

Monthly newsletter of the Wodonga Albury Camera Club Inc Reg # A 0013634 L

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Happy New Year

To all our members and families we wish you a great 2013. We hope that you can all learn at least one new photographic related technique to add to your armory. Keep shooting and keep trying new things.

Vale Julie Woolcock

The WACC committee and members express their deepest sympathy to our Secretary David Woolcock on the passing of his much loved wife, Julie, on December 26th. Julie's passing was sudden and unexpected. Our thoughts are with you David, on this very sad occasion.

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WACC 60th Anniversary 2013

* WACC Exhibition in *Reflections On High* Wodonga has been set up and will be displayed until 15th February 2013. Thanks to Paul, Brian, Jean-Maree and Melinda for their work, in 40 deg heat, organising the display.

* 60th Anniversary Photographic Exhibition 6th - 19th February 2013 Please get your entry application forms in ASAP. Entries close on Friday January 25th. Entries to be delivered to Creators Art Space on Sunday 3rd February between 3.30pm and 4.30pm. Please contact Paul Temple on 6024 4885 if you cannot make it on the Sunday to make other arrangements.

*The 60th Anniversary dinner will be held at the Panthers on 9th February 2013. \$30 per person for a 3 course meal and surprise entertainment. Bookings and payment by 31st January.

New Members

Please make our newest member Dianne Groch welcome at the club. Dianne, we hope that you enjoy the many activities that we have planned for our 60th anniversary and beyond.

Dates to Remember

THURSDAY 10th January 2013 General Meeting:

7.30pm Panthers Sports Club **MY 2 PHOTOS:** Mark Slater

PRESENTER: TBA

JUDGE: Doncaster CC panel

THURSDAY 24th January 2013 Committee Meeting: TBA

THURSDAY 14th February 2013 General Meeting:

7.30pm @ Panthers Sports Club

MY 2 PHOTOS: TBA
JUDGE: Gaynor Robson
PRESENTER: TBA

SATURDAY 23rd February 2013 Workshop: Brian Basham (VAPS) 11.00am - Point of Interest in Your Photos

2.00pm - Off Camera Flash@ Panthers Sports ClubEntry by gold coin donation.

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

- * Jan. Entries due for 'Happiness' comp
- * Feb. Entries due for 'Open' comp
- * 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.

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 calendars if selected.

OUTINGS and WORKSHOPS 2013

On the drawing board:

- 1. Night photography March 2013
- 2. Table Top Mountain
- 3. Paddy's River Falls (editors suggestion)
- 4. Treasure Hunt

Any suggestions for further outings or workshops should be addressed to the committee

EXHIBITIONS

1. Albury Library Museum. *Beach, Bush & Battlers* - Jeff Carter B&W photographs. Until January 13th

FOR SALE

SELL, SWAP or TRADE Place your items here. Email Editor

Most Creative (David Tilley memorial trophy)

Your entries are due with the Open entries at the February meeting. David, a former president, was a photographer who enjoyed using creative techniques in camera (before digital). Upon his passing, his family wished to donate a trophy in his honor - the Most Creative.

Your creative images can be in camera or can use computer manipulation. They must however, have a photographic basis and not be entirely computer generated.

VAPS Interclub Competition - February Meeting

Entries are due for the VAPS Interclub at the February WACC meeting. Each member can submit 2 entries in each of the Print and EDI sections. Max entries per club are 15 prints and 15 EDIs. Please mark entries with your club, name and title.

NEGV November Meeting

The future of the NEGV is still pending. We will suggest a meeting ASAP to nut out the problems holding back the continuation of this group.

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.

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.



