

Padre Trails Camera Club – Photojournalism 2018

Group AA - 9 IMAGES FROM 3 MEMBERS

01 - Biker Show-1.jpg

This is a great shot! The three main elements all work together. One half the frame is devoted to the female participant, then the flyer in her hand explains the context while the endless bikes, fading into the background establish the event. It all works together and captures a glimpse of the biker culture.

02 - Biker Show-2.jpg

Interesting shot of a booth selling apparel. No real focus though.

03 - Biker Show-3.jpg

Interesting ride. This might work as a small group of shoots that help tell an overall story.

04 - Coyote Creek Overflows Banks Flooding Downtown San Jose Neighborhoods.jpg

I loved the shadow of the triangular roofline on the water. This image cries for a focal point like a raft with a rescuer or a cat on the rooftop...

05 - Fred Eaglesmith and Tif Ginn Burn the Barn.jpg

This image caught my eye immediately. Excellent composition, great expressions, good sharpness and tonality make this a keeper. I hope you got one a bit closer of the man with guitar cropped tight.

06 - January Windstorm Devastates Monterey Peninsula Homes.jpg

Shot documents substantial damage. This also may have benefited from multiple images to tell the story. Another shot might have been to go tight on the crew?

07 - School children participate in National School Walkout, Monterey CityHall, 3-14-18.jpg

Certainly, a newsworthy shot. The expressions lead me to believe most participants would rather have been somewhere else. Cropping in closer to the child holding the sign in the middle might have made a big difference.

08 - Students protest against gun violence, March For Our Lives, Downtown Monterey, 3-24-18.jpg

This is a respectable protest shot. Moving a step to the left to allow for a shot showing more marchers and waiting until the marchers in the front to face forward might help this image.

**09 - Women speak for equal rights, Me TooTimes Up Rally, Sacramento Capital,
1-20-2018.jpg**

Beautiful day, beautiful colors and lots of people present. I would like to see it from a higher perspective or more photos to tell the story. A close-up would help tell the story.

Winning Images (*only two prizes awarded*):

1st Place:

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2nd Place:

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