



# Padre Trails Camera Club

Monterey, California

## Padre Trails Photojournalism # 1 Group A

1. 2012 World Series - Game 1  
*Blue angels, flag, bridge, bleachers all combine to tell the total story; clarity, lighting, composition, excellent*
2. A Doggy Day at Carmel Beach  
*We love our dogs in Carmel and these are cute dogs but I think the story needs to be stronger*
3. Bill Roberts in Fired Up Leaps Off The Ramp at Watsonville Fly-in 2011  
*We need to know that Bill Roberts always drives "Fired Up" since we cannot see his face. A different title would help here.*
4. Bride and Groom Posing at Castello de Amorosa, Calistoga, CA  
*The back of the woman in the foreground does not add to the story. I also think the time of day was not working well for you, ie, the rock stair wall is brighter than the subject.*
5. Building a Bridge  
*We do have a worker but we cannot identify what he is building. I'm sure it is hard to get both the worker and a bigger picture to help us.*
6. Carmel\_Highlands\_house\_fire  
*Unfortunately we are too far away to identify that a house is on fire as all we have is the smoke. It could have been Highlands Inn or the Tickled Pink. The more accurate title would really help.*
7. Danny Pedrosa Leads The Pack, Super Bikes at Laguna Seca  
*This is a good story but it had intense competition.*
8. Eddie Andri Cuts The Ribbons, Watsonville Fly-In  
*Capturing this action is excellent. Since we can't see the face of the pilot we have to take your word for it that Eddie is the pilot...A different title perhaps?*

9. Father-Daughter Dance  
*wonderful light, composition but would be best as part of a photojournalism series to tell a more complete story*
10. Gene Soucy and Wife Perform at the Salinas International Air Show  
*very nice action shot but the wife's face is not shown. Should have asked her to take the scarf off. A different title?*
11. Marine\_Mammal\_Center\_Rescue\_in\_Action  
*a unique story well told with faces clearly visible and helping hands holding netting.*
12. Monterey\_County\_Fair\_Rodeo  
*inclusion of the stadium helps with location, the blurred motion of the horses gives us action, but I am missing any action of those in the foreground.*
13. Night\_Construction\_on\_the\_Bay\_Bridge  
*This image shows us the bridge lit at night but we need to be able to see either workers or equipment close enough to be recognizable in order to know someone was working..*
14. Preventing Rock Slides  
*Nice shadow of the helicopter. I would have liked to get the faces of the workers in this shot. Hard to do, I know.*
15. Processing Grapes, Castello di Amorosa Winery, Calistoga, Ca  
*I liked this story; the position of the rake, the grapes in the bottom left, the look of concentration on the workers face. There were just too many good images this time. This would have been the 4th HM*
16. Pulling Drowned Diver From Water  
*This story is something rarely seen, lighting, exposed faces, reaching helping hands all tell a winning story*
17. Roping Calf Salinas Rodeo  
*a typical story but what makes this a HM is the calf completely in the air, the front hoofs of the horse off the ground and the lasso in the foreground...a complete story successfully executed*
18. Say Cheese  
*a lovely moment but there was tough competition within this group*
19. Space Shuttle Endeavor on 747 with Chase Jet  
*Many photos have been taken of the Endeavor as it crossed the country. It would be nice if there had been a state capitol or some*

*object that would help us to know at what location this image was taken.*

20. Stand Down

*very cute story, unique image. I would like to see the look on the face of the cat*

21. Tandem Sky Diving Watsonville Fly-In

*a unique story, clear faces, matching title, sharp image. A family story that could make a local paper.*

22. Thunderbirds Perform at Salinas International Air Show

*Nice story and capture. The title throws me off since we have nothing in the image to tell us location...*

23. WavesCrashingOverRocksAtChartHouse

*This sight is quite unique and is an excellent story of the power of waves shown here by being higher than the building.*

24. With this ring I thee wed

*I love this story but it needs to be part of a series, one image of which would include the faces.*

25. Fun while it lasted

*Now this has a great title. My only issue with this image is that appears a bit soft and is very contrasty.*

26. Mammoth dirt bike race

*Nice action shot. Your title works but the competition is very stiff.*

27. Sleepy trucker

*I don't see the trucker. Your title needs work here.*

28. Tax dollars at work

*Nice exposure and the image is tack sharp. But again your title is weak.*

HM.	Waves	Peter Monteforte
	Roping Calf Salinas Rodeo	Peter Monteforte
	Tandem Sky Diving Watsonville Fly-In	Mary Ann Avera
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Marine_Mammal_Center_Rescue_in_Action	Carol Fuessenich
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Pulling Drowned Diver From Water	Peter Monteforte
1 <sup>st</sup>	2012 World Series - Game 1	Ben Grasmuck