



Rugeley & Armitage Camera Club Newsletter

4th March 2017

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Next Speaker - 6th March - Tony Gervis 'Visions of America'

Tonight our Guest Speaker is Tony Gervis who will give us a talk entitled "Visions of America". Thirty years of travelling through America in a camper van. Tony is a passionate traveller and photographer who being able to do both in abundance, in his words says he lives an idyllic life. See Tony's website here: [Tony Gervis](http://TonyGervis.com)

Interclub Competition v Acton Trussell & Penkridge Photographic Society Tuesday 7th March

Tonight we make the short journey over the Chase to battle it out with AT&PPS. As before we're sure this will be a very enjoyable evening. Who wins is not important, as long as AT&PPS finish second. The competition will consist of both prints & PDI's. Please come along.

The address is: Acton Trussell Community Hall, 9 Acton Hill Rd, Acton Trussell, Stafford ST17 0RY

Click here for Google Map & Directions: [Rugeley Globe Island to Acton Trussell](#)

Staffordshire Photographic Clubs Annual Print Competition - Wednesday 5th April

We are once again staging this competition. Last years competition was a tremendous success. Comments from competing clubs pointed towards it being the best there had ever been. Obviously we would like to keep up this standard for this years competition. But we need your help. If you are available to help in ANY way, please drop Carole an email on carole-perry@sky.com or see her at our next club meeting. There is so much to do but many hands will make it easier.

Members Evening - 15th May

As a club member, what would YOU like to do or like US to do on the next Members Evening..??

'Members Evenings' are for the members

If you have any thoughts on this please have a word with Rob Ings on Monday evening.

Technical Assistant Required

We require someone with some computer knowledge to help with setting up the computer and projector on evenings when we have a Projected Digital Images (PDI) competition. If you can help please email Carole on carole-perry@sky.com or have a word on Monday night.



Presidents Evening - 13th March

Our President Roy Hodgkiss once again entertains us with his annual Presidents Evening. Roy will be ably assisted by our Vice-President Adam Belcher. Sure to be an excellent evening.

'Electronic' Birthday Card

Just a quick reminder off Brenda that when it is your birthday don't forget to look at your emails to see your birthday card. Of course if you never open your emails or read the newsletter you won't see this reminder....!!



Birthday Wishes this week goes to
9th March - Peter Bell
Have great day Peter

SONY After Canon & Nikon, last week we stepped up the quality to Micro FourThirds. This week we go up the ladder a bit farther to Sony.

[Sony Cameras UK](#)
[Sony Alpha Forum](#) [Sony Alpha Lab Forum](#)
[Sony Photography Tutorials](#)

Photography Show 18-21 March 2017

The Photography Show at the Birmingham NEC is only just over a week away. How time flies.

For all the latest must-have equipment in photography and video plus seminars and practical demonstrations.

Many renowned photographers will be there, including our very own President Mr Roy Hodgkiss

[Photography Show 2017](#)

Next Monthly Competition - 27th March Prints - Subject 'Water'

This competition has been changed from PDI to Print. The good news is that it gives an extra week to get your entries in. The closing date is now MONDAY 20th MARCH.

Judge for the competition is Tony Broom

**Club Monthly Competition
February 2017
Prints - 'Reflections' - Judge John Lacey**

Elementary



SECOND
Wish I'd Remembered
Me Wellies
David Field

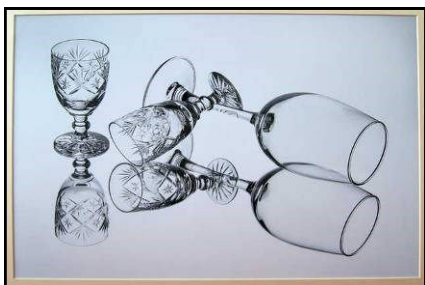


FIRST
Fill Your Boots
Andrea Wheatley



THIRD
Reflecting on the One
That Got Away
Clive Pritchard

Intermediate



SECOND
Crystal & Lead
Chris Shaw



FIRST
Ashopton Viaduct
Brian Wheatley



THIRD
Frikirkjan Reykjavik
Brian Wheatley

Advanced



SECOND
Birmingham Library
Alan Griffiths



FIRST
Groundhog Day, Bilbao
Jan Wilson



THIRD
Still Life
Nola Lovatt

Competition League Tables

	Elementary	POINTS	COMPETITIONS ENTERED
1	RICHARD KEENE	76	4
2	CLIVE PRITCHARD	68	4
3	KIM JONES	50	3
4	ANDREA WHEATLEY	39	2
5	DAVE FIELD	36	2
6	PAUL MILLS	32	2
7	LEE BYRNE	31	2
8	BECKY LISTER	18	1
9	ROBERT GRIFFITHS	17	1
10	JULIE FIELD	16	1
11	RUTH GIFFORD	15	1
11	DEREK MATTHEWS	15	1
11	ESTHER WRIGHT	15	1
14	IAN CLEE	14	1

Intermediate

1	BRIAN WHEATLEY	75	4
2	KAREN KREFT	68	4
3	SUE HARTLEY	67	4
4	JOHN LEWIS	64	4
4	STEVE SETTERFIELD	64	4
4	KAY WILLIAMS	64	4
7	NEIL BUNTING	62	4
8	GEOFF SETTERFIELD	60	4
9	BRENDA PAGE	54	4
10	CHRISTINE BLACKMORE	50	3
11	LINDA SHAW	49	3
12	CHRIS SHAW	48	3
13	KARL RILEY	31	2
14	ROY ALEXANDER	16	1

Advanced

1	ALAN GRIFFITHS	79	4
2	MARGARET BEARDSMORE	71.5	4
3	ROB INGS	65	4
3	GRAHAM WILLIAMS	65	4
5	NOLA LOVATT	64.5	4
6	ROY HODGKISS	64	4
7	JULIE BYRNE	62	4
8	CAROLE PERRY	61	4
9	DAVID PERRY	60	4
10	MARIE LAKIN	59	4
11	CLIVE DUNKEY	51	3
12	PHIL WILSON	50	3
13	PADDY RUSKE	48	3
13	ROY WESTWOOD	48	3
15	PETER BELL	46	3
16	GRAHAM WALKER	45	3
17	DAVID HANMER	44	3
18	JAN WILSON	38.5	2
19	JOHN GIFFORD	34	2
20	GRAHAM CADDICK	31	2
21	HILARY THOMAS	28	2
21	PETER THOMAS	28	2
23	TONY SLATER	19	1
24	JOHN SIMONS	18	1
25	ROBERT BELL	16	1
26	JEAN SIMONS	14	1
27	ALAN DOWNES	12	1

FOR SALE



NIKON D90 + 18-105 VR KIT LENS £200

NIKON SB-600 SPEEDLIGHT FLASH GUN £50



TAMRON AF 70-300mm F4-5.6 LD MACRO 1:2 NIKON
THREAD £40

TAMRON SPAF 10-24mm F3.5-4.5 DiII NIKON THREAD £250



Manfrotto MANFROTTO MIL 293A3 - A3RC TRIPOD 290 SERIES £50

SMALL DURA GADGET BAG £5

ALL ITEMS COMPLETE WITH ORIGINAL BOXES

If you are interested in any or all of the items please contact John Bennett on 07975 569806 or speak with him on club night.