



COMING EVENTS

Gippsland
Photographic
Exhibition - Coal Creek,
Korumburra, August
3rd to 29th

Ballarat International
Foto Biennale 17-8-13
to 15-9-13.

VAPS Annual
General Meeting
Sunday October 20th

EGPS Bairnsdale
Seminar -
Sat-Sun 26-27 October.
(details later)

President's Report

In this issue we have listed all of the winning entries from the recent VAPS Convention along with a list of the Meritorious and SSVAPS awards. Congratulations to the well deserving recipients.

Our congratulations go to the makers receiving a placing in the Interclub, our thanks also to the clubs for their support for the Interclub competition in 2013.

The display of prints, digital and AV presentations was a wonderful example of the photographic expertise of the club members of Victoria, well done and thank you for entering.

Congratulations – Roy Berryman OAM

Congratulations to Roy Berryman on receiving the distinguished OAM award.

Roy has contributed greatly to the community and in particular the photographic community over many years, his involvement with clubs and community services is outstanding as has been his support and mentoring of many photographic enthusiasts. Congratulations Roy on this well deserved recognition.

Correction _ Udesign Prize

In the 2013 VAPS catalogue it was incorrectly implied that the APS prize to be awarded to the Judges Choice award at APSCON was a trip for two to New York, This prize is **LAND** content only in New York. Air Fares are not included. Apologies for the incorrect information,

David Harradine

The one-day \$195 courses have not been filling for some time. David will now roll these into his regular course structure; Lightroom is now a two-day course. David is still offering excellent discounts and opportunities to learn Lightroom and Photoshop for VAPS members. Please see the article in this Newsbrief for the details.

Committee 2014

Committee nominations are now open for the coming 2014 year, a nomination form is available from our website vaps.com.au, again we encourage club members to join the VAPS committee and contribute to the Victorian Camera Club movement.

Peter Kewley



AIPC FINAL SELECTIONS FOR 2013

AIPC will be judged and displayed at APSCON in Bunbury, WA, this September.

Prints will be available to collect at the VAPS AGM Meeting on 20 October at Melbourne Camera Club.

Mono Prints

Colour Prints

Title	Maker		Title	Maker
A Different Perspective	David Pycroft		Golden Green	Tom Kress
Sea Serpent	Ross Ipenberg		Cloud at Resides Jetty	Andrew Bould
Windows of the Soul	Jill Wharton		Rainbow Bee Eater	Trevor Bibby
The Mistress	Craig Pettigrew		Watchful	Cindy McDonald
Hands of Time	Karen Cooper		Cape Conran Jetty	Ross Ipenberg
She's Leaving Home	Janet Rogerson		The Lady in Red	Ian Kemp
Joshua Tree - Monument Valley	Peter Dwyer		Miner's Eye – A Self Portrait	Steve Sheddick
Snow Gums in Winter	Linda Keagle		Primitive Smile	Paco Lira
Grand Designs	Linda Keagle		Hanging Frog	Jenny Skewes
Wild Brumby Catch	Val Rees		Surrounded in Mist	Francis Pisani

Mono Digital

Colour Digital

In Safe Hands	Phil Beer		Untitled	David Duncan
Anna	Mario Mirabile		Snow White's Apple	Alison Crea
Mike	Michael Sanders		India	Jane Clancy
Old Timer	Marilyn Ellis		Red Necked Tanager	Ian Cross
Strath Creek	Martin Clancy		Madagascar Reflections	Mary Shaw
Castle Howard	Gerry Gore		Return of the Pear Thief	Mario Mirabile
War Dreams	Cath Buchanan		Arnhem Land Dancer	Tony Harding
Ladies Bath Falls	Paul Temple		Campbell	Gary Beresford
One and One makes Three	Dale Gaylard		Time and Motion Study	Adrian Donoghue
Centered	Carmen Caruana		Sugarloaf Sunrays	Marg Walton

Interclub Award Winners

Viv Ball Trophy for Best Landscape

Golden Green by Tom Kress - Essendon Camera Club

Open Prints

Place	Title	Maker		Club
1 st	Misty Rocks	Tony	Harrison	East Gippsland Photographic Society
2 nd	Surrounded in Mist	Francis	Pisani	Southern Suburbs Photographic Society
3 rd	Sea Serpent	Ross	Ipenberg	Coal Country Camera Club
Merit	Hanging Frog	Jenny	Skewes	Phillip Island Camera Club
Merit	Snow Gums In Winter	Linda	Keagle	Foster Photography Club
Merit	Roy	Rodney	Carruthers	Frankston Photographic Club
Merit	Surfer Silhouettes	Gillian	Armstrong	Phillip Island Camera Club
Merit	Girl in the Window	Ron	Speed	Bendigo Camera Club

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Place	Title	Maker		Club
1 st	Red Necked Tanager	Ian	Cross	Frankston Photographic Club
2 nd	Arnhem Land Dancer	Tony	Harding	Caulfield Photographic Society
3 rd	Hippeastrum in Abstract	Maree	Posthuma	Mornington Camera Club
Merit	Return of the Pear Thief	Mario	Mirabile	Caulfield Photographic Society
Merit	How Many More	Gary	Richardson	Melbourne Camera Club
Merit	Robber Fly with Prey	Cheryl	Burnham	Nepean Camera Club
Merit	Snow White's Apple	Alison	Crea	Preston Camera Club
Merit	Trapped Blowfly	Marg	Tylee	Warragul Camera Club

Interclub Award Winners Audio Visual Section

Audio Visual - Open

Place	Title	Score	Club	Makers
1 st	Concrete Angel	19	Geelong	Margaret Metcalfe
2 nd	Song of Alice	18	Geelong	Heather Prince
3 rd	The Polly	16	Doncaster	Phil Ryan
Merit	Painted Ladies	15	Camberwell	Don Weston
Merit	Bungle Bungle	15	Melbourne	Robert Fairweather
Merit	Ford Discovery Centre	15	Bellarine	Val Moss
Merit	Voyage to Antarctica	14	Ivanhoe	Greg Howe

Audio Visual - 3.21

Place	Title	Score	Club	Makers
1 st	Keepers of the Crypts	18	Geelong	David Rendle
2 nd	Fantasy at Midnight	16	Rosanna	Club Members
3 rd	Ikara Country	15	Eastern Suburbs	Graham Phillips
Merit	Sydney Vivid	15	Ivanhoe	Lynne Yeaman
Merit	Finding Mr Ricketts	15	Melbourne	Barb Butler
Merit	Normanton to Croydon	14	Waverley	Alan Scott
Merit	We will Remember Them - ANZAC Day 2012	14	Ivanhoe	Lisa Law

VAPS Awards - 2013

SSVAPS Service Awards

Rebecca Nicolandos	Camberwell Camera Club
Jan Burt	Rosanna Photographic Club
Margaret Greenwood	Essendon Camera Club
Alan Wilson	Essendon Camera Club
Pauline Preston	Pakenham Camera Club

Meritorious Service Awards

Alan Neander	Benalla Camera Club
Tom Kress	Essendon Camera Club
Louise Sedgman	Warragul Camera Club



PICTURES UNDER DISCUSSION

200+ EVENTS
80+ VENUES
500+ PHOTOGRAPHERS

BALLARAT INTERNATIONAL
FOTO BIENNALE
17.8 > 15.9 '13

Image © Young Ho Kang from the series '90 variations'

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PORTFOLIO REVIEWS

Australia's best portfolio review program. Two days only, Sunday August 18th and Monday August 19th. Book online <http://ballaratfoto.org/portfolio-reviews/>

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A prize for self published photo books sponsored by Blurb. Amateur and Pro sections, each with a prize of \$1000 + \$500 Blurb voucher. Enter online <http://ballaratfoto.org/one-for-the-books/>

WORKSHOPS

An exciting range of workshops on offer by presenters from the US, NZ, Belgium and Australia covering topics as diverse as the figure in the landscape, painting with torchlight, developing a personal vision, pinhole, portraiture, lomography, architecture and more. Info & book online at <http://ballaratfoto.org/bifb13-workshops/>



GIPPSLAND PHOTOGRAPHIC EXHIBITION

Invitation to Official Exhibition Opening and Presentation of Awards Sunday 4th August at 1.00 pm

At Coal Creek Community Park & Museum,
South Gippsland Highway, Korumburra.

The Foster Photography Club extends an open invitation for all members of the participating clubs and their friends to attend this third annual exhibition and participate in the combined activities of the gallery community park & museum. The Gallery will be open EVERYDAY from 10.00 am to 4.30 pm starting on Saturday 3rd August until Monday 29th August. The Heritage Park area also has free entry but is only open to visitors on Thursday to Monday.

Complete park details at www.coalcreekvillage.com.au Phone 03 5655 1811

If you cannot make it to the official opening then plan a visit on a day which will combine the photography exhibits and the many attractions of the Park into a memorable day .

Participating Exhibitors: Coal Country Camera Club,
East Gippsland Photographic Society, Foster Photography Club,
Phillip Island Camera Club, Sale Camera club, Warragul camera Club.



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VARIOUS AWARD ACCEPTANCES BY WINNERS AT VAPS CONVENTION 2013

SSVAPS Recipients for 2013.

Pauline Preston, Pakenham, Jan Burt, Rosanna, Alan Wilson, Essendon, Rebecca Nicolandos, Camberwell



Lois Thompson 60 years, Leo McGuire & David Oldfield 40 years, Matthew Moore & Peter Brady 25 years,

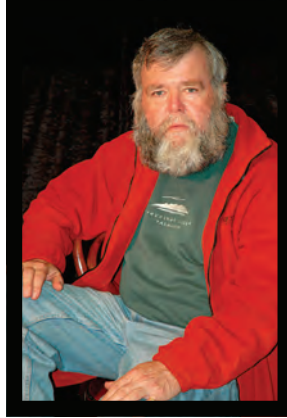


1. Jenny Colson, Bert Hoveling & Mary Mullane 20 years. 2. Lorraine Holden, Bev Pascoe 15 years,
3. Rob McKay 35 years 4. 10 year , Awards including Jan Burt & Rebecca Nicolandos. 5. Val Moss , 10 years



MORE PHOTOS FROM THE CONVENTION NEXT MONTH. SPACE IS LIMITED IN THIS EDITION , a more obvious statement there has never been!!

VALE BOB BEKKER



Stawell Camera Club acknowledges the death of Bob Bekker, one of the foundation members who helped to form the Stawell Camera Club in December 1988.

Bob was born in Amsterdam, Holland, in 1950, and came to Australia with his parents when he was eight years old. He grew up in Adelaide and after leaving school he studied at the South Australian School of Art and Reprographic Technology. His study and work as a graphic artist kindled a love of photography that remained with Bob throughout his life. Bob came to the Grampians area in 1987 and the opportunities offered by the flowers and scenery challenged his imagination. He set up his own dark room and became a skilled black and white worker. He joined the Victorian Nature Photography Club and the Stawell Camera Club.

Bob became a Stawell Camera Club committee member in 1990 and has been an enthusiastic, hard-working member of the club for almost 25 years. Bob was a highly skilled photographer who captured wonderful images which he loved to share and enter in competitions. In 1993 Bob held an exhibition of his work in the Shaft House Gallery at Seppelt's Winery in Great Western, and in 1994 his "Grampians Wineries in Focus" exhibition was displayed in the Ararat Regional Art Gallery. He began entering club competitions in May 1989 and won the aggregate trophy in the first year.

In 1990 the Stawell Club affiliated with the Victorian Association of Photographic Societies and the club entered the state-wide Interclub Competition. Bob won a merit award with one of his slides and with Bob's help the club won a first place trophy for a collection of 10 slides. This was a big surprise as the club was less than two years old and this was the first Interclub entry.

Bob's images have been included in every Interclub competition that the Stawell Camera Club has entered. In 2001 Bob scored a clean sweep in the Wimmera Interclub competition, winning the Champion Image award, and awards for the Best Colour Print, The Best Monochrome Print and the Best Slide.

Bob has also won many prizes and awards in a wide variety of Photographic Competitions, with one of the highlights being awarded a FIAP Gold Medal in the Nature Section of the 2000 VIGEX International Salon.

Bob has been an inspiration to club members and was always keen to share his skills with new members. He was one of the club members who helped to run "Photographic Skills Courses" for the Stawell community, and Bob was often called on to judge photographic competitions. Bob worked at almost every Stawell Show Photographic Competition since 1995, and has won the Open Aggregate award four times.

Bob was a wonderful friend to all, and has continued to meet all challenges with courage and determination.

**VICTORIAN ASSOCIATION OF
PHOTOGRAPHIC SOCIETIES INC**

**NOTICE OF
ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

**20TH OCTOBER 2013
MELBOURNE CAMERA CLUB
1.30PM**

AGENDA TO BE ISSUED

DAVID HARRADINE WORKSHOPS

In a continuing arrangement with David Harradine VAPS Affiliated club members are entitled to a \$100 discount off any of David's regular courses and if booked and paid directly two weeks out there is a further price discount.

Lightroom courses are now a **two-day** course, which ensures full and complete tuition in this post processing software package.

The price of the two day Lightroom course is \$595 or \$545 for the early booking, with a further \$100 discount of either price for club members.

Photoshop 1, remains as a one-day course, all courses are to be booked directly via David's training site, use the code "VAPS" to obtain the discounted price.

This new costing and course structure applies to all of David's regular courses other than his Advanced Lighting workshops.

To make a booking please go to
<http://www.whack.com.au>
and register with the VAPS code to make direct payment.

David is also offering to continue the \$195 one day Lightroom courses based on individual clubs having a minimum of **4**, maximum 5 participants and making **one** payment direct to David Harradine, clubs wishing to take up this special offer please contact David through the above web site address.

A half century of service to numerous photographic organisations and events was recognised with the awarding of the Medal of the **Order of Australia** (OAM) to Longwarry North resident, Roy Berryman in the Queen’s Birthday honours list.

The citation with the award stated it was “for service to the arts through a range of photographic organisations and to the community of the Gippsland region”.

The former Warragul businessman now retired to his property at Longwarry North said he was very honoured to receive the award.

Now 87, Mr Berryman moved to Longwarry North with his farming parents when he was 13 years old and recalls his interest in photography as a teenager.

He had an old camera, developed his own reels of film and took them to the nearby Tarago River where the flowing stream washed the chemicals from the films. “You couldn’t do that now” Roy said.

Roy’s involvement with photographic organisations began in 1963 when he became a member of The Australian Photographic Society. He went on to serve as its president, vice-president and convenor of its annual convention and was made an honorary fellow of the society in 2000.

Roy also served as a committee-man, vice-president and president of the Victorian Association of Photographic Societies (VAPS). He was and still is heavily involved in several camera clubs as well as having a deep involvement with Rotary International.

Roy Berryman OAM

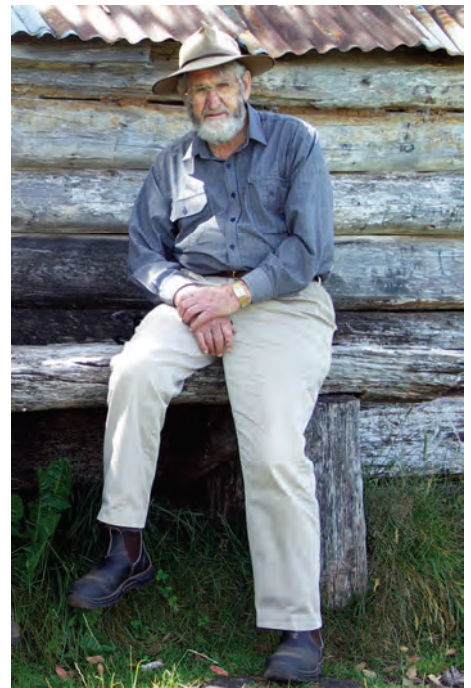


Photo by Bev Pascoe

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There is our remote campsite at Kings Creek Station that enjoys sensational sunsets over the George Gill. Along the West MacDonnell Ranges is Gosse Bluff, the site of an ancient comet crater or further along, the Ormiston Pound Walk which is so full of wow factor. This is a true outback experience in 4-wheel drive vehicles, small groups (max 16 persons), camping (tents can be provided), open fires at night, sensational camp fire meals with quality food, all equipment provided and fully catered. Camping and sleeping under the sensational star-filled southern night sky will be a memory of a life time. You, the wild and no other!!

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Louise Sedgman *Photography*

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MODEL SHOOT - VAPS CONVENTION

Were you there? Our models would love some candid shots from the Saturday shoot, particularly the Bride and Groom. If you have any good images please send them to pwk@optusnet.com.au.

Peter Kewley

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Benalla Camera Club (Inc)
P.O. Box 234, Benalla, Vic, 3671

A Moment in Time

An exhibition of photographs by members of
Benalla Camera Club.

13–29 July, 2013
Benalla Golf Club
Mansfield Rd, Benalla.
Open during business hours.

Gold coin donation

Official launch:
Sunday 14th July
Benalla Golf Club,
from 5 pm.

10–25 Aug, 2013
Swanpool Bowling Club
Midland Hwy, Swanpool
9am–5 pm.
Held in conjunction with the
Bald Archy Exhibition
(Swanpool Memorial Hall)
Gold coin donation

Come along and be inspired by our 2013 exhibition.
See new works by our members, both new and
experienced, and member will have their own 'mini
exhibition'. Vote for your favourite print and be in the
running for some great prizes.
More Info: Jen Fawkes—0430242992 AH



Stag Trees at Mokoan, by Joe Bourke



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**NOMINATION FOR
 THE COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT OF THE
 VICTORIAN ASSOCIATION OF PHOTOGRAPHIC SOCIETIES INC.**

COMMITTEE YEAR; 2014

POSITIONS VACANT; Please tick the appropriate box being nominated for

President	<input type="checkbox"/>	Vice President	<input type="checkbox"/>
Secretary	<input type="checkbox"/>	Treasurer	<input type="checkbox"/>
Interclub Manager	<input type="checkbox"/>	Committee Member	<input type="checkbox"/>

Nominee;

Club;

Proposed by;

Club;

Seconded by;

Club;

Nominee agrees to accept the nomination:

Name;

Signed**Date;**

Note; Nominee, Proposer and Seconder must be current financial members of an affiliated club at the time of signing this form.

This form should be completed and forwarded to the VAPS Secretary. Alternatively the form must be in the hands of the VAPS Secretary by the starting time of the VAPS Annual General Meeting to be held at the Melbourne Camera Club, at 1.30 p.m. on Sunday 20th October, 2013. Any change to this meeting time or place will be advised on the VAPS website and in Newsbrief.

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AMAZING ANAGRAMS

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25th of the month

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Horsham Regional Art Gallery

Sue Ford: Time Machine
HRAG Jubilee Hall, 2 Roberts Ave.
21 June - 18 August 2013.

SUE FORD; 1943-2009 was one of Australia's most important photographers and filmmakers. Ford studied photography at RMIT and in 1974 was the first Australian photographer to be given a solo exhibition at the National Gallery of Victoria. Ford's *Time Series* (1960s-70s) is one of the key moments in late modernist Australian photography..

A Travelling Exhibition developed by Monash Gallery

