

# Reminder: Meetings now start at 7 pm sharp

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## UPDATES

# All images need to be entered by the new 7 pm meeting start so that everything can be judged in time (digitals will be judged before the meeting), and there will be time for a brief discussion period after each set of awards and socializing at the end of the meeting, but still leaving the church no later than 9 pm.

# Don't forget that if you have a print winner that a digital version must be submitted before the next meeting. Please send to: [lpsprintwinners@gmail.com](mailto:lpsprintwinners@gmail.com) Format as you would for a digital entry, please.



# Reflex-ions

The monthly newsletter of the **Louisville Photographic Society**

## SEPTEMBER PROGRAM: MAC BROWN

Wednesday, Sept. 14, 7 pm at St. Luke's Church

This month's speaker is Mac Brown, a commercial photographer and videographer, who will talk about his work, which focuses on creating training videos and ebook curricula, and is expanding into "personal story" videos. He'll talk about his background, the tools he uses, why he is focusing on video and how he sees the future of his profession.

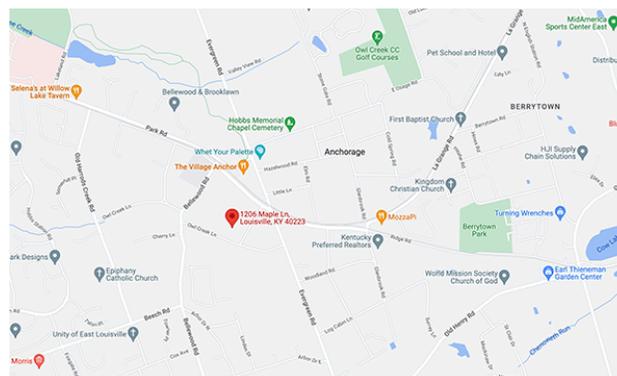


## 2022 MONTHLY LPS PHOTO CATEGORIES

- Jan:** Scenic
- Feb:** Member's Choice
- Mar:** Bottles
- Apr:** A Pair of Things
- May:** Bokeh
- June:** Wheels
- Sept:** Lonely Road
- Oct:** Things in Motion
- Nov:** Uniforms, Photo Books due
- Dec:** Water Scenes, Video Contest

## WE'VE MOVED! HOW TO GET THERE

Starting Wednesday, LPS meetings move to St. Luke's Episcopal Church at 1206 Maple Lane in Anchorage (the red dot on map at right). From the Gene Snyder, take exit 30 (LaGrange Road), turn left from the ramp and go 2 miles, then turn right onto Ridge Road. In 0.4 miles you'll reach Evergreen Road (the main street of Anchorage). The very next left is Maple Lane



(Bellewood Road is too far). From there, the church is 0.14 miles down on your right (Owl Creek Lane is too far). Park in the

left parking lot (upper or lower) when facing the church and go in the side entrance, up the ramp or stairs.

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## LPS STATE FAIR WINNERS

The following LPS members won ribbons and other awards in the photography competition at the 2022 Kentucky State Fair:

### ASPIRING

#### Monochrome

##### 060 People

- 2nd Barbara Harris
- HM Leigh Anne Logsdon

##### 061 Nature

- 1st Jackie Mattingly (also best monochrome)
- 2nd Kyle Shepherd
- HM Logsdon

##### 062 Unclassified

- HM Mattingly, Shepherd

##### 063 Kentucky Tourism

- 1st Kyle Shepherd

#### Color

##### 070 People

- 2nd Shepherd
- HM Carolyn Hawkins, Eric Baker

##### 071 Nature

- 3rd Logsdon
- HM Baker

##### 072 Unclassified

- 3rd Paul Schmetzer

##### 073 Kentucky Tourism

- 4th Shepherd

### ACCOMPLISHED

#### Monochrome

##### 080 People

- 3rd Bob Dorzback
- 4th George Sherrard
- HM Kay Sherrard

##### 081 Nature

- 2nd Kelly Davenport
- 3rd Dorzback
- HM Mary Cardoza-Lane

##### 082 Unclassified

- 1st Deborah Brownstein
- 3rd Dorzback
- HM Ted Heitzman

##### 083 Kentucky Tourism

- 1st Davenport
- 2nd Heitzman
- 3rd John Holthaus

#### Color

##### 090 People

- 1st Cardoza-Lane
- 3rd Holthaus
- HM Brownstein, Dorzback

##### 091 Nature

- 4th Kay Sherrard
- HM Tom Barnett, Cardoza-Lane,

Davenport

##### 092 Unclassified

- HM Cardoza-Lane, Davenport, George Sherrard

##### 093 Kentucky Tourism

- 4th Bob Dorzback

### STUDENT

#### 103 Mono Kentucky Tourism

- 2nd Benjamin Sherrard

#### 104 Color People

- 1st Benjamin Sherrard
- 4th Robert Sherrard

#### 105 Color Nature

- HM Benjamin Sherrard

#### 106 Color Unclassified

- 2nd Benjamin Sherrard

### TOP STUDENT WINNERS

**Best in show:** Caroline Toler (1st color unclassified)

**Best color:** Abigail Staebler (1st nature)

**Best monochrome:** Adin Parks (3rd nature)

**Wolf Award:** Robert Sherrard (2nd mono nature)

## 2022 CATEGORY POINTS LEADERS

### Digital images

#### Advanced

- Deborah Brownstein.....42
- Tom Barnett.....37
- Ken Tripp.....24
- Bob Dorzback.....17
- Robert Klein.....16

#### Amateur

- Deborah Hennessey.....55
- Carolyn Hawkins.....51
- Barry Mattingly.....27
- Greta Garbo.....24
- Barbara Eilert.....10

### Color prints

#### Advanced

- Jackie Mattingly.....39
- Tom Barnett.....24
- Deborah Brownstein.....24
- George Sherrard.....21
- Byron Butler.....20

#### Amateur

- Deborah Hennessey.....58
- Eric Baker.....40
- Carolyn Hawkins.....26
- Eileen Strenecky.....,.....20
- Barbara Eilert.....15

### Monochrome prints

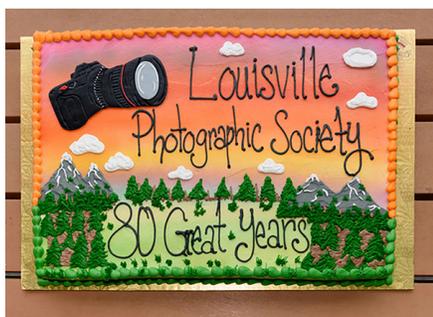
#### Advanced

- Jackie Mattingly.....68
- Byron Butler.....24
- Tom Barnett.....19
- Bob Dorzback.....18
- Leigh Anne Logsdon.....17

#### Amateur

- Deborah Hennessey.....60
- Eileen Strenecky.....32
- Carolyn Hawkins.....30
- Eric Baker.....24
- Barbara Eilert.....20

## 80TH (81ST) ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION



Heitzman Bakery supplied the commemorative cake.



More than 30 members braved threatening weather and came to the Parklands Woodland Pavilion in southeastern Jefferson County on July 9 to celebrate LPS' 80th anniversary (the club was formed as the Louisville Movie Club in February 1941 and was renamed LPS in 1944). The celebration had been delayed a year by the COVID pandemic.



Dr. Ron Lehoccky (right), longtime LPS member and past president (1992-97), was awarded Honorary Life Membership by current president Tom Barnett.



Four past presidents attended. From left, Kay Sherrard, Kevin Laundroche, Lynn Shea, current president Tom Barnett and Dr. Ron Lehoccky.

## A DAY IN BARDSTOWN

More than a dozen members road-tripped out to Bardstown, Ky., on Aug. 6 for the club's summer outing. After a group shot (right) at My Old Kentucky Home (Glenn and Deborah Brownstein not pictured), members fanned out all over town — through the state park, into the historic downtown, to venerable churches and storefronts and taverns, down narrow alleys, into the weekly farmers' market and then to a local restaurant for lunch.



## This month in LPS history

**100 years ago:** State Fair photography blue ribbons (and \$4) went to B.V. Winslow (landscape), Mrs. T.H. Buchanan (aquatic), Miss Margaret Schwarz (animals) and Mathilda Laufer (children).

**80 years ago:** The Louisville Movie Club held its second summer picnic, an "Old Fashion Kentucky Burgoo" at Charles Farnsley's house on Aug. 9. Farnsley, then a state representative, became Louisville's mayor in 1946.

**78 years ago:** LPS joined the Photographic Society of America ... The planned South Park fish fry outing Aug. 27 was postponed until Oct. 22 because of a polio epidemic.

**75 years ago:** The fourth Louisville International Salon of Photography exhibition of winning prints was held Sept. 22-27 at the Watterson Hotel; 232 of 837 entries made the cut ... This was the first year that the State Fair photo competition was open to men. Winners were David Caldwell of Anchorage, Frank Distler of Southgate and Mrs. S.D. Logan of Louisville.

**70 years ago:** LPS member Robert Owen, 53, a buyer for Girdler Corp., died after returning home from a 13-day vacation in Florida.

**45 years ago:** LPS had a club exhibit at First National Tower, 101 S. Fifth, from Aug. 28-Sept. 16.

**40 years ago:** Category was Your Best Shot. Winners were Marge Griffin (slides) and Benita Niemann (b/w and color prints) ... The presentation was "Life in the Smokies," a slide show by Al and Terry Boice ... The club had a print show in the glass cases at the Jeffersonville Public Library ... State Fair blue ribbons: Hawes Fisher (two), Ethel Stoke (one).

**35 years ago:** Category was Nature Scenes. Winners were Al Boice (slides), Bob Dentinger (b/w prints) and Ott Stoke (color prints) ... Owing to a mixup, some members also brought slides of Children to be judged; Eugene Cruikshank won; judge was John Nation ... The program was a nature slideshow and tips for taking nature prints from Adam Jones ... State Fair

## LPS HISTORY: MENTA DELEUIL

It's impossible to recount the history of LPS from the late 1940s through the early 1990s without running into Menta DeLeuil. And vice versa. She was an LPS member for almost 50 years and secretary-treasurer for 30, managing funds, often organizing the annual banquet. In the late 1970s she became a vice president in charge of the stills competitions. She was a regular winner in club competitions, almost from when she joined in 1946 until she was well into her 80s, totaling the most b/w print points at age 86. She met her second husband, Francis, at LPS.

Born Menta MacQueen in Richmond, Ky., she moved to Louisville soon after she and her first husband, William Rice, had their first child. By 1942, they had four, and she came to photography then (at age 39) when one of them four gave her a camera. Frustrated because she didn't know how to insert the film, she enrolled in a photography class at the YMCA. "It was the most fascinating thing I ever did," she said.

At the time she was a secretary to an Army colonel at Bowman Field, but spent spare time in the Y's darkroom. A year after divorcing Rice in 1945, she went to night school to learn shorthand and accounting, and soon became the cashier at the VA Hospital. She discovered LPS when Bob Schuhmann handed her an application when she visited his downtown camera store.



**Menta DeLeuil in her Louisville garden.** (Kathy Anderson/Courier-Journal/9-16-80). She fulfilled many roles in LPS over nearly a half-century of membership.

Immediately she became an active member. She joined the board as secretary-treasurer in 1957 and never left until she had to stop coming to meetings in 1992. She was 88. She married Francis DeLeuil (LPS president in 1951-52 and 62-63) in 1958. They had a darkroom in their condominium on Cherokee Parkway. But he died soon after, in 1965, and she immediately enrolled in a three-month course at Ansel Adams' photography school in California and took another in Vermont. The next year she was teaching photography at Indiana University Southeast and for the JCPS adult education program. She also took over her husband's job as manager of the condo building. She judged the State Fair photo competition at least six times and had several solo  
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blue ribbons: Lynn Shea (and Best of Show), Julian Sacksteder.

**30 years ago:** Category was Selling Kentucky. Winners were Irene Hendershot (slides), Alan Caudill (color prints) and Bob Wells (b/w prints); judge was Larry Spitzer ... State Fair blue ribbons (all color): Bob Wells (floral/Best of Show, scenics, portraits); Ron Lehocky (animals), Lynn Rupley (children)

**25 years ago:** Category was Side Lighting. Winners were Dennis Carlson (slides) and Julia Albicocco (color and b/w prints); judge was Alan Shadburne ... The program was "Birds Paradise," a slideshow by member Doris McDowell. ... Longtime member and former LPS president (1980-81) John Hamlyn died July 29 ... State Fair blue ribbons: Bob Wells, mono unclassified/Hensley; mono scenic, mono floral, mono animals, color children/best color print; Bob Helvey, color unclassified.

**20 years ago:** Category was Floral. Winners were Bob Wells (color and b/w prints) and Fred Englemann (slides); judge was Karen Herold ... Program was a slideshow by Adam Jones ... State Fair blue ribbons: Bob Wells, mono floral/Hensley Award; Bill Rhodes, mono human interest; Marshall Johnson, color scenic; Deborah Brownstein, color floral ... The club held its annual picnic June 23 at Sandy Nabb's house in Marengo, Ind.

**15 years ago:** Category was Crowds. Winners were David Becker (color and b/w prints), Hans Young (slides), Kay Sherrard (digital) and George Sherrard (novice); judge was Colvin Atchinson ... Program was a member show-and-tell on creative post-processing and a discussion of flash techniques.

**10 years ago:** Category was Alleys. Winners were Deborah Brownstein (color and b/w prints), Fred Englemann (digitals) and Catherine Balfe (novice) ... Program was a slideshow of images from Dubai, by Lynn Shea ... Greg Miller did a July summer seminar on high speed photography, including a setup for moving/splashing water ... The club also toured Buffalo Trace Distillery in Frankfort ... State Fair blue ribbons: Aspiring — Steve Hamilton, mono digital; Bob Wells, mono seasons/best mono; Ted Heitzman, mono KY State Fair. Accomplished — Mike Matthews, color digital; T.Y. Huang, color pets.

**Five years ago:** Category was Parks. Winners were Greg Miller (digitals), Christine Hayden (color prints), David Kelm (mono prints) and Anita Doster (novice); judge was Gunnar Kehrt-Reese ... speaker was David Stewart of Ad Cat Media, talking about architectural and product photography ... State Fair blue ribbons: Aspiring — Bob Wells, mono people. Accomplished — Al Wollerton, mono places/Hensley Award, color places; Mike Matthews, mono unclassified.

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gallery shows of her work, which focused on flowers and nature but later went to portraits: "I see so many wonderful faces with so much living and goodness written on them," she said. Besides her LPS work, she chaired the Arts Club's photo competition for many years and was an officer of the Kentucky Society of Natural History. Her photographs won many local and national contests and appeared in all sorts of publications. Just as important, she was a fixture at LPS meetings and

other activities, like the banquet, the yearly March of Dimes shoots, showing slides at local hospitals and giving talks to the community. She became the official club historian in the 1980s as the last link to the early days and supplied a lot of the material used to celebrate the club's 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary in 1991. She won her last State Fair ribbon in 1990. When she was unable to come to meetings, she was made an honorary life member and still advised the club until she passed away in February 1996.

## BOB WELLS (1933-2022)

Longtime LPS member Bob Wells, who won many state, national and club awards for his photography, died Sept. 3. He was 89.

Wells, who owned a home restoration/repair company, the Bob Wells Construction Co., joined LPS in 1992 and immediately became one of LPS' top photographers, winning the monochrome points competition and best year-end color and mono print. He then dominated club competition through 1996, the year he totaled 185 mono points, 124 color and had the top three year-end color and mono prints. He also was an LPS volunteer at the Kentucky State Fair, where he also dominated, winning more than 35 blue ribbons, six Hensley Awards (best monochrome), three Best of Shows and two best



Bob Wells in his basement studio in 2007. (Pam Spaulding/Courier-Journal).

color photos. Many of his winners were floral, but he won in every category. A Louisville native, he traveled around the country — especially desert locations — in his RV and lived in Alaska for 15 years. He said on his website that he loved the "untamed places and the magic play of light on the natural landscape." He had several gallery shows and museum exhibitions. In lieu of flowers, the family asked for donations to LPS.

## SEPTEMBER-OCTOBER 2022

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
4	5 Labor Day	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14 LPS meeting 7 pm at St. Luke's	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22 LPS board meeting; First Day of Autumn	23	24
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2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12 LPS meeting 7 pm at St. Luke's	13	14	15

**Coming up: Oct. 26** - Digital deadline, "Uniforms"; **Nov. 9** - November LPS meeting / Book entries due

### DON'T FORGET OUR FACEBOOK PAGES

Paid-up LPS members are eligible to join the **private LPS Members** (only) Facebook group, a forum to discuss LPS activities and get to know your fellow Society members. If you need an invitation, search in Facebook for "Ken Tripp Louisville" and send Ken a friend request for a link. Or email him directly at [kdtripp@mac.com](mailto:kdtripp@mac.com). LPS also manages a public group, **Louisville Photographic Society**, which has attracted a diverse assortment of more than 4,200 folks who shoot and are interested in photography.

## ABOUT THE LOUISVILLE PHOTOGRAPHIC SOCIETY

Membership in LPS is open to everyone. You must be a paid member of LPS to submit photos for competition. There are two divisions of competition, Amateur and Advanced, and three categories in each division, Color Prints, Monochrome Prints, and Digital submissions. No more than two entries are allowed per category, and you may enter in only one division each month. Digital images must be submitted **no later than two weeks before the meeting** and must be no larger than 1 MB, with no more than 1024 pixels on the long side at a resolution of no higher than 120 DPI.

You **MUST** compete at the Advanced level if:

- You are a professional photographer (you earn more than 50% of your annual income from photography).
- You have had a juried gallery showing.
- If you are an accomplished photographer and are not in the above groups, you are encouraged to enter at the Advanced level.

See the LPS website for complete rules: [www.louisvillephotographic.org](http://www.louisvillephotographic.org)

## MEETING INFO

The Louisville Photographic Society meets the 2nd Wednesday of every month except July or August at 7 p.m. Check the Calendar for dates. **In-person meetings are held at St. Luke's Church, 1206 Maple Lane in Anchorage.** Directions can be found in this month's newsletter (which also includes a map) and on the LPS website.

## LPS EMAIL ADDRESSES

### Website

<https://www.louisvillephotographic.org>

**Send digital entries (deadline 2 weeks before meeting) to:**

[louisvillephotographic@gmail.com](mailto:louisvillephotographic@gmail.com)

**Send monthly print winners (once prints are accepted again) to:**

[LPSprintwinners@gmail.com](mailto:LPSprintwinners@gmail.com)

**Send Best Shot submissions (deadline nine days before meeting) to:**

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**Newsletter editor:**

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## IT'S YOUR BOARD!

Got a question, comment or concern about LPS? Find a board member at the meeting or send any of them an email to:

FirstName@louisvillephotographic.org

or to me at:

[glenn@louisvillephotographic.org](mailto:glenn@louisvillephotographic.org)

Any member can attend a board meeting and introduce a topic (but only the board can vote).

## NEW MEMBERS

Mary Cardoza-Lane, Reed Bagley, Benjamin and Robbie Sherrard (students)

**JUNE WINNERS: ADVANCED DIGITAL**

**TOPIC: WHEELS**

**JUDGE: JONATHAN ROBERTS**



**1st: Deborah Brownstein**  
*Reflecting the Past*



**2nd: Deborah Brownstein**  
*Spirograph Wheels*



**3rd: Kay Sherrard**  
*Bicycle Wheels*

**JUNE WINNERS: ADVANCED COLOR**



**1st: Jackie Mattingly**  
*Pinwheel Spinning*



**2nd: Al Wollerton**  
*Giant Fair Wheel*



**3rd: Bob Dorzback**  
*Old Lumber Mill*

**JUNE WINNERS: ADVANCED MONOCHROME**

**1st: Byron Butler**  
*Rounding the Bend*



**2nd: Jackie Mattingly**  
*Riverboat Paddlewheel*



**3rd: Jackie Mattingly**  
*Potato Wagon Wheel*

**Digital**



**Leigh Ann Logsdon**  
*Rake That Hay*



**Bob Dorzback**  
*Rusted Axle and Spokes*

**Color**



**Byron Butler**  
*Firetruck*



**Tom Barnett**  
*Pinwheels*



**Bob Dorzback**  
*Old Mill Wheel*



**Byron Butler**  
*Wheels of the Past*

**Monochrome**



**Tom Barnett**  
*Spinning Wheel*



**Kay Sherrard**  
*One Down*



**George Sherrard**  
*Wheels Up*



**Deborah Brownstein**  
*Tire and a Fair Spare*

**JUNE WINNERS: AMATEUR DIGITAL**



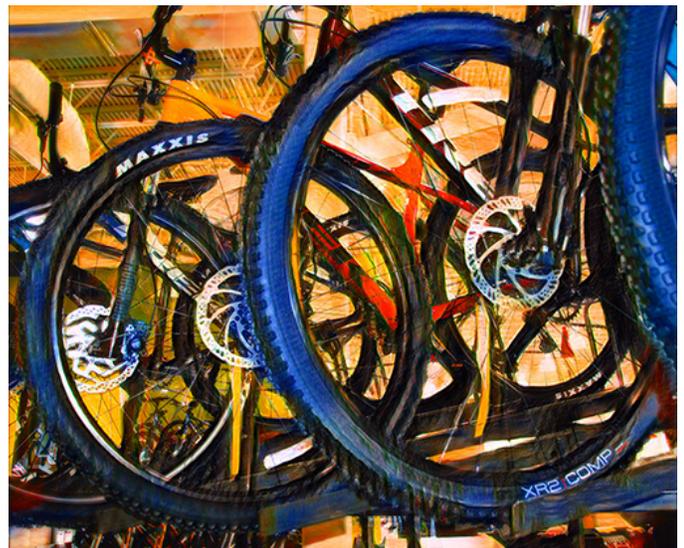
**1st: Greta Garbo**

*Luna Park*



**2nd: Carolyn Hawkins**

*Ferris Wheel*



**3rd: Deborah Hennessey**

*Wheel Collage*

## JUNE WINNERS: AMATEUR COLOR



**1st: Deborah Hennessey**

*Wheels for Rent*



**3rd: Deborah Hennessey**

*Lawn Feeder Wheels*



**2nd: Eileen Strenecky**

*Old Sugar Mill Parts*

**JUNE WINNERS: AMATEUR MONOCHROME**



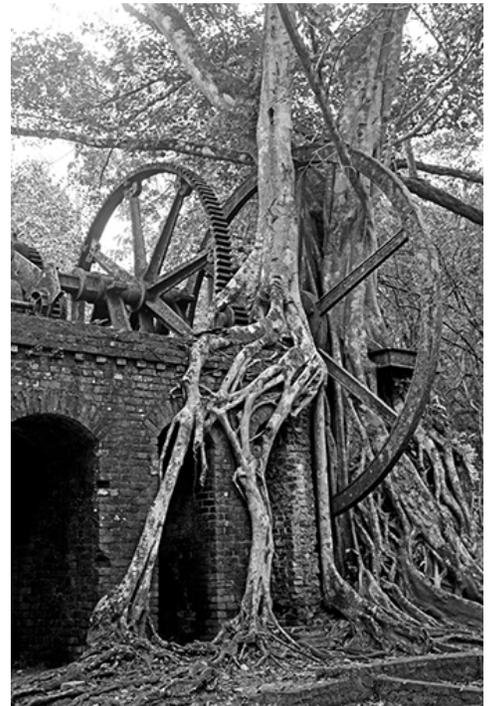
**1st: Deborah Hennessey**

*Upstanding Wheels*



**2nd: Barbara Eilert**

*Classy Dash*



**3rd: Eileen Strenecky**

*Abandoned Sugar Mill*

**Digital**



**Barry Mattingly**  
*Pray for Cyclist Amen*



**Deborah Hennessey**  
*Colorful Bikes*

**Color**



**Eric Baker**  
*Train Wheels*

**Monochrome**



**Eric Baker**  
*Cannon Wheels*

**NOTEBOOK**

**Fair volunteers**

Thanks to all of the club members who helped with photo check-in and hanging for the Kentucky State Fair: Eric Baker, student division liaisons Deborah and Glenn Brownstein, Kelly Davenport, Bob Dorzback, Barbara Harris, fair liaison Carolyn Hawkins, Ted Heitzman, John Holthaus, Leigh Anne Logsdon, John Loser, Jackie Mattingly, Kyle Shepherd, Eileen Strenicky and Benjamin, George, Kay and Robbie Sherrard.

**Special thanks to Deborah and Barbara** for hanging and

re-arranging hundreds of photos after judging Monday and Tuesday.

**MS support**

Kudos to Ted Heitzman for spending six hours and providing 140 images to the local National Multiple Sclerosis Society from their annual fund-raiser, "Misters for MS," at the Marriott Downtown.

**Category descriptions**

**Lonely Roads** includes paths, trails, walkways, avenues, lanes or alleys; for **Things in Motion**, anything goes as long as motion is clearly portrayed in the image. **Uniforms** must include at least one person.



Tom Barnett, one of the judges of the Louisville Free Public Library's Ripple Effects junior photo contest, sponsored in part by LPS, presented an award to a contest winner July 4. (Photo by John Nation)

## 2022-23 LPS BOARD

<b>President</b>	Tom Barnett
<b>1st Vice President*</b>	Eileen Strenecky
<b>2nd Vice President**</b>	Kyle Shepherd
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<b>Secretary</b>	Barbara Harris
<b>Ex-Officio Past President</b>	Kevin Laundroche
<b>Summer Seminars</b>	David Becker
<b>Student Division of State Fair, Newsletter Editor</b>	Glenn Brownstein
<b>Website/Year-End Program/Digital Competition</b>	Kay Sherrard
<b>Digital Assistant/Book of the Year</b>	John Holthaus
<b>Photo Book Service Project</b>	Deborah Hennessey

\*-Meetings and hospitality; \*\*-Obtains judges

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