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Warragul Camera Club “Still Life” Competition Results



A Grade 1st Place Print
Robyn Rosenboom
Chaotic Still Life

A Grade 1st Place CREX
Paul Robinson
Playing with Glass



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**DEADLINE FOR ARTICLES FOR THE May
2023 NEWSLETTER:**

22nd April 2023

A Grade 1st Place PDI
Ruth Burleigh
Bottle and Wood



B Grade 1st Place CREX
Jan Bennett
Bedtime Reading



B Grade 1st Place PDI
Jack Gargas
A Very Still Life



Warragul Camera Club - Still Life Competition

A Grade Prints

Title	Author	Points	Place
Chaotic Dutch Still Life	Robyn Rosenboom	15	1
WRENCH-IN-A-BOTTLE	Gary Smith	14	2
Hook	Bruce Langdon	13	3
Garlic 1	Russell Monson	13	
The Bead	Carol Monson	13	
The Epiphone	Gary Smith	13	
We Three Kings	Des Lowe	12	
Wine and Cheese Evening	Bruce Langdon	12	
Negatives	Carol Monson	11	
Time Out	Russell Monson	11	
Fruit Bowl	Des Lowe	10	

A Grade PDI

Title	Author	Points	Place
Bottle and wood - Copy	Ruth Burleigh	15	1
Pears	Des Lowe	15	2
Blocked Grate	Terrie O'Dwyer	14	Equal 3
Soup of the day	Robyn Rosenboom	14	Equal 3
Spices	Robyn Wright	14	HC
A-maized and corn-fused	Cathy Tisdale	13	HC
The Story of Flight	Paul Robinson	13	
Cardboard Box of Fruit	Terrie O'Dwyer	12	
Dad's old brace and bit	Bruce Langdon	12	
Oil Cans - Copy	Ruth Burleigh	12	
Pretty in Pink	Robyn Rosenboom	12	
Aliums	Des Lowe	11	
Breakaway	Russell Monson	11	
Cutlery in B&W	David Woodcock	11	
Leisure Time	Russell Monson	11	
Old spanners	Bruce Langdon	11	
Opal Colors	Wilma Meirmans	11	
Pearls1	Wilma Meirmans	11	
The Elevenses	Paul Robinson	11	
Too good to eat	Cathy Tisdale	11	
Torpedo Bottle Car	Gary Smith	11	
Why?	Carol Monson	11	
All In A Row	Christina Robinson	10	
Fly Tying Techniques	Geoff Smith	10	
Impact	Gary Smith	10	
In the Bowl	Christina Robinson	10	
Merry Christmas	Robyn Wright	10	

Your Move	Geoff Smith	10	
Mexican Still Life	David Woodcock	9	
The Studio	Carol Monson	9	

B Grade PDI

Title		Points	Place
A Very Still Life...	Jack Gargas	15	1
Old Kodak	Michael Owen	14	2
spiraling	Helen Cross	13	3
Tea for 1	Jan Bennett	12	
OvenReady	Michael Sanderson	11	
The Three Candles	Keith Ward	11	
Above .05	Greg Mitchell	10	
Fallen Feather	Jan Bennett	10	
Guns and roses	Kerrie Matthews	10	
Old Style New Brooms	Michael Sanderson	10	
The Tasting Celebration	Keith Ward	10	
Pass the Apple	Kerrie Matthews	9	
the mailbox	Helen Cross	9	

A Grade CREX

Title		Points	Place
Playing with Glass	Paul Robinson	14	1
Sacred Gifts of Mystic Meaning	Des Lowe	13	2
Does the spirit live on	Paul Robinson	12	
GUITAR HEAVEN	Gary Smith	12	
ShellyPearls	Wilma Meirmans	12	
Warp Speed	Gary Smith	12	
Tool trunk invasion	Ruth Burleigh	11	
Australian rockopals	Wilma Meirmans	10	
Old Bottles	Christina Robinson	10	
Rusty Blades	Ruth Burleigh	10	
Solar Solarnum	Des Lowe	10	
Three Green Bottles	Christina Robinson	10	

B Grade CREX

Title		Points	Place
Bed time reading	Jan Bennett	15	1
Ice marbles	Kerrie Matthews	14	2
Playing with matches	Kerrie Matthews	13	3
A wine lovers bad dream	Greg Mitchell	11	

SOME IMAGES FROM THE CLUB'S MARCH MID WEEK OUTING TO MONTSALVAT - ELTHAM





President's Report April 2023

Welcome to our April Newsletter and I hope all is well for you all.

New Members

A very warm welcome to our newest member: Trevor Mills. Trevor is a past member of our club and has served in many roles including President. Welcome back to the Warragul Camera Club Trevor and I hope you again enjoy being a member of the club you helped make it what it is today.

50th Warragul National Competition and Exhibition

Entries have now closed into the National and what a great result so far with a great overall entry list as well as a marked increase in prints this year. Jane will have more to say in her report in this newsletter. She will also outline how the judging day on the 1st of April will be organised and the duties that have been assigned. Terrie O'Dwyer has also been busy organising a great venue to catch up after the judging which is being held in Neerim South.

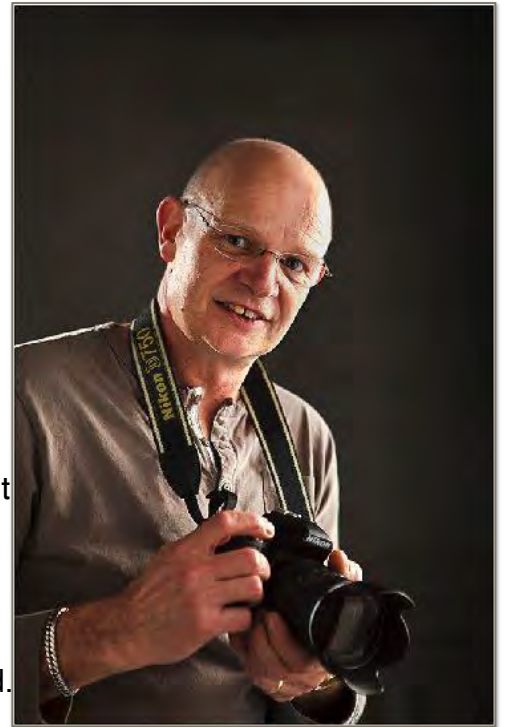
There is a lot of hard work behind the scenes, organizing the opening, collating and listing of prints that is done over a few days prior to judging day so a big thank you to those dedicated members who do this valuable work. Enjoy the judging day as it is a great opportunity to see how the judging process takes place.

Committee Nominations

Nominations are now open for committee positions, and I would encourage you to all think about how you may be able to contribute to the club. The club can't run without the dedicated members who put their hands up and volunteer their time. It is also a great way to know your friends in the club even better. You establish lifelong friendships as you work closely together. The nomination process is you just send through an email to the Returning Officer, our current secretary, Jan Bennett who will collect all nominations. The email to send your nominations is secretary@warragulcameraclub.org You can nominate for either of the specific executive positions: President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer or as a committee person. There is a total of ten committee positions open so we would get your nomination as there are several vacancies this year.

Update your details

You may not know it but if you change your personal details such as phone, address or email, you can update these by logging into the website and go to the **My Account** menu item to select **My Account Settings**. It is easy to update your details there. If you have trouble, contact Des but it's pretty straightforward.



Membership Fees

Robyn has posted an article outlining the membership fee change this year. Each year the committee reviews the membership fees and puts forward any fee increase at the AGM to be implemented the following year. At last year's AGM it was passed by the members that the fees would increase after about five years of no increase. Like everything these days, the continual rise of operating costs as venue hire has meant an increase is needed this year. The membership fee remains great value what is offered within our club. The fees are due by May 31st this year and are required to be kept up date to enable entry into competitions. Look out for Robyn's report in this newsletter.

April Tutorial Night Presentation

Unfortunately "The Eventurers" presentation, which was to be held on Monday April 10th, has had to be cancelled. We are hoping that this can be held at a later date. Being around judging day and Holidays, it is difficult to arrange a tutorial night over April, so we are looking at running a special hands on tutorial night on Monday 15th May. This is the third Monday as the new venue we have found, that will be ideally suited for tutorials, isn't available on the 2nd Monday. More information will be sent out shortly so for now mark **Monday 15th May** in your dairies and have your laptops at the ready!!

Outings

Thanks to Ron and Robyn who have worked hard to put together interesting and varied outings for you to attend. We had a good turn up at Montsalvat in Epping on Thursday 9th March. Around enjoyed photographing this wonderful location as you can see in the photos included in this edition of the newsletter and Ruth has kindly put together an AV that will be viewed at the next meeting on Monday 3rd. Look out for an email from Ron or Robyn for the next exciting outing. Remember, these are the opportunities for you to use your camera and possibly get the best shot you have ever taken....you just never know!!

All the best and hope to see you at the next meeting.

Cheers, Bruce

"One doesn't stop seeing. One doesn't stop framing. It doesn't turn off and turn on. It's on all the time."
— Annie Leibovitz

National Special Event.

West Gippsland Arts Centre, 13th May 2023

After the judging day on 1st of April you will be able to book a spot at our special catered event featuring a renowned documentary photographer followed by an array of delicious food with drinks at bar prices.

It would be wonderful to see you and your friends and relatives at this special event.



50th Warragul National Photographic Exhibition

KEYNOTE PRESENTATION

To celebrate this milestone the awards presentation will be followed by a catered event featuring a renowned documentary photographer.

Theatre 2, West Gippsland Arts Centre
Saturday 13th May 2023 at 3:30pm

Bookings essential
\$25 per person
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AWARDS PRESENTATION

Saturday 13th May 2023
at 2pm

FREE ENTRY

KEYNOTE PRESENTATION

Saturday 13th May 2023
at 3:30pm

\$25 (Bookings Essential)

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Membership Fees due 30th May 2023

Hi Members

Just a friendly reminder that the annual membership fees are due by the end of May and members can make their payment anytime in April or May.

At last years' Annual General Meeting it was passed by the members that the fees be increased as follows.

New Fees for 2023/2024

Individual \$75.00
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Robyn Rosenboom
Membership Coordinator

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Nominations are now open

Send your nominations to Jan
secretary@warragulcameraclub.org

Images selected for 2023 VAPS Interclub

Prints

Title	Author
A Bombo Battering	Des Lowe
Abbey	Terrie O'Dwyer
Bend in Tidal Stream	David Woodcock
Busselton Jetty	Robyn Wright
Crossover School Lessons	Ruth Burleigh
Eastern Yellow Robin #3	Chris Rowney
Flinders from High	Bruce Langdon
Knock Knock	Cathy Tisdale
Locked Down	Ruth Burleigh
Please	Mike Moore
Shark Bay Sandbar	David Woodcock
Sneak a Peek	Cathy Tisdale
Tadpole	Jane Woodcock
Timeless	Terrie O'Dwyer
Yellow Petrol Pump	Chris Rowney

PDI

Title	Author
A Prestige Winner	Keith Ward
Croydon Town Hall	Russell Monson
Darwin Sunset	Robyn Rosenboom
Davidson Glacier Haines	Jane Woodcock
Day of Dead Parade Horrors	David Woodcock
Half Past Midnight	Jack Gargas
Lavender	Cathy Tisdale
Looking Through the Mesh	Jane Woodcock
Sage	Terrie O'Dwyer
Secret Men's Business	Ruth Burleigh
Shadow	Carol Monson
Spices	Robyn Wright
The View from Mountain View	Des Lowe
Working Into The Night	Keith Ward
You are next!	Terrie O'Dwyer

You can view the selected entries on the club website under the Competitions > Competition Results menu.

Coming Monthly Competitions

For those last-minute photographers, the May set subject is **Speed** defined as “**Images that convey the impression of movement**” which broadens the possibilities considerably. **Entries are due Monday 3rd of April.**

Entries for the June **Available Light Portraiture** competition are due on Monday 1st of May.

The subject definition is “An image that captures a single person in a planned pose using only the lighting available within the scene. Flash and or floodlighting is not permitted but the use of a reflector(s) to assist in lighting the individual is permitted.”

This is one of those set subjects where it is important to observe every detail of the definition.

- **A portrait** recognisable as a person, not an abstract
- **A single person** no other people distinguishable in the image
- **A planned pose** not street photography, although the subject could be someone you meet in the street who is willing to be posed.
- **Available Lighting** natural light (daylight, moonlight) or artificial light, which is a fixed part of the location, indoors or outdoors (e.g., street lighting) but no flash, floodlights or any other lighting introduced by the photographer. However, a reflector(s) is/are permitted.

Daily Facebook Challenge



Club Calibrator for Hire

Colours and brightness of computer screens and monitors change over time. In order to see images correctly screens and monitors need to be regularly calibrated.

To save club members the expense of purchasing a calibrator (in excess of \$600) you can hire the club X-rite i1Studio calibrator for \$15 per week. If you are unfamiliar with its usage, a helpful tutorial is available on YouTube. Details of this tutorial have been document and will be in the calibrator case.

Contact Bruce Langdon for bookings.

Thank you to all our generous sponsors!

The Warragul Camera Club appreciates the continued support of all our sponsors for the National Competition and Exhibition. The competition and exhibition would not be possible without their support, and we encourage members (and other readers) to consider them when making purchase decisions.



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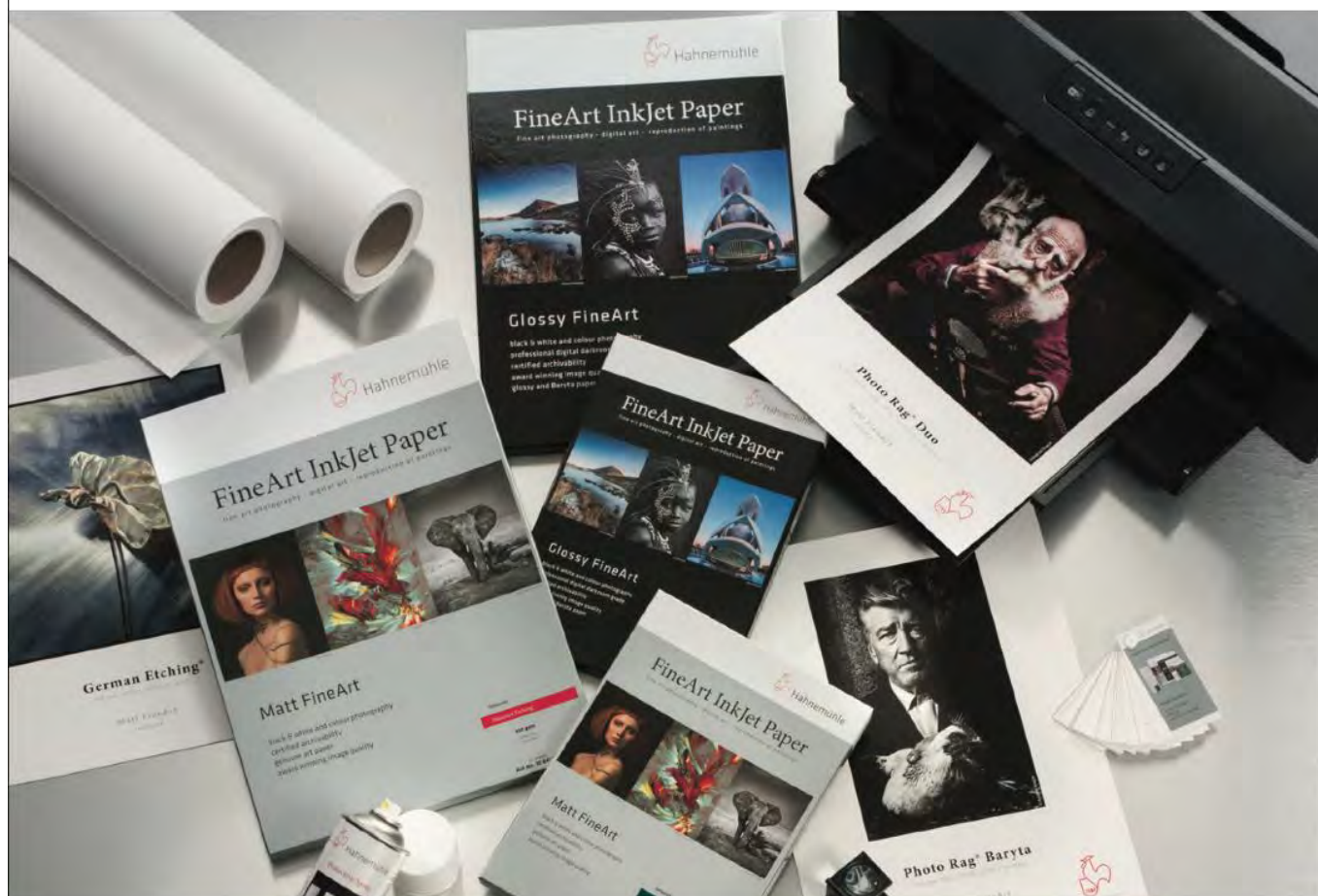
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