

Johnsonville Camera Club News May 2022

A Word from the President

Goodness me, 2022 is certainly racing away on us! Looking back, we have already had some exciting events on our programme with more to come.

Coming up in just over a week are two events. On Saturday 14 May, we have Mark Berger's Black and White workshop to be held at the Collective Community Hub from 1 pm to 5 pm. Due to Covid concerns, this workshop was deferred from the original date in March. I have heard Mark speak on this previously, and you are in for an entertaining and informative session on a unique genre.

Midnight on the Sunday following is the deadline for our second salon for the year. I was incredibly impressed by the high standard of work submitted for the first projected image competition and I thought Paul Whitham's comments were both helpful and perceptive.

Just to remind you, the committee for 2022 is:

President	Glen Innes
Vice President	Paul Stapp
Secretary	Rhonda Turner
Treasurer	George Sutton
Webmaster	Angelos Anastasiadis
Publicity Officer	Committee
Role	
Competitions Secretary	Greg Turner

Please feel free to contact any committee members to have your say on JCC matters

Photographer's Day - Steam Incorporated 2 July 2022

While the age of steam has passed, there is no doubt that the magic and nostalgia of the steam engine remain undiminished. Steam Incorporated is throwing open its doors and firing up its locos specifically for photographers on Saturday 2 July. Details have already been emailed out but I trust you will enjoy a great photographic experience by enrolling now. Already there are half a dozen JCC members signed up. A cost of \$50 applies.

Giving Back to the Local Community



For over a year, we have enjoyed free room hire for our meetings and workshops at the Collective Community Hub at 33 Johnsonville Road. This is a huge benefit to small clubs such as ours and we are really grateful to the local real estate firm Collective First National Real Estate for building the Community Hub and providing its facilities free for local use.

As a bit of a thank you, the Club is offering other users of the Hub our services to photograph and publicise their activities. Here are two of the events club members have recently photographed.



The first was a concert of traditional Indian dance at the Hub in March by members of Jyoti Gosavi's Jhankar Katthak Dance Group. Angelos, Greg Patrick and I covered the event.

The second was a group who were rehearsing at the Hub for the Tamil New Year Celebrations.

Patrick, Angelos and I were able to attend the show at the Little Theatre in Lower Hutt on 1 May. Traditional and modern dance, a debate in Tamil and a short humorous skit were featured,



A Workshop You Must Not Miss!
Mark Berger on Black and White
Photography
Sunday 14 May 2022
Collective Community Hub 1 pm - 5 pm



Our Presenter Mark Berger

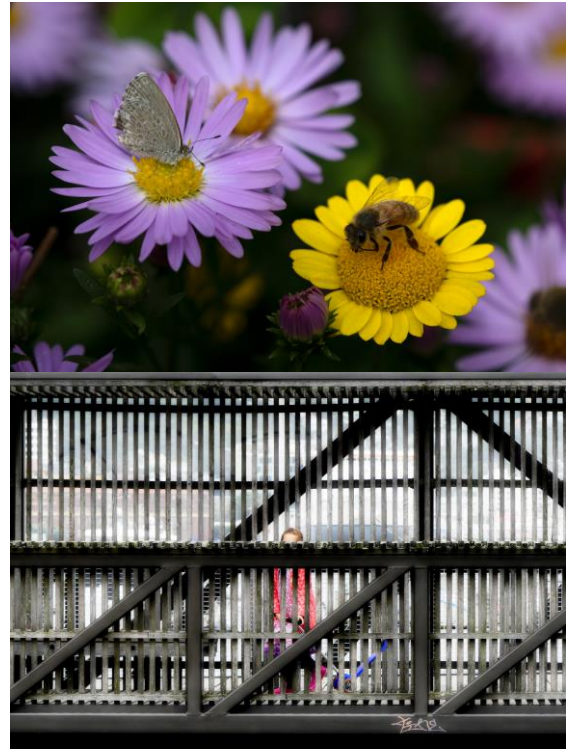
Learn About:-

- *The relevance of the genre*
- *What makes a strong b/w image?*
- *Camera Set up*
- *Responding to differing qualities of light*
- *Visualising the Scene*
- *Software for b/w conversion and enhancement*
- *Resources*

Some hands-on experience included

*Three Images from Our First Projected
Image Competition of 2022*

*Mount Taranaki by Greg Turner, Volodymyr vs
Vladimir by Chathuranga Chandrasekara and
Faceless Child by Patrick Flanagan*



Welcome to New Members

A warm welcome to Johnsonville Camera Club
to two new members:-
Elizabeth Bartlett and Philip Stanesby

Existing members, please make yourselves
known to our new members when we next
catch up.