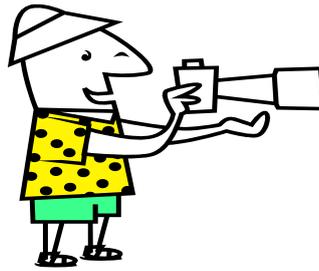


Thru The Lens



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The official newsletter of Parklands Photographic Club

Our website

<http://members.optusnet.com.au/gizzi/ParklandsCameraClub/main.html>

Newsletter email

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Welcome to the final edition of our club's newsletter for 2007.

Sorry it's a little late ... I've only recently returned back to Australia and my 'in box' was rather full!

I understand that the October inter-club meeting was quite a successful night, with Preston taking the honours on the night. Well done to all for what was apparently a high standard of entries.

Remember that tomorrow night, yes THURSDAY 8th November is our annual general meeting, were we as a club plan our next 12 months.

Cheers, Paul



Upcoming events

- **November AGM meeting:** Tomorrow the 8th, meeting starting at 7.30pm. Probably the most important meeting for 2008, in 2007! We need a good turn out so that we can plan next year's activities such as excursions, hunt and shoot location, monthly competition themes, etc.

If you any last minute **agenda** items you would like included, please contact Orsola (gizzi@optushome.com.au, (H)94983595, (mob)0410621327 before the meeting.

Our club relies on its **committee** throughout the year – have you thought about joining the committee to have your say in what the club does? The following positions are vacated each year:

President; Vice President; Treasurer; Secretary; Work Steward/s; Newsletter Editor; Advertising Officer; Website Editor; Fundraising Officer/s.

Remember it is YOUR club and if you would like to be involved in the decision making then this is a great way of doing it.

You might also like to think about any **photographic topics** that you might like to be address in 2008, either as competition themes or as lectures. Please submit them for consideration at the AGM – we will be voting on how many themes (vs 'open'), and the types of themes for 2008.

Also bring along to the Nov meeting, your **4 best prints** that have been submitted into any competition this year so they can be entered into the Print of the Year competition. They need not have won. I will give them to a judge and the winner will be announced at the BBQ in December.

In case you are interested there will be a couple of **door prizes** for all members attending the AGM. As you come in you will need to write your name on the paper provided and during the evening we will draw the name of the winners.

- **End of year club BBQ.** The date and venue will be finalised tomorrow night: either Sat 8th or Sunday 9th December.

Exhibitions & Competitions

- **VIGEX 2008**
15th International Photographic Salon
Closing Date: 20th March 2008
Get your images ready soon - the time will come around quicker than you think!
Download the details with the link below.
www.vigex.org.au
- **Unensored07**
Unensored07 is an exciting upcoming independent exhibition organised and run by a small group of photographic artists who practice and value work with film in this day of digital conveniences.
The exhibition will feature 12 artists, all with a very distinct style and will take place between 26th October and 10th November at Kerala Gallery in Melbourne, Australia.
Kerala Gallery, 283 High Street Northcote Victoria Australia
- **Images of the world** competition
Here's your chance to show off your travel photographic gems to the world and win yourself an amazing prize. Entries due 30th November 2007. For more info:
<http://www.peregrineadventures.com.au/imagesoftheworld/default.asp>
- **2007 National Creative Photography Competition**
In the past few years the majority of entries into the National Creative Competition have been digital creations but the competition is open to processes such as cyanotype, mixed media and images printed onto different materials. A first prize of \$300 and supplementary prizes and commendations will be awarded. Rules and entry form available from www.ncp.org.au or by writing to Northside Creative Photography Inc, PO Box 192, GORDON, NSW 2072. Entries close Friday 16 November 2007.
- **Front On**
A Photographic Exhibition By Marg Huxtable & Jim Weatherill
A Photographic Exhibition Focussing on People of Melbourne
At the Jawa Bar, 297 Victoria St. West Melbourne, From 14 Nov-14 Dec
Bar Hours 6 pm to 10 pm Thursday, Friday and Saturday Nights
- **Seeking Exactitude - RMIT Scientific Photography Exhibition**
This year's graduate students in the Bachelor of Applied Science (Scientific and Industrial Photography) at RMIT University are hosting their annual exhibition, entitled Seeking Exactitude. 530 Collins Streets (Cnr. King St) Melbourne
14th to 24th November

Quote of the month

"I am not interested in shooting new things - I am interested to see things new."

-Ernst Haas (1921-1986), Austrian-born photojournalist who was influential for his innovations in colour photography.