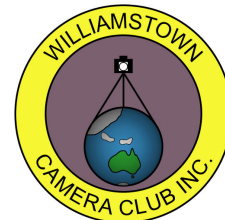


# In Focus

Newsletter of the Williamstown Camera Club Inc.

SEP 2009



## Coming up...

**Oct 13** Judging - Patterns and Open

**Oct 18** Sunday Photoshoot - Melbourne Laneways

**Oct 27** Presentation -Peter English - Portraiture lighting  
Entries due for the "End Of Year Competition".

**Nov 10** Workshop

## VAPS notices

### VAPS Photographic Tour 2010 - Vietnam

For further information contact: John Commin 03 59634179  
Johncommin@iprumus.com.au

Or Fred Everett 03 56252155  
feverett@dcsi.net.au

## Photoshop Course

8 weeks at Yarraville Community Centre  
See David for more information

## Website

New images have been added to the website from our Sunday photoshoots and competitions. Thank you to the members who have contributed images. Images can be emailed to karenmalbon@optusnet.com.au

or put on a disk. Please resize images to 600 pixels wide. Ask Karen if you need help doing this or have a look at this video tutorial  
<http://www.photoshopsupport.com/elements/tt/save-for-web-tutorial.html>

## Club Competitions

What a response to our last few club competitions. In August we had a record 102 entries. It is fantastic to have such active involvement from our newer members too. Longer serving members have been a great help in encouraging and assisting new members with their entries.

Judging nights have the potential to be long nights with so many entries. It is important that we get started on time at 7:45pm. We will also limit other club business on these nights so that we can get through the judging in a reasonable time.

In August the judge, Tom Putt was very good. He gave constructive criticism on each entry. He also gave us mini lessons on exposure, composition and image editing.

Tonight the entries are due for the last Open and Set Subject competition.

The *End of Year* competition is not far away. It is an Open

competition. Please note there are specific rules relating to eligibility. See below for the rules. If you are unsure if you are eligible, see Karen.

Entries are due on the 27th October for the *End of Year* competition.

To be eligible for the End of Year Competition, all entries must have been entered in the competitions listed in the syllabus during the year. It is not necessary for entries to have gained a place to be eligible.

Members must have entered at least 3 competitions during the year to be eligible for entry to the *End of Year* Competition.

Members must be financial. Maximum of three entries.

## Competitions & Exhibitions

**VAPS Slide Competition**  
Closing date 1st October  
[www.vaps.org.au](http://www.vaps.org.au)

**Yea Spring Photo Competition**  
Closing date - 19th October 2009

Show open for the public  
9.30am till 4pm Saturday 31st October  
Sunday 1st November  
and 9.30am till 2pm Monday  
2nd November 2009

Yea Town Hall  
High St, Yea

## Picture This 09

Brunswick St Galleries, Level 2,  
322 Brunswick St. Fitzroy.

<http://www.bsgart.com.au/>

## Otways in Focus

Awards Presentation 24 October  
& Field trip 25 October

[www.otwaysinfoocus.com](http://www.otwaysinfoocus.com)

## Portrait & Open Results Judge: Tom Putt

### Set Subject - Portrait

1st Kathryn  
2nd Chris  
3rd Karen

### Open

1st Raymond  
2nd Raymond  
3rd Raymond

Highly Commended - Kathryn, Andrew, Simon and Chris

## Syllabus Changes

**Oct 27** Presentation by Peter English - Portraiture lighting

**Nov 29** Sunday Photoshoot at Paramoor Winery 439 Three Chain Road, Carlshruhe. Via Woodend.  
10am BBQ lunch provided by the committee