

# VIEWFINDER



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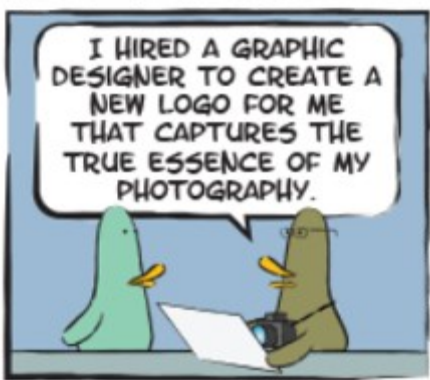
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## Meet the Editor – John Fraser

Viewfinder is the Etobicoke Camera Club newsletter. Its goal is to share our members' success's and the events at the club that help us on that journey. If you have anything you would like to contribute, please consider submitting it. Our members will appreciate it.



The Etobicoke Camera Club introduced me to the Art in photography. No longer satisfied with just memory photographs, the club helps me strive for photographs that others will also enjoy.

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# Projects of Six Friendly Competition February 24 2025

Theresa Bryson

*I have often noticed how the early morning sunlight creates amazing compositions of light on the wall of my room*

Blue Shared



Shape Shifted



Tom Driedger

*During COVID I often walked along a hydro corridor and started taking pictures of transmission towers and wires from various angles and at different times of the day.*

City Power Lines



Transmission Tower  
Reflecting in Puddle



# Projects of Six

Sam Elogio

*I wondered, could I get six unique and interesting images from ONE unassuming and humble Thistle?*

The Hug



Bubble Wrap



John Fraser

*I long for long cold winters where backyard hockey rinks, city rinks and lakes stayed smooth and frozen for months.*

Shinny One



Shinny Six



# Projects of Six

Ralph Kroman

*In order to catch the eye of the passer-by, many chip wagons are colourful and adorned in unique ways.*

Big Bill's Fries



Stingers Fry Hive



Seshi M

*A single photograph can tell a story but the same shot with an addition of other pictures tells a different story.*

Fallen,  
alone  
and  
trapped



Patterns



# Projects of Six

Barb Marszalek

*Whenever I step into an abandoned building, a new world is revealed to me, one that's full of mystique and wonder.*

Aground



Stairway to Heaven



Eva Michalak

*The translucency and the colorful film shapes created on the bubble surface were intriguing together with the reflections in them.*

Bubble scape



Meditation  
Bubble



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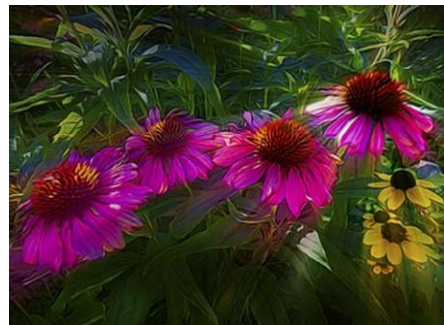
Alan Morrow

*I try to capture the hidden details of the world, whether it is in the fine details and textures of nature, the bold structures of a cityscape, or the play of light and shadow that turns the ordinary into the extraordinary.*

Forgotten



Summer  
in the  
Garden



Brian Quan

*Throughout life, things change... that which you get used to will close one day, forever.*

Kodak  
Building  
No. 9 -  
2007 May



Just  
Cameras  
- 2010  
Jan



# Projects of Six

Penny Rintoul

*The Chrysler Building more than any other Manhattan building says “New York City” to me.*

The Chrysler Building  
August 22 1997



The Chrysler Building October 24 2024



Gary Signarowski

*These sailors bring their passion, anticipation of competition, and intensity to the sport.*

Community



The Sport



# Projects of Six

Lucy Su

*These photo images and intentionally designed artworks were all created from a single rose quartz crystal ball from my rock collection.*

Reflections of Imperfection



Spectrum of Love



Janus Szufnara

*The project comprises six images from BC's Victoria Island, specifically " in the West Coastal Parks, " located at sea level .*



Build shelter



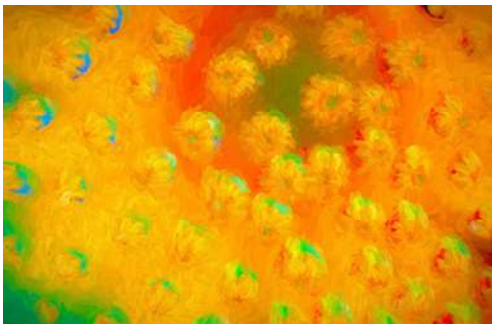


# Projects of Six

Jocelyn Ubaldino

*I decided to do water refraction because it appeared fairly easy, was on topic and could be done quickly.*

Gerbera  
Impasto,  
Water  
Drop  
Refraction

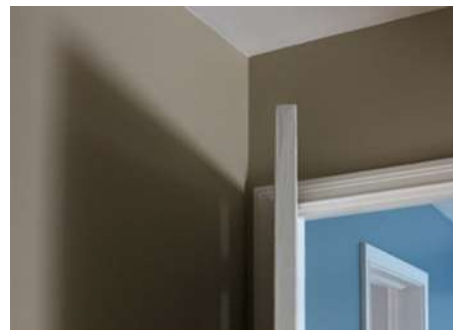
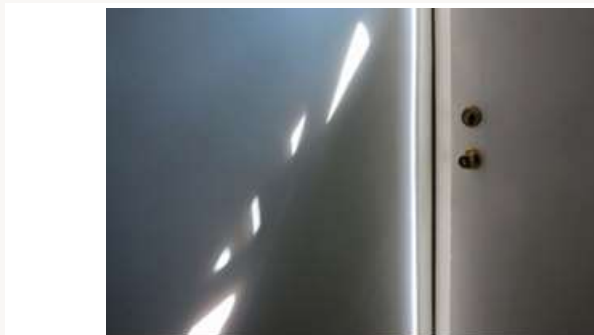


Water Drop on  
Dandelion  
Clock



John Roias

*That's when I began to really notice the wonderful light bouncing everywhere through the slats.*



# Theme - Audio Visual

## Competition Results and Highlights

All competition images may be viewed on our [Website Photo Gallery](#) or [www.etobicokecameraclub.smugmug.com](http://www.etobicokecameraclub.smugmug.com)

### Anonymous and Alone

We see people walking alone in cities so often they are just a blur, while at the same time the cityscape is a blur to them as they walk...  
immersed in thought.



**GOLD:** Ralph Kroman "Anonymous & Alone"

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Dolomites

by

Gina Jiang

**SILVER:**  
Gina Jiang  
"Dolomites"



The Badlands Revisited 2025

by

John Roias

**HM:**  
John Roias  
"The Badlands Revisited 2025"



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GOLD & GOM Superset - Mandy Samarzija\_Jump

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GOLD Advanced - Angie Bellanza\_Tough Mudder



GOLD Intermediate - Seshi M. \_Propulsion

## RESULTS of PEOPLE in motion COMPETITION held Feb 10 2025

Level	Author's Name	Image Title	Score	Awards
Intermediate	Seshi M	Propulsion	25.5	GOLD
Intermediate	Tammy Couture	Street skating	22.5	SILVER
Intermediate	Lucy Su	Defying Gravity	22	HM
Intermediate	Gary Signarowski	Faster!	22	HM
Intermediate	Gary Signarowski	Friends Sledding	22	HM
Intermediate	Lucy Su	Morning Run in Vanice	22	HM
Intermediate	Seshi M	The Duo	22	HM
Intermediate	Seshi M	Who is in motion, Horse or the person	22	HM
Advanced	Angie Bellanza	Tough Mudder	23.5	GOLD
Advanced	Tom Driedger	Sliding into Second Base	23	SILVER
Advanced	Janusz Szufnara	Climbing Tree Cutter	22.5	HM
Advanced	Janusz Szufnara	Jazz on street	22.5	HM
Advanced	Tom Driedger	Long Jumper	22.5	HM
Advanced	Angie Bellanza	Obstacle Conquered	22.5	HM
Advanced	Penny Rintoul	Surfing!	22.5	HM
Superset	Mandy Samarzija	Jump	27.5	GOLD
Superset	Barb Marszalek	Maasai Warrior Throwing a Spear Sequence	26	SILVER
Superset	Gina Jiang	Bravery	24.5	HM
Superset	Sandra Hawkins	Jumping for Joy	24.5	HM
Superset	Theresa Bryson	Let's Celebrate!	24.5	HM
Superset	Gina Jiang	Solid Defence	24.5	HM
Superset	Ralph Kroman	Street Acrobat	24.5	HM
<b>GOLD OF THE MONTH</b>	Mandy Samarzija	Jump	27.5	<b>GOM</b>

Level	Submitted	Accepted
Intermediate	24	24
Advanced	24	24
Superset	51	51
<b>Total</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>99</b>

Judges	Affiliation
Gail Shotlander	Barrie Photography Club
Vern Mossey	Oshawa Camera Club
Randy Nickerson	Oshawa Camera Club

# Theme - Print

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GOLD  
Sam Elogio  
A Fisherman's Solitude



SILVER  
Sam Elogio  
A Delicate Landing Spot



# Speakers

**Harry Martin** Presented

**“Eagle Island”**

on Monday, March 17, 2025



This presentation delved into Harry’s obsession with the icon of Scotland’s wilderness - the golden eagle. Rare, elusive and prone to living in hard to reach places all adds to the allure of such a species. The Isle of Skye is home to a healthy population of these raptors and since moving to the island 10 years ago Harry has spent hundreds, if not thousands, of hours documenting their lives and behaviour. During the presentation he shared his insights, tips and stories on a decade spent photographing eagle island.

Harry is a professional wildlife and landscape photographer based on the stunning Isle of Skye in Scotland. He trained as a zoologist but veered into the guiding industry to share his passion for the natural world. He has worked from the Canadian Rockies to the heart of China and many places in between, delivering high quality photographic and wildlife experiences. He now works on the Isle of Skye as part of an award winning team of photographers as part of the Skye Photo Academy, and the Photography Online team.



**GOLDEN EAGLE**  
*Aquila chrysaetos*



**WHITE-TAILED EAGLE**  
*Haliaeetus albicilla*

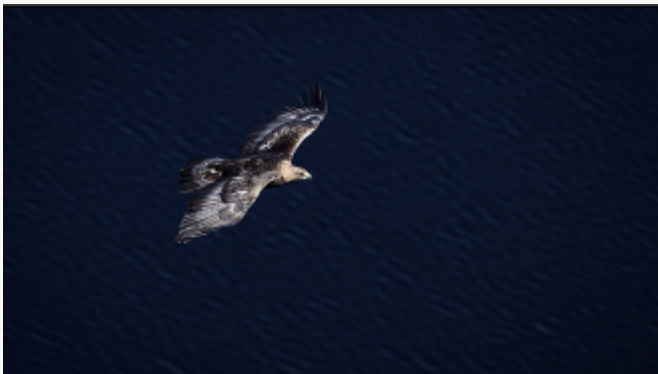


# WHITE-TAILED EAGLES

*Speakers*  
Harry Martin



# GOLDEN EAGLES



# *Speakers*

Harry Martin



# Outings

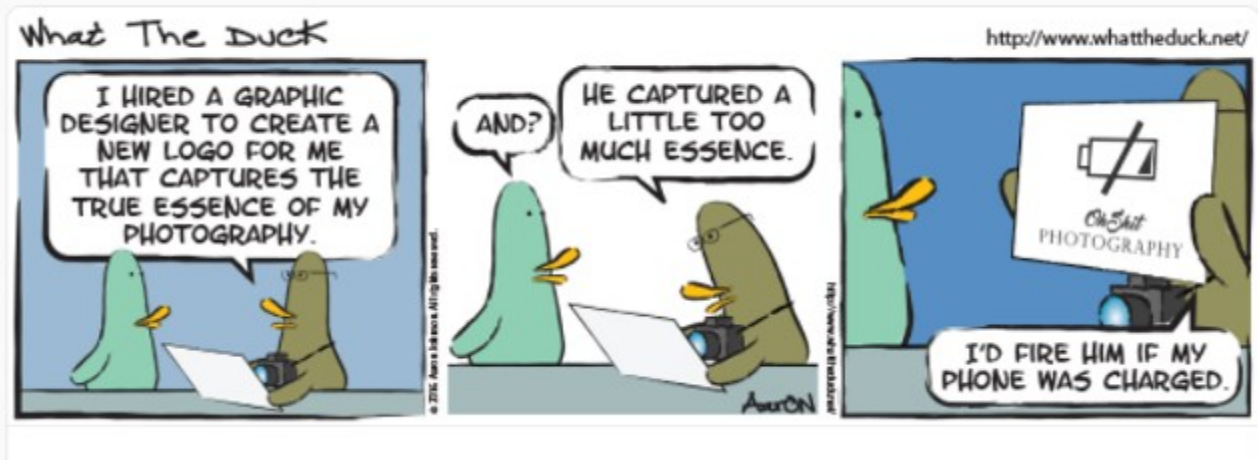
**February 28 2025  
Royal Ontario Museum**





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