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Presidents Report

Mark Bevelander | President Ballarat Camera Club Inc.

September is certainly an exciting time for Photography in Ballarat. The Biennale is in full swing with Open and Core Events across the city.

There are too many locations to mention but they are listed online at: ballaratfoto.org. Apscon (VAPS) is running from the 12th to the 15th at the Mercure with a range of excursions to areas around Ballarat as well as the main event activities.

Two exhibitions worth mentioning are the Warragul Camera Club range of photos at the Mercure on Geelong Road as well as, of course, the Paddle Steamer Museum next to the BoatHouse Café at Lake Wendouree. It's always worth comparing photos from other clubs to see what their themes or subjects are as well as, of course, comparing their quality to ours.

With regard to the exhibitions at the Paddle Steamer Museum it's worth spending some time

to look at the electronic display of photos of the Lake as many are from members of the club and many are just superb. There are also a range of prints from Andrew Thomas and Neil Sinclair.

Don't forget the Interclub with the Ballarat Photography Group to be held at our clubrooms on Saturday 21st September. Members have contributed an excellent range of photos to submit to the Competition. Please note that the Ballarat White Night is also on at this time from 7pm to 2am, so plan ahead and bring your camera and tripod so you can take some great night shots.

The Club is planning a couple of interesting excursions in late September and late October: a trip to Sailors Falls in Daylesford and, in late October, a star shoot to be held when the moon is dark.

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ABOVE: AUGUST 2019 CLUB ENTRIES

OCTOBER

Montage

Definition:

A picture containing the elements of two or more full sized exposures combined, either by multiple exposures or by postproduction. Together the images portray a single theme (Note images made up of a collage of smaller images is not acceptable).

Additional Information:

The aim here is to combine 2 or more images that are linked by a common theme. This may be achieved in camera by setting the camera to take multiple exposures, or it may be achieved in post production with software such as Photoshop.

NOVEMBER

Geometric Shapes

Definition:

Image must be made up of an identifiable geometric shape (eg circles, triangles etc)

Additional Information:

The geometric shapes must be readily identifiable within the image. The shapes may occur in nature or be contrived by the photographer (eg a still life).

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CAMERA GEAR *for sale & free items*

Contact Judy and Murray McEachern Phone: 0427 342 285 Email: murrayandjudy@bigpond.com

Lens to suit Nikon cameras

- All DX size
- None with vibe reduction
- All in good order

Tamron 18-270mm f3.5-6.3

with polariser filter - \$150

Nikkor 70-300mm f4-5.6

with UV filter - \$150

Nikkor AF-S 18-70 f3.5-4.5

with polariser filter - \$200

Nikkor AF-S 24-85mm f3.5-4.5

with UV filter - \$150

Tripods

- Manfrotto 190PROB - \$250
- Mini Optex T17 (table top size) - \$10

Tripod Heads

- Manfrotto 498RC2 - \$45
- Manfrotto 804RC2 - \$75
- Manfrotto 222 joystick type - \$75

Bags

- Lowepro Lumina mini camera bag - \$25
- Lowepro Snout style camera bag - \$50
- Lowepro Sling style back pack - \$125

Marumi 72mm ND8 filter - \$45

The above are for genuine sale and all offers will be seriously considered.

FREE TO GOOD HOME

- Arrow close up adapters 67mm
- Cokin filter ring 67mm
- Cokin filter ring 72mm
- Cokin filters - Sunset
 - Tobacco
 - 81EF warm
 - Blue

Dates for your Diary

September

11 **Competition Night**
from 7.30pm

Guest Speaker and Judge:
Richard Goodwin His wonderful photography and introduction details are available at <https://500px.com/richardagoodwin>

Open and Set Subject Definition:
"Cliches and sayings" An image inspired by a cliché or saying. All or part of the cliché or saying to be the title of the image.

15 **Sailors Falls Club Outing**
from 9.30am

Meet at 9.30am at North Ballarat Sports Club, 725 Creswick Road.



21 **Interclub Competition**
from 7.30pm

Competition between BCC and Ballarat Photographic Group
7.30 pm Start Members to bring a plate to share please.
We will also need help to set up in the afternoon.
More details closer to the date.



DON'T MISS
PADDLE STEAMER MUSEUM

Paddle Steamer Museum has a display of images by Andrew Thomas, Neil Sinclair and some of our members have images in the digital display. The museum is open 10am - 4pm daily throughout the Bienalle.

August Competition Results

Judge: Scott Turner

EDPI - Open

<i>IMAGE TITLE</i>	<i>MAKER</i>	<i>SCORE</i>	<i>HONOUR/MERIT</i>
Ararat Town Hall	Murray McEachern	8	Acceptance
Bath Time	Janette Richards	8	Acceptance
Blanketed In The Fog	Anne Carroll	10	Acceptance
Blue Whale Skeleton, Natural History Museum, London	Jodie Lorimer	11	Merit
But It's Wisdom Born Of Pain	Anne Carroll	10	Acceptance
English Rook	Jodie Lorimer	10	Acceptance
Golden Gazebo	Betty Bibby	10	Acceptance
Happy Boy	Rebecca Nicolandos	10	Acceptance
In The Morning Dew	Janette Richards	11	Merit
Jumping Huntsman	Trevor Bibby	11	Merit
La, La, La, La, Laaaaa!	Kate Both	10	Acceptance
Lakehouse	Brian Sala	10	Acceptance
Late Sun On The Drystone Wall	Mark Bevelander	11	Merit
Malmsbury	Frank Carroll	11	Merit
Moonlight And Stardust	Anne Carroll	13	Honor
Overwhelming Moment	Rebecca Nicolandos	11	Merit
Palamino Drinking	Trevor Bibby	10	Acceptance
Pelican	Judy McEachern	11	Merit
Perch M	Murray McEachern	9	Acceptance
Remnant Of Autumn	Carol Hall	12	Merit
Striker	Kate Both	10	Acceptance
The Conversation	Frank Carroll	12	Merit
The Itch	Janette Richards	10	Acceptance
The Little Engine That Could	Gary Freestone	11	Merit
View From The Top Of The Hill	Betty Bibby	12	Merit
Views On Tiber	Kate Both	11	Merit
Whataroa River	Murray McEachern	12	Merit

EDPI - Set "Bokeh"

<i>IMAGE TITLE</i>	<i>MAKER</i>	<i>SCORE</i>	<i>HONOUR/MERIT</i>
Caterpillar Heading To Tomato	Mark Bevelander	11	Merit
Come Any Closer And I'll Spike You	Ron Carr	10	Acceptance
Delicate Beauty	Betty Bibby	12	Merit
Dewey Abstract	Steve Demeye	12	Merit
Droplets On A Leaf	Mark Bevelander	11	Merit
Fairy Wren	Brian Sala	12	Merit
Flower	Judy McEachern	11	Merit
Gondola Bokeh	Frank Carroll	10	Acceptance
Green Head	Leo Ryan	10	Acceptance
It's A Play Kind Of Day!	Rebecca Nicolandos	11	Merit
It's Ok I've Got It Covered	Ron Carr	11	Merit
Japanese Maple Seedpods	Judy McEachern	13	Honor
Last Light	Anne Wilson	12	Merit
Leucodendron	Brian Sala	10	Acceptance
Loving The Cold	Gary Freestone	9	Acceptance
Next Year's Bounty	Anne Wilson	10	Acceptance
On The Bridge	Anne Wilson	10	Acceptance
Smells Interesting	Ron Carr	10	Acceptance
Spider Orchid	Trevor Bibby	10	Acceptance
Spotted Sun Orchid	Carol Hall	12	Merit
Sunset Bokeh	Steve Demeye	11	Merit
Wallflower Orchid	Carol Hall	12	Merit
Wind Spreading Seeds	Leo Ryan	9	Acceptance

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Large Print - Creative

<i>IMAGE TITLE</i>	<i>MAKER</i>	<i>SCORE</i>	<i>HONOUR/MERIT</i>
At the Pearly Gates	Anne Carroll	12	Merit

Large Print - Open

<i>IMAGE TITLE</i>	<i>MAKER</i>	<i>SCORE</i>	<i>HONOUR/MERIT</i>
A Spot By The River	Judy McEachern	13	Honor
Green Hill Lake	Judy McEachern	11	Merit
Leucodendrins	Steve Demeye	12	Merit
Lighthouse & Fence	Murray McEachern	10	Acceptance
Moo	Betty Bibby	12	Merit
Proteas	Steve Demeye	11	Merit
Pulley Block	Murray McEachern	12	Merit
Snowy River	Betty Bibby	11	Merit
The Fog Lifts	Frank Carroll	11	Merit
The Navigator	Frank Carroll	11	Merit
Tracks	Kate Both	11	Merit
Universal Cruiser	Steve Demeye	12	Merit

Small Print - Open

<i>IMAGE TITLE</i>	<i>MAKER</i>	<i>SCORE</i>	<i>HONOUR/MERIT</i>
Sister Rocks	Trevor Bibby	10	Acceptance



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