

## **AUG. 20, 2009 MGCC MEETING**

The Middle Georgia Camera Club meeting was held on August 20, 2009 at Northminster Presbyterian Church with President Diana Sullivan presiding. Several guests were welcomed.

The MGCC needs volunteers for the Georgia National Fair Photography Beginners' judging to be done on Saturday October 3<sup>rd</sup>. This event is a great opportunity to learn more about photography and how competitions are judged and set up. We will need volunteers to handle the photographs, put corners on them, keep up with the judges' scores, and for the more advanced members of the club, to write comments for the beginner photographs. Everyone is needed to make this event successful. The GNF presents our club with a generous donation for our help. Please volunteer.

At the September 3<sup>rd</sup> meeting Marti Jeffers of "The Mindful Eye" ([www.TMELive.com](http://www.TMELive.com)) will be our speaker. The 2<sup>nd</sup> Cyclic Digital Competition images will be presented at the September 17<sup>th</sup> meeting.

Rick Freeburg, field trip coordinator, reminded the club members of the field trip this Saturday to Atlanta Botanical Gardens in Piedmont park, Atlanta.

Binks Solomon will email Up-Coming Events when she receives them. Lynn Barta has opened Lynn's Gallery at the Macon Mall (2<sup>nd</sup> floor). Lynn will host art workshops for all ages. Call 478-960-8339 or email [lynngallery@yahoo.com](mailto:lynngallery@yahoo.com).

The Middle GA Art Association will hold its annual Photography Show and Sale, "Reflections", August 21 to September 11. The opening reception is from 6-8pm August 21 at the MGAA Gallery.

Jim Berry announced that the Shutterbug Camera Club, a special needs club, will hold a photography exhibit at the Douglas Theatre. Jim will email further information.

Our guest speaker was Richard Bernabe, a professional photographer from South Carolina specializing in outdoor images. He teaches workshops and has had a photography book published. His website is [www.richardbernabe.com](http://www.richardbernabe.com).

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 9:15pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Sandra Brown  
In the absence of Secretary John Froehlich