

Padre Trails Camera Club 2018 Photojournalism

Group AAA - 6 IMAGES FROM 2 MEMBERS

01-Man and Boy on Horseback, Home God Festival, Gansu Province, China, July 2014.jpg

Good action and expressions. The surroundings help to tell the story. Would have loved to have the legs of the horse in front in the photo.

02-Man Celebrates Home God Festival, Gansu Province, China, July, 2014.jpg

It was tough to decide between this and the first place shot. The flags on the left detracted from the great expression on the man's face. Perhaps a vertical crop with the man and the men behind him might be worth a try?

03-Phil Mickelson.jpg

A nice action shot of Phil, however it would have been nice to see his face. It's tough to time the shot to the swing although this might have been stronger at moment of wedge impacting the sand. Sometimes it works to not look through the viewfinder and try to time your shutter release earlier.

04-Race Car.jpg

Clean shot of a race car. I would like to see more of the spectators blurred instead of the sign and a bit more sharpness in the car. These are difficult shoots to make.

05-Shaman Piercing Man, Klulol Festival in Rebkong, Qinghai Province, China, July 2014.jpg

This is an interesting shot that illustrates a local event and I feel the pain! A wider aperture might have helped isolate the primary subjects from the rest of the crowd.

06-Tree Down.jpg

There is a story here, just looking for a bit more action perhaps. Space seems to be divided between police car and tree. There doesn't seem to be a focal point. Perhaps waiting until a fireman or PG&E person arrived to inspect the situation might have created some drama. Not sure if another angle might have helped, or even been allowed!

Winning Images:

With only 6 images submitted, only first place is awarded.

1st Place:

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