



# CLUB CHAT

## July 2019

Hi Members

If you came along to the June meeting you would have had the opportunity to be in the presence of royalty to celebrate Queens Birthday month.

The Queen joined us and looked simply splendid in her red outfit.



### July Dates

#### Club Meeting:

**Date:** 9<sup>th</sup> July

**Set Subject:** The Decisive Moment

**Judge:** Judy Stokes

#### MPS Set of Four Competition:

**Entries Open:** 11<sup>th</sup> June

**Entries Close:** 6<sup>th</sup> August

#### World Press Photo Exhibition:

**Date:** On till 28<sup>th</sup> July

**Info:** This is the world's most prestigious exhibition of international current affairs photography.

Held at Smith & Caughey's, 253-261 Queens Street, Auckland

We had a lovely supper enjoyed by all. There was Victoria sponge cake and cucumber sandwiches and other goodies. Of course one must drink from the good china as well.



## June Club Night

### June 2019 Winners

David Smith: Set Subject PORTRAIT Image of the night "Hoi An Man"

Allysa Carberry: Open Image of the Night: "Sasha"

*We had 3 winners this month for People's Choice*

*Manuela by David Smith*

*Taonga by Lynn Fothergill and You Lookin at Me by Sheree Anderton*



Hoi An Man by David Smith



Sasha by Allysa Carberry



Manuela  
by David  
Smith



Taonga by Lynn Fothergill



You Lookin at Me by  
Sheree Anderton

**SPOT PRIZE WINNER FOR JUNE: Darrell Knight who received a chill towel. Handy for instant cooling relief, wrap around neck, comforts and cools the skin, reduces heat stress**



## Congratulations

### To Lynn Fothergill

“Tilly in Winter” placed 8<sup>th</sup> in Round 3 of Canon Online, with some lovely comments from judge Annette Johnston - *This irresistible wee button made me smile. Sparkling eyes, fluffy baby curls and a cute grin all framed by a chic woolen hat and the triangle of open zipped jacket; I am sure those who love this child will treasure this image forever. For the rest of us we can simply enjoy a delightful story of happy innocence.*

**Well done Lynn. Beautiful photo deserving recognition.**



**WELCOME**

**We have a new Club member Margaret V**

**If you see a new face at our next club meeting please say Hi**

### Role of Treasurer

This position is still Vacant. Please have a think about whether you could help out the Club by offering your services for this position.

### Fundraising: Silent Auction

We will be holding a Silent Auction for goods donated to our Club from members, Harvey Normans Photo Centre and Auckland Camera Centre.

All the goods will be at our July meeting for members to view and bid on.

Those members who are unable to attend the July meeting won't miss out and will have the opportunity to bid as an email with photos and description of goods will also be sent to all club members shortly.

The Silent Auction will close 30<sup>th</sup> July and goods will be given to the winning bidders at August meeting or by prior arrangement.

Let's hope there will be items of interest for you to purchase at a great price.

## Field Trips

Members might like to get together and check out the French Festival being held on 11th, 12th, 13th and 14th of July. Eat, drink, dress, play French!

The rendez-vous remains the same: The Cloud and Shed 10 where you will move around French food, wine, fashion, language, pétanque. What's new this year? A stage for live concert, a movie theater, a bigger kids corner, a French Bistrot & so much more surprises. \$10 ticket entry available on site - free for minors.

Opening hours:

Thursday & Friday: 10am – 10 pm, Saturday: 9am – 10pm, Sunday: 9am – 4pm

Later this year:

- ❖ Trip to Thames – Gold Mining Tour in conjunction with Steampunk Festival which is being held 7<sup>th</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup> November.

Chris is going to keep an eye out for any Car Rallies that may be held in our area.

**We are still keen to hear of any Field Trip ideas from Club members.**





## Competition Points Table

Points YTD	Club Member
116	Alexandra Thiel
116	Allysa Carberry
42	Bev Hyde
29	Bruce Tudor
135	Bryan Lay Yee
99	Chris Jaggs
77	Darrell Knight
136	David Smith
71	Emma Diack
108	John Penney
12	Judy Firkins
123	Linda Thorne
144	Lynn Fothergill
119	Margaret Penney
25	Margaret Vickers
70	Nive Stowers
123	Pauline Smith
84	Ross Muir
129	Sheree Anderton
116	Theresa Simson
82	Tina Pakipaki
127	Treena Burnie

SET SUBJECTS	
July	The Decisive Moment
August	Leading Lines
September	Minimalist
October	In the Kitchen
November	Animal Magic
December	Salon

## Fundraising

### Pamper Hamper Raffle

The basket was won by Betty who said, "How wonderful it was to have won this lovely hamper. It was great to be part of the fundraiser for your Club."

Thank you to all who supported this raffle. The raffle raised \$200.

Special thanks to Nive Stowers who not only procured the basket for us from her local Pharmacy; she also sold the majority of the tickets. You're a Star 😊

### Club Night Dates: *Remainder of 2019*

Month	Date (Tuesday)
July	9th
August	13th
August (Set of Four)	27th
September	10th
October	8th
November	12th
December	10th

## MPS Set of Four Competition 2019

### SET OF FOUR COMPETITION 2019

- There are two categories -
  - Set - The Four Elements **Fire, Water, Air, Earth,**
  - Open

Members can submit up to 2 entries, 1 in each of the 2 categories.

- This is a competition for digital images only.
- The format will be a set of 4 images that have a theme so that they work together as a whole, either sequentially telling a story, or as a set reinforcing the stated theme.
- The 4 images will be judged both individually and collectively. An image that is under standard will lower the entire set, so consistency across the images comprising the set is very important.
- Ultimately it is a “Set of Four”. The whole should be greater than the sum of its parts.
- Digital enhancement of images is allowed with no restrictions; however, all images must be the work of the entrant captured on any type of camera.

Set Subject 2019 - THE FOUR ELEMENTS (Fire, Water, Air, Earth). This year’s theme presents a challenge to ‘think outside the box.’

Your set must include 4 images each of which represents one of the four elements, that is **ALL FOUR** (fire, water, air and earth) in one set, **NOT** a set made up of 4 fire images, or 4 water images etc.

- To bring your set together, you might think about a consistent crop, a consistent colour palette, and a consistent object in the elements... or some other regularity that makes the set cohesive.
- It definitely presents a challenge in both concept and photographic skill. But you can do it!

### THEME (Both set and Open)

- ✓ The theme title is to be chosen by the entrant. “Untitled” is not an acceptable theme.
- ✓ The theme must be recorded at the time of entry.
- ✓ Relevance of the images to the theme title is essential as the images making up the set are intended to be judged individually and collectively.

## MPS Set of Four Competition 2019 *continued*

### ENTRY FORMAT

- There is no entry form, as all required information is supplied with the images.
- Entries are to be submitted by email to [digital.manukauphoto@gmail.com](mailto:digital.manukauphoto@gmail.com)
- Format; Image size to be a maximum of 1920 pixels wide and a maximum of 1080 pixels high, sRGB and jpg (the same as for Club night)
- 5 images are to be submitted; the 4 images that make up the Set of Four and a “5th Image” which is a composite of your 4 images.
- Each file name should be in the format;  
SOF19\_Open\_Joe\_Bloggs\_Theme\_1 to 5 or  
SOF19\_Set\_Joe\_Bloggs\_Theme\_1 to 5

### GENERAL INFORMATION

- Entries will have been judged prior to the display night, however, it is intended that the judge will be present on the night to answer questions and provide commentary.
- The judge’s decision will be final.
- There is no entry fee.
- Entrants must be financial members of Manukau Photographic Society.
- Images previously entered at club nights may form part of your set.

### TIMETABLE

- [Entries open Tues 11 June](#)
- [Entries are to be emailed to digital.manukauphoto@gmail.com by Tues Aug 6th 2019](#)
- An informal club function will be held at; Manurewa Baptist Church 9 Lupton Road, Manurewa on Tuesday 27th August 2019, 7:30pm
- All entries will be viewed and our judge will provide commentary.
- Winners will be announced; certificates of achievement awarded and the Set of Four Trophy will be presented.

### CONTACT

If anyone has any questions please contact Bryan at [digital.manukauphoto@gmail.com](mailto:digital.manukauphoto@gmail.com) or Lynn at [lynn\\_f@xtra.co.nz](mailto:lynn_f@xtra.co.nz)



## External Competitions coming up.....

The poster features a yellow header with a camera shutter icon and the text 'Creative Focus'. Below this is a white banner with 'Digital Photography Competition 2019'. The main body has a dark, textured background with a list of subjects on the left and a circular badge on the right. The bottom section contains event details and entry fees in a white box.

**Creative Focus**

**Digital Photography Competition 2019**

**Subjects**

1. Creative Focus
2. Going Green
3. Human Impressionism
4. Passion

**Supreme Image**  
**\$500**  
**Plus Trophy**

**Opens - 8th June 2019**  
**Deadline - 7th July 2019 (Midnight NZ Time)**  
**Prize giving - Sunday 25th August 2pm**

**Supreme - \$500 + trophy**  
**Trophies for 1st, 2nd & 3rd**  
**Ribbons for Honours**  
**and Highly Commended**  
**Certificates for acceptance**

**Entry Fee - \$20.00 for first Subject (up to 4 entries)**  
**\$15.00 for each additional subject (Maximum 16 entries)**  
**Quality catalogue of winning images \$45.00 (includes postage)**  
**[www.creative-focus.co.nz](http://www.creative-focus.co.nz)**  
**[susie@tehihi.co.nz](mailto:susie@tehihi.co.nz)**  
**For rules and regulations and past winners, please log into our website**

## Exhibition Coming Up.....

### WORLD PRESS PHOTO EXHIBITION 2019: 29TH JUNE- 28TH JULY

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## Newsletter Articles

Anything you wish to have published in the Club Chat please send email to either:

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