

# Rugeley and Armitage Camera Club Newsletter

Saturday 5th September 2015

Web: [www.rugeleyandarmitagecameraclub.co.uk](http://www.rugeleyandarmitagecameraclub.co.uk)



## Welcome Back!

We look forward to seeing you at the first session of 2015/16 on Monday. The evening is intended to be an informal meet and greet for new and existing members, along with collection of membership fees and an overview of the programme for the coming year.

Hopefully you've enjoyed a great summer of photography, despite the weather - and we look forward to seeing your work!

## A trip into the trees at Westonbirt Arboretum, Gloucestershire

Planned for Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> October. Leaving Hawkesyard at 8.00am and returning from Westonbirt at 5.00pm.

The cost for this is £20 per person which includes coach fare and admission cost.

Partners and friends are all very welcome to join us

A non-refundable deposit of £5 per person is required by Monday 21<sup>st</sup> September and the balance by Monday 12<sup>th</sup> October

Information leaflets will be available when you register your interest in this trip with Kay or Carole on Monday 7<sup>th</sup> September

[Forestry Website / Westonbirt](http://www.forestry.gov.uk/Westonbirt)



## New Website

Over the summer the we have developed a completely new look and feel for the club's website.

Hopefully you'll find all the information that you need here. If you have any comments, please let Glenn, or any member of the committee know.

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## Birthday Celebrations

**We would like to wish the following members who's birthdays is was over the summer break, our belated best wishes!**

**Clive Pritchard / Bill Brough - 4th August**  
**Chris Andrews / Ruth Andrews - 5th August**  
**Colin O'Neill / Phillip Pickstock - 19th August**  
**Keith Kearns - 27th August**  
**Brenda Page - 30th August**  
**George Lamb - 31st August**  
**Val Sylvester / Jane Bell - 1st September**  
**Janet Boden - 3rd September**  
**Neil Bunting - 4th September**  
**We hope you had a great day!**

**Best wishes to the following member for their upcoming birthday!**



**Jess Clayton - 8th September**



## Presentation Evening – Auction

We would like to thank Margaret Beardsmore for helping to raise funds for St. Giles Hospice during our presentation evening in June.

Margaret offered members to bid for a 'family photoshoot' experience which I am glad we won.

We chose Cannock Chase as our venue and thoroughly enjoyed an evening of fun, it was an ideal opportunity for us all to get together and record the 'moment in time' for us as a family, something we rarely do when there is a photographer in the family never mind 2!

With Margaret's help being the excellent photographer that she is we have got some superb natural shots and we can't thank her enough for giving us her time, expertise and knowledge.

Thank you Margaret,  
*from Carole, David & family*

## Website Gallery

Anyone wishing to showcase their work on the website gallery is invited to do so - please see Glenn on Monday night.

## External Competition Reminder - Yardley Exhibition - 14th November

Categories:

Mono prints  
Colour Prints  
Nature prints  
Panel of 4 related prints  
General Projected digital  
Nature projected digital

Entry forms available at [Yardley PS Web site](#)

DPI in jpg format 1024 wide x 768 high  
or on a black canvas 1024 wide x 768 high

File name =

Digital no (left column of entry form) +space + Title

Author name placed in file properties  
(right click on file, select Properties,Details)

Entry fees

£1.20 per print or projected Image; £3.00 per panel of 4; Admin fee of £2.00

Closing date for Entries 20th September

*Anyone wishing to enter if they can give their entries to Paddy (together with the appropriate fee and entry form) (cheques made payable to Y.P.S) by the **16th September** and he will take them to Yardley*

## HUDDLESFORD BOAT FESTIVAL – 19TH & 20TH SEPTEMBER

We are once again displaying members prints at the Huddlesford Boat Festival. We do require help to man the display and would appreciate any help from any members who can spare a couple of hours during this weekend, please let Carole Perry know which day and a time you could attend.

We were there at the last event two years ago - and we will have a large display area - which is undercover - thankfully given the recent weather! Always a great event!

**Huddlesford Junction on the  
Coventry Canal and Lichfield Cruising Club, WS13 8PY**

**More information on their website [CLICK HERE](#)**