



# In Camera

*The Newsletter of the Hawkesbury Camera Club Inc.*

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## 2024 OFFICE BEARERS

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Committee	Michael Stockley Geoff Higgins Peta Lette Leeane O'Brien
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## What's on in October 2024

### 2<sup>nd</sup> October Presentation

Keeping it simple

Presented by Debbie Marsh.

### 9<sup>th</sup> October Challenge

Australian Bridges

Judged by Ian Cambourne

### 16<sup>th</sup> October Competition

Seasons

Judged by Robert Clarke

### 17<sup>th</sup> October

7.00pm Committee meeting

Richmond Club



## Presidents Report

Surprisingly the year is charging towards its conclusion for the club. We have one more point scoring competition left for the year. Seasons is the Set Subject.

Given we have had 4+ Seasons over the past 12 months to shoot this subject, it should be a good competition. I say 4+ Seasons because no one said the subject was restricted to climatic seasons!! Did you think of the Festive Season, Snow Season maybe even Mating Season!!

Before the year ends we do still have a few significant events to celebrate.

It comes down to the Image of the Year competition in November. We will find the Best of the Best from this year's Monthly Competition Entries. Judging is always a good night as members nominate their best images. Check the Competition Brief before entering as there are a couple of special conditions. Who will take out the top titles?

The End of Year Function is being finalised. Stay tuned for the date and bookings, all will soon be revealed. The Function is a celebration of your year in photography. It's a fun social night for all. This year we have a few extra surprises for those who attend. It's a night to include partners and family. Bring the family along to celebrate your photography, they may get a buzz from seeing your prints on display or you receiving an award or prize.

We also have our Annual General Meeting scheduled for 20<sup>th</sup> November. I encourage every member to consider nominating for the Club Committee. This is your opportunity to payback what you have received from the club over your membership years. As a Committee Member you have a bigger voice in the future and running of the club. You can help shape the club and support other photographers.

The Committee is not an arduous chore, meetings are every second month. Some correspondence by emails and a chat group, with a few phone calls thrown in to chat about the finer details.

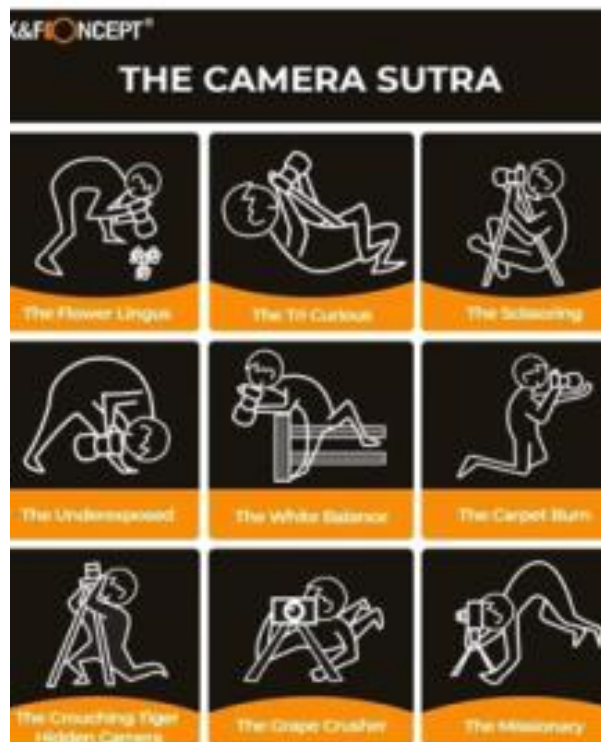
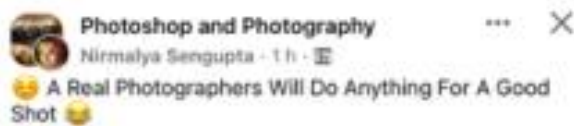
As the competition year winds up there are already plans being put into place for next year. The selection of Set Subjects for next year's competitions is under way. Planning our outings and events has begun with dates and events being pencilled in the calendar.

The club has grown, not just in numbers but in competition entries, attendance and interaction between members this year. As a community social club we are in great form. Many social clubs or groups are struggling to exist given the current economic pressures. I believe our strength is from our members; enjoying your hobby, your competitiveness as well as the friendships within the club.

A brief thank you to every club member this year. It has been a joy & pleasure being the President of the club this year. Thank you to everyone who has got involved in the year; from turning up; to setting up and being part of the Committee.

I look forward to being a part of the club again in 2025!

Wow where did that year go? Jeff



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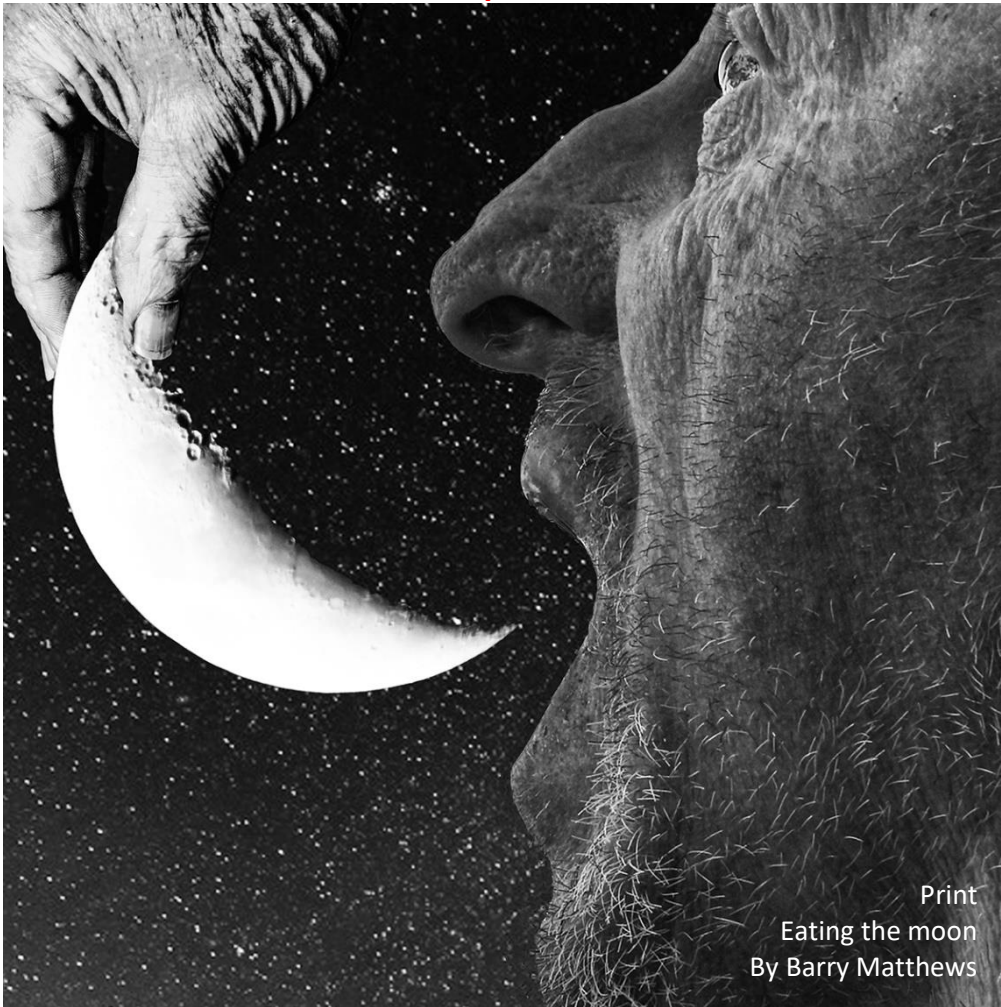
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Photo courtesy "Mommy shots"

**September 2024**  
**SET SUBJECT**  
**Juxtaposition**



Print  
Eating the moon  
By Barry Matthews

**Digital**



Digital  
Puppy Love  
By Geoff Higgins

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Open Print



Digital  
Slalmon  
By David Allen

Open Digital



Digital  
St James Pomeroy  
By David Allen

# Childrens Hospital Selection Night

25/9/2024

This night was well attended with approximately 30 students, their principals and members of their family. Schools represented from Windsor public, St Monica's and St Matthews Primary. Aproximately 100 in attendance  
A special thank you to all the Honourary Judges in selecting their favourite images.





Jeff Walsh President  
Hawkesbury Camera Club



MC Christine Paine OAM





Honourary Judges, Guest and Club members in Attendance



Guests and club members in attendance.



Christine Paine, Michael Baulman, Breanna McGuigan, Josephine Blue, Kathy Dyball, Shannan Waddups



Susan Templeton with Marian and Jeff



Shannan Waddups, Kathy Dyball, Josephine Blue, Marian Paap, Ben Ticehurst, Jennifer Berghofer, Tara Verhelst



Doug Carley  
Presentation of using "Composition"

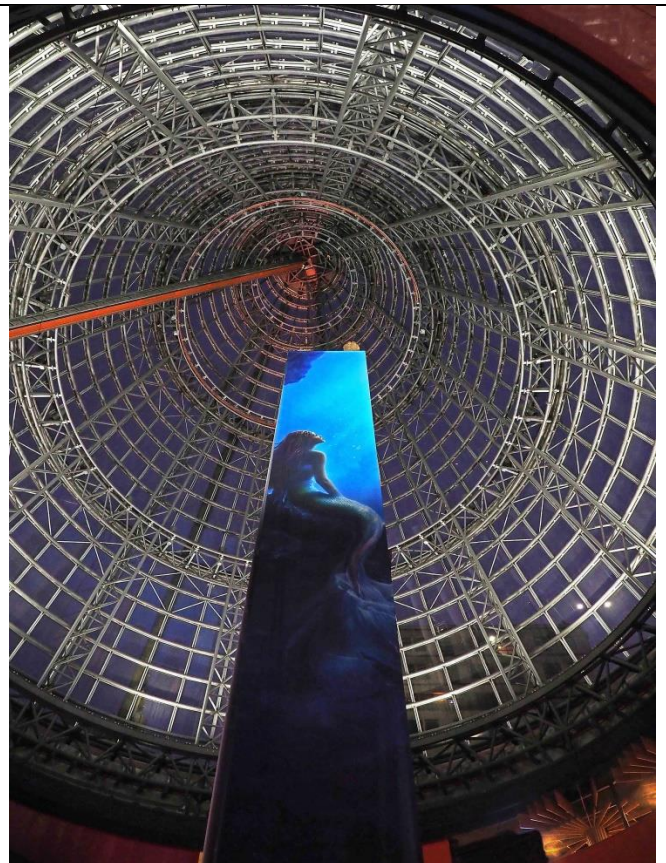


Ray Williams  
Judging the Juxtaposition competition.  
RIP Ray  
Heard he had passed away on Thursday that night

**Penrith Show 2024**



Marian Paap 1st Place –Pretty - Portrait



Marian 1<sup>st</sup> Place – Colour –Shot Tower





Marian Paap – 2<sup>nd</sup> place BW –Another Dandi



Marian Paap Digital Inspiration Highly Commended



Ron Rodgers 2<sup>nd</sup> place –Digital Inspiration  
Who's looking out



Ron Rodgers – 3<sup>rd</sup> Place – Portrait – Boat driver – Hoi An