2017 State Fair Photography Judging
Class 1 Textures

| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |

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Class 1 – Textures
Class 2 – Ice
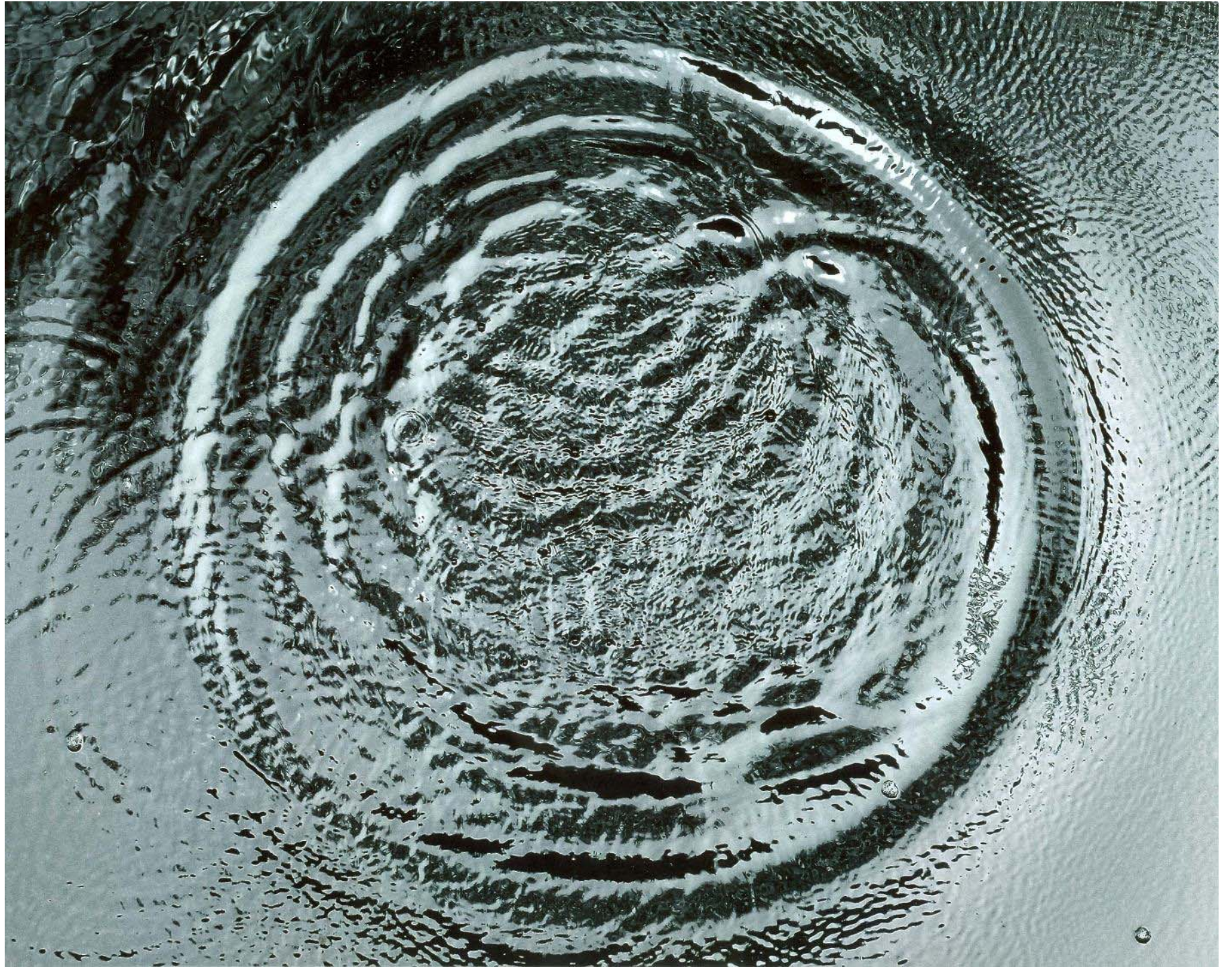Class 3 – Sports
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Intermediate Problem
Senior Problem

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Class 1 - Textures

Placing 3 – 2– 1 – 4   .

v   v   v

Cuts 3   4   5   .

#3	#2	#1	#4
Good leading lines	Fills the frame	Good focus	Rule of thirds with sap is good
Good rule of thirds	Good exposure	Fills the frame	Lacking strong subject
Good focus	Good lighting	No strong subject	Shallow depth of field
Good depth of field but could be a little larger dof	Too centered	Centered	Might be better as a vertical
	Too shallow depth of field	Lower edge merger	

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Class 2 Ice

1 2 3 4

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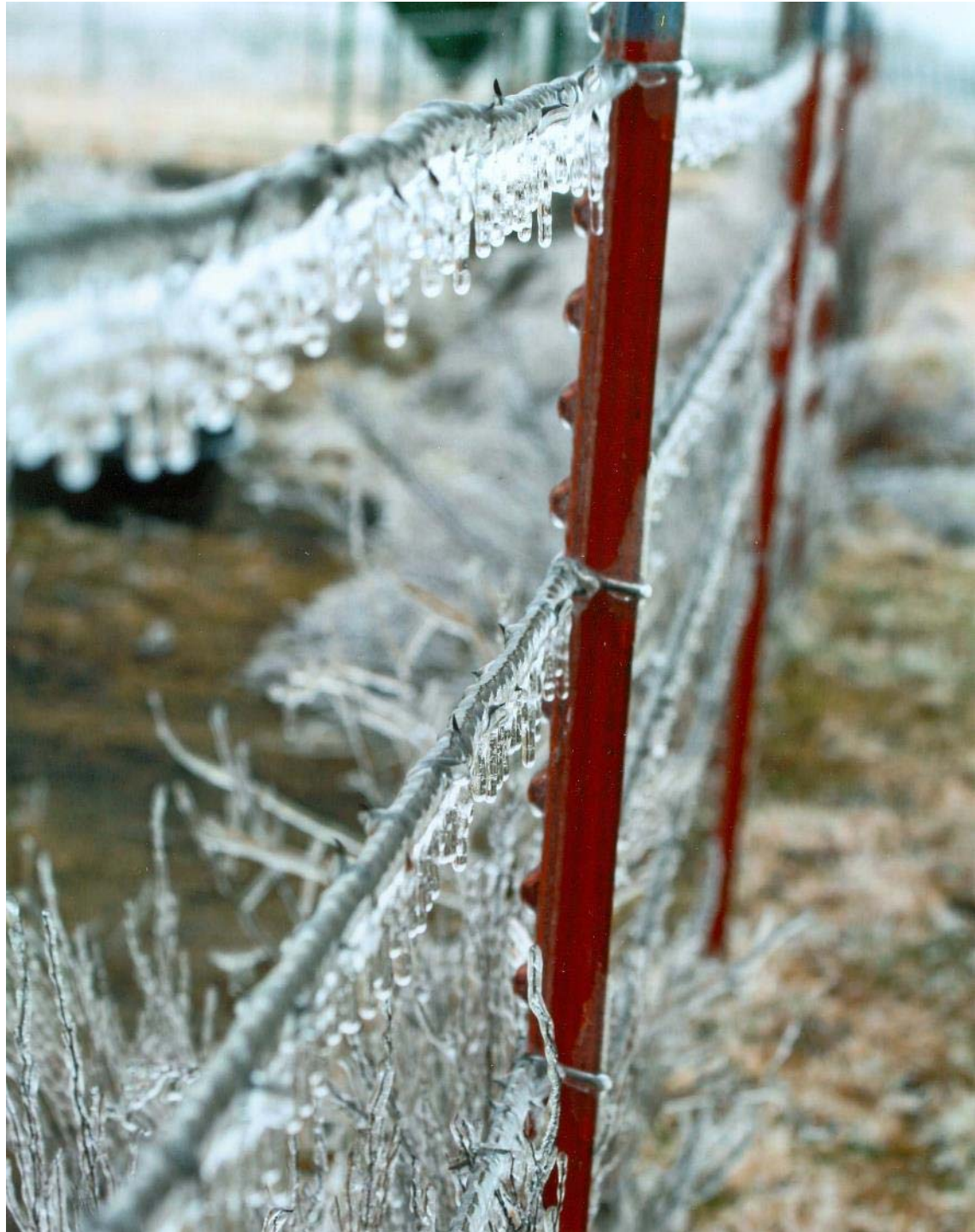Class 3 – Sports
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Class 2 - Ice

Placing 1 – 3 – 2 – 4   .

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Cuts 2   5   4   .

#1	#3	#2	#4
Rule of thirds	Focus is good, Nice lines	Leading lines	Horizon line is good
Good exposure	Background nicely out of focus	Post is centered	No contrast
Fills the frame	Largest one out of focus	Focus is not sharp	Centered
Good color contrast	Little under exposed	Shallow depth of field	Under exposed
Good prospective	Could have been better lighting	Could have been better lighting & exposure	Lose the icicles in the background

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Class 3 Sports

1   2   3   4

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Class 3 - Sports

Placing 4 – 1 – 3 – 2   .

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Cuts 2   5   5   .

#4	#1	#3	#2
Good subject	Good subject matter	Good color	Good stop motion / action
Sharp focus	Stop action is great	Batter is looking out of picture	Colors blend with background
Good position	Well lit on subject	Hot spots on arms	Distracting background
No distractions	Depth of field is good	Two subjects-batter & catcher	Hot spots – one dead center
Color is good	Background distracts		

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Class 4 Reflections

1   2   3   4

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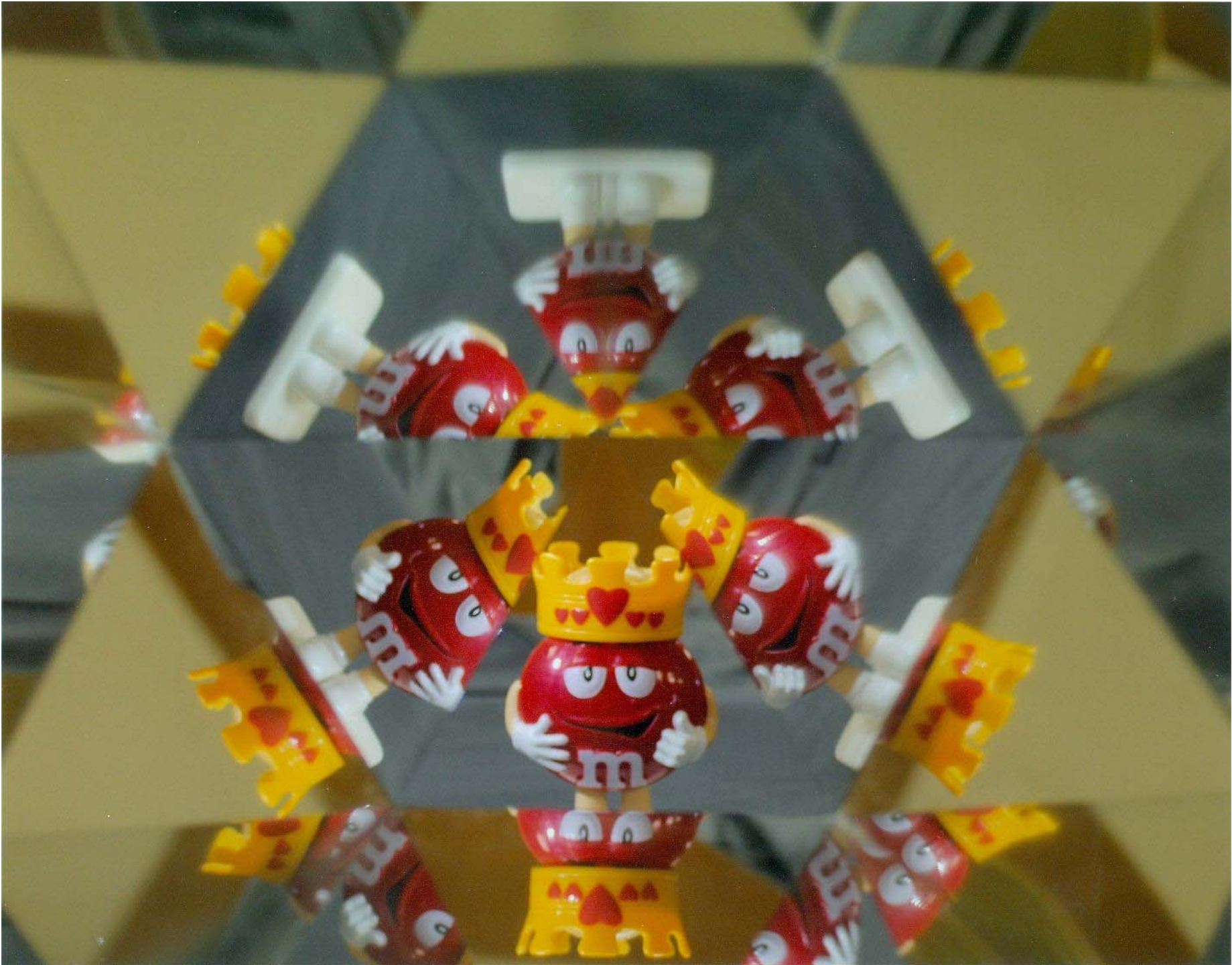Class 4 – Reflections
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Class 4 - Reflections

Placing 2 – 4 – 1 – 3   .

v   v   v

Cuts 3   4   5   .

#2	#4	#1	#3
Good focus	Subject well placed& in focus	Rule of thirds	Pattern is interesting
Shallow depth of field works	Good color	So many hot spots	Subject centered
Good rule of thirds	Too much negative space	Subject gets lost in the clutter	Lighting need improvement
Nice color	Almost an edge merger	Not well focused	
Strong subject			

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Class 5 Cows

1   2   3   4

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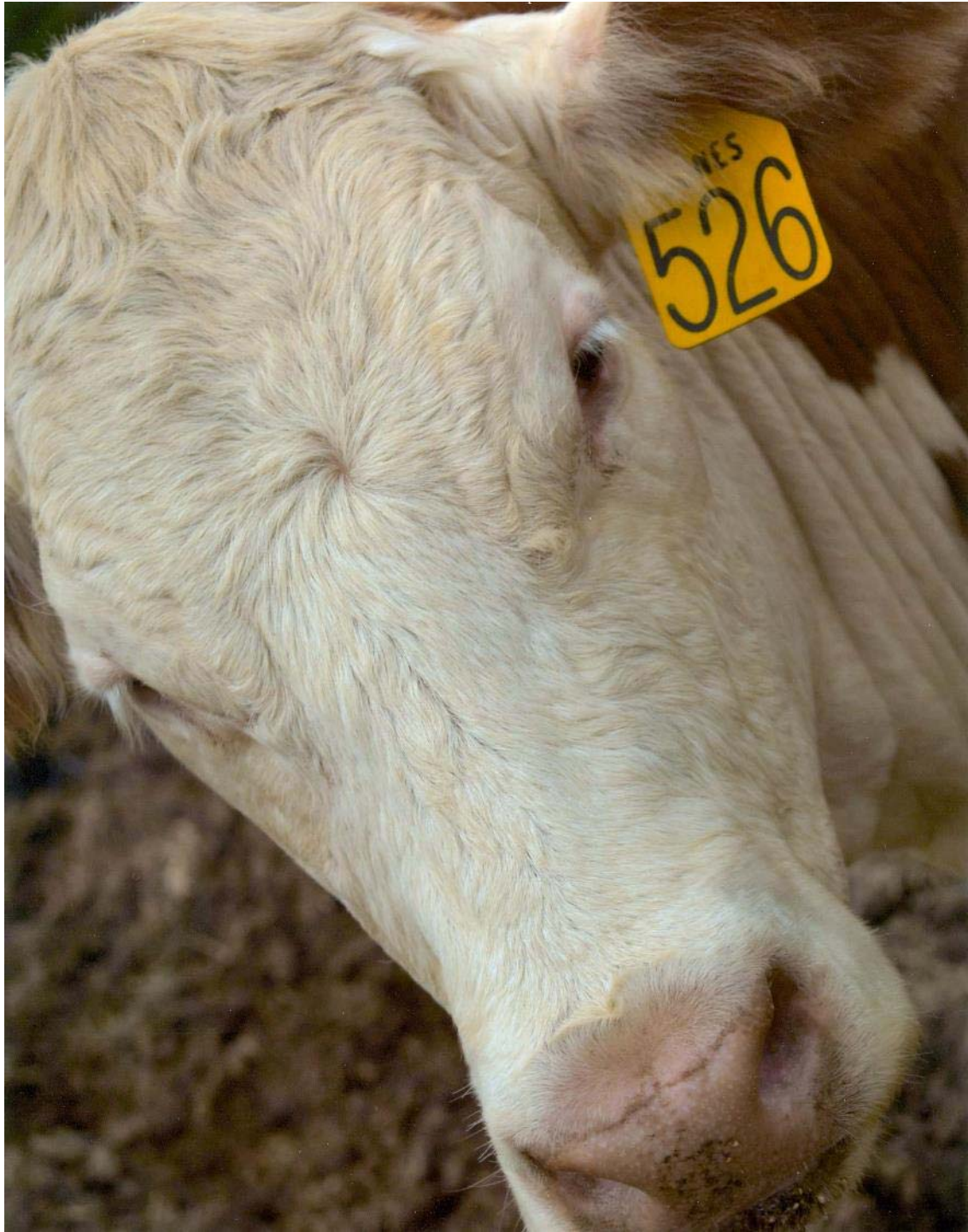Class 3 – Sports
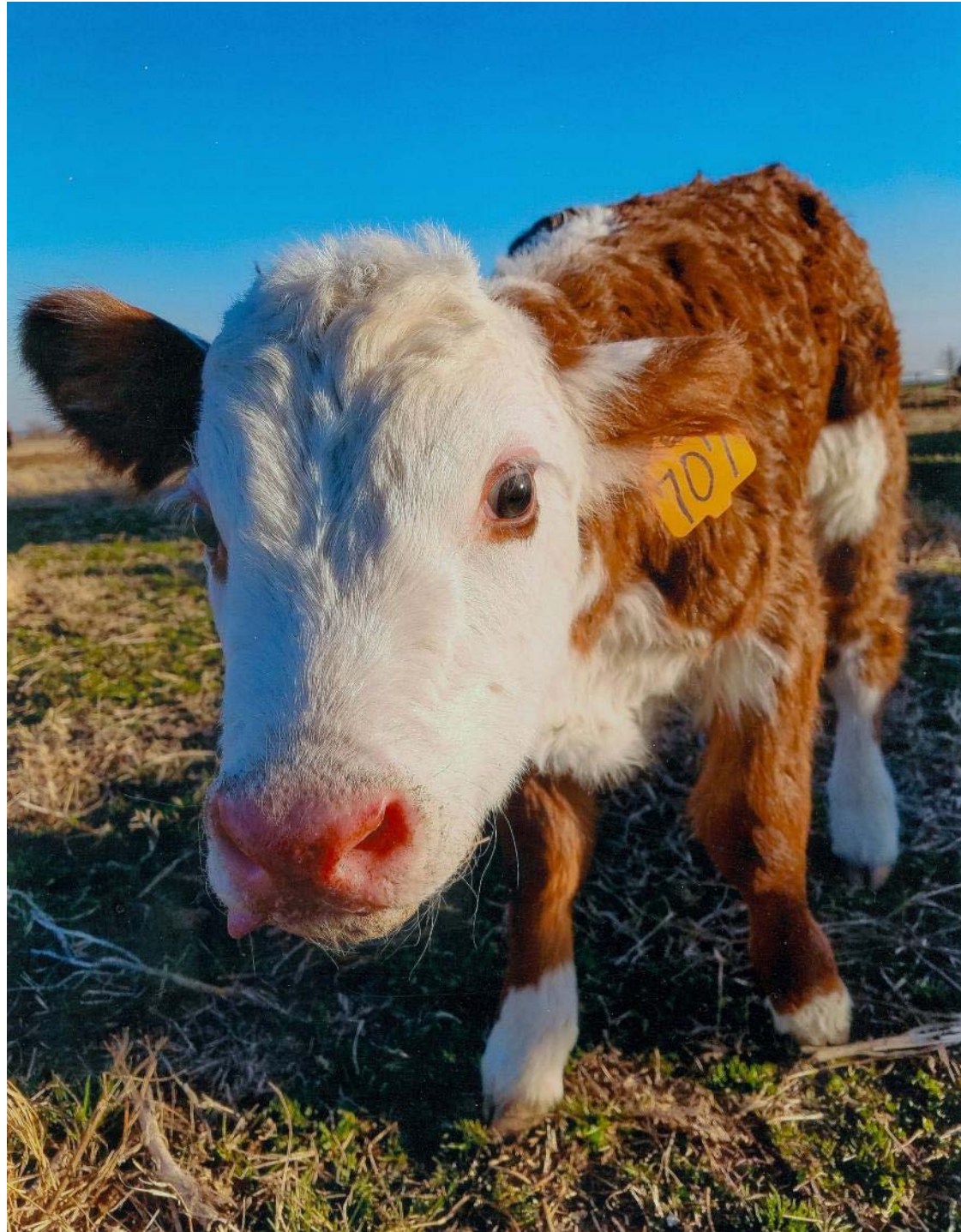Class 4 – Reflections
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Class 5 - Cows

Placing 2 – 3 – 4 – 1   .

v   v   v

Cuts 4   2   4   .

#2	#3	#4	#1
Fills frame Focus on the eye Good color Good exposure Good depth of field	Good color Calf is in good focus Horizon placed good Centered but good composition Edge merger on right	Good horizon placement Room to move in the picture Underexposed Tree merger 2nd cow	Nice diagonal Edge mergers Underexposed No light in eyes Could have a better angle

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Class 6 Black & White

1   2   3   4   .

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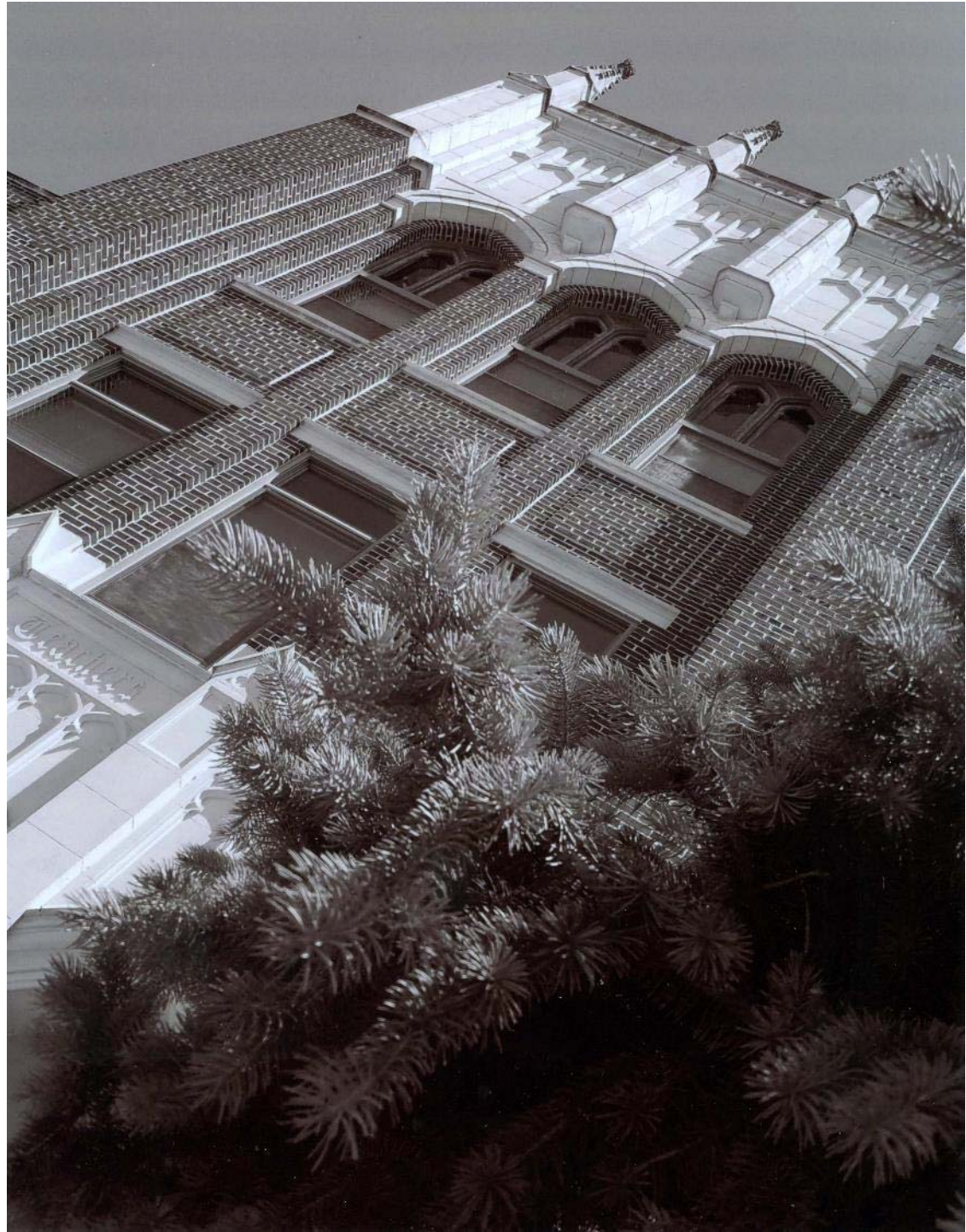Class 4 – Reflections
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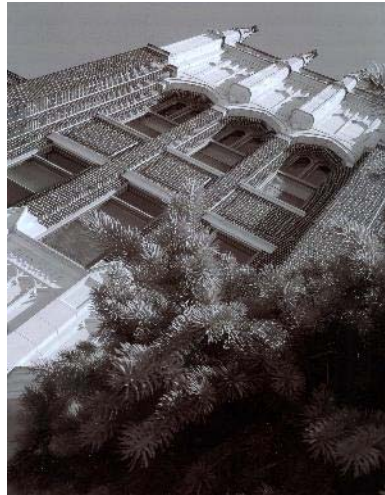
Class 6 – Black & White

Placing 1 – 2 – 3 – 4   .

v   v   v

Cuts 4   3   5   .

#1	#2	#3	#4
Nice angle	Nice angle	Good leading lines	Has true black & whites
Sharp	Good contrast	Dark exposure	Flat
Good focus	Good focus	Subject centered	Lack of contrast
Good contrast	Negative space-tree	Printed green in places	Hot spot on window
Edge merger on top			Missing focal point

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1   2   3   4

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Order the photos from shallowest Depth of Field to longest Depth of Field.

A. Super shallow depth if field   B. Shallow depth of field
C. Medium depth of field   D. Long depth of field   .

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Intermediate Problem

Placing 3 – 2 – 4 – 1   .

1 correct = 13 points
2 correct = 25 points
4 correct = 50 points

#3	#2	#4	#1

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1   2   3   4   5   .

Choose the photo that best matches the camera settings

A. Aperture: *f*5.6, Shutter speed: 1/125sec., ISO: 200, w/flash

B. Aperture: *f*6, Shutter speed: 1/500sec., ISO: 450

C. Aperture: *f*4, Shutter speed: 1/20sec., ISO: 1600

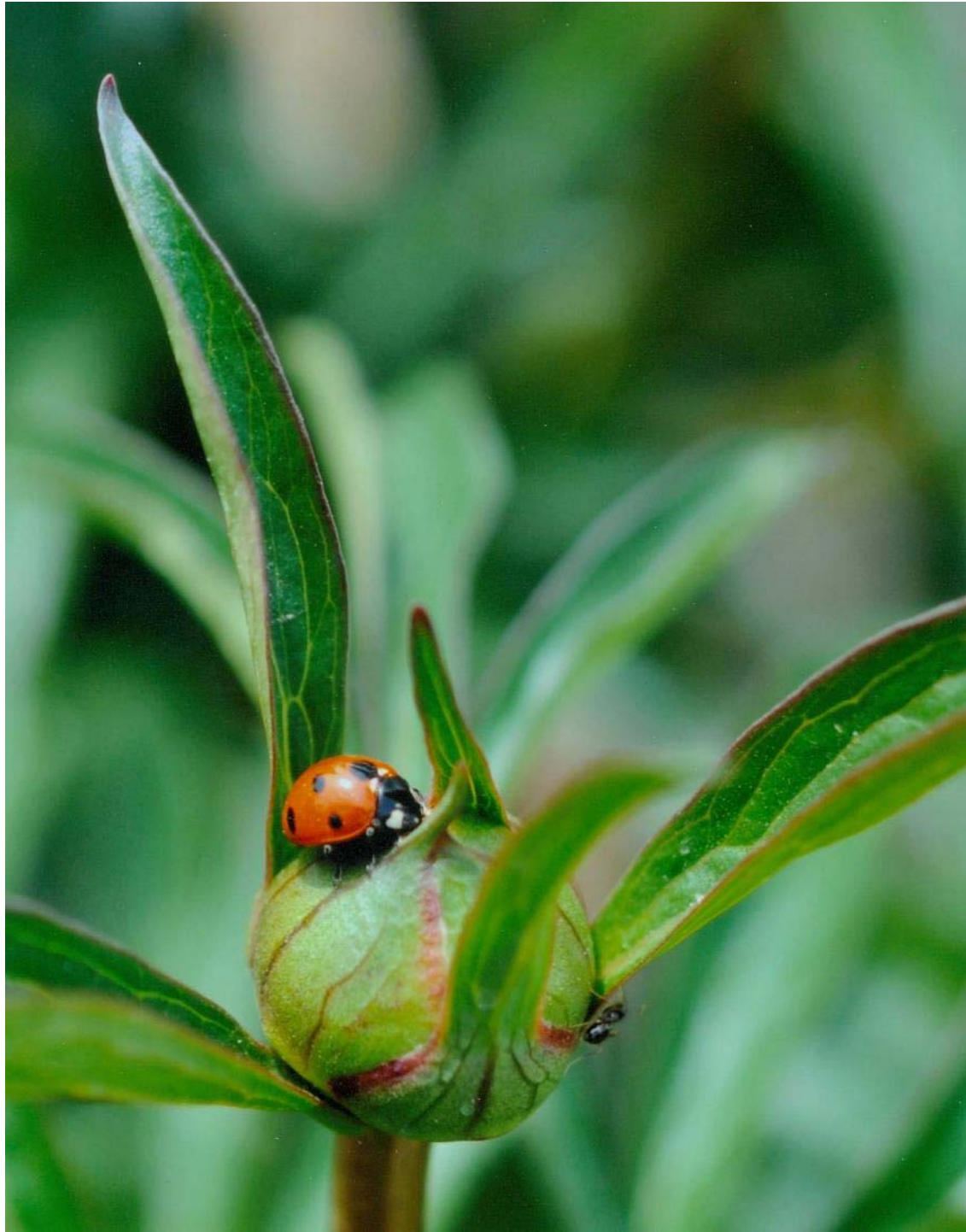D. Aperture: *f*3, Shutter speed: 1/640sec., ISO: 100

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Placing 5 – 1 – 2 – 4   .

1 correct = 13 points
2 correct = 25 points
3 correct = 38 points
4 correct = 50 points

#5	#1	#2	#4
"Flash" is the give away for this picture	1/500 sec. fast enough to stop the action and *f*6 would give enough depth of field for this picture	High ISO. Slow shutter speed and large aperture to capture this night scene	Large aperture for shallow depth of field, a shutter speed and ISO that works well for daylight