



## Shoalhaven Photographic Club Inc.

### Blah Blah Newsletter

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### UoW Exhibition

The exhibition is to be/was taken down on Tuesday 12th June and the committee is now inviting submissions from members once again. The committee would especially like to see submission from members who chose not to exhibit the first time around. We know that every member has presented exhibition worthy prints at assessment nights and need not be concerned that their work is not up to scratch. Please think about it now. A separate email will be forwarded so that you can reply directly to the secretary (Bruce Williams). We hope to get the new exhibition up early in the next University semester (early July).

### Next Assessment Night: Last Light

LAST LIGHT - We all have some stunning sunset shots I'm sure but try to think outside the square also. This assessment is not a sunset only theme but something to signify the end of the day/night. Last light before everything goes dark or quiet.

### Next Workshop: Moon and Astrophotography

Ever wanted to photograph the moon and stars, get some of those amazing star trails etc. This is for you. Covering equipment selection, set up and methodology and various reference tools (smartphone apps etc.). Hosted by Dan at UoW.



## Upcoming Events:

**July 25<sup>th</sup> Food Photography Workshop:** We are asking for members to put their thinking caps on and bring along a plate of food which both looks attractive enough to photograph and then eat for supper. Perhaps get together with a friend or two and create something exotic, colourful and tasty. The photos we take will be the basis for our food photography assessment night later in the year.

**Aug 22<sup>nd</sup>: Quiz night:** Bruce and Eve are in the process of putting together a fun quiz for everybody's enjoyment. Entertaining, educational and lots of laughter. Don't miss it.

**Sept 26<sup>th</sup> Workshop** to be a slideshow with members submitting the slideshows made after Robins workshop presentation. Again, the emphasis will be on having a fun night. Make your own slideshow not exceeding 4 minutes duration. You will be able to upload to the club's Dropbox for compiling into a combined show. You can choose any theme you like. Travel is an obvious one but there may be some members who would like present a small body of work on some other theme. Everything is welcome.

## Annual Dinner:

The Butter Factory restaurant has been confirmed as the venue for this year's annual awards dinner on Friday 19<sup>th</sup> October 2018. Meal choices are going to be individualised and nobody will be locked into a set number of courses or course combinations or alternate food drops. Everybody will be able to pre-order their own meal choices beforehand after I send out a further email with all the options available. (This will be closer to the dinner date when the chef has settled on the menu). We are in the process of setting up proper electronic banking as well so that you can pre-pay for your meal as well AND receive a \$10 per head if pre-paid by certain date. Member's guests pay full price (no discount). Chris Senior has agreed to be our judge. Please try to make it to the dinner this year. It promises to be a great evening.

## NEW: For Sale Section

**Photo gear only - no fridges, washing machines, old comics etc**

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We've all got photographic stuff for sale. Something you'd like to offload but don't know how or who would be interested. Here's your chance. Send details to me and I will include them in the newsletter for a limited time. I'm thinking maybe three editions. I'll get the ball rolling.

**Epson Printer Stylus Pro 3880 (large format, capable of A2 sized prints). \$750 (includes over \$300 worth of extras free)!!**

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One owner, used by me for the past few years. In full working condition. Recently serviced by Epson dealer in Wollongong. Comes with plenty of ink left on board PLUS 4 brand new 80ml ink cartridge refills (Matte black, Light light black, Vivid magenta and Cyan) and a brand new maintenance cartridge. RRP of the inks and cartridge is \$306. I'll even throw in half a box of Ilford Galerie Prestige Gold Fibre Gloss A4 sheets to get you started.

