

Wakefield Camera Club  
Committee Meeting  
Held on the 1<sup>st</sup> of June 2017 at Brookhouse.

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1. Apologies; - Peter Wells, Paul Wagstaff, Malcolm Dobson, Robert Bilton and Michelle Howell.
2. Present; - Sally Sallett, Steve A wood, Trevor Bottomley, Steve Wright, Nigel Hazell, Sally Robinson and David Kershaw.
3. Matters Arising from the minutes
  - a. Brookhouse “state of play”. No more information available at present.
  - b. Outing to Andy’s Studio. Five tickets sold so far, Nigel intends to take up a place and Sally Robinson will take the remaining two. David K suggested that Trevor pay Andy £300 out of club funds and income from the ticket sales go directly into the club’s bank account. This would simplify the commercial side of the project.
  - c. Internal matching competition. No problems at this point.
4. Accounts
  - a. The current balance was noted.
  - b. We had a paid-up membership of 83 at the 30<sup>th</sup> of May 2017.
  - c. Cash Flow forecast sheet. This is being updated each month by Trevor and is proving to be a useful tool. Ian Waddington had emailed to ask permission to pay the annual web site fees, as this was factored in on the spread sheet he was told to go ahead without the need for further discussion.
5. Programme over next 6 weeks; -.

5<sup>th</sup> June – 3<sup>rd</sup> Clubman – Still life – The images are with the judge.

12<sup>th</sup> June – Internal Matching Competition. Two teams have been formed. (we need a second projector stand?)

17<sup>th</sup> June - RPS Saturday at Brookhouse. The Yorkshire RPS has been asked ‘what equipment we need to provide’. They will need both print stands and lights, though we don’t know about a screen and projector at this time. The RPS will pay for 4 lunches for WCC members. A final decision on who will help is still to be made.

19<sup>th</sup> June – Informal Critique Night. This will become a member’s night, with free discussion on any images brought in by the members. Steve A wood will organise the evening.

19<sup>th</sup> June - 4 Clubs Competition at Castleford. Paul Wagstaff and David Kershaw (plus any

others who wish to attend) will represent Wakefield C C at Castleford.

26<sup>th</sup> June – David Mead – “The life and death of the American dream”

3<sup>rd</sup> July – Informal Critique Night - we will change this to ‘what can you make of these’? Committee members are asked to email a single image to David K, he will select 4 and email them out to the membership along with an explanation of what they are expected to do with them. The modified images will then be projected on the night, to show how different members process them.

(Bring entries for Triptych Competition).

10<sup>th</sup> July – Table Top Photography – we need volunteers to set up various tables.

6. Marketing and Exhibitions. The Ridings exhibition. All prints need to be in by the end of June. David K has produced templates for each panel layout, he will discuss these with Malcolm.
7. Website
  - a. The judge for the June on-line Competition (Sunsets) will be – Malcolm Dobson.
  - b. The judge for the July on-line Competition (Monochrome) will be – Sally Robinson.
8. Internal Competitions. No issues at present. Sally R will email the awarded images, with titles and authors, to Steve Wright and David K after the competition. Once complete, a copy of the scores spread sheet will be emailed to David K so that he can update the membership on their respective positions in the Clubman competition.
9. External Competitions.
  - a. Calendar for external competitions. Nigel has delivered our entry for the four clubs competition. He still needs details of the other external competitions from Paul.
  - b. We have not yet received the results of the Sandal Motors competition. Steve Wright contacted Greg Stainton from Sandal to make sure he had the link for our gallery. Greg replied that he had and that he had been involved in several time consuming projects. Nigel sent him a gentle reminder last week and to date has had no reply. At the committee meeting we discussed judging the images internally so if we haven't heard anything by mid June that we should go ahead and do this.
10. Hardware, Software and Lighting. No issues at present.
11. Any Other Business.
  - a. Request for help with PAGB Exhibition from YPU. We have been asked by Stephen Dean to help with the erection and layout of the PAGB exhibition display. David K will discuss this with Stephen on Saturday and provide him with panel plans. We may be asked to be present when the stands are put up.

12. Date of next meeting 6<sup>th</sup> July.