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* FOUR MORE MPAGB *

At the APM Adjudication at the Wilmslow Guild in the L&CPU on 28 November 2010 A full list of all the successful applicants will appear in a later issue of e-news together with the successes from the Additional Adjudication held near Carlisle on 4 December 2010. (We like to write to the entrants first.)



White Tailed Sea Eagle by Gordon Bramham MPAGB



Jenny Hibbert MPAGB Kittiwakes on an Iceberg



Holly by Colin Marr MPAGB



Diving Brown Pelican by **Duncan Hill MPAGB**



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INTER-CLUB PRINT CHAMPIONSHIP 2010 - MORE PICTURES



Some of the "happy" winners!

Great judges at work

Anne Miles, Graham Hodgkiss and Rikki O'Neil did a great job hitting lots of 5s and more 15s than I've ever seen before! Just what we expected of them and everyone went home happy.



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GB Cup 2011

Open, Small Clubs and Nature

The Closing Date for entries will be 9 January 2011

although we would be very happy to receive entries now and through November 2010 for judging on 12/13 Feb 2011

Depending on entries, it may be necessary to judge the GB Cup Nature on a different weekend.

EVERY ENTRANT CLUB GETS AN AV SHOW ON CD OF THE GB CUP THEY ENTER WHICH WILL FILL A GOOD NIGHT AT YOUR CLUB.

Rules and Entry Forms from rod@creative-camera.co.uk

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PAGB CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR 2011

Sun 9 January	Closing Date Great British Cup 2011	Scotland
Mon 31 January	Closing Date for Application of FIAP Distinctions	FIAP Officer
Sat/Sun 15/16 January	JUDGING GB Cup	Scotland
Sat/Sun 5/6 February	Executive Meeting	London
Sat/Sun 9/10 April	AGM & Executive Meeting	London
Sat/Sun 16/17 April	Awards for Photographic Merit	Hosted by CACC
Wed 1 June	Closing date for receipt of entries Inter Federation Print Competition	to SF
Sunday 12 June	Judging Inter Federation Print Competition/Exhibition	Hosted by SF
Sat 16 July	PDI Club Championship	Warwick
Sat 1 October	Closing date for receipt of entries Inter-Fed Projected Image Competition	to EAF
Sat/Sun 1/2 October	Executive Meeting	London
Sunday 16 October	Judging Inter-Federation Projected Image Competition/Exhibition	Hosted by EAF
Sat 22 October	Club Print Championship	Connahs Quay
Sa/Su 26/27 November	Awards for Photographic Merit	Hosted by NWPA

Sylvia Gray APAGB

We have been very saddened to learn of the sudden death of Sylvia Gray in France at the very young age of 61. Sylvia joined Hexham Photographic Society in 1977 and there met Lyal Gray. A romance blossomed and they married in 1978. The Grays soon became well known figures in photographic societies around Britain. Between 1979 and 1994 Sylvia held the positions of competition secretary, secretary and vice-president at Hexham and also, in the 1980s, ran the PAGB Recorded Lecture Service jointly with Lyal.

She was the secretary of the PAGB from 1988-1992 and was awarded the APAGB distinction in 1991. Later she became secretary of the NCPF from 1998 to 1999. It wasn't all serious. Some of us in Hexham PS remember fondly the Fun Nights the Grays took us to at Morton in Carlisle, in which hilarious captions were spontaneously ascribed to projected slides.

Sylvia was also a very gifted singer with a strong, pure voice. She will long be remembered in Hexham for her magnificent performances as Dolly in "Hello Dolly" and as the horrible Miss Hannigan in "Annie".

The Grays recently settled in France after spending many months exploring it in by motor-home. Only 18 months ago they bought a lovely house in the west of the country in the little hamlet of Puybon near Montbron in Charente. They have had a lot of enjoyment out of doing up the house and many of their UK friends have visited them there. It was clear to all that the Grays were living a long-held dream. Their French language skills were advancing rapidly and they had both joined a local choir. Sylvia's loss will be felt there as well as here. Our deepest sympathies go to Lyal and their daughters, Lisa and Claire.

Rosemary Bowyer (Hexham P.S.)

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