



W.P.F. Newsflash

10th July 2021



COVID-19 and Government Advice

The WPF urges all clubs and members to follow [Welsh Government advice](#). The PAGB has issued guidance [here](#). We hope you all keep safe and healthy.

Jenny Hibbert – WPF President

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Ace of Prints 2021 Rules and Entry Forms

To date we have 5 WPF Clubs that have indicated their intention to enter this Event – so we are going to proceed. Because of the continuing variation in the COVID regulations we have set the date as **8th August 2021** which gives a possibility of the regime being relaxed as it is 7 weeks from today's announcement.

In the unlikely event that it will be totally relaxed where the WPF would be allowed to invite any Club members to attend we will be negotiating with the Welsh Government to allow limited attendance with the normal protocols of distance and mask wearing – we believe that we could run with the following numbers as a minimum: –

- A) 3 Judges
- B) 1 Chairperson
- C) 1 Scorer
- D) 1 Camera Operator for broadcast via Zoom or YouTube
- E) 4 Print handlers
- F) 1 Representative from each entered Club

Giving a minimum total of 15 persons – once we have booked a sizeable venue – maybe the size of Talbot Green we can then negotiate with the Welsh Government explain the protocols we intend placing on the attendees and at that point we can agree a final count – we would obviously intend to cover 1 attendee from each additional Club that decides to join in the Event.

I feel it is about time that we got on with our lives – as safely as practical.

Below, for your delectation and use, are links to the rules and the entry form.

I must have the entry form by 1st August to enable us to complete the planning!

[Letter](#)

Entry Form - [Word](#)

Entry Form - [PDF](#)

[Competition Rules](#)

Stay Safe & Healthy!

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Zoom Judging of Summer Freedom Competition at 2pm on July 25th

We have approached a very kindly & experienced English judge – **Leo Rich ARPS, DPAGB, APAGB, EFIAP/s** and he has accepted the invitation. It will be a Zoom presentation and the date that he is available is Sunday 25th July and it will start at 2.00pm.

Leo will not mark the entries but will provide comments and an appreciation of each image, holding a few back for awards etc. We anticipate this event will take no more than 90 minutes.

Del Jones & Susan Surrige have set up a Zoom facility as detailed below, and you are cordially invited to join in and relax with others who have their own visual views of our current situation; we are announcing this to the WPF community and we are arranging to increase our licence for this and the Ace of Prints together with our Annual Conference so that no one is disappointed.

Time: Jul 25, 2021 02:00 PM.

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86338689129?pwd=UGlpK01vUVVo4TWw2THJaa3ZEWDVnUT09>

Meeting ID: 863 3868 9129

Passcode: 182810

FIAP Colour Biennial Results 2021

For those of you that sent me images so I could enter the Colour Biennial for the WPF, after all of this time I have at last heard back from them.

It was judged at the weekend. The two themes I chose were Olympic Sports & Light in the Landscape. I am thrilled to say that Glen Porter of Gwynfa CC received a Silver medal in the sport section (prints) so Congratulations Glen, a great achievement as this is a worldwide event. I was disappointed with our Landscape results, as I thought they deserved more but that's the way it goes.

I would like to thank everyone who sent me images to select from, without you I wouldn't be able to enter the WPF into the biennials.

I will be looking for some Mono images later in the year when I have decided on our two themes.

Once again, well done each one of you. When I find out our finishing position I will pass it on.

[Results Light in the Landscape 1](#) [Results Light in the Landscape 2](#) [Results Olympic Sports](#)

Jenny Hibbert (WPF President).

2021 Welsh International – Open for Entries

The 43rd Welsh International Salon of Photography is now open for entries.

Patronage has been afforded by FIAP, GPU, PAGB and PSA. There are 6 sections and at least 156 awards to be won. The excellent catalogue has achieved a 4/5 rating from FIAP.

The rules can be seen [here](#). To enter, please click on this [link](#).

Peter Young - Welsh International Chairman

Photography & Video Show back at the NEC

Photography & Video Show is back at the NEC in Birmingham between 18 and 21 September 2021 for the 7th edition.

Registrations are now being taken. Full details [here](#).

WPF Conference 2021

A reminder that the WPF Conference will be via **zoom** again this year.

The dates are **Saturday & Sunday 21/22 August** and the format will be similar to last year with morning and afternoon sessions.

Happy to confirm that **David Keep ARPS, DPAGB, FBPE, EFIAP** will be one of our presenters.

Also, **Danny Green** (published by National Geographic and many others) has confirmed that he will be giving the Opening Presentations to the WPF Conference on 21 August 2021.”

More details in due course.

David D Jones Conventions Officer

Awards for Photographic Merit Bulletin 31

The following is from Rod Wheelans MPAGB Hon.PAGB MFIAP FIPF

These Bulletins are addressed to different groups and you may not see every one. Some, who are on more than one list, may receive more than one copy. This is probably the first seen by entrants to the November 2021 Adjudication to be hosted by the WCPF.

27/28 NOVEMBER 2021

We are still planning that this Adjudication, hosted by the Western Counties Photographic Federation (WCPF), will be a “physical” event, open to an audience. Of course, we do not know what may happen with the Pandemic or if any restrictions will be in place. Currently there are 25 Credit Prints, 38 Credit PDI, 17 Distinction Prints and 10 Distinction PDI applications and we are still able to accept candidates at all three levels. We are confident that all available places will be taken.

WCPF WORKSHOP

We are running an Awards Workshop to be hosted by the WCPF on Sunday 11 July 2021 and you are cordially invited to observe. Please note that this is a WCPF Workshop and only their members may submit work or ask questions. You will still learn much of advantage and your Federation may take up our offer of a Workshop for themselves. PAGB APM Team – Rod Wheelans, Libby Smith and Gordon Jenkins. 10.50 Welcome and introduction by WCPF.

11.00 – 12.15. PAGB Presentation including looking at a selection of images in the passing range at each level.

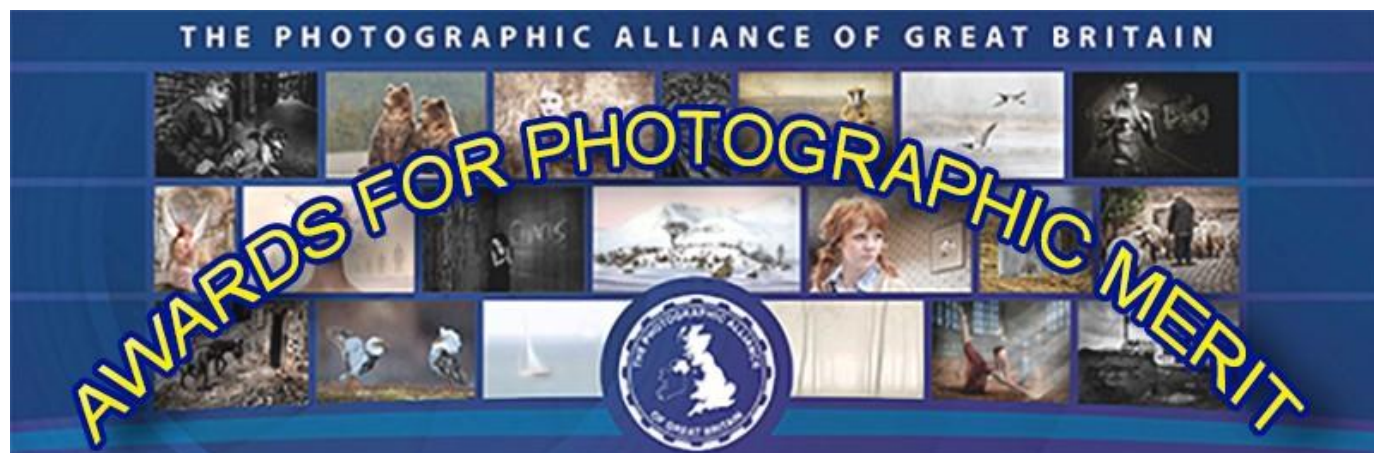
12.15 – 12.30 Q&A if required.

13.00 – 15.00 approx. Advising on previously submitted WCPF potential entries for CPAGB and DPAGB.

You do not need to register in advance. Just login on Zoom between 10.30 and 10.45.

[Meeting direct link](#)

Meeting ID: 872 2834 1507 Passcode: 811371



Barry Camera Club – The Barrian Cup 2022

We've received this from Pat Hollis at Barry CC...

As we are all too aware, recent events have meant that our activities have been curtailed somewhat. For Barry Camera Club it has meant that our much loved event, the Barrian Cup, has had to be postponed for the last two years.

We just wanted to give you notice that we will be planning to hold this event again in 2022 when hopefully all restrictions will have been lifted and we can enjoy meeting up with all our favourite clubs who make this such an excellent and memorable event.

We will post further information out again at the beginning of 2022, so until then stay safe and enjoy this amazing weather.

Pat Hollis, Competition Secretary, Barry Camera Club

PSA News

Congratulations to PSA member Neville Thomas who has just gained the EPSA award. This requires a minimum of 700 acceptance in PSA recognised salons. Well done Nev.

I have had success in the Vidin spring Circuit in Bulgaria with 13 acceptances, a Salon Gold, Salon Bronze and two HM's.

The rewards are there but you do need to enter in the first place.

Ian Ledgard, PSA Membership Director, Wales

Afan Nedd New Print Battle

Afan Nedd CC are putting on a new print battle for October 2022 covid allowing. No date or rules have yet been confirmed. I know you all have ask your committees for approval but it's a lot easier if you say yes and then drop out later. This is no problem. We are looking at 4 prints. The rules will come out as soon as they are confirmed.

I've been advertising it on Facebook and as of 4th July, there are thirty-five interested clubs. So, if you want your club to take part, let me know asap.

G Martin AWPf, CPAGB, Chairman/Programme Sec, Afan Nedd CC

WPF Zoom Licence

You are probably aware that the WPF purchased a Zoom licence and made it available for use by all WPF Clubs, and several Clubs have made use of the service, sometimes before purchasing their own licence. This Zoom facility requires a host to open the meeting, admit attendees, and deal with any problems that arise during the meeting. WPF Executive Member David (Del) Jones has been responsible for all the activity on the account since its inception. It has been an enormous amount of work, and Del has given up many hours of his time in support of this. It is now proposed that he takes a summer break from this work.

Therefore, no more Zoom bookings will be accepted by him during the months of June, July and August. During that time, the Executive will review the use of the facility going forward. The account is also used for Executive meetings, the WPF AGM, Welsh Salon appraisal, the AWPf workshop and assessment and the judging of other WPF competitions., and the WPF online Conference. It is truly a valuable and well used resource.

All the work in connection with this has been done by Del, and on your behalf, and that of the WPF Executive, I wish to thank him very much for the hard work and dedication he has given in this matter.

Martin Nagle, General Secretary, WPF.

Maesycwmmmer Exhibition Until 30th August

MAESYCWMMER CAMERA CLUB

ARE PLEASED TO ANNOUNCE OUR
2nd PHOTOGRAPHIC EXHIBITION
AT THE

WINDING HOUSE
CROSS ST.
ELLIOT'S TOWN
NEW TREDEGAR
NP24 6EG

17th July - 30th August 2021

WHY NOT POP ALONG
AND ENJOY SOME FINE
PHOTOGRAPHY
FREE ENTRANCE



Cardiff's 125th Anniversary Competition

The WPF Executive have given Cardiff Camera Club the go ahead to run a photographic competition as part of their 125th anniversary celebrations. **They will be accepting entries until the 23rd July.** [Competition Details](#)

Cardiff Camera Club
125th Anniversary
1896-2021

PHOTOGRAPHY COMPETITION
FIRST PRIZE £100
[Click here for more information](#)

Prize
Llwyd
1896

List of Online Judges & Lecturers **Updated 29th January 2021.**

Huge thanks to **Susan Surridge, WPF Judges & Presenters Secretary**, who has taken considerable time and trouble to compile a list of WPF judges and lecturers who are prepared to do online judging or presenting during the current pandemic. You can find the list [here](#).

PAGB E-News

We urge you to have a read of this PAGB newsletter as it contains a plethora of interesting articles, news and photographs.

You can see the latest newsletters (as well as an archive of previous newsletters) [here](#).

For Sale & Wanted

If you have items listed 'for sale' please let us know if they have been sold.

Adverts will automatically be deleted after about two months unless otherwise advised.

Please observe all local restrictions if travelling to buy an item.

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For Sale – Photographic Enlarger & Film Camera - added 19th April 2021.

Darkroom Enlarger Colour and Black & White

Philips PCS 150 Tri-One Colour Enlarger. The sale includes the following equipment:

Philips Four dial control console,
CdS Enlarging Meter,
Additional 6x6 Condenser,

Philips PCA061 colour analyser,
35mm Glassless Masks and Condenser,
Plus Minolta E .Rokkor 50mm 1:4.5 f Enlarging Lens.

All in good condition throughout. **£265.00** Buyer will need to collect.

Additionally, I have a Minolta Dynax 500i Film Camera with a 28-200mm f3.5-5.6 Tamron Lens, (both in lovely condition). Comes with wide Minolta strap, Minolta 101 Camera Bag, instruction book, Circular Polarising Filter and body and lens caps + hood. All in original box, no Battery supplied (6v 2 CR5 Lithium) removed to prevent corrosion)

Will include a three pack of 24 exp Kodak Gold 200 Film (expired date). Ideal kit for someone wanting to try out film photography student maybe. **£55.00**

Contact Nev Thomas on 07522 561169

For Sale – Canon SLR & Lenses - added 2nd June 2021.

Canon 7D Mk1 + Battery Grip + Sigma 17-70mm f2.8/f4 lens + Sigma 150mm Macro f2.8 lens (Exceptional Macro lens) + 5 batteries, + 3 different battery chargers (1 is genuine canon charger) 1x car charger, 2x 16gb CF cards, 1x8gb CF card + 1x8gb CF card + Yellow plastic Holder to put them in. + Strap never used. £400 -- NO OFFERS. Buyer Collects so they can try them out. PM me if interested. Will not split.

As well as the above I also have these:

Pixel Extension cable FC-311/M + Yongnuo YN--622C E-TTL Wireless Flash trigger transceiver. (only used twice on 5D3) + Viltrox Automatic Extension Tubes set DG-C 3 Rings. All these for an extra £50 with a Remote Wireless Switch for free. That is £450 for the whole lot. Bargain.

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Salon acceptances: WPF photographers are now achieving large numbers of salon acceptances and constraints on time and space mean we can't include them all. So please only advise us only of awards or other milestones.

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