



South Gippsland Camera Club Inc (A00321608)

August Newsletter

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President's Report

Hi everyone!

The Annual General Meeting was held on Wednesday 6th of August after dinner at the Foster Golf Club.

Annual General Meeting

Martin Curwain was the Chair of the AGM and presided over the election of all Office Bearers for the next 12 months. Thank you Martin.

The Committee position have not changed except we have two new Committee members, Nicky Walker and Martin Curwain. I would like to thank both Nicky and Martin to the Committee. I am sure their contribution will be a great help.

Thank you to all the Committee members for volunteering their time and effort to the running of the club.

Thank you to all the Club members for having the confidence in me again as President for the upcoming year.

Monthly Challenge

After the AGM, the monthly meeting continued with Darryl Whitaker judging the "Abstract" entries. Darryl awarded a number of Commended and Highly Commended awards.

Darryl gave us two presentations. One was time lapse photography showing the lifecycle of fungi with a shot taken every ten minutes for several days. The results were amazing! His other presentation is an unfinished project of his called, "Tasmania from the Outside." He has been travelling around Tasmania in his boat and photographing the Tasmanian coast. His presentation was very interesting and the photos were spectacular. His journey around Tasmania is not yet complete and he intends to continue the journey later in the year. It would be great to see the images of his continued journey.

Activities & Upcoming Reminders

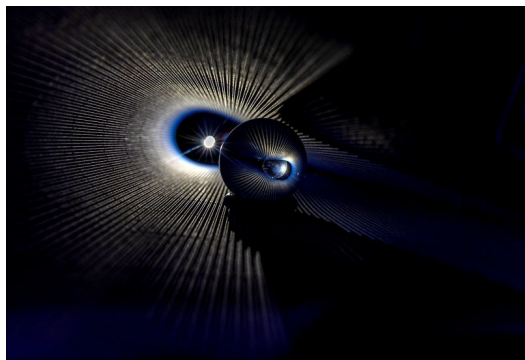
- We were to have a demonstration on using Topaz from Colin but we ran out of time, so it will be presented at the September meeting.
- **September Outing:** Port Welshpool Maritime Museum - Sunday, 21st of September at 11:00am.
Cost: \$10.00 (\$5.00 entry and \$5.00 lunch)
RSVP: shutterbugs35mm@gmail.com by 14/09/25
- **Portrait Workshop:** Saturday, 18th October starting at 10:00am. Should run for approximately 2 - 2¹/₂ hours followed by lunch at the pub.
- **October Challenge** - "Windows/Doors" definition.
 - * The photograph can be of a single window or door.
 - * It can also feature multiple windows/doors or a combination of window(s) and door(s).
 - * The photo can be taken inside or outside the building and can be open or closed.
 - * However, the window(s)/door(s) **MUST be the key focal point of the picture.**
- **Next Meeting:** Wednesday, 3rd September at the 'Fleming Room' Sth Gippsland Hospital Cmnty Hth Centre, 87 Station Road, Foster at 7:00pm.
- Results for "Family" will be presented at the September meeting.
- **Next Challenge:** Submit 'Minimalism' entries by 03/09/2025.

We are heading into better weather with winter almost gone. I hope everyone is out with their camera getting those great shots and I hope to see you all at the next meeting.

Regards,
Ken.

Challenge ("Abstract")

Advanced



HC: "Ball of Light" by Kerrie Matthews



HC: "Mirror Mirror" by John Plucinski

Creative



HC: "Wild & Weird" by Kerrie Matthews

My Favourite Photo



HC: "Lyrebird" by Joan Fawcett
Image of the month



HC: "My Feathered Friends" by Joan Fawcett

Birthday Role Call (August)



Peter Anderson
David Hosking

World Photography Day - Latrobe Regional Gallery

On Tuesday 19th August, a small group from the club travelled to the Gallery to hear Ruth Burleigh, local Warragul photographer and founder of the *Gippsland Interclubs Competition*, and South Gippsland's Karli Duckett, founder of *The Good Side Photography*, in a conversation exploring the power of photography to federate and celebrate community. The role photography has played in their lives made an interesting and inspiring impression on us all.



Ruth Burleigh - www.ifotou.net

Karli Duckett - www.thegoodsidephotography.com.au

Instagram: karli_michelle_commercial

Daily Photo Challenge Calendar (September)

This is a fun thing.

Photos do not have to be competition quality.

A quick phone snap will do it.
Have fun!

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| 1. A Flower | 16. Sunglasses |
| 2. A Meal | 17. A Fruit |
| 3. Shoes | 18. A Mirror |
| 4. A Book | 19. A Street Sign |
| 5. A Drink | 20. A Water Bottle |
| 6. A Letterbox | 21. A Bag of Groceries |
| 7. A Phone | 22. A Painting |
| 8. A Chair | 23. A Doormat |
| 9. A Tree | 24. A Pillow |
| 10. A Hat | 25. A Plant |
| 11. A Clock | 26. A Building |
| 12. A Car | 27. A Bird |
| 13. A Door | 28. A Vegetable |
| 14. A Toy | 29. A Bridge |
| 15. Keys | 30. A Bike |