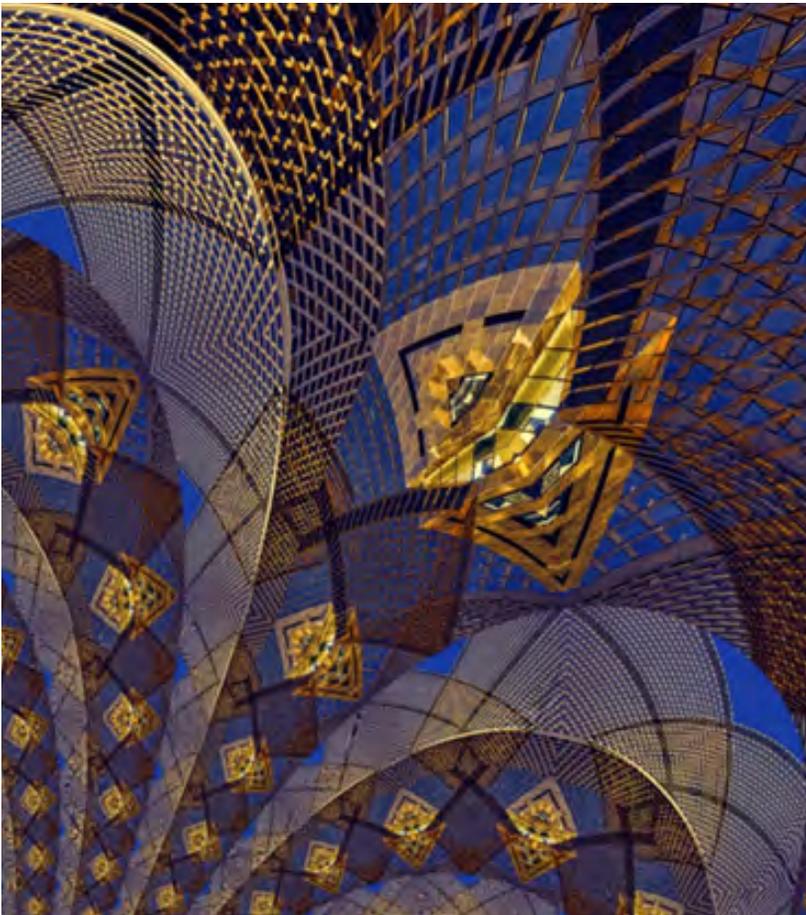
### **Ron Manning.**

We are sad to report the passing of yet another member, Ron Manning.

Ron passed away March 10, 2015 at his home. Although Ron had only been a member of the Club for a few years, he was well known in the camera club circle. He was a long term member of Mississauga Camera Club, acted as a judge, and worked within the Great Toronto Council of Camera Clubs.

His passion for photography was demonstrated in his beautiful bird, floral, and landscape images which won many awards. The excellence in his work, both digital and print, was an inspiration to us all.

Our sympathy goes out to his nephew, Stephen, who often joined him at the Club, and his family at this time.



## *Creative Winners*

Superset Gold  
EXPLORING GRADUATION  
Caroline Francis-Scobie

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Advanced Gold and Gold of the Month Renewable Energy

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Intermediate Gold  
Glowing Montreal Street Band  
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*Smile*

You know you are a photographer when...  
Number of lenses > Pairs of shoes you own  
(Carsten Deutschmann)