



CAULFIELD PHOTOGRAPHIC SOCIETY

JANUARY/FEBRUARY 2023

Calendar 2023

March 2023

6th MONDAY - Speaker
Albert Tay
Levitation & Multiplicity

19th SUNDAY- Field Trip
Arthurs Seat &
Surrounds

20th MONDAY - Judging
Wheels

April 2023

3rd MONDAY- Workshop
Lighting Flowers

17th MONDAY - Judging
People Moving

23rd SUNDAY- Field Trip
Dandenong Botanic
Gardens - TBC

May 2023

1st MONDAY - Speaker
Martin Leitch
Architecture

8th MONDAY
Committee Meeting

**13th SATURDAY – APS
PHOTO WALK**
Details to Follow

15th MONDAY – Judging
Repetition

21st SUNDAY– Field Trip
City Walk

**29th MONDAY –
Workshop**
Abstract Photography

“If you can’t feel what you’re looking at, then you’re never going to get others to feel anything when they look at your pictures.”

– Don McCullin

From the President

He is “Living the Dream” in Italy. Catch up with what he is doing on his blog <http://www.miralightimaging.com/blog>

February Competition Judging – Reflection

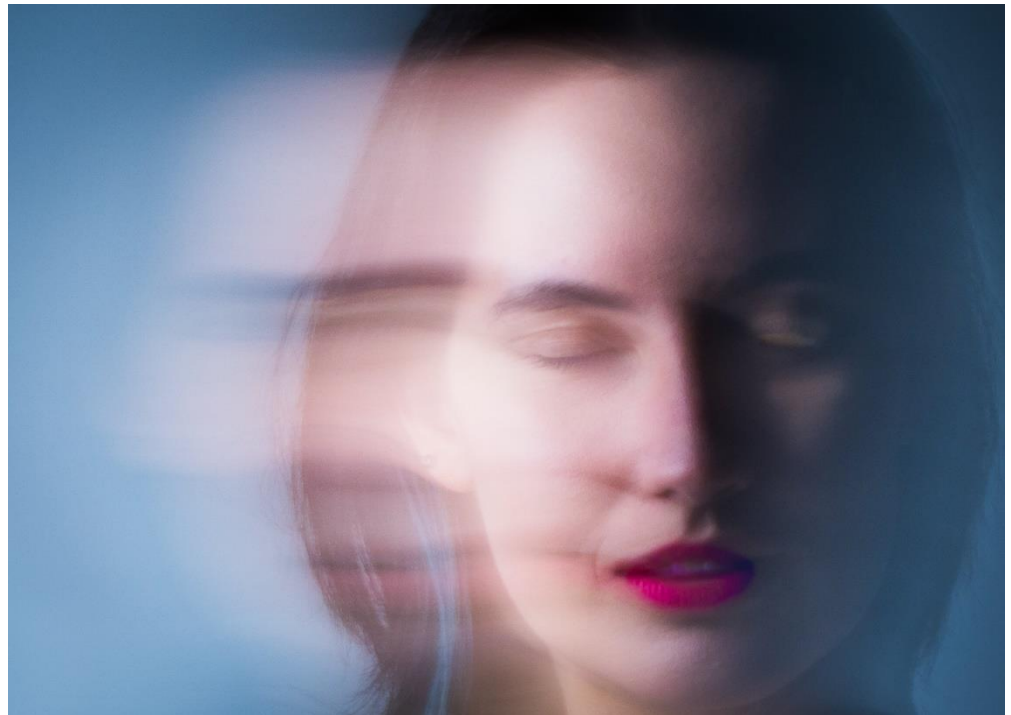


Image of the Month: Andrea Maloney – Breath...
<https://www.caulfieldphoto.org/blog>

This month’s judging was provided by David Norris whilst he was visiting Bangladesh, and luckily, he checked the time zone to be on-line at the correct time.

As usual, David provided helpful critique’s, pointing out the artistic and technical attributes whilst offering helpful hints that could help improve images.

Congratulations to all the award winners, and to Andrea for her exceptional image, “Breath...”.

Calendar 2023

June 2023

12th MONDAY
T.B.A.

26th MONDAY – Judging
Abstract

July 2023

10th MONDAY
Southern Suburbs
Interclub Competition

16th SUNDAY– Field Trip
Club Lunch

24th MONDAY – Judging
Triptych

31st MONDAY
Committee Meeting

August 2023

7th MONDAY – t.b.c.

13th SUNDAY- Field Trip
National
Communications Museum

21st MONDAY – Judging
Paul Robinson Trophy
Architecture

September 2023

4th MONDAY
T.B.A.

10th SUNDAY- Field Trip
Point Leo Estate

18th MONDAY – Judging
Bridges

25th MONDAY
Committee Meeting

The Month in Review

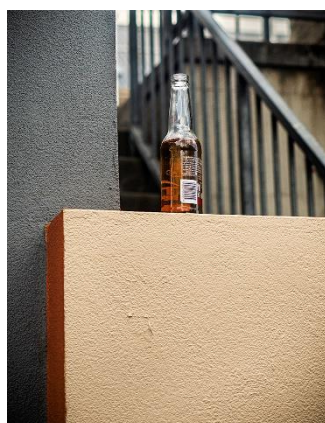
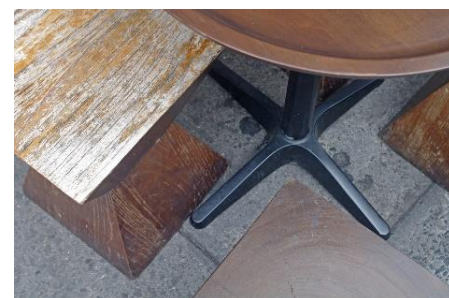
By Gwen R.

After our summer hiatus, we started 2023 where we were meant to start 2022 Chapel Street, Windsor, for our Treasure Hunt. We managed our best turnout for some years, excluding the Pandemic years.



We had over 25 members plus family and friends attend the day, and many of us headed to The Wolf Hotel for lunch afterwards. The weather was perfect, and the company as well. A great start to the year. Thank you, Peter for your time and effort.

This year we are back in the hall for all our speakers and workshops. Of course, our first meeting of the year is sharing our Treasure Hunt images, with the usual wide variety of interpretations of the Set Subjects. And no inaugural meeting of the year would be the same without Geoff's photographic review of his year with his wonderful commentary, and he did not let us down. It's the highlight of this meeting, and thank you Geoff for your entertaining talk.



For the first time in a while, I have struggled to lock in speakers but lucky for our club we have some great people who have a wealth of knowledge. Jarod Burns did not hesitate to step in when asked to fill a void. His excellent presentation about lighting was informative and gave us the benefit of the lessons he has learnt while indulging in his passion of Cosplay Photography. He provided great tips on providing lighting without spending a fortune. He is definitely our "go to" person on lighting. Here are a couple links that Jarod thought might be helpful:

<https://fstoppers.com/originals/cave-lighting-easiest-natural-lighting-portrait-photography-458410>

https://www.amazon.com.au/Portable-Reflector-Collapsible-Multi-Disc-Photography/dp/B08LDLFFH66/ref=sr_1_10?crd=31DZTG055ELKF&keywords=Neewer+5-in-1&qid=1676288586&s=electronics&srefix=neewer+5-in-1%2Celectronics%2C246&sr=1-10&fbclid=IwAR0WU8oMq9Sp1GEcfGEOEfgHkutIFJ0PBMmEje2BktUK39Bfx_a9DrPUYg

Calendar 2023

October 2023

2nd MONDAY – Speaker
Mario Mirabile on
Lenses

8th SUNDAY- Field Trip
Warburton, Upper Yarra

16th MONDAY – Judging
Traces of Things/People
No Longer There

30th MONDAY – ZOOM
ANNUAL GENERAL
MEETING

November 2023

13th MONDAY – Judging
HALL – In House
A Flower

27th MONDAY
Portrait Night

December 2023

11th MONDAY – EOY
End of Year Awards
And Celebrations

This month's field trip was to Caulfield Park. It had been forecast to be VERY hot but lucky for us the weather was on our side and after 40C the day before, and the weather was perfect. Not as much there as we had hoped but it was still great to catch up with everyone again.

Upcoming Club Competitions

Prints can be dropped off and picked up on Club Nights (Open). Alternatively, contact the Competition Steward on caulfps+compsteward@gmail.com to arrange drop-off by the Close date.

SET SUBJECT

OPEN

CLOSED

People Moving

06/03/23

20/03/23

Create an artistic interpretation of people in motion. The motion can be shown through slow shutter using blur or panning, or the subject can be sharp as long as it is clear they are in motion. The propulsion should be provided by the subject, so bikes and skateboards etc are fine, but no planes, trains and automobiles carrying the subjects. The person or people in motion need not dominate the image, but there should be no question they are the subject of the image.

Repetition

03/04/23

17/04/23

Use repeating shapes, patterns or themes to create a compelling image. The image can be abstract or representational, an actual object or a digital creation (as long as the base images are photographic). The repeated items need not be identical, but the similarity or relationship should be very clear.

Meetings 7.30pm

All Zoom Invites will be sent 24 hours prior to meetings

Monday 6th March: HALL – SPEAKER
Albert Tay
Levitation & Multiplicity

Monday 20th March: ZOOM – JUDGING
Set Subject – “Wheels” with Ken Bretherton

Monday 3rd April: HALL - WORKSHOP
Lighting Flowers
Your opportunity to get some help and advice on lighting a single flower.

Field Trips

Details will be emailed during the week leading up to Field Trip

Sunday 19th March: Arthurs Seat & Surrounds

Sunday 23rd April: Dandenong Botanic Gardens



Notices

- **ALL ENQUIRES** to the Committee to be forwarded through the Club Gmail Account. This is an ongoing update of the contacts for the club which will help your Committee Members to coordinate responses.
- **HELP REQUIRED**
VAPS interclub judging is taking place on the 23rd April at our club rooms. They require 3 or 4 people to help out on the day. It gives a real insight into how judging is done outside the club environment. If you can help out on the day, even for a short time, please email Gwen caulfps+president@gmail.com and your information will be passed on.
- **A REMINDER**
Please check the Subjects Briefs when entering monthly competitions. They can be found on the webpage and Private Facebook group. <https://www.caulfieldphoto.org/syllabus>
- **CHANGES** to 2023 Syllabus.
 - We have brought forward the Lighting Flowers Workshop to the 3rd April to accommodate a new Interclub Competition in August. Details to follow soon.
 - For our meeting on the 1st May, we have now locked in Martin Leitch to speak on Architecture. Thank you to Tony for arranging this.
 - Please note that the incorrect dates were applied to “Abstract” & “Triptych”. The correct dates are highlighted them in the side panel.
 - There will be more updates to come over the next month as we lock in events for upcoming club nights. A new Syllabus will be forwarded as soon as possible.
- **FOR HIRE:** Mat Cutter \$5.00 for up to five days
Contact Vice-President caulfps+president@gmail.com

Club Contacts

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Things to do

Street Beats Photography Exhibition, 386-388 Brunswick Street Fitzroy
22nd February -19th March

<https://allevents.in/melbourne/street-beats-photography-exhibition/80002637382853>

St Kilda Blues Festival: 3rd – 5th March

<https://stkildabluesfestival.com.au/>

Mordi Fest: Saturday 4th March

<https://www.kingston.vic.gov.au/community/events/upcoming-events/mordi-fest>

Moomba: 9th – 13th March

<https://moomba.melbourne.vic.gov.au/>

Holi Festival: 11th – 12th March

<https://holifestivalmelbourne.com.au/>

Grounded, Fed Square: 11th – 12th March

<https://whatson.melbourne.vic.gov.au/things-to-do/grounded>

Ballarat Begonia Festival: 11th – 13th March

<https://ballaratbegoniafestival.com/>

Korumburra Horse and Tractor Rally – 18th – 19th March

<https://nhma.com.au/rally/korumburra-working-horse-tractor-rally-annual-vintage-rally/>

Margot Sharman: We Were Resilient – Exhibition: 29th March – 30th April
City Library, 253 Flinders Lane, Melbourne

<https://www.melbourne.vic.gov.au/community/libraries/whats-on/exhibitions/pages/we-were-resilient-gacl.aspx>

Blue Lotus Water Gardens – Open until 10th April

<https://www.bluelotusfarm.com.au/>

Greendale Sunflower Farm – Opening Soon

Keep an eye on their website for opening dates

<https://www.greendalesunflowers.com.au/>