



Short Snaps

3rd August 2005

Coming Up

17th August 2005
Competition: Music
Guest Judge

31st August 2005
Model Night

7th September
Lecture: Social Documentary

10th September
Outing: Taronga Park Zoo

19th September
Committee Meeting

21st September
Competition : Open
Club Judges

1/2/3rd October
76th Regiment Foot Weekend

5th October
Gadget Night

19th October
Competition: Autumn
Guest Judge

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Apologies to Everyone

Because of a combination of my holidays and an upgrade to the hall there was no newsletter last month.

Blacktown Festival

Many thanks to Robyn Markham for providing the prize of a beautifully dressed doll for a raffle at our stand at the Blacktown Festival back in June.

Bare Island & La Perouse

Not a large turnout for this wonderful place. The light was fantastic and the air was clear and crisp. OK I had on a sweater, parka and scarf. The water was sparkling in the fairly large surf rolling in. The tide was fairly high — but not that high we couldn't clamber around the rocks. Bob got a boot full of water on an initial exploration of the far side of the island and did much worse to himself trying to avoid a repeat performance later in the day. A sudden end to the outing - but missed photo opportunities of me struggling back over the rocks carrying two tripods and three cameras while Nic helped Bob. I would like to thank all the strangers who helped down the rocks in awkward places. Many of you have seen the aftermath of the accident with the long cut on Bob's head but he rallied around from it straight away and even drove home – with Pam for company.

Mars

Watch out for Mars in the evening sky of 27th August. It is very close to the earth and will be about the size of the moon

Results of the Interclub

At last the Interclub has been held and Blacktown had good turnout – unluckily the date clashed for both Parramatta & Castle Hill so not a good turnout for these clubs, but entries were in and here are the results

Colour print	Blacktown
Monochrome	The Hills
Transparancies	Parramatta
Small Prints	Parramatta

The **Overall Winner** with a points score of 495 was **Blacktown**. Individual results have been posted on the web site, Thanks to all our members who attended and congratulations to competitors

Peoples Choice Awards

June: David Napier
July: Eddy Bartolo

June Top Scorers

Slides Krishna
B&W Lawrence Gatt
Colour Nic Peters

July Top Scorers

Slides Nic Peters
B&W Lawrence Gatt &
Pam O'Neill
Colour Lawrence Gatt

Next Set Subject

Our next set subject is Music on 17th August 2005
Bands playing in pubs, Marching bands marching. Musical instruments on show in the shops, sheet music blowing in the wind. Dancing in the dark may be hard to photograph - but try to do it anyway.

Next Outing

Saturday 10th September - Taronga Park Zoo. We will be buying a group ticket if possible so if you are travelling in by ferry **DO NOT** buy a zoo pass and catch the shuttle bus to the top gate as we will be meeting there **BEFORE** we go in Please let us know if you are coming. Meeting time TBA

What I Learned This Month

If the film is missing – check the camera.

What's New on the Web

Mary Hearn is the member of the month for August. Bare Island photos, more in the galleries and more jigsaws

Please forward any photos or items you would like included on the web site to bcpc@genica.com.au

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