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### THE INTER-FEDERATION COMPETITION 2024

### TRIPLE TRIUMPH FOR THE L&CPU

The competition was organised by the Midland Counties Photographic Federation at Smethwick PS.

The competition was judged on Saturday 15<sup>t</sup>June by:

David Gibbins ARPS CPAGB EFIAP/b BPE5 APAGB (NEMPF)

Jane Lines MPAGB (L&CPU)

Mike Sharples ARPS MPAGB EFIAP MFIAP FBPE (MCPF)



GOLD MEDAL BEST INDIVIDUAL MONO PRINT. STAR QUALITY BY ADRIAN LINES (L&CPU)

### **Inter-Federation Mono Print Competition 2024**

	Federation	Total Score	Average Score
1st	LCPU - The Lancashire and Cheshire Photographic Union	196.00	13.067
2nd	MCPF - The Midland Counties Photographic Federation	191.00	12.733
3rd	NIPA - Northern Ireland Photographic Association		12.533
4th	SPF - Scottish Photographic Federation 184.00		12.267
5th	SCPF - Southern Counties Photographic Federation	183.00	12.200
6th	NEMPF - The North and East Midlands Photographic Federation	175.00	11.667
7th	WCPF - Western Counties Photographic Federation	170.00	11.333
8th	EAF - The East Anglian Federation of Photographic Societies	169.00	11.267
9th	WPF - Welsh Photographic Federation	168.00	11.200
10th	NCPF - The Northern Counties Photographic Federation	167.00	11.133
11th	CACC - The Chilterns Association of Camera Clubs	164.00	10.933
12th	SPA - Surrey Photographic Association	162.00	11.571
13th	NWPA - North Wales Photographic Association	158.00	11.286
14th	YPU - Yorkshire Photographic Union	141.00	10.071

### **Inter-Federation Colour Print Competition 2024**

	Federation	Total Score	Average Score
1st	LCPU - The Lancashire and Cheshire Photographic Union	209.00	13.933
2nd	MCPF - The Midland Counties Photographic Federation	190.00	12.667
3rd	NEMPF - The North and East Midlands Photographic Federation	184.00	12.267
4th	SPF - Scottish Photographic Federation	183.00	12.200
5 <sup>th</sup> =	EAF - The East Anglian Federation of Photographic Societies	180.00	12.000
5 <sup>th</sup> =	NIPA - Northern Ireland Photographic Association	180.00	12.000
7th	WPF - Welsh Photographic Federation	175.00	11.667
8th	NCPF - The Northern Counties Photographic Federation	174.00	11.600
9th	SCPF - Southern Counties Photographic Federation	173.00	11.533
10th	WCPF - Western Counties Photographic Federation	171.00	11.400
11th	SPA - Surrey Photographic Association	167.00	11.133
12th	CACC - The Chilterns Association of Camera Clubs	165.00	11.000
13th	NWPA - North Wales Photographic Association	162.00	10.800
14th	YPU - Yorkshire Photographic Union	137.00	9.133

### **Inter-Federation Nature Print Competition 2024**

	Federation	Total Score	Average Score
1st	LCPU - The Lancashire and Cheshire Photographic Union	213.00	14.200
2nd	MCPF - The Midland Counties Photographic Federation	191.00	12.733
3 <sup>rd</sup> =	NEMPF - The North and East Midlands Photographic Federation	190.00	12.667
3 <sup>rd</sup> =	SCPF - Southern Counties Photographic Federation	190.00	12.667
5th	CACC - The Chilterns Association of Camera Clubs	189.00	12.600
6 <sup>th</sup> =	SPA - Surrey Photographic Association	185.00	12.333
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12th	YPU - Yorkshire Photographic Union	167.00	11.133
13th	NCPF - The Northern Counties Photographic Federation	165.00	11.786
14th	NIPA - Northern Ireland Photographic Association	158.00	10.533

The result is calculated from the best 15 Scores in each Competition by each Federation



GOLD MEDAL BEST NATURE PRINT. ATTACK AND DEFEND BYTERESA HEHIR (CACC)



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#### **INDIVIDUAL MONOCHROME PRINT AWARDS**

1. Best Award	Star Quality	Adrian Lines MPAGB FBPE EFIAP (L&CPU)
2. Dave Gibbins' Choice	The Spinning Hook Kick	Martin Duffy (N&EMPF)
2. Jane Lines' Choice	Family	Paul Hassell MPAGB FRPS FIPF FBPE
2. Mike Sharples' Choice	Unstoppable	Jennifer Willis MPAGB FIPF FRPS BPE4* EFIAP (NIPA)
3. PAGB Ribbon	Muslim Sisters	Chrissie Westgate FRPS (EAF)
3. PAGB Ribbon	You Looking at Me?	Rod Wheelans MPAGB MFIAP FRPS FIPF HonPAGB HonSPF (SPF)
3. PAGB Ribbon	Grasping Look	Eion Johnston DPAGB FRPS BPE3* (SPF)
3. PAGB Ribbon	Vestrahorn and grasses	Christine Wood CPAGB LRPS BPE2 (L&CPU)
3. PAGB Ribbon	Lightening	Dianne Owen (L&CPU)
3. PAGB Ribbon	The Bashful Brother	Laurie Campbell MFA FIPF DPAGB EFIAP BPE4* (NIPA)



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"I won our camera club league competition with images I took at Creativity Hub Events"
- Alan R

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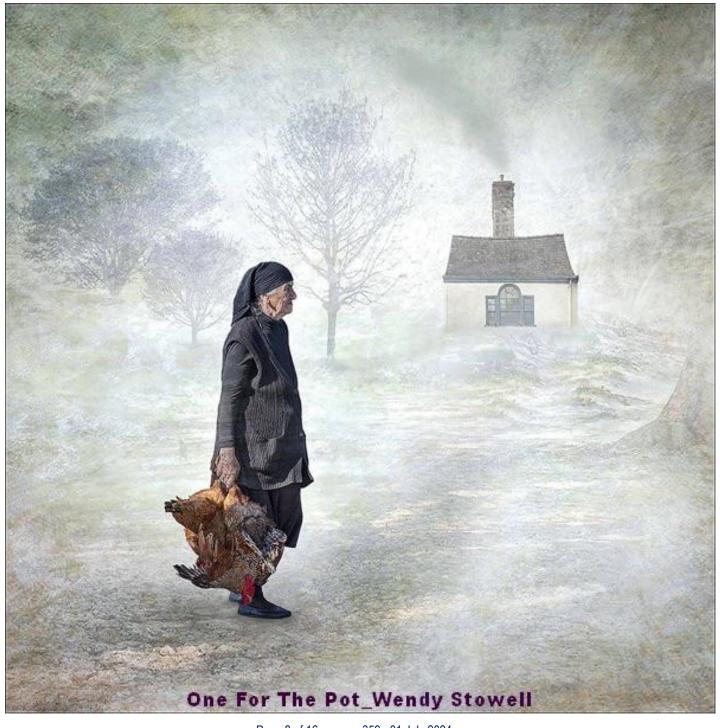
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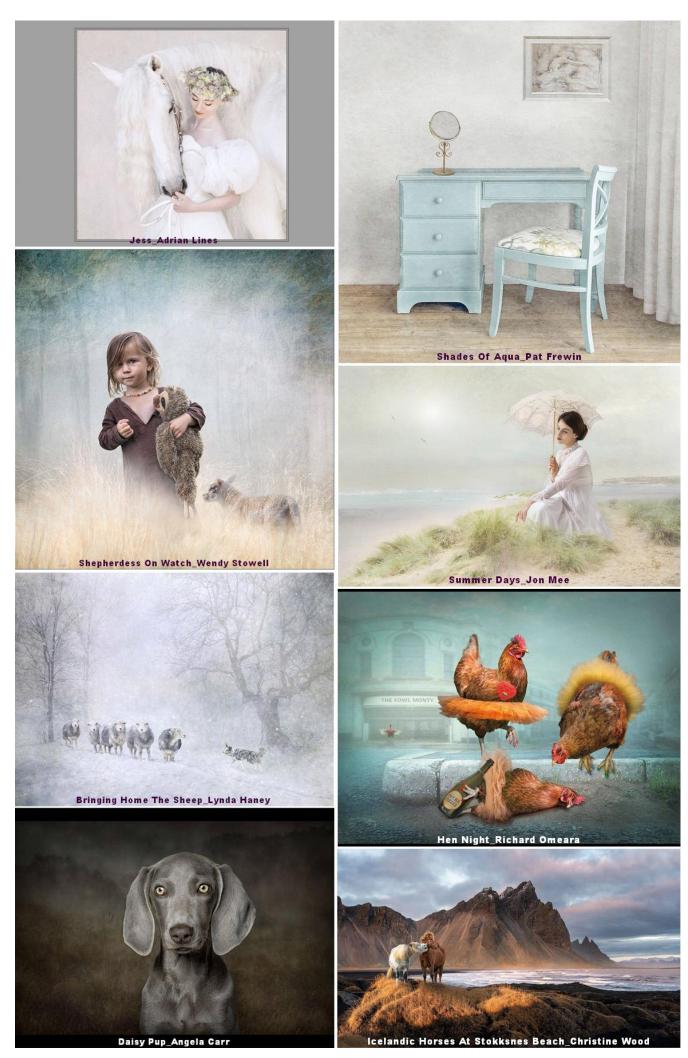
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### **INDIVIDUAL COLOUR PRINT AWARDS**

1. Best Award	Doorstep Girl	Chrissie Westgate FRPS (EAF)
2. Dave Gibbins Choice	Jess	Adrian Lines MPAGB FBPE EFIAP (L&CPU)
2. Jane Lines Choice	Icelandic Horses, Stoksness	Christine Wood CPAGB LRPS BPE2 (L&CPU)
2. Mike Sharples Choice	One for the Pot	Wendy Stowell MPAGB (L&CPU)
3. PAGB Ribbon	Shades of Aqua	Pat Frewin (EAF)
3. PAGB Ribbon	Summer Days	Jon Mee BPE4 (N&EMPF)
3. PAGB Ribbon	Shepherdess on watch	Wendy Stowell MPAGB (L&CPU)
3. PAGB Ribbon	Daisy pup	Angela Carr CPAGB (L&CPU)
3. PAGB Ribbon	Hen Night	Richard O'Meara DPAGB BPE5 (L&CPU)
3. PAGB Ribbon	Bringing Home the Sheep	Lynda Haney EPAGB FBPE EFIAP (L&CPU)

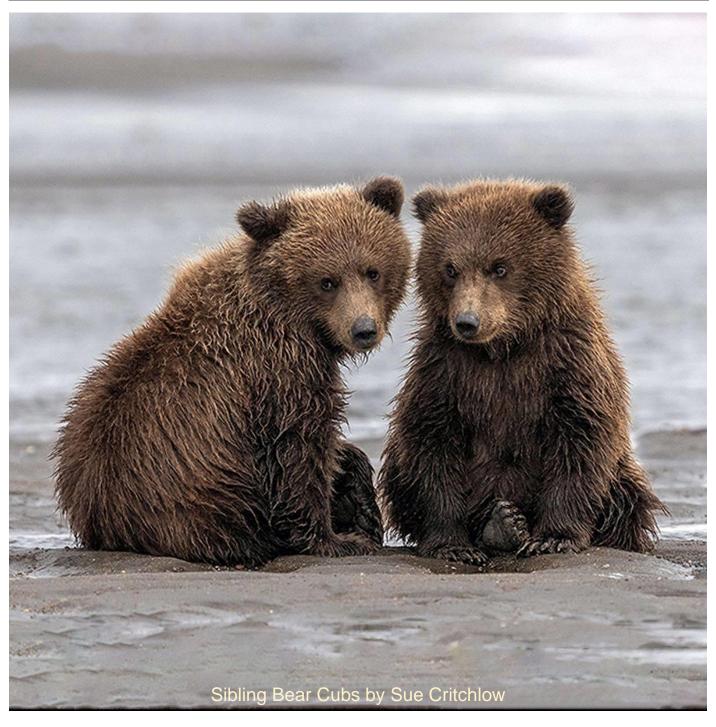




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### **INDIVIDUAL NATURE PRINT AWARDS**

1. Best Award	Attack And Defend	Teresa Hehir CPAGB (CACC)
2. Dave Gibbins Choice	Common Blue Damselflies	Tony North DPAGB BPE5 (L&CPU)
2. Jane Lines Choice	Waterrail carefully stepping forward	Richard Sheldrake LRPS DPAGB (SCPF)
2. Mike Sharples Choice	Play Fighting	Maggie James DPAGB LRPS (CACC)
3. PAGB Ribbon	Small Apolloson Bearded Bellflowers	Gianpiero Ferrari EFIAP FRPS DPAGB FBPE (N&EMPF)
3. PAGB Ribbon	Humphead Wrasse	Nicki Greenwood (L&CPU)
3. PAGB Ribbon	Humpbacks bubble netting	Bob Martin (L&CPU)
3. PAGB Ribbon	Sibling Bear Cubs	Sue Critchlow ARPS DPAGB BPE5 EFIAP AWPF PPSA (L&CPU)
3. PAGB Ribbon	Fight for Life	Julia Wainwright FRPS MPAGB BPE4 AFIAP (SCPF)
3. PAGB Ribbon	Slime Mold at Spore Release Stage	David Myles DPAGB (MCPF











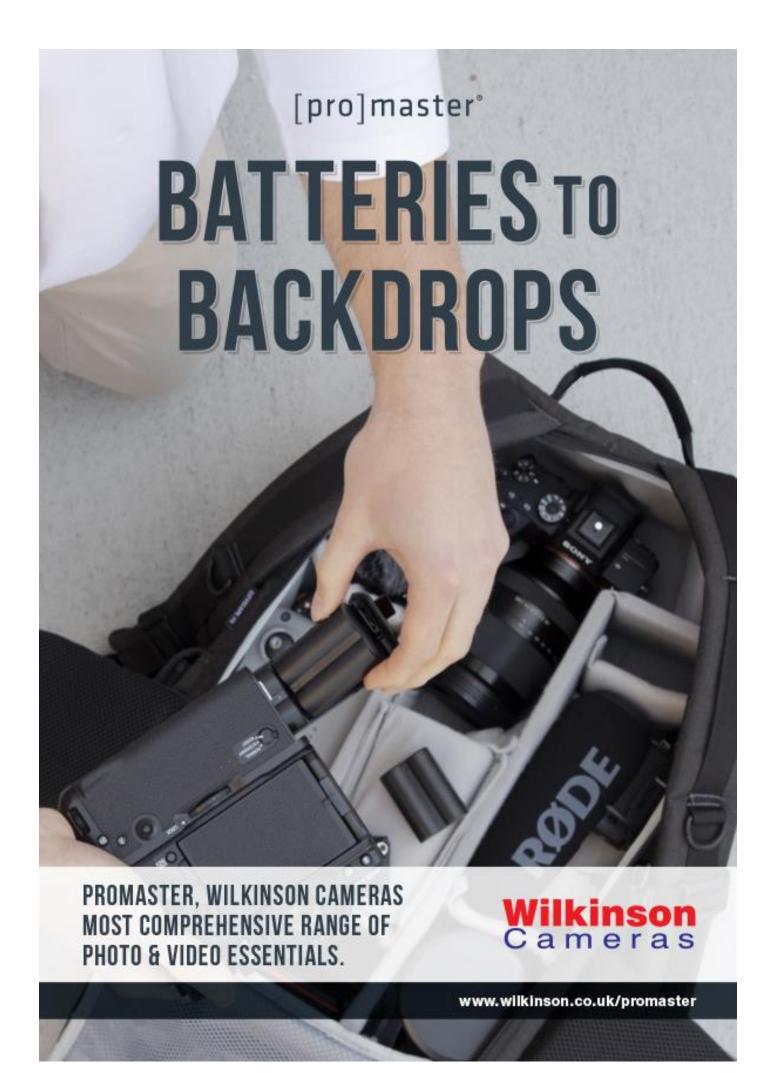






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### 1st place: Ilena Fasci, Italy 2nd place: Roy Egloff, Switzerland 3rd place: Julie Tennant, USA

Highest-scoring camera club member in 8th place, Chris Robbins, Launceston CC



#### Camera Club Leader Board Launceston Camera Club 70 1= 70 1= Stafford Photographic Society 60 3 Plymouth Camera Club **Dundee Photographic Society** 45 5= Mid-Somerset Camera Club 40 Truro Camera Club 40 5= 30 7 Loughton Camera Club **Bristol Photographic Society** 20 =8 Kempsey Camera Club 20 =8 Royston Photographic Society 20 8= Southampton Camera Club =8 20 Tamworth Photographic Club =8 20 Visions Photography Club 20 =8

It isn't too late for you to enter and score for your Club. There are many rounds to come and this table will change dramatically. And you may win one of many superb prizes for yourself.

The next round is ACTION and you can enter here -

https://www.photocrowd.com/photo-competitions/photography-awards/apoy-2024





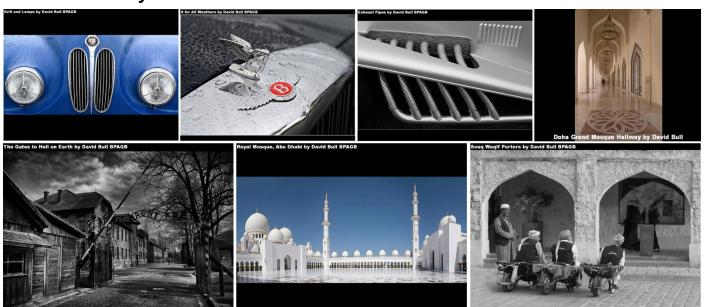
### THE LONDON SALON OF PHOTOGRAPHY

Celebrating over One Hundred Years of Photographic Excellence

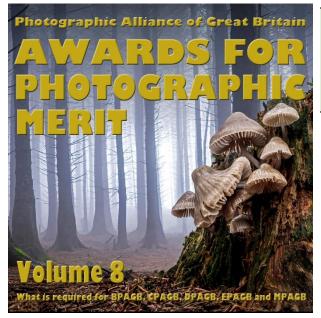
The aim of the London Salon is to exhibit only that class of photographic work in which there is distinct evidence of artistic feeling and execution

The opening of the 110th London Salon of Photography was held in Smethwick clubrooms on Sunday 23 June with 7 of the 9 medal winners attending - the other 2 were not able to attend as they were helping to choose the Edinburgh International Exhibition on the same day. The awarded and accepted images can be seen at <a href="https://thelondonsalon.org/110th-exhibition-2024/">https://thelondonsalon.org/110th-exhibition-2024/</a>

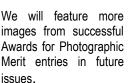
These are the prints used by David Bull from Lichfield CC to comfortably achieve the very first BPAGB Award in November 2023.



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David's images, and many others, will be featured, with advice for potential entrants at all 5 levels, in a completely NEW RECORDED LECTURE - currently being produced to be available to book through our CES/CMS from September 2024

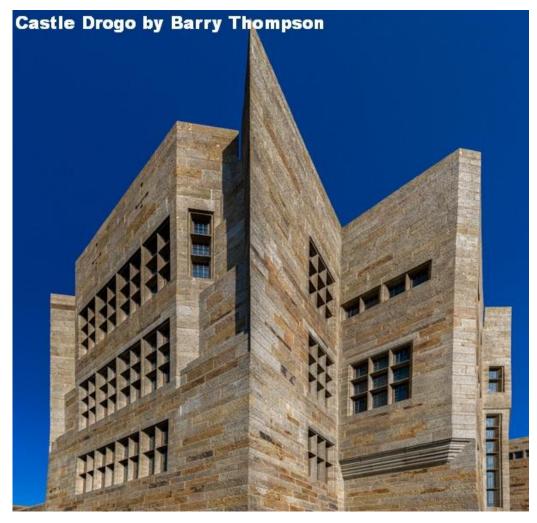






We are happy to run news of Club events when there is space available but normally we would expect that these events should be of interest beyond the limits of your Federation





## NATIONAL TRUST WINNER

There was quite a disappointing response to our competition for pictures of National Trust properties but we are pleased to award the prize to Barry Thomson for this excellent picture of Castle Drogo – one of the more unusual Trust properties.

Barry receives a pass valid through 2024 giving free National Trust admittance for himself, a companion and up to 3 children.







and finally .... The first output from an ongoing long term project.

## DON'T GIVE THE JUDGES WHAT THEY WANT ... ... MAKE THEM WANT WHAT YOU GIVE THEM!

Some time ago I found myself advising a photographer that her images were thought provoking and exciting but were unlikely to succeed in our Awards for Photographic Merit or even in Camera Club competitions. This made me think. Why don't we recognise the value of such images? I appealed to e-news readers to send me work which they enjoyed making but did not succeed in competitions and the response was huge! Nearly 100 photographers sent in over 1000 images! This has led to Dare to be Different Volume One. Volume Two will appear before too long and I also hope to prepare a Recorded Lecture when time permits. CLICK BELOW.

