

## Monthly newsletter of the Wodonga Albury Camera Club Inc

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## December 2012

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### WACC & Benalla CC Paatsch Challenge Shield

Results day held at the Amulet winery, Beechworth, followed by photo shoot at Woolshed Falls. Results tonight.

#### WACC Falls Creek Weekend 23 - 25 November

What a great weekend! We had the whole lodge to ourselves and the weather was terrific. The sunrise was seen by only a couple of members, but we had lots of fun for the rest of the day...... and we all saw the sun set!!! Could have been more colourful but ya can't have everything. One of us stayed on for two more nights and the sunset on Sunday night was very colourful. Alpha Lodge was a great place to stay and is recommended if you want a nice quiet weekend in the off season. There were still patches of snow around, but the temperature was quite high for the high country. Snow the weekends before and after we went.







### **Dates to Remember**

# THURSDAY 13<sup>th</sup> December 2012 General Meeting:

7.30pm @ Panthers Sports Club MY 2 PHOTOS: Jill Hancock JUDGE: Stephan Moten PRESENTER: TBA

## SUNDAY 16<sup>th</sup> December 2012 Workshop: Preparing Images for WACC Competitions.

- 1.00pm @ Panthers Sports Club
- \* WACC Comp Structure
- \* How to resize images
- \* Matt cutting demo

# THURSDAY 10<sup>th</sup> January 2013 General Meeting:

7.30pm Panthers Sports Club MY 2 PHOTOS: TBA PRESENTER: TBA

JUDGE: Doncaster CC panel

THURSDAY 24<sup>th</sup> January 2013 Committee Meeting: TBA

#### Attendance Book.

Please sign the attendance book for insurance purposes.

#### **COMPETITION NEWS**

# Entries for Club Competitions Size Restrictions

Please aware of the size restrictions for club (*and other*) competitions. **30 x 40cm**, including the matt, is the largest size for our club competition and for NEGV competitions.

Also, watch the thickness of your matted entries. 3mm is the maximum.

Please put a cardboard backing on your matted prints ... this will help to protect them from damage.

## **Competition Entry File Naming Convention**

e.g. Colour Prints, A Grade: **43~Title~CPA**EDI, B Grade: **43~Title~EDIB** 

## **Club Competitions**

- \* Dec. Entries due for 'Open' comp.
- \* Jan. Entries due for 'Happiness' comp
- \* Feb. Entries due for 'Open' comp
- \* Mar. Entries due for 'Almost Black' comp.
- \* Apr. Entries due for Image of the Year.
- \* May. Entries due for the 'Stacked Up' comp.

## **Other Competitions**

#### 1. Australian Weather Photo Comp

Closes 31<sup>st</sup> March 2013. Obtain from <a href="https://www.bom.gov.au/calendar/contest">www.bom.gov.au/calendar/contest</a> Winners will be in the 2014 calendar. No prizes, but you get three calendars if selected.

## **OUTINGS and WORKSHOPS 2013**

On the drawing board:

- 1. Night photography February 2013
- 2. Table Top Mountain
- 3. Paddy's River Falls (editors suggestion)
- 4. Treasure Hunt

Any suggestions for further outings or workshops should be addressed to the committee

#### **EXHIBITIONS**

1. Albury Library Museum. *Beach, Bush & Battlers* - Jeff Carter B&W photographs. Until January 13th

### FOR SALE

SELL, SWAP or TRADE Place your items here. Email Editor

#### **NEGV November Meeting**

Due to insufficient people attending, the AGM could not go ahead. This brings in to question the viability of NEGV .... or, is this just a bad time for the AGM to be held. WACC reps were both returning from overseas when the meeting was on, so were apologies. Don't know about the other clubs.

DO YOU WANT NEGV TO CONTINUE???? DO WE REDUCE MEETINGS TO TWO PER ANNUM???

I believe that NEGV offers an opportunity for north eastern clubs to get together, share work and workshops..... a further learning opportunity. BUT, it needs your support.

## WACC 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary

- \* WACC Exhibition Exhibitions On High Wodonga 7<sup>th</sup> January 15<sup>th</sup> February 2013
- \* 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Photographic Exhibition 6<sup>th</sup> 19<sup>th</sup> February 2013

\*The 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary dinner will be held at the Panthers on 9<sup>th</sup> February 2013. \$30 per person. Bookings and payment by 31<sup>st</sup> January (see relevant information leaflets)

#### Wanted - Presenters for 2013

Do you know somebody that would make a good presenter? If you do, or would like to be a presenter yourself, please contact a committee member and book a spot on the calendar.

#### **NEGV NEWS**

Next Meeting for 2013 is yet to be determined. EDI now has A & B grades as for the print competitions.

Members may submit up to 2 images per section as per our own digital competition.

i.e. 1024px (max w) x 768px (max h) at 72dpi

#### **CLUB EQUIPMENT FOR LOAN**

The Spyder Pro 2 colour calibration unit and the Logan matt cutter are available for members to borrow.

A \$20 deposit is required and this will be returned on the safe return of the equipment. If one of the club's team is required to calibrate your computer with the Spyder, the first calibration will be by donation of \$20 to the club.



