



HCC February 2022 Newsletter

Now that we are moving to a more “normal” way of life, it is with optimism that we can move forward and plan events with greater certainty. We intend to include extra activities to our planned programme including more workshops, field trips and social/fund raising events.

[8th February 8pm -" Nature Photography in the UK – Tips and Tricks" talk by Roger Hance.](#) To view his images, go to <https://rogerhancefrps.com>

Future Programme

2021	Tues 14 th	September	Don Thompson – Top, middle and bottom
	Tues 12 th	October	Print competition – Judge Harold Mousley
	Tues 9 th	November	Speaker – John Wrigley – Waterways of the Tsars
	Tues 14 th	December	CHRISTMAS SOCIAL – Quizzes, Competitions, Fish & Chip Supper
2022	Tues 11 th	January	Print Competition (Mono) – Judge Richard Swinscoe
	Tues 8 th	February	Speaker – Roger Hance – Nature Photography in the UK – tips and tricks
	Tues 8 th	March	Print Competition – Judge Graham Parry
	Tues 12 th	April	Speaker – Stafford Steed – Along the Inca Trail to the lost city of the Incas ‘Machu Picchu’
	Tues 10 th	May	Print Competition (Night Photography) – Judge Peter Warne
	Tues 14 th	June	Speaker – Mark Pardoe – London Underground Stations
	Sat (TBC)	June	Club Outing (TBC)
	Tue 12 th	July	Club outing print competition – Judge Ken Payne
		August	No Club Meeting during August
New Season	Tues 13 th	September	Speaker – Naomi Saul – African Dust under my Feet
	Tues 11 th	October	Print Competition – Judge Robin Claydon
	Tues 8 th	November	Speaker – Justin Minns – Interesting stuff
	Tues 13 th	December	CHRISTMAS SOCIAL – Quizzes, Competitions, Fish & Chip Supper

Workshop “Night Photography” led by Don Thompson – 22nd February 19.30



If interested, please sign up at the next club meeting or message me. You will need a tripod and to save time on the day, know where the “Bulb” setting is accessed on your camera settings. Full details will be sent if you decide to attend, so don’t panic if you have never used this long exposure setting.

TBA - “Exposure Triangle” Workshop led by Dave Hall



Snowdrop Field Trip to Warley Place

11th June Club Outing to Bletchley Park- £40 entry with coach or possibly a car share and just pay £15.70 entry. See Brenda or sign up on the sheet by the notice board.

Membership Details – Please let Chris Hall know if there are any changes to your address or contact details to ensure you receive club information.

8th March Print Competition – Open subject

Digital Competition – Peter Smith has kindly agreed to take on this role but images will continue to be submitted directly to **mocolos@btinternet.com** by the **26th of each month**. We would like to clarify that since the introduction of two levels, the judge will award a 1st 2nd and 3rd for each level but no Highly Commended places.

If you haven't yet submitted any images to this competition, or are a bit hesitant, we would encourage you to participate, benefit from viewing other member's images and judge's comments. You might even disagree with the judge! Names are anonymous, unless you gain a placing, so there is nothing to lose. It also provides some motivation to get your camera out whether in your home/garden or an excuse for an outing.

Month	Title
February	Diagonal Opposites
March	Texture
April	Fishing
May	Pets
June	Translucent

Table top Workshop

Fourteen members attended this workshop led by Barry and his right-hand man George. They provided a variety of objects such as bowls of fruit, a flaming cocktail glass and an autumnal sycamore leaf. There was a friendly atmosphere and much discussion about appropriate settings, lighting and how to display objects. It was good to see more experienced members giving advice those who needed it and there was a general buzz to the evening. Here are a few images of the event:





We look forward to seeing you at our next meeting on Tuesday 8th February at 8pm for what will be a very interesting, informative and enjoyable talk accompanied by great images.

Diana and The HCC Committee

[Link to the Website with all the club's information and latest updates](https://www.hadleighcameraclub.org)

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