



Rugeley & Armitage Camera Club Newsletter

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Presentation Evening

I'll let our invited guests write about the Presentation Evening. Their words are far better than mine.

From Lu Duckett

Dear Carole

Thank you again for inviting Ralph and me to your presentation dinner last evening. As I said it is always a pleasure to come along to Rugeley and Armitage CC, in whatever capacity. Thank you for the gift, it is now installed in the lounge in pride of place.

Please pass on our thanks to the rest of the membership

Yours

Lu

Lucia Duckett APAGB

President Midland Counties Photographic Federation

From Mary Jenkins

Dear Carole

I just want to say how much I enjoyed your Presentation/Celebration Evening. Thank you so much for inviting me.

It really was a celebration, encompassing all aspects. As was mentioned last night, it is good to have fun when raising funds for such a cause. It was nice to participate in the amusing entertainment.

Of course, this only happens with a dedicated team and leaders, and congratulations for the superb organising which made the evening flow.

It is also nice to see the annual awards being presented in such a convivial the successful ones, and a good atmosphere. It shows how cohesive your Camera Club is. It's a jewel in our Federation.

I think is a lovely way to reward the successful club members, and encouragement to others.

I feel especially proud when I see how you have all worked together since those early days, when you just kept moving forward. The enthusiasm never seemed to falter. It is a wonderful hobby to be available to the people in your area.

Please also pass on my appreciation of the catering services, an excellent supper.

Thank you for my Inca Orchid. It is the first time I have been introduced to that particular one, and I look forward with pleasure to continue nurturing it.

So Carole, thanks to all the team for inviting me to share the evening.

With Kindest regards

Mary

Secretary Midland Counties Photographic Federation

From Dr Robert Horton

Dear Carole,

Many thanks to you all for your hospitality last night, Kate and I had a very enjoyable evening and are most grateful to you for squeezing us in at the last minute! I have checked the email I sent to Cal at St Giles and it wasn't very clear at all. I was trying to say that I couldn't meet you at St Giles when you had the tour because I was on holiday, but it gave the impression that I couldn't attend the presentation evening..... so all my fault, apologies.

With best wishes from us both to you and David and do please pass on our thanks to all at the club for the wonderful event, and for the amazing total you have raised for St Giles Hospice.

Yours sincerely,

Rob

Dr Robert Horton

Trustee St Giles Hospice



On behalf of Carole, the Committee and especially our president Roy, I would like to thank all members for dipping into their pockets throughout the year to enable us to present St Giles with a cheque for £1150.00, the result of our fundraising throughout the year. It is very much appreciated.

Rugeley & Armitage Camera Club Competition Winners 2017-2018

Elementary Group Winner	Andrea Wheatley
Most Improved In Elementary Group	Denise Phillips
Intermediate Group Winner	Linda Shaw
Most Improved In Intermediate Group	Karen Kreft
Advanced Group Winner	Alan Griffiths
Most Improved In Advanced Group	Margaret Beardsmore
President's Trophy Winner	Graham Orgill
Roy Hodgkiss Natural History Trophy	John Ford
George Lamb Trophy	Alan Griffiths
Chairperson's Trophy	Marie Lakin & Graham Caddick
Sylvester Trophy	David Hanmer
Club Photographer Of The Year	Rob Ings

Best Prints chosen from Our Exhibition 2018

3 rd Place - Scruffy	Graham Williams
2 nd Place - Early Morning Mist On A Norfolk Sunrise	Margaret Beardsmore
1 st Place - Ashness Landing	Jan Wilson

Photographs from the Presentation Evening

More pictures can be viewed on the club website. Click here: [Presentation Evening](#)



Club President Roy Hodgkiss handing over a cheque for £1150.00 to Lyn Shiel and Dr Robert Horton from St Giles Hospice



Club Photographer of the Year Rob Ings
Receiving the award from Mary Jenkins Secretary MCPF















