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DATES TO REMEMBER

THURS. 14th June. Annual Awards Night.

General Meeting, 7.30pm. Albury Regional Art Gallery.

Entries due for the August **'Open'** competition.

Entries due for EDPI **'Open'** Comp.

Entries due for the July NEGV Interclub Comp.

PRESENTERS: Rita Lazouskas, Curator ARAG.

THURS. 5th July 2007

Committee Meeting, 7pm at the Paatsch residence.

THURS. 12th July

General Meeting, 7.30pm. At the Panthers Sports Club

Entries due for the July **'Windows'** competition.

JUDGE & PRESENTER: Margaret Paynter

NOTICEBOARD

COMPETITIONS:

Club competitions: -

* June - **'Slide/Print of the Year'** view these tonight

* July - **'Windows'** (Due May GM)

* August - **'Open' (Incl. EDPI)** (Due June GM)

* Sept. - **'Movie Titles'** (Due July GM)

* Oct. - **'Open' (Incl. EDPI)** (Due Aug. GM)

Annual Awards - June GM

Congratulations to everyone who has entered into competitions this year. We have seen some wonderful work from the new as well as the old members and it has been encouraging to see the club numbers and the enthusiasm swell.

Congratulations to the winners this year also. There has been some stiff competition around so to obtain an Annual Award is an achievement.

EDPI (Electronic Digital Photographic Image) Competition.

Don't forget the EDPI comp on alternate 'Open' months. Remember, these don't need to be heavily manipulated, they can be straight photos.

OUTINGS and WORKSHOPS:

1. Possible Lake Mungo Trip 2008

The club is considering a trip to Lake Mungo in

about March next year. Malcolm Godde has done a cost estimation. For a full bus of 12 it would be ~\$315 each. This includes two nights accommodation, 3 lunches, 2 dinners, 2 breakfasts. This is a great deal, so, if you can, be involved. We can always take two buses!!!!

Presenters for 2007

We have a number of presenters lined-up for 2007, but there are still vacancies so if you are able to present some of your slides or prints please let Brian Paatsch know as he is coordinating presenters. We can help organize your work into a PowerPoint presentation if desired.

Visiting Competition Judges - Accommodation

Accommodation is often required for judges. If you are able to provide a bed for a night to host a judge please see Brian or Charles and add your name to the host list. Your help would be much appreciated.

APSCON 2007

We intend to put together a DVD of WACC member images for APSCON 2007, so please consider images of yours that you might like included

Each member may submit up to 5 high resolution images (~ 10"x8" @ 300dpi).

These need to be submitted by the end of June, so, if you can, please bring your entries to the June GM.

New Members

We would like to welcome Elizabeth & Ron Hammond as new members this month. Please make yourself known to them and help make their time at the club most enjoyable.

Attendance Book.

Please sign the attendance book for insurance purposes.

Club Polo Shirts

There are spare club shirts available, so see Carmen or Kerry if you would like to buy one. Price \$26.

Matt Cutting Equipment

The club has invested in a Logan system for cutting matts. The funds for this were from the club exhibition last year, and this gear will be available for loan to members once a policy has been determined. We will have a workshop on the use of this equipment in the near future.

Our Trophy Image for 2007

This year we celebrate the 100th anniversary of the Autochrome process ... the first viable colour process for photographic images. Prior to this all coloured images were by hand colouring.

The Autochrome was patented in 1903 by Auguste & Louis Lumiere, but not released until 1907.

They were processed like slides and were in fact a form of transparency.

Autochromes were glass plates and were the principal form of colour photography until the advent of film in the mid 1930's.

They were around for only a short time, but if you get the opportunity, have a look at some. They have an intrinsic beauty that cannot really be translated to paper.



The Lumiere Bros & a box of Autochrome Plates.

An Autochrome attributed to the Lumiere Bros c1910



NEGV NEWS

Meeting Dates for 2007 are as follows: -

1. July 14th at Shepparton (Entries due 16th June)
2. November 10th at Alexandra (Entries due 13th Oct.)

VAPS NEWS.....

1. VAPS Muster at Clunes (near Daylesford) over the last weekend of the Daylesford Biennale, 29/6 - 1/7.

Exhibitions

Albury Regional Art Gallery

1. *2007 National Photography Prize - Constructed Realms: Photography as Theatre* 1 June - 8 July
2. *Max Dupain in Albury* 13 July - 28 Oct 2007

Artspace Wodonga - *The Policeman's Eye: Paul Foelsche's frontier photography.* Finishes this Saturday 16 June. This is excellent. Make sure to catch it if you have not already done so.

WANTED TO :

SELL OR BUY.

SELL:

1. Meopta Magnafax Enlarger with Colour Head and all the necessary darkroom accessories to go with it.
\$800 ONO
2. 2x Boxes of 100 sheets of 10"x8" Ilford Multigrade photographic paper (Unopened)
1 Box of 100 sheets of 5"x7" (Unopened)
\$100 ONO

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