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WACC Premier Yearly Exhibition

The date has been confirmed for our yearly club Photographic Exhibition.

Where: Creators Gallery on the Lincoln Causeway.

When: November Wednesday 17th to Tuesday 23rd inclusive.

Opening times: 10.00am to 4.30pm daily. So now is the time to start getting your two images together and framed. You are most welcome to sell them with a 10% commission, goes to the WACC Club toward the hire costs of the Gallery etc. We are of course requiring helpers to be on the door and your help would be appreciated.

Stay tuned for more in-depth information to come.

Thank you

Laura Uniake who was the model for the WACC photography day at the Botanical Gardens would like to say thank you to all the people who supplied her with EDI and printed images.Once again, a very high standard from all who participated.

General Information

Attendance tonight

Please sign the attendance book for insurance purposes.

Grampians Victoria

Spring is a fantastic time visit this area, wildflower photography workshops, open gardens, flower shows and exciting scenery and walks etc. September and October 2010 <u>www.springintothegrampians.com.au</u> Ensure to book your early accommodation now.

WACC A.G.M.

That time of year is coming up again quickly in November for the Annual General Meeting. All positions will be vacant and elections will take place before the main meeting gets under way. If you are interested in participating or know of someone who you would like to have a role in the Camera Club, nomination forms will be available soon.

DATES TO REMEMBER

THURSDAY 12[™] AUGUST 2010 General Meeting 7.30 pm Panthers Sports Club Tonight's Judges: Open Competition Bill Varmeed - prints Jules Boag- EDI

Presentations: Melinda Marengo - 'Apollo Bay' Malcolm Godde - 'Antartic Adventure'

THURSDAY 26TH AUGUST 2010

Committee Meeting 7.00 pm Melinda's residence *See meeting notes for address

THURSDAY 9th SEPTEMBER 2010 General Meeting 7.30 pm Panthers Sports Club.

Please ensure you are a current financial member as the Panthers assist us immensely. Your compliance is appreciated.

Buying & Selling

Camera Market

This site has just been launched, but over time Kim Maisch hopes it will become a popular place for buying and selling camera equipment in Australia. This type of resource will be a benefit to our members in Kim's opinion. She would be happy to offer our members a 50% discount on Feature Ads in return. Camera Market

http://www.cameramarket.com.au http://www.kmaisch.com

Competition News

CHANGE TO ENTRY SIZE

As we post all of the images and discs out to a judge on a monthly basis, (sometimes up to 100 plus)

including the return postage, equates to a considerable financial cost to the club.

The Committee have explored several ideas to help alleviate this ever rising cost. We all still would love to have the enjoyment of viewing printed images on General Meeting nights.So the easiest way which will assist in reducing costs (based on the weight and dimensions of the large box we post and send away) is reducing these down to the following below. Starting from next month's handed in entries:

TOTAL THICKNESS of both the print and it's matt. Was 5mm but will now be **3mm**.

Very easy to do with a major cost saving to the club. Your help with this matter is very much appreciated.

COMPETITION ENTRY INFORMATION

Number of entries

Only 3 images total per month with a maximum of two in any one of the three divisions.

Tasmania Photography Adventure

WACC YEARLY OUTING

The recent survey conducted with all of our members indicated interest in a photographic adventure tour to Tasmania.

Broad outline to date is as follows:

When: March 2010

Duration: 7 days or close to this

How do we get there: Find your own way to Tassy.

Travel opportunity

Spotlight on Asia

In response to customer feedback and overwhelming interest, Malcolm Fackender through his company / Spotlight on Asia/ is offering small group photographic tours to Vietnam and Cambodia. These tours have been specifically designed to accommodate photographers, though they will appeal to non-photographic people as well. They are not your standard off the shelf tours renamed as a photographic tour; they have been designed and arranged from the ground up with photography in mind. <u>http://www.spotlightonasia.com/</u>

Posting entries

If you are posting entries for club and interclub competitions, please inform the Comp. Sec or the Club Sec so that entries are expected.

Size restrictions

Please be aware of the size restrictions for club (and other) competitions.

30cm x 40cm is the maximum size including the matting allowed for both our club and NEGV.

3mm is the maximum total width of the entry including matt or backing medium.

CLUB COMPETITIONS

- August entries due for "Open subject"
- September- entries due for "Night scene"
- October entries due for "Open subject"
- November entries due for "Pattern"
- December entries due for "Open subject"

N.E.G.V

Shepparton was very successful with great workshop.

Where from there: We will pick you up at either the Airport or Ferry Terminal in a vehicle. Itinery: Cradle Mountain, North West Tassy but still

in the final decision stage though.

Accommodation: Cabins most possibly Cost: To be determined as it is dependant on numbers Please note: Not all the details are confirmed as yet. See Anthony Clarkson to indicate your interest

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