



Newsletter 4th March 2023

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Monday 27th February. Skills evening. Carole gave out the certificates for the previous "Mono competition". Congratulations to all the recipients. Apologies to members whose picture doesn't appear above, you were probably moving too quickly for my camera settings. Five different skills areas set out for the members to choose from.



Mary Eaton presented her "Street Photography " talk.



Linda and Chris Shaw on "Macro Photography" and focus stacking.



Graham Orgill
On producing
A good image
And
Critiquing an
Image for
Judges.

Stephen Frost and Doreen Barber with
"Photoshop and Camera Raw "

Carole presenting
certificate to Janet
Taylor.
Simon Wilberforce
New member
Simon did a talk on
Aerial Photography



Jan Wilson
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Another good members' night, thanks to [Stephen Frost](#) and Doreen Barber for the session on Photoshop. Looking around the room everyone seemed fully engaged and enjoying themselves whichever group they were in. Well done to everyone organising this.

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Judge for a Night

19:30 'Davy Suite' Lea Hall Miners Welfare Centre

Judge for a Night. Where members become judges

Prints: Subject 'Open'

Judge: The Members

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Practical Evening

19:30 'Davy Suite' Lea Hall Miners Welfare Centre

Practical Evening where some teach & others learn

Steve Higgins has volunteered to give a presentation.

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Guest Speaker - John Holt

19:30 'Davy Suite' Lea Hall Miners Welfare Centre

Tonight our Guest Speaker is John Holt with his presentation 'My Digital World'

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Monthly Competition No.6

19:30 'Davy Suite' Lea Hall Miners Welfare Centre

Closing Date for Entries: 20th March 2023

Monthly Competition No.6

Prints: Subject 'The Natural World'

Judge: Darron Matthews

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2023

Monthly Competition No.7

19:30 'Davy Suite' Lea Hall Miners Welfare Centre

Closing Date for Entries: 3rd April 2023

Monthly Competition No.7

Projected Digital Images: Subject 'Architecture'

Judge: Terry Livesley

Full Competition rules are on the website. Please note rules below.

Competition Rules

13. The committee reserves the right to withdraw an entry to a competition or ask a judge to only comment on an entry, if they believe it to be: (a) outside the scope of a themed competition. (b) Offensive in a sexual nature, (c) Depicting images of an explicitly or inappropriate kind, (d) Not the entrants original work, (e) oversize mount (see 18).

18. Print competition entries must be mounted, and have a maximum mount size of 16" x 20" inches (400x500mm), The Image size and placement within the mount is at the authors discretion.

20. Copyright of all images making up an entry must rest with the entrant, images containing 'clip art' or stock photos are not permitted except in the audio-visual competition.

Lee Chapman

Severn Valley Railway - 1940s Photography Workshop

I am looking forward to a return visit to the Severn Valley Railway for a 1940s workshop next week. You may have read in the news as to how they are finding it hard in the current climate, and facing financial difficulties - so do support this event if you can – it would be a shame to lose such an incredible heritage site. We will be working with the popular PB Entertainment again for our 1940s photography workshop on Sunday 12th March. <https://svr.co.uk/event/1940s-photography-workshop/> [Click here](#)



E-news 327 has all the images from the “Masters Of Print” to view. Entry to the “London Salon” competition is also available. Plenty of images to see.

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**for
e-news 327
with news
of the
MASTERS OF PRINT**

and much more ...





CAMERA CLUB QUIZ 19

- 1 COP 27 was held in Egypt in 2022 – what does COP mean?
a) Conference of Parties b) Council of Parts
- 2 In 2022 the quiz show Mastermind celebrated its birthday – how old is it?
a) 30 b) 50
- 3 What year was the Bank of England founded? a) 1694 b) 1725
- 4 In which sport would you use a “Niblick”? a) Cricket b) Golf
- 5 The musical instrument the Oboe originated in which country
a) France b) England
- 6 What is a Scarlet Mormon? a) cactus b) butterfly
- 7 The smallest bone in the human body is called the Stapes but where is it found? a) the hand b) the ear
- 8 What does a Speleologist study? a) Caves b) Grammar
- 9 Which of these fractions is the same as 0.25? a) $\frac{1}{2}$ b) $\frac{1}{4}$
- 10 In which country are Hasselblad cameras made? a) Switzerland
b) Sweden
- 11 Which country's flag features a black double headed eagle on a red background? a) Armenia b) Albania
- 12 In question 1, what is the meaning of the number 27? a) 27 years
b) 27 countries

LET'S HAVE A LAUGH!

Jim bought an electric car and took it for a spin to the coast. His friend Bill asked “Was it as economical as they say?” Jim replied “It was only £5 for the electricity, however, it cost me £2000 for the cable!!”



Mary-Jane Eaton

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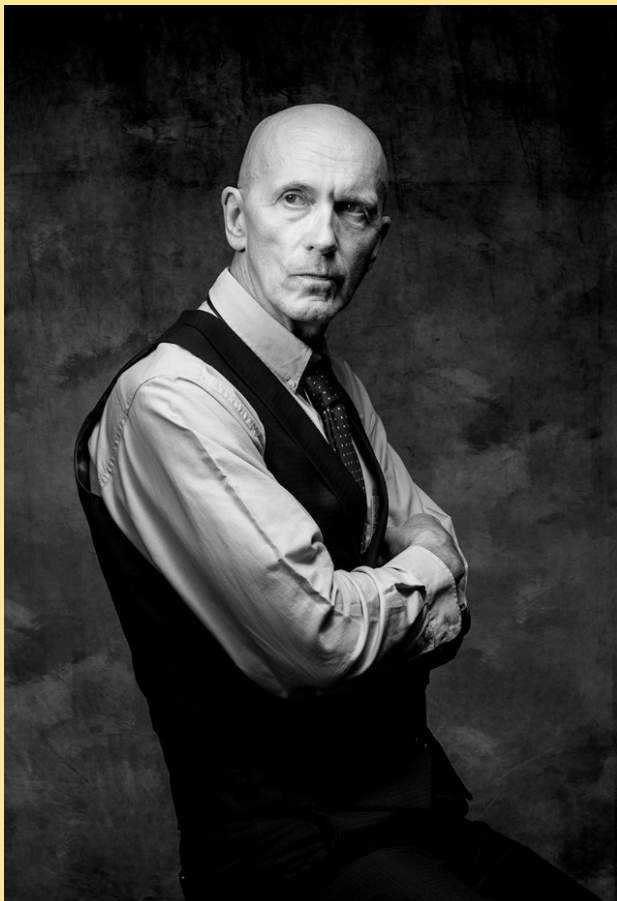


Thank you for supporting this exhibition at our local library. Again so sorry to all the boys we've displayed some lovely images as part of international women's week joined with our club too. If we have any others that wish to join in I can always pop down and swap them around. Just let me have images when I'm back week Monday.

Many thanks xxx



Congratulations to all members who received an acceptance at Midphot. Thirty seven acceptances if my counting is accurate. These images are Mary Eaton's. Go to Facebook for bigger images. If other members who had acceptances would like to email their images, they can go in next week's newsletter.





Mary Eaton

Nine Acceptances

MidPhot

One Highly Commended