## **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) https://www.flickr.com/groups/saps/pool/



**Shire Amateur Photographers' Society (SAPS)** https://www.facebook.com/groups/shireAmateur/

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# **NEXT SOCIETY MEETING Thursday 4th October**

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. Well-lit car park behind the club. Drive up to the boom gate, tell them you're coming to the Photographic meeting - they will let you in. At reception, tell them you're going to the Photographic meeting upstairs ... arrive at 7pm for 7.15pm start

### **PRINT & DISPLAY at October Meeting**

#### Don't forget to bring along your images for display at this meeting.

It can be images you printed previously, and would like to put on display on the night if you like. If you submitted images for printing and mounting at Southern Framing (Sylvania), then I will collect them and bring them along, and you can collect them at the end of the night.

Just pay Warrick at the desk as per the costs below ...

Format	Mount size	Image size	Cost Print & Mount
3:2	510 x 380	430 x 300	\$25
3:2	760 x 510	680 x 430	\$40
16:9	760 x 430	680 x 350	\$40
1:2.1	1016 x 480	940 x 400	\$55

## IMAGES to submit for SEPTEMBER Meeting

For Outings & Tasks please submit 3 images renamed as below, thank you ...

You can send your renamed images by the 'WeTransfer program', till Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> October.

They will be shown at a future Society Meeting Presentation.

Rename your files to: Your name LADY CARRINGTON WALK 2018-09

> Your name C 2018-09 (this is the task for September)



## TASK for SEPTEMBER – 'The letter C'

3 x Images of subjects that represent the letter 'C'.

Images can be submitted to gfphoto@optusnet.com.au by 'WeTransfer' till Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> October, to be shown at a future Society Meeting Presentation.

Please name your files: Your name C 2018-09

#### TO UPCOMING TASKS

Tasks ahead of time, to allow them more time to prepare some images.

TASK for: October - 'Falling' (Jump)

November - 'Fluid'

December - 'Celebration'



## NEXT OUTING SUNDAY 7<sup>th</sup> October (next Sunday)

## **Barangaroo Fossick**

Going into fossick around the Barangaroo precinct for the morning. Probably head for home around midday or so ...

Meeting at Sutherland Station at 7.45am for 8.05am train (if you catch this train at another station, we will be in the  $2^{nd}$  carriage).

We will be arriving at Wynyard at about 9am. If you are meeting us there, ring me (0415 412 244) about 9am, and I will tell you where we are ...

# Last Call for people interested in going on our **AFRICAN Safari in 2019**

This will be the last Safari that I will be organising with Arne (our friend & Guide) in South Africa. I will be going with my wife Janice, and will be conducting Photographic Workshops on the trip daily.

## Southern Africa (2<sup>nd</sup> July – 24<sup>th</sup> July)

- . 23 day
- . Victoria Falls to Cape Town
- . Zimbabwe, Botswana, Namibia & South Africa
- . En-suite accommodation
- . Air conditioned transport
- . Most evening meals included
- . Photographic Workshops daily

#### Some of the highlights include:

Victoria Falls - Chobe National Park (River Cruise and 4x4 Game Drive and park fees) - Okavango Delta Panhandle (Boat Cruise, Mokoro (dugout canoe) adventure), Nature Walks and Sunset Cruise – Etosha National Park (staying 3 days in the park (park fees included), walking distance to the animals at the waterholes) – Visiting the cultures of the Kavango & Himba people including village tour & school visit – Twyfelfontein Rock Carvings – Petrified Forest – Thousands of Cape Fur Seals at the colony at Cape Cross – Guided Tour with Boesman (animal & plant survival in the desert) – Namib-Nauklift National Park and park - Desert (Sossusvlei, Dead Vlei, world's highest sand dunes & park fees) - Kolmanskop ghost diamond mining town entry including tour – Fish River Canyon (world's 2<sup>nd</sup> largest canyon) – Cape Town – Full Day Tour of Iconic Cape of Good Hope & Cape Peninsula & Penguin Colony, and animals, animals, animals, and beautiful Namibia Landscapes.

Other options you might decide to do include Cruise on Walvis Bay, the Majestic Table Mountain and Cable Car, or perhaps Cape Town Red Bus Tour, or visiting the colourful houses of unique Bo Kaap district in Cape Town.

#### The Countries we will visit:

Starting at Victoria Falls (on the Zambia/Zimbabwe border), and going through Zimbabwe, Botswana, Namibia & South Africa.

Remember, 2019 will be the last organised Photographic Society Safari to Africa, so come with us, sharing the friendship of fellow Photographic Society members, their friends and families.

So much to do ... so much to see ... A real bucket list adventure.











Cost: R67 500 (AUD\$6,400 - present exchange rate) land content only

INFORMATION NIGHT – Will be held on Thursday 11th October at 'Club on East' Sutherland

Interested ... Give me a call (0415 412 244) to let me know, then come along to the info night to learn more, without commitment at this stage.

https://www.arnemuller.com/southern-africa Website for Itinerary & maps:



## **Great Migration Safari (2<sup>nd</sup> – 17<sup>th</sup> August)**

Unfortunately this Safaris has been cancelled due to lack of interest, mainly because of the accommodation costs going up as much as 40% since 2017. Thanks to those that showed interest ...

Greg & Arne



## **UPCOMING Activities (SAPS)**

#### **OCTOBER**

4<sup>th</sup> Thu 7.15pm SOCIETY MEETING – 1st Floor 'Club on East'

7<sup>th</sup> Sun OUTING - Barangaroo (train to Wynyard)

16<sup>th</sup> Mon Society members leave for South Island New Zealand trip away 30<sup>th</sup> Tue Society members return from South Island New Zealand trip away

31<sup>st</sup> Wed **7.15pm** Society Meeting – 1<sup>st</sup> Floor 'Club on East' (Club is unavailable on 1<sup>st</sup> November)

#### **NOVEMBER**

1st Thu Rescheduled Society Meeting back to Wed 31st October (Club not available on this night)

18<sup>th</sup> Sun OUTING - Lime Kiln Wetlands and Dairy Creek, Oatley

#### **DECEMBER**

Society Xmas BBQ at Bundeena House 1st Sat

7.15pm SOCIETY MEETING – 1st Floor 'Club on East' 6<sup>th</sup> Thu

9<sup>th</sup> Sun OUTING - t.b.a.



## LEARN to Create a Photobook – Sophie Brown

Are you planning to create a PhotoBook but don't know where to start? I'm now offering 3 hour sessions to assist you with this process.

- \* Small classes (max 4 people)
- \* Based in 2234.
- \* \$90 for 3 hours (morning tea included).

Upcoming dates: - Wednesday 17th October - Thursday 18th October - Friday 19th October - Thursday 24th October - Friday 25th October - Wednesday 31st October

#### \* PRIVATE LESSONS ALSO AVAILABLE

Book now, so you can plan, design, create and order your photo book (or Calendars, Notebooks, Giftcards) in time for Christmas.

I can be contacted on 0402 638 986 or email: <a href="mailto:photo@sophieb.com.au">photo@sophieb.com.au</a>

**SOPHIE B** Sophie B Photography

Society member, Ralph Dutneall's wife runs Pilates classes at their home Studio at Bangor each term. Here is the details for the next term's classes ...

## Pilates Classes Bangor

Small classes and friendly atmosphere



- Males and females, all ages welcome
- New 9 week term starts 16th October 2018
  - Mondays 6.30pm, 8pm
  - Tuesdays & Wednesdays 10am, 6pm, 7.30pm (all classes subject to minimum numbers)
- Price: \$130 for 9 week term. Once minimum numbers reached, casual rate of \$25 per class available
- Contact Kim for bookings or more information on kim@skills-tracker.com or 0434143160
- Bring along a towel and a mat

Pilates Classes are held in a private studio in Yala Rd Bangor with a maximum of 6 per class, allowing personalised attention to all participants to ensure maximum benefit. Therefore bookings are essential.

Pilates is not just exercise, but a series of controlled movements engaging the body and mind, designed to stretch, strengthen, and balance the body.

> Only 4 people are needed to make a class, so why not get some friends & neighbours together and have your own class

## This summer, experience the legacy of one of the world's greatest photographers.

David Goldblatt (1930-2018) was internationally renowned for documenting South Africa's turbulent history and people with a quiet determination and unflinching sense of what is right and just, and what is not.

With a career spanning seven decades, Goldblatt was noted for his portrayal of the rise and dismantling of apartheid. This compelling Sydney-exclusive exhibition features his key black-and-white and colour photographic series, as well as never-before-seen material from his personal archive.

David Goldblatt: Photographs 1948-2018 will be the largest retrospective of Goldblatt's work in the Asia-Pacific region and marks the photographer's final project before his death.

This exhibition is part of the Sydney International Art Series.

Friday 19 October 2018 - Sunday 3 March 2019



Thanks to Tony and the staff of Digi Direct (Miranda) for their support of our Photographic Society. For all your photographic requirements, see them – Bottom level, Shop 1098, Westfield Miranda (9589 5700)

#### Participating in the 'Shire Amateur Photographers' Society' (SAPS) Activities

 Membership (2018) \$30 (calendar year)

 Meeting attendance \$ 5 (you can attend 2 meetings before joining)

- Society Outings/Outside Activities Society must have a Risk Warning, Release and Waiver Form signed
- o 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
- A Risk Warning, Release and Waiver form must be filled in if participating in a Society activity and will remain ongoing as long as you participate in Society activities.

#### Participating in 'Sutherland Shire Photography' (SSP) Activities

- o Night & Day Mystery Tours and Trips Away require you to sign a Risk Warning, Release and Waiver Form
- o Trips Away (Society Members only) 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 members of the Society.

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