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Ballarat Camera Club

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PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Firstly I must thank Stephen and Rebecca for the great job they did taking over the Treasurers and Presidents positions while we were away in the winter. Your efforts are most appreciated.

The committee is needing a couple more members to join the syllabus sub committee as the time is fast approaching for the coming year's syllabus to be planned. Please approach any member of the committee if you can help out. Could members also suggest some topics for the monthly set subjects and put these in writing for the sub committees consideration.

The Geelong interclub is on the last Wednesday in February at the Geelong clubrooms. We need up to five open EDPI'S and up to five large open prints per member. The website is open to start uploading these images now. I ask every member to enter their best work so we can have a really good showing in this competition.

I was reading the RACV magazine and saw that the Dean sheepdog trials are on Sunday the 14th of October and the article includes an interesting image of one of the dogs. The day goes from 7am until 5pm and food and refreshments are available. I have decided that this will be the outing for October and thought we could meet at the Dean recreation reserve at about 10am.

Trevor Bibby
(President)





Also there have been some minor updates to the Members Information Folder.

If you require a copy it can be downloaded from the club website.

www.ballaratcameraclub.org.au

Under the Information tab and then download Members Information Folder.

INTER-CLUB COMPETITION WITH BPG

The inter club competition between Ballarat Camera Club and Ballarat Photography Group took place on September 15th. About ten of our members braved the cold Ballarat weather to enjoy the presentation of the images, Kerrie Purcell's judging and the hospitality of the hosting club.

Our images, which had been selected about a month prior to the competition night by Carol Hall, Rebecca Nicholandos and Greg Tate, resulted in a win for our club with a margin of 14 points. Thanks to all of our club members who submitted entries in the competition.

The final scores for the two clubs were;

	BCC	BPG
SMALL PRINTS OPEN	57	53
SMALL PRINTS SET SUBJECT	58	53
LARGE PRINTS OPEN	120	112
EDPI OPEN	112	115
Total	347	333

Results for BCC entries were:

EDPI OPEN			
Dance of the Swans	Mark Bevelander	12	
In Love with Venice	Anne Carroll	10	
Jewels of the Sundew	Henrietta Camilleri	13	Third
Mating Ritual of Grey Crowned Cranes	Jill Wharton	10	
Maya	Rebecca Nicolandos	11	
Running through the Mist	Mark Bevelander	12	
Stormy	Frank Carroll	12	
Watching	Janette Richards	11	
What Flower is That	Jill Wharton	11	
Worried	Greg Tate	10	
LARGE PRINT - OPEN			
African Sunset	Jill Wharton	12	
Amanda Lea	Greg Tate	13	Third
Aunti Emma	Anne Wilson	12	
Cool Blue Car	Betty Bibby	12	
European Roller	Jill Wharton	12	
In Dante's Apartment	Anne Carroll	11	
Photographers Wife	Greg Tate	15	First
Pretty Boy	Anne Wilson	12	
Separation	Frank Carroll	11	
Shadows of Venice	Anne Carroll	10	
SMALL PRINT - OPEN			
At Punta della Dogana	Anne Carroll	10	
Meerkat on Guard	Betty Bibby	10	
Mieka	Greg Tate	10	
To the East	Frank Carroll	13	Second
Too Much To Do	Anne Wilson	14	First
SMALL PRINT - ICONIC BALLARAT			
Avenue of Honour	Betty Bibby	13	Second

Mechanics Institute	Trevor Bibby	11	
The Begonia House	Frank Carroll	10	
Who Goes There	Anne Carroll	14	First
Ballarat Town Hall	Jodie Lorimer	10	

UPCOMING EVENTS FOR YOUR DIARY

- Oct 1 **Informal Imaging Night** 7.30pm at the Bibby's house, 9 Handford Court, Invermay. Topics: Reflections and sharpening. One item up for discussion will be sharpening techniques in Lightroom and Photoshop. What method do you use?
Bring your cameras and we can utilise the light tent and create some "shine, reflection" images for November's set subject. Also bring any item to photograph that you think will suit the definition.
- Oct 10 **Club Meeting and Competition Night** (Prints & EDPI) 7.30pm at 616 Barkly Street, Golden Point. SET TOPIC (for photo competition) 'Doors and Doorways'. Door/doorway of a building, must be the prominent feature, open or closed, interior or exterior.
- Oct 14 Dean Sheepdog Trials to photograph interesting image of dogs working with their handlers. The day goes from 7am until 5pm and food and refreshments are available. We will meet at meet at the Dean recreation reserve at about 10am.
- Oct 31 **Committee Meeting** 7.30pm 9 Handford Court, Invermay.
- Nov 5 **Informal Imaging Night** 7.30pm (venue and activity to be advised).
- Nov 14 **Club Meeting and Competition Night** (Prints & EDPI) 7.30pm at 616 Barkly Street, Golden Point. SET TOPIC (for photo competition) 'Shine/Reflection'. Mirror, chrome, silver, gold, glass or anything with reflective quality but not a large body of water. *This is the last club meeting for 2018.*
- Nov 28 **Committee Meeting** 7.30pm (venue to be advised)
- December Christmas BBQ will be held at the McEachern's house in Mt Helen. Details to be advised later.
- 2019**
- Jan 23 BBQ to begin the new year, from 6pm at the Bibby's home, 9 Handford Court, Invermay. BYO everything for your own meal as well as a chair (dessert and tea/coffee will be supplied).
Also, please bring your photos for the February monthly club competition **as well as your photos for the Inter-club competition with Geelong** (monthly prints to Anne Carroll and Interclub prints to Steve Demeye).

- Feb 13 **Club Meeting and Competition Night** (Prints & EDPI) 7.30pm at 616 Barkly Street, Golden Point. SET TOPIC: Open/Creative/Set - 'Nature' An image of flora or fauna excluding domestic animals or evidence of the hand of man,.
- Feb 28 Interclub meeting with Geelong Camera Club at the GCC clubrooms. More details to follow.

Ballarat Camera Club / Geelong Camera Club 2019 Interclub Competition.

The annual interclub competition with Geelong Camera Club is just around the corner. You should now be giving thought as to which of your images you would like to submit for pre-selection. Closing date for submissions will coincide with the new year BBQ held on the 23rd January. We really need to put in a big effort to get the best representation for the club to compete with Geelong Camera Club. We need your images, especially large prints. This will give the new Selection Panel the best variety of images to choice from. The onus is on you to supply up to 5 of your best large prints and 5 of your best electronic images before this date.

Please upload your selected images via the clubs website. The competition on line is called "Ballarat Geelong Pre Selection 2018". You can start uploading your images any time from now. Lets break the loosing streak and start 2019 with an interclub victory!

If you are interested in being on the selection panel for this comp and:

- are experienced in judging and/or an experienced photographer
- and are available to go on the selection panel between 24th & 29th January 2019

please contact Steve Demeye interclub coordinator;

- in person at a club meeting night, or
- by email at 13swinton@gmail.com, or
- by phone on 0417 012873

MONTHLY COMPETITION RESULTS

Month: September

Judge: Ian Kemp

Topic: Clichés and Sayings

<i>Image Title</i>	<i>Maker</i>	<i>Score</i>	<i>Result</i>
Section Slide - Open (EDPI)			
A Misty Morning	Mark Bevelander	13	Honour
A Splash of Colour	Luke Debuhr	10	Acceptance
Blue and Gold Macaw	Janette Richards	14	Honour
Cheetah Vantage Point	Jill Wharton	15	Honour
Exhausted	Anne Wilson	14	Honour
Ferntree Falls	Frank Carroll	14	Honour
Figbird	Janette Richards	12	Merit
Giraffe Family	Jill Wharton	12	Merit
Gloom	Frank Carroll	10	Acceptance
Hello Whale	Jenny Parker	10	Acceptance
Here's (not) lookin at ya	Dale Alabaster	11	Merit
Hop temple salt	Dale Alabaster	9	Acceptance

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I'm Taller than you	Betty Bibby	9	Acceptance
I've Got My Eye on You	Jenny Parker	11	Merit
In Case of emergency	Greg Tate	13	Honour
Little flower on the pond	Luke Debuhr	12	Merit
Masked	Greg Tate	14	Honour
Maya	Rebecca Nicolandos	14	Honour
Milford Sounds Multi Waterfall	Betty Bibby	11	Merit
Misty reflections	Stephen McLaren	9	Acceptance
Muir Glacier	Judy McEachern	11	Merit
My Borneo Home	Jill Wharton	12	Merit
My Teddy!	Rebecca Nicolandos	11	Merit
Not for the Album	Anne Carroll	14	Honour
Not lollies	Dale Alabaster	10	Acceptance
Old Age	Carol Hall	11	Merit
On the way to Milford Sounds	Trevor Bibby	11	Merit
Paperbark	Brian Sala	11	Merit
Parakaunui Falls	Trevor Bibby	10	Acceptance
Petya	Greg Tate	15	Honour
Pixies' Parasols	Carol Hall	12	Merit
Rainbow Fungus	Carol Hall	10	Acceptance
Reflections	Judy McEachern	14	Honour
run forest	Chris Crossley	13	Honour
Stone bridge	Brian Sala	10	Acceptance
Strike a pose	Rebecca Nicolandos	12	Merit
Surfs Up	Jenny Parker	11	Merit
The Dressmaker, Flagstaff Hill	Betty Bibby	12	Merit
The Jetty	Lyn Fowler	10	Acceptance
The Signal Box	Frank Carroll	13	Honour
Under the umbrella's	Janette Richards	11	Merit
View Over the Rooftops	Anne Carroll	11	Merit
Warrnambool Sunrise	Trevor Bibby	12	Merit
Wearing his eye make-up	Lyn Fowler	10	Acceptance
wedge tail in training	Chris Crossley	14	Honour

Section Slide - Set - "Cliches and Sayings" (EDPI)			
A drop in the ocean	Brian Sala	13	Honour
A Stitch in Time Saves Nine	Lyn Fowler	14	Honour
All That Glitters Isn't Gold	Anne Wilson	11	Merit
Birds of a Feather	Steve Demeye	11	Merit
Every man must do two things alone he must do his own believing and his own dying	Mark Bevelander	12	Merit
Gloworm Wisdom - How can you be glum when the light shines out your	Murray Mc Eachern	10	Acceptance
Going Round the Bend	Murray Mc Eachern	11	Merit
grabbing the bull by it's horns	Chris Crossley	11	Merit
He has his head in the clouds	Mark Bevelander	10	Acceptance
Hello Honey I'm home.	Stephen McLaren	11	Merit
Hold Ya Horses	Anne Wilson	12	Merit
I just sent you a tweet.	Stephen McLaren	11	Merit
My Better Half	Anne Carroll	11	Merit
No New Tricks	Steve Demeye	11	Merit
Not a Leg to Stand On	Henrietta Camilleri	11	Merit
Say Cheese	Judy McEachern	11	Merit
Small in Stature, Big in Heart	Henrietta Camilleri	12	Merit
There She Blows	Murray Mc Eachern	11	Merit
Walking Among Giants	Henrietta Camilleri	12	Merit
Section Slide - Open (Large Print)			
A Pier in the Clouds	Steve Demeye	11	Merit
Consternation	Steve Demeye	14	Honour
Lake Alexandrina, Mount John Observatory	Betty Bibby	13	Honour
St George Spillway	Steve Demeye	11	Merit
Tai Pountini National Park	Betty Bibby	12	Merit
The Keep Left House	Frank Carroll	14	Honour
Section Slide - Open (Small Print)			
3BA	Jodie Lorimer	9	Acceptance
La Seranissima	Anne Carroll	11	Merit
Riot of Poppies	Jill Wharton	11	Merit
Visitor Centre	Jodie Lorimer	9	Acceptance
Young Massai Warrior	Jill Wharton	9	Acceptance

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