# JUNE 2012

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### Brian Paatsch - SSVAPS Award

Congratulations to Brian Paatsch on being awarded the VAPS Service Award. The award is made for service to photography through the camera club movement& by promoting photography to the community in general.
Brian has been a member of WACC for 15 years and has been on our committee since 1998. He has had stints as President, Secretary, Treasurer and Competition Secretary. He played a major role in the WACC hosting the VAPS convention in 2005 and APSCON in 2007. He has taken photography to schools, and to the public via hobby shows and seniors shows. The award is well deserved for much time given to our club and photography in general.

### NEGV Meeting July 7 - Wodonga-Albury CC

WACC is hosting the July NEGV meeting at the Panthers, so please attend and support this event. The program is as follows: -

**10.45am** Registration
**11.00am - 12.30pm** Workshop "Introduction To Droplet Photography" presented by David Woolcock of the Wodonga Albury CC
**12.30pm - 2.00pm** Lunch at the Lavington Panthers Bistro
**2.00pm - 5.00pm** NEGV Meeting and Competition Review Judge and Presenter Lin Richards Lin's Presentation will be "Clean-up Your Images & Use Your Imagination"

### WACC 60th Anniversary Sub Committee - 3rd JULY

The anniversary sub-committee will hold its first meeting on **3rd July.**
Members currently interested in being on this committee are Paul Temple (chair), Brian Paatsch, Louise Peacock, Sue Zimmer, Jean-Maree Gutiez-Christesen and David Willis (club president).
The WACC celebrates its 60th anniversary in 2013. If you would like to help organise events please contact Paul on the editor's email above.

## Dates To Remember

**THURS. 14th JUNE**
**General Meeting**: 7.30pm Panthers Sports Club.
**ANNUAL AWARDS NIGHT**
**MY 2 PHOTOS:** TBA
**PRESENTER:** TBA
**JUDGE:** Ian Rolfe
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**SUNDAY 24th JUNE 2012**
**OUTING/WORKSHOP**: Photo Walk. 1pm start at Noreuil Park Albury.
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**THURS. 28th JUNE 2012**
**Committee Meeting**: 7pm @ the Paatsch residence
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**TUES. 3rd JULY 2012**
**60th Anniv. Meeting**: 7pm @ the Temple residence 34 Kelly St Wod
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**THURS 12th JULY 2012**
**General Meeting:** 7.30pm Panthers Sports Club
**MY 2 PHOTOS:** TBA
**JUDGES**: Barb, Lois & June of the Bright-Myrtleford CC

**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.

### Club Competitions

* June - Entries due for **'Open'** comp
* July - Entries due for **'Sit On It'** comp
* August - Entries due for **'Open'** comp
* Sep. - Entries due for **'Wonderful Albury Wodonga'** comp.
* Oct. - Entries due for **'Open'** comp.
* Nov. - Entries due for **'Happiness'** comp.

### Other Competitions

1. 'Feral Photos' Run by the Invasive Animals Coop Research Centre. Closes Sep 30. To raise awareness of the feral animal problem in Australia. For details and entry form check the website
www.invasiveanimals.com/feral-photos

### OUTINGS and WORKSHOPS 2012

Some outings/events coming in 2012: -
* Photo Walk

### EXHIBITIONS

1. *Frock Show* - Albury Regional Museum (includes fashion photography)
Opens Saturday 12th May

### FOR SALE
**SELL SWAP TRADE**
**Place your items here. Email Editor**

### WACC Annual Exhibition of Photography May 23 - June 10 2012

A big thank you to Paul and Rob and all of the club members that helped them in installing, sitting, and de-installing the exhibition. 15 members entered works in the exhibition and 16 members helped by sitting the exhibition and fielding enquiries from the public.

A special thanks must go to WACC members and non members who gave up their time even though they did not have work in the exhibition.

We had 620 visitors to the exhibition and many wonderful comments were received. Congratulations to Louise Peacock on the sale of her entry. This was sold during the extended week that was given by Creator's Artspace due to a vacancy the week after we were due to finish.

### NEGV WEEKEND AT FALLS CREEK

NEGV is planning a weekend at Falls Creek in November this year. Probably Friday 23-Sun 25. Cost accommodation $80 pp(4 bunk room), $105pp (Double room) for two nights. BYO food and linen and towel. More on this later. Show of hands tonight for interest.

### Wanted - Presenters for 2012

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

Meetings for 2012 as follows: -
2. Wodonga/Albury 7 July  (Entries due May meeting)
3. Shepparton 10 November (Entries due September meeting)

EDI now has A & B grades as for the print competitions.

Members may submit up to 2 images 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.