



1st Place
"Untitled" by **Jeff Dytuco**
ISO 100; f/9

Black and White in Color

May 2023



3rd Place
"First to Go" by **Willie de Vera**
ISO 200; f/22; 0.40sec



2nd Place
"Festive Smile"
by **Arlene Donaire**
ISO 200 | f/5.0 | 1/250sec



4th Place
"The Street Artist" by **Arlene Donaire**
ISO 1000; f/8.0; 1/60sec



5th Place
"Untitled"
by **Angie Amistoso**

President's Viewfinder

And then it's May... the heat index, the summer feel is upon us. It's hard to imagine that we are almost at the half year mark. Lots have happened, and lots still about to happen.

For starters, we staged a mother and child exhibit at the Shangri-La. UNBREAKABLE. A project helmed by our very own ARMI YAN. Exhibiting artists are Arlene Donaire, Armi Yam, Bern Wong, Billy Palatino, Cha Pagdilao, David Lim, James Singlador, Jeff Dytuco, Michael Olivares, and yours truly.

The show was curated, printed, and directed by Red Ognita and REDLAB. It runs until the 14th of this month. In the words of our Arlene Donaire who crafted the statement piece for the show "One completes the other, like the start and end of an epic tale, like the golden dusk that ushers in the imminent freshness of the dawn". Such poetry and a fitting greeting for Mother's Day. So, to all the ZVCC mothers at heart, have wonderfully special day! Do pop in and catch the show.

May 10, our golf tournament, kicks of our first step into our ROAD TO GOLD. Headed by Bern Wong, Boy Kaw, Gov Danny Yu and Jeff Dytuco. The gears are churning at warp speed. We have booked most golfing slots, finetuning the day, and yes, all systems are a go in this! Again, a shout out for support for the day itself – and advanced congratulations to the hard-working team behind our 2nd golf tournament!!

Allow me to note though, as this golf marks our intro into the ROAD TO GOLD journey, the proceeds from this will, one,

go to a "piggy bank" that we will grow so that come 2028, we can all have a uniquely memorable 50th anniversary bash that's light on the pocket for all qualifying members. And second, for this year, this event can gift 2023 members with a free workshop. For the bodyscapes theme, perhaps?? Stay tuned for this.

This month we revert to our zoom meeting format. My hope is that you're all shooting and/or digging for your BLACK AND WHITE IN COLOR theme. June meeting would also be via ZOOM for the HOME IN TRIPTYCH theme.

Being out from under the cloud of the pandemic, has been fun for me so far. Seeing so many of you in person, sharing a meal together, having live meetings, shooting and yes, catching up face to face makes for truer camaraderie. Thank you to everyone. Looking forward to how the rest of the year will unfold.

HAPPY MONTH OF MAY EVERYONE!!

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2023 President
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"Unbreakable" photo exhibit ribbon-cutting at the Shangri-La Mall East Wing.

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UNBREAKABLE... Is the bond between Mother and Child - The Exhibit

By Armi Yam

We had exactly fourteen days from announcement of the exhibit to ingress day. Call it folly but Zone V Camera Club did it with aplomb! Which is not to say that blood, sweat and tears did not overflow for it to happen. It was through the diligence of the board and the members who heeded the call to participate that started the ball rolling. And rolling it did, alongside numerous nail-biting moments. Time was of the essence in every step of the way.

The exhibit ran for two weeks, May 1-14, 2023, at the East Atrium of Shangri-la Plaza. Our theme, "Unbreakable, is the bond between Mother and Child" is a fitting tribute in celebration of all mothers. The images on display were curated to signify a full circle; the first photo showing a baby in the womb, and the ending photo presenting a mother's protection for an unborn child. The rest of the works show everything in between a mother and her child.

On a personal note, there was a lot of learning to do. Excitement alone will not make things happen. It is through the help, knowledge, skill, and participation of the people involved that will carry an idea into successful reality. I am grateful to the board for indulging my zeal for the club to join this exhibit, despite having their hands tied with other activities happening simultaneously.

Congratulations Zombies!!!



Armi



Angela



Arlene



Cha



Bern



James



David



Billy

