



Goolwa Camera Club

MONTHLY COMPETITION ENTRY INFORMATION

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The following is to assist members complying with entering monthly competitions and to ensure we get the best possible outcome for the benefit of all members.

Open to all full members of Goolwa Camera Club. Generally, evaluation and comments by experienced SAPF judges.

Members may enter an overall maximum of FIVE (5) images per month.

Consisting of:

Up to THREE (3) images in any of the following SIX (6) categories:

- COLOUR PRINT (Open)
- MONO PRINT (Open)
- COLOUR DIGITAL (Open)
- MONO DIGITAL (Open)
- DIGITAL SET SUBJECT
- CRITIQUE DIGITAL (see note below)

NOTE CRITIQUE -This can be submitted only as DIGITAL with a max 3 per month and is included in the overall max of 5. The comp guest judge will provide a critique and feedback without a score. It could be used by newer members, or any member who may want to get critique only on a previously judged or something they have worked on.

To enter your images: Competitions tab on club website www.goolwacamera.club and a short guide to using it:

NOTE NEW MEMBERS: Before submitting entries, you will require a GCC Visual Pursuits Account. This is unique to the member and can also be used with other Camera Clubs that also use Visual Pursuits. Contact the club Competition Secretary if you do not have an account.

How to enter - please see next page....

How to enter

1. *Click on enter competition link under “Competition” tab on website.*
2. *Log in using your Visual Pursuits log in account previously set up by you.*
3. *On the Visual Pursuits page go to COMPETITIONS Tab and then to SUBMIT IMAGES TO A COMPETITION.*
4. *SELECT Each section you wish to enter and upload or add images previously uploaded into your library.*
5. *Upload a 1920 X 1080 px (Pixels per Inch) image with every entry, including prints. Images uploaded in larger sizes will be resized when shown in competitions, any system resizing may affect the quality of the image. Recommended file size up to 3mb. (was 2mb)*
6. *PRINT the labels. These can be printed on plain paper or sticky labels (6 or 8 on page) for attaching to entries.*

Entries close 11.30pm the SUNDAY preceding the competition.
(Friday in February 2024 only)

SET SUBJECT. This is provided in the program and on the website.

PRINTS: maximum size for standard format is A4 (210mm X 297mm) or 8” x 12” in either landscape or portrait aspect and are to be matted with a max border of 60mm on any one side.

A Panorama is defined as an image that has a width of at least twice its height (in either landscape or portrait aspect). Maximum Panorama print size is 420mm X 210mm.

ALL Prints are to be labelled on the back with entrant’s name, title, category, and an arrow indicating which way is up.

DIGITAL IMAGE – PROJECTED:

LANDSCAPE ASPECT: - Image size is 1920 x 1080 pixels, Jpeg format. Panorama Digital Projected Images also have a maximum of 1920 pixels on the longest side.

PORTRAIT ASPECT: Due to the limitations of the projector and the screen, portrait aspect Digital Projected entries to be submitted at 1080pixels on the LONG side.

NOTES & CONDITIONS OF ENTRY.

- All entrants must be full financial members of Goolwa Camera Club Inc.
- By entering you accept the Conditions of Entry.
- Goolwa Camera Club applies the conditions of the Australian Photographic Society. The full wording can be found on the club website under Competitions. Main points are:
 - Digital & Print images entered must be photographic origin.
 - Entrants must be the author of any images and all parts of composite images.
 - Post-production processing must be under the direct control of the photographer, whether that processing is manual such as cloning, painting, dodging etc or automated such as using filters or plug ins.
- By entering you are stating that the image or a composite of images are your original photograph/s. The GCC Competition Secretary reserves the right to request the original RAW image(s) with EXIF metadata intact.
- All images entered may be used in Goolwa Camera Club promotional material (you may opt out of this by email or in writing with your first entry).
- Identical images can be entered only once into normal club competition. However, images that have not previously received an award can be re-entered one further time.
- By entering you are stating that the image is your original work and is not in breach of any copyright.
- Non-Complying images will be excluded.
- Monochrome (Mono) Defined
 - A black & white image is an image with no colour toned from black to white with various shades of grey.
 - A monochrome image is an image toned entirely in a single colour eg Sepia, blue etc.

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