

Shire Amateur Photographers' Society

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

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REMINDER Newsletter No. 170 (22/02/2017)

Hi everybody,

Just a reminder Newsletter for the upcoming meeting and other activities ...

MYSTERY TOURS (NEED numbers for DAY MYSTERY TOUR)

26th Feb (this Sunday) 7.30am - 4pm (\$35)

DAY Mystery Tour - THIS WEEKEND – Still need people for this Sunday Tour ...

ONLY have 8 at present ...

8 hour Mystery Tour leaving at 7.30am Sunday morning and returning at 3.30pm, enjoying the company of other photographers, talking and learning about our hobby.

Interested in going... Message Greg **0415 412 244** to add your name to the list ...

LIGHT & COMPOSITION Course (Starts 2nd Week in March)

Message Greg **0415 412 244** for INFO – Looking for 1 more person

This course will not run again till 3rd Term, 2017

You deserve it ... Give yourself a motivational kick to perhaps rekindle your passion in your photography ...

2nd MARCH Society Meeting (7.15pm start)

1st floor 'Club on East' (previously Sutherland United Services Club - SUS Club) opp. the car park - western side of Sutherland Station. **7.15pm** start on 1st floor. There is a well-lit car park at the rear of the club. Just drive up to the boom gate on the ground floor, tell them you're there for the Photographic meeting, and they will open it for you.

Then just go to reception and tell them you are there for the Photographic meeting - **They will sign you in ...**

Please arrive around 7pm so that we can start at 7.15pm thank you ...

Agenda Item for Meeting

- OLYMPUS is doing a presentation thanks to Digi Direct's help, so get your questions ready ...
- Ralph is giving us his always much awaited Tech Report on camera technology ...
- We are viewing the Time Lapse sequences that members shot over the holiday break
- Looking at Pro Photographer Portfolio and discussing his style
- Continuing with the critiquing Segment
and much more ...

Images to Submit BEFORE March Meeting

. Extra TASKS for December/January

- . Taralga Rodeo** (up to 5 images) *Anybody with images of the palomino send ALL of them as well*
- . Lavender Bay Outing** (up to 5 images)

- . **Time Lapse** (up to 3 sequences)
- . **Slow it Down** (up to 5 images)
- . **Waves** (up to 5 images)
- . **Critique** (up to 4 images) Images you would like to be critiqued

SEND images to Greg at gphoto@optusnet.com.au via 'WeTransfer' or put on USB and put in my letterbox at 7 Eisenhower Place, Bonnet Bay till Sunday 26th February, or hand to at outing, ride or walk.

What is WeTransfer? Email me for instructions on how to use this easy to use free program ...

18 Footer's Skiff Race (SOCIETY OUTING) LAST CALL ...

Date: 5th March, 2017 (\$25)

Meeting: 10.50am Sunday 5th March at Jannali Station, for the 11.13am train to Edgecliff
Train into Edgecliff then walk down the hill to the rigging & departure point at Double Bay Wharf.

Names being taken – 40 going already ...

Final race of the 18' World Championships in our beautiful harbour – Not a better backdrop

I have arranged a booking on the official ferry organised from the 18' Sailing Club. This means you are right in the middle of the harbour, moving back and forward between the racing buoys, with the boats cutting to the left and right around the ferry.



Message me so I can book extra tickets ... 0415 412 244

Great Ocean Road 10 day Road Trip (Limited spaces) ...

Still a couple of spaces in our Road Trip to the Great Ocean Road and beyond ...

Friday 21st April – Sunday 30th April

Flying to Avalon (Vic) then 1200km Road Trip

ROUTE - Geelong, Torquay, Lorne, Apollo Bay, Otway Ranges, Princetown, Port Campbell, Peterborough, Warnambool, Port Fairy, Portland, Nelson, S.A. Border, Mt Gambier.

Then returning via Victorian Border, Casterton, Coleraine, Hamilton, Peshurst, Mortlake, Camperdown, Rokewood, Ballarat, Meredith, and back to Geelong, and flight home from Avalon.

Message Greg **0415 412 244** for INFO – Looking for 2 more people ...



UPCOMING Activities (details later in Newsletter)

FEBRUARY

25th (Sat) 6pm **NIGHT Mystery Tour**
 26th (Sun) 7.30am **DAY Mystery Tour**

MARCH

2nd (Thur) 7.15pm **SOCIETY MEETING - Club on East (SUS Club) 1st floor**
 4th (SAT) 4.30pm *Ride for life (Taren Point)*
 5th (Sun) All Day **18' World Championship Race (FINAL) – Sydney Harbour**
 12th (Sun) 4.30pm *Walk for life (Taren Point)*



Riding/Walking for Life ...

RIDE SATURDAY 4th March 4.30pm (as 18' Harbour Outing on Sunday 5th March)
WALK Sunday 12th March
RIDE Sunday 19th March
WALK Sunday 26th March
RIDE Sunday 2nd April
WALK Sunday 9th April
RIDE Sunday 16th April



Both Walks & Rides start at this location (Woodlands Road, Taren Point (opp. Smith Street).
 With the Rides going to Wanda along mostly bike track, and the Walks going to Sans Souci (return)
Message if coming (early as possible) - If I cancel (re weather), I will message you 0415 412 244



MEMBERSHIP for 2017

Membership and Waiver Forms attached ...
 Waiver only needs to be filled in once during your association with the Society.

PLEASE FILL IN, PUT IN ENVELOPE WITH \$20 MEMBERSHIP, YOUR NAME ON ENVELOPE, and hand in on arrival ...



Remember - Activities - 'MESSAGE' your intention to come

Outing, bike ride or walk, or any other activity, **I need you to message me** to tell me your coming ...
That way I can also message you back before the activity to cancel if the weather changes etc.

0415 412 244 (make sure you add your name ...)

MEETING 2nd March, 2017 (7.15pm)

Participating in our Society

- Membership (2017) \$20 (Calendar year)
- Meeting attendance \$ 5 (Visitors may attend 2 meetings before membership is required)
- Night Mystery Tours \$25 (Members only – Insurance Requirement)
- Day Mystery Tours \$35 (Members only – Insurance Requirement)
- Trips Away: (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.
- Unofficial Outings/Activities: These events are not formally run by the Society. They are activities that some of the Society members, friends, and families may join in together as private activities. These events may be promoted though on the SAPS Facebook site for anybody interested.
- Anybody going on a Mystery Tour or Trip Away from 1/4/2016, will need to sign a Risk Warning, Release and Waiver form that will remain ongoing as long as you participate in Society activities. I had a Lawyer draw up this legal document to safeguard myself from possible legal action, thank you.

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See Tony or Patrick for all your photographic requirements – Bottom level, Shop 1098, Westfield Miranda (9589 5700)