PTCC 2017 - FIELD TRIP, SALINAS,

GROUP AA

ONLY TWO MEMBERS SUBMITTED IMAGES; ONLY THE LAST CATEGORY HAD MORE THAN ONE SUBMISSION.

1. SURPRISING ARCHITECTURAL DETAIL

ft17-jmi-detail.jpg

Nice angle and composition. Consider working on the image to open it up mor, bring out more of the nice textures and colors. Image could benefit from some sharpening.

2. SALINAS HIGH SCHOOL

ft17-jmi-hs.jpg

Nice idea to do a panorama. The building is slightly out of focus and tilted a bit - needs straightening. Could benefit also from working on brightness and contrast. Image could benefit from some sharpening.

3. SPIRIT OF AGRICULTURE

ft17-jmi-ag.jpg

Nice idea for the Spirit of Agriculture. This image of a wall mural could benefit from adjusting brightness and contrast to bring out more of the nice details and colors. Image could benefit from some sharpening.

5. MAIN STREET CHARACTERS

ft17-jsg-people.jpg

Nice capture of these two women selling flowers. Consider working more on tones and colors to bring out the women more. Also notice the pole coming out of the head of the woman on the right - remove it and see what that does.

6. RAILROAD STATION

ft17-jmi-rr.jpg

A lovely image - well composed and processed. Consider toning down the chain-link fence on the right - it's a bit distracting. Watch out for halos around the engine and trail car. Image could benefit from some sharpening.

7. STREET ART & FURNITURE

ft17-jmi-street.jpg

Nicely composed and processed. Consider straightening the booth. Image could benefit from some sharpening. Not sure this fits as street art or furniture.

8. PHOTOGRAPHER'S CHOICE

ft17-jmi-choice.jpg

Interesting capture of these painted cans. Consider working on the main face can to bring out more of it and its details, as well as to bring out more of the cans from their background. Image could benefit from some sharpening.

ft17-jsg-choice.jpg

As an image, it could use more work to open up the shadows a bit and some color. Like the juxtaposition of the Clearance sign with the rest of the image. The way you added a circle and text

makes this look more like a tabloid image. Be extremely careful doing what you did here - unless you are absolutely sure that this is a "Deal Going Down" and have evidence of it, such images could place you into legal jeapardy. Imagine someone took a picture of you handing a packet of aspirin to another person and did what you did to that image.

FIRST PLACE IN EACH CATEGORY

NONE