Macclesfield Camera Club

2022 - 2023 Programme

Contacting the Club

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You can now contact the club by sending us a query via the Contact Page on the club web site

The club will meet 2-weekly on Mondays at 8pm in Gawsworth Village Hall

Details of the club programme can also be found on the club web site: **macclesfieldcameraclub.org.uk**

The Club Committee

Honorary Secretary:	Martin Welch
Honorary Treasurer:	Denis Jones
Competitions (Internal):	Alex White
Competitions (External):	Steve Gresty
L&CPU Representative:	Martin Welch
Programme:	Vince Sparks
	Martin Pickles
Technical Support & Equipment:	Steve Gresty

September – 2022

12th	First meeting: Welcome back & introduction to the new season programme, internal & external competition schedules and committee..	G
26th	Members Talks – **Vince Sparks & Guy Dunn**: Present a talk on 'Cartography'. The challenges of automotive images from amateur and professional perspectives..	G

October – 2022

10th	Guest Speaker- **David Travis:** presents a talk titled " What to shoot when there is nothing to shoot". Tactics to create images for competitions or fun across a range of genres.	♠Z
13th	Robert Shaw Trophy – Inter Club competition held at Crewe	
24th	Competition 1: Open PDI	G

November – 2022

7th	Guest Speakers: **Judith & Stephen Coyne** present a talk titled "An Artic Adventure" with images from Northern Norway, Iceland and Greenland.	♠G
14th	High Peak Trophy – Inter Club Competition held at Stalybridge	
21st	Members image critique evening - we collectively review a range of members images. A panel of three established club photographers provide their feedback on images.	G

December – 2022

5th	Competition 2: Open PDI	Z
12th	Guest Speakers: **Mark Buckley-Sharp** ARPS(Hon) CPAGB HonPAGB and **Judy Buckley-Sharp** LRPS(Hon) CPAGB APAGB will present two talks providing a photographic insight into Turkey.	Z
19th	Xmas social event – details TBC	

January – 2023

9th	Member Talks – **Martin Welch** presents a talk entitled "Photographs by my pal, Eric Bishop" (The Bishop of Wakefield). The talk encompasses a wide range of photographic styles from documentary and portrait to pictorial	♠Z
23rd	Competition 3 – Open PDI	Z
30th	AV Image Challenge - tonight we review the AV's submitted by club members. Members were challenged to create a short AV (pictures to exe style show) to tell a story via a sequence of choreographed images and background music or soundtrack	Z

February – 2023

6th	Guest Speaker - Brian Law presents a talk titled "It's not even a real camera".	♠G
20th	Member Talks - Tonight two club members present talks. Tom Tyler presents "Story telling with moving images". Martin Pickles present "A Togs Eye"	Z

March 2023

6th	Competition 4 – Open PDI	G
13th	Guest Speaker - **Chris Upton** presents a talk titled "Finding the Beauty in Nature" **-** How to capture the beauty in landscape and the world around us. (www.chrisuptonphotography.com).	Z
27th	Guest Speaker Neil O'Connor (Professional Photographer) – presents a talk encompassing Editorial, Corporate and Landscape photography	G

April 2023		
3rd	Three of a Kind - A photographic challenge evening for members to submit three images across three given subject areas to demonstrate skills in different genres of photography- Abstract / Monochrome / Portrait	G
17th	Annual Exhibition (DPI and Prints), opening and competition results. At Macclesfield Library.	L

May 2023		
8th	Club AGM	G

Programme Symbols:
G – meet at Gawsworth Village Hall / Z – online Zoom meeting

TBC –to be confirmed
♠ - Entries required for the next internal competition

Key Dates: Internal Competition submissions due by:

Open PDI 1 Submit entries by 26th Sept 22

Open PDI 2 Submit entries by 14th Nov 22

Open PDI 3 Submit entries by 9th Jan 23

Open PDI 4 Submit entries by 6th Feb 23

AVI Submission date 16th Jan 23

Three of a Kind Photo Challenge 20th March 23