



# Short Snaps

1<sup>st</sup> November 2006

## Coming Up

14<sup>th</sup> November  
Committee Meeting

15<sup>th</sup> November  
Competition - Spring  
Club Judges

29<sup>th</sup> November  
Lecture: Peter Eastway  
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## Christmas Party

3<sup>rd</sup> December 2006  
9 Carman St Schofields



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Apologies for all the typos  
in last months Short  
Snaps. Hope its better  
this month

## Changes in Competition

Small Prints, introduced two years ago , haven't proved to be very popular so will be replaced next year with a grading system. The details of the changes are too complex for this small article so I have included them on page two so see down below or on the back for a hard copy. If you have any questions please ask any member of the committee.

## Peter Eastway's talk

Peter Eastway will be here on the 29<sup>th</sup> November and we have invited people from many other clubs. Please help us to provide supper for these other folk – so bring a plate – see Ceara to let her know what you are bringing.

## Raffle Tickets

If you have sold your raffle tickets please bring in your books. More tickets are available if you want more. If you don't have a raffle book see Alicia. The prize will be drawn on 29<sup>th</sup> November at Peter Eastways talk.

## Prints and Slide of the Year

The next meeting will be your last chance to bring in your entries for Print and Slide of the year. The last meeting of the year is Peter Eastway's talk and we will be much too busy to accept them.

## Digital Workshops

We have had some interest in the digital workshops to be held on December 6<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup> and January 17<sup>th</sup> during the Summer Break. There will be a fee of at least \$10 for each session and bring your own laptop – if you have one. If you are interested please talk to Jen or Bob.



## Christmas Party

The Christmas Party will be held at Nic's place (9 Carman St Schofields) this year on **Sunday December 3<sup>rd</sup>**. Listen out over the next couple of meeting to find out the time. It is bring a plate – so see Ceara to let her know what you are bringing.

## Quote

If you saw a man drowning and you could either save him or photograph the event...what kind of film would you use? - Anonymous

## October Peoples Choice Awards

Geoff Higgins

## October Top Scorers

Colour Lawrence Gatt  
Geoff Higgins &  
David Napier

B&W Amy Cassim &  
Lawrence Gatt

Small Print (Colour) Amy Cassim

Small Print (B&W) Amy Cassim

Slides Geoff Higgins x2

## Next Set Subject

**Spring** 15<sup>th</sup> November

Spring. Spring is just about over – I hope have your photos ready for this competition

## First Set Subject 2007

The first set subject for 2007 will be

**Gardens**

But please note that a garden is not just a couple of flowers

## Next Outing

Our outings are now over for the year. Watch this space for outings for next year

## New on the web:

Camera Rally Results as of tomorrow

## Thank you Prima Art

Thank you to Prima Art who have given us some mats to give away as raffle prizes. They are located at 78 Sunnyholt Road just opposite Cambridge street and will give a good deal on mat cutting if you tell them Valerie sent you



# Changes in competition for 2007

As stated in Short Snaps there will be major changes in the coming competition season.

- We will be introducing “A” and “B” Grade competition. “A” Grade invitations will be issued at the Christmas Party. See below for definitions.
- We will no longer be accepting small prints as a separate category – they will be incorporated into our “A” and “B” grades. Please feel free to continuing entering them as in the past many small prints have been top scorers.
- As a test for the 2007 season we will not be accepting slides into our monthly competitions. Do not despair – see below .
- There will two “Projected Images” \* competitions during the 2007 competition season. The first competition will be open – allowing each entrant up to 15 entries. The second competition will be “Set Subject” allowing each entrant 3 entries in each of the 5 set subjects for the year. The set subjects will be the same as the print set subjects except they will be shown on one night. All entries must be accompanied by an entry form and be handed in prior to the competition. No entries will be accepted on the night except by prior arrangement.

\* “Project images” are slides and digitally projected images.

## Grading of ‘A’ and ‘B’ competitors \*\*

### ‘A’ Grade Competitors:

- More competitive competition leading to state, national, and international levels of competition.
- For professional photographers or those wishing to compete at a higher level.
- To be judged at a very competitive level.
- Competitions rules will be guided by the APS competition guidelines.

### ‘B’ Grade Competitors:

- Competition on a social and club level.
- See clause below on how members can move to ‘A’ grade.

### - ‘Clauses:

- B’ Grade Competitors can apply to go to ‘A’ grade at any time, however their points do not transfer with them.
- ‘B’ Grade Competitors can move to ‘A’ grade by invitation.
- Committee Members decide which members shall be invited to ‘A’ Grade. They will handle the inviting and the processing of a request to move to ‘A’ grade.
- Any member refusing an invitation to ‘A’ Grade two years in row will be deemed a social member and will not have their point scores accumulated to an end of year total therefore they will not be eligible for the end of year trophies.

\*\* These definitions are liable to change without notice until the start of the 2007 Competition