



Monthly Newsletter of the Wodonga Albury Camera Club

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Club Road Trip – Rutherglen & Corowa

The annual road trip to Rutherglen and Corowa took place on a spectacular autumn day. Whilst numbers were slightly down on past years, this did not affect the enthusiasm of those who attended.

This time members were given a number of topics to photograph that were dichotomies or opposites. This presented a unique challenge, unlike the scavenger hunt style of the past, and gave members the opportunity to look at the local area in a totally new way.

Purple and yellow were uncovered in more places than one expected and there were many interpretations of dead and alive. Pfeiffers provided an excellent location for lunch and photo opportunities not to mention a tasting or two.

Thank you to all those who came along and made the day a very enjoyable social occasion. I am certain Helen and I will have a very difficult job judging everyone's efforts.

Louise & Helen.



Diary Dates

Monday 11th April 2016

@ Boomerang Hotel

7:30pm General Meeting

Judging – Open

Entries due – Open

(Image of the Year entries)

Photographic Challenge

(In a Shop)

Thursday 28th April 2016

7:00pm Committee Meeting @

Sharon Alston's residence

Monday 9th May 2016

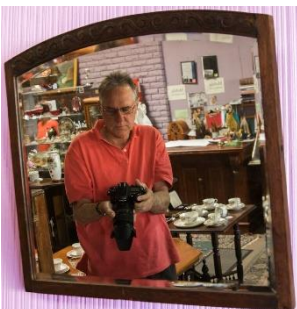
@ Boomerang Hotel

7:30pm General Meeting

Judging – Nature

Entries due – My

Favourite Place



WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Wodonga Albury Camera Club would like to welcome our newest members: Anita Saleeba, Mark Langford, Yvonne Schnelle, Christina Rowney and Les Virtue.

We wish you all the very best along your photography journey whilst with the club and we would like to encourage and support you to try new things, better your photography skills, and enter monthly club competitions.

“Life is like a camera...Focus on what’s important. Capture the good times. Develop from the negatives and if things don’t work out – take another shot”

PREPARING IMAGES FOR CLUB ENTRIES

Need help preparing your images for club entries. The club website has a range of video tutorials and pdf’s to assist you when sizing and naming your image(s). Remember, when submitting your image as an EDI you must ensure that:

- Images must be in JPEG format only
- Maximum horizontal size - 1024 pixels.
- Maximum vertical size - 768 pixels.
- Resolution size - 72 pixels/inch.

HELPFUL TIPS

Use heated hand warmers to keep your lenses from fogging up.

When shooting in colder environments, one of the things that can plague your photography is condensation forming on your gear. Club photographer, Mark Slater, has a cheap and simple solution for avoiding this problem: heated hand warming packs.

“You can purchase a pack of two hand warmers for approximately \$2 at most chemists. I first expose the packs to air for 15 – 20mins to allow them to warm up and then I affix them with rubber bands to the camera lens to help keep my lenses from fogging up. Some of the better hand warmers can last up to 12 hours. They are great for night time photography or when taking photos in cold weather.”



TRY OUT YOUR CAMERA SKILLS AT THESE UPCOMING EVENTS

Australian Polocrosse National Championships



18th – 24th April

Where: Albury/Wodonga Equestrian Centre

<http://www.ahpolocrosse.com.au>

Murray Railway Modellers Annual Show



21st – 22nd May

Where: Mirambeena Community Centre

Entry: Adults \$6.00

Concession \$5.00

PAATSCH Shield Challenge



Sunday 17th July

Where: Jindera Pioneer Museum

Time: 10.00am

Future Club Competitions:

May

Judging: Nature

Entries Due:

My Favourite Place

June

Judging: Image of

the year presentations

Entries Due: Open

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