

'Odd one Out' - Task for August2015 - Nicole Low (S.A.P.S.) cropped for newsletter

## **Shire Amateur Photographers' Society**

'Our aim is not to compete against each other – rather, to learn from each other'

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**S.A.P.S.** (Shire Amateur Photographers' Society)



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Hi Everybody,



### **OUTING** for September

Sorry due to family commitments, there will not be an outing now in September ...

I will make it up in October with an outing on the River Cat to Parramatta then a walk through the parklands along the upper Parramatta River to Parramatta Park and return on SATURDAY 17<sup>th</sup>. There will be a Night Mystery Tour on Saturday night 24<sup>th</sup>, and a Day Mystery Tour on 25<sup>th</sup> October.



### **NEXT SOCIETY MEETING** (Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> October)

1<sup>st</sup> floor 'Club on East' (old Sutherland United Services Club - SUS club) opp. the car park - western side of Sutherland Station at 7pm. Well-lit carpark also at the rear of the club. Tell them at the desk you are there for the Photographic meeting - They will sign you in.

#### Images to REVIEW at 1st October meeting

- . NIGHT MYSTERY TOUR (Saturday 15th August) Woolwich
- . DAY MYSTERY TOUR (Sunday 16th August) Woolwich
- . OUTING (Sunday 30th August) Bate Bay Beach Walk
- . PRESENTATION Using Lines for good composition.
- . **PRESENTATION** Looking at Composition that wins awards in Competitions (discussion)
- . **MOMENTS in TIME** Each month we will be now also be looking at a selection of images that members of the Society have selected as special to them (Moments in Time).

This is another way where Society Members can show off their efforts in photography to other members. All members are welcome to hand in on USB, up to 20 images. You can do so at any time during the year.

On the USB, please put the images in a folder called: 'Moments in Time'

#### Images to HAND IN at 1<sup>st</sup> October Meeting

- . 'MOMENTS in TIME' see info previous (up to 20 images)
- . TASK (for September) 'FORGOTTEN' up to 5 images

The Task for September is 'Forgotten' - A selection of up to 5 images of images that resemble time/s past.

They can be archival images, for example ...







Images from above 'Hand in' Tasks & Outings can be put in Greg's letterbox (7 Eisenhower Place, Bonnet Bay) till Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> November or given to Greg at an outing or bike ride ...



## **Upcoming Society Activities**

SEPTEMBER		
27 <sup>th</sup> (Sun)	2pm	Bike Ride (Taren Point - Greenhills Estate)
OCTOBER		
1 <sup>st</sup> (Thur)	7pm	SOCIETY MEETING - Club on East (SUS Club) 1 <sup>st</sup> floor, 7pm
4 <sup>th</sup> (Sun)	3.30pm	Bike Ride (Kyeemagh)
10 <sup>th</sup> (Sat)	2pm	Bike Ride (Loftus)
17 <sup>th</sup> (Sat)	7.20am	OUTING - Train to City, River Cat to Parramatta, walk upper Parramatta River
17 <sup>th</sup> (Sat)	4.30pm	Bike Ride (Taren Point - Greenhills Estate)
24 <sup>th</sup> (Sat)	5.30pm	NIGHT Mystery Tour
25 <sup>th</sup> (Sun)	7.30am	DAY Mystery Tour
<b>NOVEMBER</b>		
1 <sup>st</sup> (Sun)	5.45am	OUTING - Sculpture by the Sea
1 <sup>st</sup> (Sun)	4pm	Bike Ride (Como Bridge to Oatley Park)
5 <sup>th</sup> (Thur)	7pm	SOCIETY MEETING - Club on East (SUS Club) 1 <sup>st</sup> floor, 7pm
7 <sup>th</sup> (Sat)	5.45am	(wet alt.) OUTING - Sculpture by the Sea
8 <sup>th</sup> (Sun)	3pm	Bike Ride (Olympic Park)
15 <sup>th</sup> (Sun)	7.30am	OUTING (t.b.a.)

#### NOVEMBER 'cont'

NO VENIDER CONT					
15 <sup>th</sup> (Sun)	4pm	Bike Ride (Kyeemagh)			
22 <sup>nd</sup> (Sun)	2pm	Bike Ride (Sandon Point, Bulli)			
28 <sup>th</sup> (Sat)	6pm	NIGHT Mystery Tour			
29 <sup>th</sup> (Sun)	7.30am	DAY Mystery Tour			
DECEMBER					
3 <sup>rd</sup> (Thur)	7pm	SOCIETY MEETING - Club on East (SUS Club) 1 <sup>st</sup> floor, 7pm			
6 <sup>th</sup> (Sun)	7.30am	OUTING (t.b.a.)			
6 <sup>th</sup> (Sun)	4pm	Bike Ride (Greenhills Estate - Kurnell)			
10 <sup>th</sup> (Thur)	7pm	(alt.) XMAS SOCIETY MEETING - Club on East (SUS Club) 1 <sup>st</sup> floor, 7pm			
12 <sup>th</sup> (Sat)	10am - 4pm	XMAS BBQ at Bundeena House			
13 <sup>th</sup> (Sun)	4pm	Bike Ride (Taren Point - Greenhills Estate)			

Bike Ride (Centenial Park)



20<sup>th</sup> (Sun)

### Remember Re-name your IMAGES you hand-in

When you hand in a USB with your images, could I ask you to add your name and subject to those files please! I like to do this so we know who the photographer is for each image.

Example: Greg Ford - Night Mystery Tour - Woolwich 15-8-15

or Greg Ford - My Moments in Time - 23-8-15



#### **OUTING for October**

#### Ferry Trip up the Parramatta River

Date: SATURDAY 17th October, 2015 Meeting: Jannali Station at 7.20am Time: Catch the 7.37am train to the City

4pm

Duration: 7.20am - 3pm

The Day: Catch a train into City. Catch the 9.07am River Cat to Parramatta, then walk along the Parkland banks of

the Upper Parramatta River for 2 hours, then return.

Cost: \$5 - Goes towards Xmas Supper Meeting & BBQ (pay when taking group shot)



## **PRESENTATION from SEPTEMBER Meeting...**

# **Photographic** Techniques

Taking fast moving subjects or Shooting out of a moving vehicle or train ...

Shire Amateur Photographers' Society & Sutherland Shire Photography

#### Notes on 'Taking fast moving subjects or shooting out of a moving vehicle or train ...'

Here is a summary of points discussed at the September meeting:

. What's the PRIORITY? Shutter Speed . What shutter speed? 1/2000<sup>th</sup> sec

. How do you set the shutter speed? Shutter Priority (Tv or S)

. What ISO setting? Auto ISO. What Metering mode? Partial. What Focus mode? Servo. What Shooting mode? Continuous

Other Settings ...

. Quality? RAW . White Balance? AWB

. Exposure Compensation? Ev +1/3 or +  $2/3^{rd}$ 's . Focus Area? Centre area/zone

. Focus option? Manual

Some cameras allow you to assign settings to a 'User Settings' setting for quick selection like C1, C2, C3.



'West African Wilderness' - Greg Ford (S.A.P.S.)

Remember, Photography motivates life ...

#### Participating in our Society

0	Membership(2015	) \$20	(Calendar y	vear)

Meeting attendance
\$ 5 (Visitors may attend 2 meetings before membership is required)

Outing attendance \$ 5 (Members only – Insurance Requirement)
Night Mystery Tours \$25 (Members only – Insurance Requirement)
Day Mystery Tours \$35 (Members only – Insurance Requirement)

Social Bike Rides nil (No membership required - Anybody can attend incl. family & friends)
Theatre Parties nil (No membership required - Anybody can attend incl. family & friends)

- Trips Away: (Full Members only Insurance Requirement). Active members take precedence, but family and friends can go on waiting list, so that if additional numbers are required (closer to departure), they are welcome to fill the gaps. Note: All people going on Trips Away must be full members of the Society.
- Activities: Activities are not formally run by the Society. They are activities that some of the Society members, friends, and families join in together as a social activity.

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