

CAMERA CLUB NEWSLETTER – DECEMBER 2014

ANNUAL AWARDS FOR 2014

Our Annual Images of the Year evening attracted a large number of entries.

Congratulations go to the following photographers –

Best Small Print of the Year –
Tribute author Abhijit Choudhry
Best Large Colour Print of the Year
–Pampas author Dennis Mitchell
Best Monochrome Print of the Year
– Nostalgic Notre Dame author
Dennis Mitchell
Best digital Image of the Year – On
the Way Out author Dennis Mitchell
The Best overall winner for 2014,
the Bob Milo award went to Dennis Mitchell – **Pampas**



This year we have introduced two runners up in the above categories:
Small Print of the year runners up were Where Are We author Paula DeBarros & China Doll Seed Pods author John Campbell
Large Colour Print of the year runners up were Days Gone By author Gail Palmer & Landing Strip author Abhijit Choudhry
Monochrome of the year runners up were Port Douglas Storm & Sifiso4 both by Rob Worthington
Digital Image of the Year runners up were Support Group & Twinkle Still There both by Beth Miller

All of the above images will be displayed along the 1st floor walk way during January & February 2015.

*Picture: L to r, Abhijit, Judge Steve Mullarkey & Dennis.
Photo supplied by Charles Cooper*

*For those attending the Christmas Party
Friday 5th December in the Banksia Room
please arrive by 7.00p.m. - Meal will be served at 7.30p.m.*

Please note that drinks are not included.

The top point scorers for 2014 and the patron's award will be announced at the Christmas Party.

PLEASE NOTE: There will be NO meetings in December and January.

Our first club meeting for 2015 will be Friday February 13th and is a PRESENTATION evening - David Miller will speak on Action Photography

Reminder: Sunday 7th December.



This year the **DOOLEYS CHRISTMAS FAIR** will start at 10.00a.m. – 4.00p.m. DOOLEYS Courtesy Bus will be running from the Club to Wyatt Park throughout the day.

A special thanks to those members who volunteered to help out on the day.

Committee for 2015

President : Paula DeBarros
Vice President : Dennis Mitchell
Treasurer : Charles Cooper
Secretary : John Campbell
Minutes Secretary : Beth Miller
Competition Secretary : Lyn Keane
Webmaster : Paula DeBarros
Publicity Officer : Gail Palmer
Digital Secretary : Abhijit Choudhry
Committee member : David Miller
Committee Member : Bill Markham

We would like to welcome Bill Markham to our committee for 2015. Donna Blackbourn and Yanic Ziebel have chosen to step down. We would like to thank these members for their support during their time on the committee. Donna has been a foundation member of the Camera Club and has been on our committee for nine years.

Adobe Photoshop Lightroom Workshop

The Lightroom Workshop run by Paula DeBarros was very popular. Paula has more workshops planned for 2015 using Lightroom and Photoshop. Thanks Paula for a great workshop where we learnt some new techniques to use in our photography.

Club Members Achievements 2014

In recognition of being placed among the top international exhibitors in Australia, David Miller has been awarded Master of the Australian Photographic Society (MAPS) honours this year.

Abhijit Choudhry was awarded 1st place for his LED light image in the Photo 5LIVE Photography competition. Abhijit received a Canon EOS 70D Super Kit (EOS 70D body plus EF 18-135mm lens) also he went on to win the Most Outstanding photo for his image entitled Abandoned at the Auburn City Council Art and photography Awards for 2014.

Nick Marotta received a Highly Commended award along with the People's Choice award in the Auburn City council Art and photography awards for 2015 for his image entitled Billabong Reflections..



Picture: Nick Marotta image - "Billabong Reflections".

The Annual membership renewals are due in January. If any member wishes to renew their membership on the night of the Christmas Party, see and pay Charles Cooper. The membership fees remain at \$25.00 per year. All other members can renew their membership at their first meeting in 2015.

And finally, I would like to wish all members and their families a safe and happy Christmas and New Year!

