



Monthly newsletter of the Wodonga Albury Camera Club Inc

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WACC 60th Anniversary 2013

WACC Exhibition in *Reflections On High*

Many positive comments were received about the exhibition. Hope you were all able to have a look. The melting clock and camera were particularly interesting. A Dali-esque scene if there was ever one.

60th Anniversary Photographic Exhibition

6th February - 3rd March 2013

Just over 400 people came to view the exhibition. This was excellent considering that there was no show on at Hot House Theatre. Again, positive comments were received. A big thank you to all members and family that helped install, de-install, and man the exhibition over 4 weeks. Two works sold in the last two days.

Vale Ron Smallpage

A sad time during our 60th Anniversary celebrations was the passing of founding member and Life member Ron Smallpage at age 95. Just a few days short of his 96th birthday, Ron had been in Bupa aged care for much of the last 12 months or so. Ron had helped a great deal with information and photographs for the club history booklet to be printed later in the year.

Ron S and Tom Willoughby, were the two people that called a meeting to form the Wodonga CC, now the Wodonga Albury CC.

It is believed that Ron Hanel and Alf Bullock are now the only surviving members from the club's beginnings in 1953.



Ron Smallpage

Brian Basham Workshop 23rd February

The Jubilee Workshop with Brian Basham on 'Creative Portraiture and Off Camera Flash', held at the Panthers on Saturday the 23rd of February, was a great success. Brian gave us an inspiring presentation and left us with food for thought. He showed us that we have a lot to learn, and perfect, in this aspect of photography. Now we need to put into practice what has been learnt.

Dates to Remember

THURSDAY 14th March 2013

General Meeting:

7.30pm Panthers Sports Club

MY 2 PHOTOS: TBA

PRESENTER: Melinda Marengo
India

JUDGE: Rene Martens

THURSDAY 21st March 2013

Outing: Night Photography

Meet at bottom of Dean St Albury at 6.30pm. Mentors present to assist.

THURSDAY 28th March 2013

Committee Meeting: 7pm at the Woolcock residence.

THURSDAY 11th April 2013

General Meeting:

7.30pm @ Panthers Sports Club

MY 2 PHOTOS: TBA

JUDGE: Ron Cork

PRESENTER: 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

- * Mar. - Entries due for 'Almost Black' comp.
- * Apr. - Entries due for **Image of the Year**.
- * May. - Entries due for the 'Stacked Up' comp.
- * June - Entries due for the 'Open' comp.
- * July - Entries due for the 'Portraiture/Modeling' comp.

Other Competitions

1. Australian Weather Photo Comp

Closes 31st March 2013. Obtain from www.bom.gov.au/calendar/contest Winners will be in the 2014 calendar. No prizes, but you get three free calendars if selected.

2. Australian Museum Eureka Prize for Science Photography. Closes May 3rd.

Check the website for more details:

<http://eureka.australianmuseum.net.au/>

3. Sydney Harbour International. Closes 1st April.

Check the website

<http://www.sydney-harbour-international.org.au>

New Members

We welcome new members Wendy Stanford and Debbie MacVean and also welcome back Jim Roelofs.

VAPS Interclub Competition - March Meeting

Entries are due for the VAPS Interclub tonight. Max entries per club are 15 prints and 15 EDIs.

NEGV Report

The reply from the NEGV secretary suggested that there would be a meeting sometime in May to sort out the future programme. No further details have been forthcoming.

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.



Melting objects from
Reflections on High

OUTINGS and WORKSHOPS 2013

On the drawing board:

1. Table Top Mountain
 3. Treasure Hunt
 2. Paddy's River Falls (editors suggestion)
- Any suggestions for further outings or workshops should be addressed to the committee

EXHIBITIONS

1. Albury Regional Art Gallery. *More Seeing is Not Understanding* - Ponch Hawkes. Photographs. 16th February - 7th April

FOR SALE

SELL, SWAP or TRADE

Place your items here. Email Editor

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.

Kerry & Leighton Weymouth

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