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DATES TO REMEMBER

THURS. 10th FEB.

General Meeting, 8.00pm at the Lavington Panthers Sports Club.

Entries due for the April 'Open' competition.

Entries due for the April NEGV comp.

Entries due for Pakenham National.

PRESENTER: To be announced.

WED. 2nd MAR.

Committee Meeting, 7pm at the Temple's.

THURS. 10th MAR.

General Meeting, 7:30pm., Lavington Panthers Sports Club.

Entries due for the May 'Photojournalism' competition.

PRESENTER: To be announced.

NOTICE BOARD

COMPETITIONS:

*** Judges: -**

February – Bert Hoveling, March – George Blackie.

*** Competition Discussion Group.**

It has been proposed to set-up a Competition Discussion Group. The purpose of this is to discuss and formulate ideas for the best running of club competitions. It will be fairly informal, but will report back ideas to the committee and members.

This group is open to ALL members NOT just committee members.

First meeting will be at the Tilley's, 15th May, 2pm.

*** Coming club competitions: -**

March – 'At Home'

April – 'Open'

May – 'Photojournalism'

June - 'Slide / Print of the Year'

July – 'Water'

August – 'Open'

remember, entries due 2 months prior.

*** Slide / Print of the Year.**

A trophy has been donated for the best Nature pic. Eligible entries are those that depict wild creatures (i.e. not your pet dog or cat) or natural scene (landscape / seascape etc.)

REMEMBER, entries for this competition must have appeared in monthly competitions throughout the year.

*** Pakenham National – Entries due by 9th March.**

WACC will be sending a batch entry if members are interested. Bring entries and completed entry forms to the February GM. Postage will probably be about \$15 - \$20, so for each will be that figure divided by the number of entrants. e.g. about \$5 – \$6 each for 3 entrants.

If you don't have entries tonight, they can be dropped to Paul at 34 Kelly St. Wodonga by the 2nd March.

EXHIBITIONS:

*** Albury Regional Art Gallery:-**

'Trace' and 'Outward Bound', both works from the ARAG collection. 14th Jan. until 13th Feb. and 6th Mar. respectively.

OUTINGS and WORKSHOPS:

* If there is sufficient interest, there will be a workshop on the 'van Dyke Process', possibly in April.

* Alexandra NEGV meeting and Hot air balloons weekend of 2nd & 3rd April.

Accommodation needs to be booked fairly soon as it will be a busy weekend in Mansfield.

Car pooling may be available.

David Tilley

As I write this newsletter, David is in the critical care unit at Wodonga Hospital after suffering a heart attack on Tuesday night. He is stable, and will have to go to Melbourne for tests within a day or two. We wish David a rapid and full recovery.

President Pat

Pat's hip operation apparently went well and he is currently recovering in Sydney. More news when known.

Attendance Book.

Please sign for insurance purposes.

NEGV NEWS**Meeting Dates for 2005 are as follows: -**

1. Saturday 2nd April - Alexandra. (Entries due 4th March – February GM)
Hot air balloons will be flying at Mansfield on Sunday 3rd following the Alexandra meeting. The club will be offering this as an outing.
ENTRIES for the first comp. may be left at Foto Supplies until closing time on Tuesday 2nd March.
Please mark your entries as NEGV entries to avoid confusion.
2. Saturday 16th July – Benalla. (Entries due 17th June – June GM)
3. Saturday 12th November – Myrtleford. (Entries due 14th October – October GM)

August Photographic Festival in Albury-Wodonga.

The festival proposed by Audray Banfield of the ARAG will proceed. No details are yet known, but WACC will be involved in some way. More details when known.

VAPS Convention.

The VAPS Convention WILL NOT be held in Albury-Wodonga this year. It was decided by VAPS committee that the venture was too costly and an alternative site was found. This is a great disappointment as it would have been a great opportunity for us to have attended the convention. A lot of ground work had also been done by Brian and Pat – time and effort unfortunately wasted!!!!

Presenters for 2005

We need presenters for 2005. If you are able to present some of your slides or prints, please let one of the committee members know so that we can slot you in to a suitable month.

Using a data projector may be a possibility for print workers, so let us know if you would like to utilize this method.

Vale Ted Terry.

We were saddened to hear that Ted passed away in December. Ted had been a guest judge for our club on several occasions in the past, and many of our more senior members had known Ted quite well. He will be greatly missed by the camera club movement.

WANTED TO

SELL OR BUY.

This section is for your use. If you have something to sell or wish to purchase something give the editor a call on 60244885. Best of all, it's free to members.