

Hub Camera Club



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MARCH 2010

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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 10th—7:30 P.M.

Evaluator — Josh Miller

Yuba County Library

303 Second Street, Marysville

No-Host Dinner - 6:00 at Teriyaki House Restaurant  
801 5th St., Marysville

# Message from the Chairman

Hello members!

March is fast approaching and your photo entries will be judged. As a reminder, “Silhouettes” is the assigned subject.

Thanks to everyone who helped out with “The Big Read” photo ops. I look forward to viewing the results of your artistic endeavors on March 10th.

See you Wednesday!!  
Herschel Todd

## Wednesday, March 10th Meeting — Josh Miller

Josh will be our evaluator at the March meeting. He grew up in Washington State where he attended Pacific Lutheran University. While taking studio art classes he explored his interest in photography. After working for several newspapers, he combined his love of nature and adventure with his passion for photography by teaching photography courses, workshops and guiding adventure trip through out the United States. He is currently based out of Nevada City, California. Before evaluating our images he will give a short talk on composition in the field.

Be sure to size your digital JPEG images no larger than 768 ppi in height and 1024 ppi in width for projection and get them to [submissions@hubcameraclub.com](mailto:submissions@hubcameraclub.com) no later than Saturday, March 6th. If you want to bring prints or slides to the meeting contact Ed Valusek (673-9006 or [edvalusek@syix.com](mailto:edvalusek@syix.com)) so he can make arrangements for a print box and/or slide projector. Remember you can bring two images in each category (Color, Monochrome, Nature and Assigned Subject.)

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## Hub Camera Club Treasurer's Report

**February 1 , 2010 - February 28, 2010**

Balance February 1, 2010		\$2907.22
Income		
Dues	35.00	
Total Income		35.00
Expenditures		
Meeting Room Fee	15.00	
Total Expenditures		15.00
Balance February 28, 2010		\$2927.22

Laura L. Keber  
Treasurer

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# Hub Camera Club Minutes

## February 10, 2010

The evening started at 7:30 PM by Herschel Todd.

Guests and New Members visiting were George Chumbley, Lisa Lizarraga, Jennifer Otero, and Ned Rodriguez.

Announcement was made by Joann Nixon about getting photos of the Big Read sent off. Joann will email any email addresses to be used for that purpose.

The evening was designated for sharing. Many great photos were shared by five photographers. First were photos of Architecture by Jan Caputo. Laura Keber was second with photos of Whistler, British Columbia, Canada in October. Joan Nixon was third to share with her photo of Yellowstone. Fourth were photos from John Taylor on travels of Route 66 which included the Mojave Desert and Chicago. Herschel Todd finished with photos of River Valley High School's production of Mark Twain and various photos of The Big Read with Mark Twain.

Joann Nixon handed out Big Read buttons to everyone.

Ed Valusek announced that our next judge for evaluations will be Josh Miller at our next meeting. Our next meeting's Assigned Subject is Silhouettes.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:29 PM.

Respectively submitted,  
Kelly Thomas



## How it Started

by Martha Green

Rendezvous and the reenactment of the fur-trapping era has been an activity my husband and I have participated in for many years. The days in camp, walking around, viewing the camps, and talking to people was OK for a while, but soon I was looking for something to do. The idea of photographing these costumed people and scenes would give me an interest and didn't require a lot of equipment. I bought a Minolta SLR, signed up for the Yuba College photo class and I was hooked.

At Yuba I went through the photo classes, loved the time in the darkroom watching the latent images develop before my eyes and learned how to tweak a print to create it as my own vision. Not quite like Ansel Adams, but you get the idea. At one time I had a darkroom at home, but I seldom had the blocks of time necessary to work in it. Consequently chemicals got old and my darkroom (unused) was turned into a bathroom.

Wow! Digital cameras and "computer darkrooms"! This is a whole new concept and skill to learn. Well, I'm still learning, slowly to be sure, but I keep at it. I always want to go a step further to where it all just rolls from my brain, off my keyboard and in color as though I were looking at the scene through the lens of a camera. Sometimes I am, and I love it!



## Mark your calendar with these photographic activities:

**March 7 — Gold Rush Meeting**, at the Red Lion Hotel in Sacramento. The program for this meeting includes: Dr. Lloyd Bever - "Land of the Pharaoh's", Barry Walton - "Tanzania", Jerry Hixson - "Road to Timbuktu" and Albert DeBruijin - "Lightroom Part 2".

**March 10 — HUB CAMERA CLUB MEETING**  
Evaluation with **Silhouettes** as assigned subject. Josh Miller a noted photographer will be coming down from Grass Valley to talk about composition before evaluating our images.

**April 14 — HUB CAMERA CLUB MEETING**  
Workshop

**May 12 — HUB CAMERA CLUB MEETING**  
End of Year Competition with judging.

**May 26 — HUB CAMERA CLUB MEETING**  
Awards Presentation and Election of Officers.

**June 6 — Gold Rush Meeting**, Sacramento.