



Rugeley & Armitage Camera Club Newsletter

21st February, 2026.

Affiliated to the Photographic Alliance of Great Britain, through the Midland Counties Photographic Federation

Last week our speaker was Lee Chapman of [Chappers Photography](#). Lee very kindly stepped in at very short notice when our original speaker would not respond to emails or phone calls. Lee's presentation was titled "Transport & Travel". The first part of the evening Lee went through his transport images with some entertaining comments judges have made on his images of which most of us have experienced in competitions. In the second part of the evening "Travel" Lee displayed some very nice travel photographs and the journey on finding the right place to photograph his fiances dream with the yellow tram. Lee pointed out that he now has several professional accreditations after his name, the most prestigious one being MRACC (Member of Rugeley & Armitage Camera Club). Lee runs a great selection of Photography workshops, please take a look at his [website](#) for the 2026 programme.



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Giampiero Ferrari

Congratulations



Congratulations to David & Carole who welcomed their Great Granddaughter Matilda on Tuesday 17th February.

For members who have booked to go on the club outing on **Thursday 26th to Lichfield** (Fully Booked), please can you remember to send a copy of a selection of your images (usual club sizing) to both [Linda](#) for the Newsletter and to [Stephen Frost](#) who will be creating an AV. Members are going on a "Scavenger Hunt" and Margaret will hand out a list of clues on the day. It will be interesting to see how the different members interpret/photograph the clues.

Up-coming Events in the club PROGRAMME

Monday 23rd February - Speaker Ian Daisley "Derbyshire in Black and White."

Monday 2nd March - Speaker Colin Trow Poole "An evening with Colour"
Also final day for submitting PDI's for the 5th Competition "Landscapes"

Monday 9th March - PDI Landscape Competition

Monday 16th March - 2 way Interclub Competition between Acton Trussell & Penkridge and Rugeley & Armitage Camera Club

Monday 23rd March - Pre-Recorded Lecture.

Monday 30th March - Speaker - Martine Hamilton Knight "Architecture through the Viewfinder"

NEWSLETTER

If members know of events or go to events and would like to share their photo's and information, please just email them through to me at lindashaw2964@gmail.com

Vale of Evesham Camera Club - National Digital Internet Exhibition Photo2026

Accepted images on website from 12th April 2026

Vale of Evesham Camera Club proudly announces the staging of our 37th Annual and 28th National Exhibition www.photo2026.net which has both BPE and PAGB patronage (2026-017).

The Exhibition is open to 4 Digital Categories:-

Colour Images	Experimental/Creative Images
Monochrome Images	Natural History Images

NOTE: The exhibition uses the size format 1600x1200 pixels.

SELECTORS:-

Christine Widdall FBPE MPAGB EFIAP APAGB – Colour, Experimental and Natural History

Alison Fryer DPAGB EFIAP/p BPE5 – Colour and Natural History

Andy Fryer DPAGB EFIAP/p BPE5 – Monochrome and Experimental

Mike Sharples FIAP MPAGB ARPS EFIAP FBPE – Colour, Monochrome and Experimental

Ray Brammall FRPS EFIAP/p APAGB DPAGB BPE5 – Monochrome and Natural History

Entry can be made easily online at www.photo2026.net. Every entrant receives a Printed Colour Catalogue.



Exhibition Website opens for entries 1st January 2026

KEY DATES:-

Last date for Entries:

Saturday 28th February 2026

Selection: Sat 7th and Sun 8th March 2026

Accepted images will be viewable on the exhibition website www.photo2026.net from 12th April 2026 until the following years' exhibition.

Don't forget to check out the club [website](http://www.rugeleyandarmitagecameraclub.co.uk).

The website contains loads of information including upcoming meetings and a downloadable calendar, members images, competition results, Newsletters, just to name but a few. Please take a look!

