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LINCOLN CAMERA CLUB NEWSLETTER

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Firstly a big thank you to all of you there on 2nd April for my talk, your applause and comments etc were much appreciated and I hope you might now try something new and also study your camera's menus a bit deeper and look to customise your camera how you want it.

Secondly sorry for not having enough space for the winners of the Night Photography competition, with all the images the file size of the Newsletter was far too big for email but they are all on the website. Congratulations to all especially Nick Clayton for the top four places in the print category. Plus Karen Lathrope for three awards, John Owens and Bryan Hurt on a couple apiece and to Tim Scott for managing a sharp image!

Once again we were beaten by Keyworth at the home round of our annual '*friendly*' PDI Battle. A few of our entries received 20 points and we ended with a score of 473 points to their 507. Two days later, away at Keyworth and with a different judge the result was similar - another defeat, our score did improve to 487 despite only one of our images receiving 20 points but their score also improved to 520!



We also entered the annual Fosters Trophy Colour Challenge where we finished halfway down the leader board in 7th place with a score of 13. Grimsby won with a score of 23 from Cleethorpes on 22 and Scunthorpe 19. The next inter club competition is Round One of the Print Battles on the 7th, at home to NELPS and Grimsby so I hope you've submitted your best images for that. And the next Club competition is Flora & Fauna so lookout for a Nuthatch or two!

I missed the last two Committee meetings due to a couple of holidays (if you can class it as a holiday when you're retired) but was glad to read in the minutes that the summer BBQ is back thanks to the kind hospitality of Alastair Scammell, so put the 13th August in your diary.

David Chapman

May Programme	
7th May	Inter Club Print Battle
14th May	Talk - Touring the British Isles - Chris Stone
21st May	Practical - In-club Studio Night
28th May	Competition - Flora & Fauna

What's on in May

4th May	Historic May Day/Green Man Festival Market Rasen
4th - 6th May	Lincoln Festival of History - Lincoln Castle & Lincoln Museum
4th - 6th May	TruckFest - Showground
6th May	Lincs Aviation Heritage Centre Open Day - East Kirkby
6th May	Modified Live - Drifting, Time Attack Cars - Cadwell Park
11th May	Spalding Flower Parade
11th - 19th May	West Lindsey Churches Festival - https://www.churchesfestival.info/
11th - 27th May	Lincs Woods Outdoor Festival - https://woldsoutdoorfestival.com/
12th May	Lincoln Cycle Grand Prix - Start Castle Sq
12th May	Motorcycle Enduro - Lincs Enduro Club - Dembleby Heath - 10.30
17th May	Sturgate Straight - Motorsport Event - 4.00pm
19th May	LPA Print competition - Nettleham Village Hall - 12.30 for 1.00pm
23rd - 25th May	Lincoln Beer Festival - The Drill
25th - 26th May	No Limits Club Motorcycle Racing - Cadwell Park
25th - 27th May	Game & Country Fair Burghley House
26th - 27th May	Carrington Steam Rally
1st June	Motorcycle Trial - Navenby Station

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Summer Exhibition 2024

The Summer Exhibition will run from the 17th June at Lincoln Central Library. We are trying to get an image from every member displayed there. So to encourage full participation the Club is offering to get one printed by a professional lab, up to A3 size, for every member who is interested. The Club will also get the print mounted. To meet the deadlines we need your image by the end of the second week of May. More details on how to submit the image will be emailed out shortly.



Excellent Photo Opportunity

Carriage driving event at Whitehouse Equestrian Farm, Eagle Moor LN6 9DP

This event is by "The Poachers Harness Club", and should contain Carriage Driving, Dressage, Cones & Obstacles. There should be plenty of scope for taking photographs which would be appreciated by the organisers for publication in their Newsletter and on Facebook, accreditation will be given to the photographers.

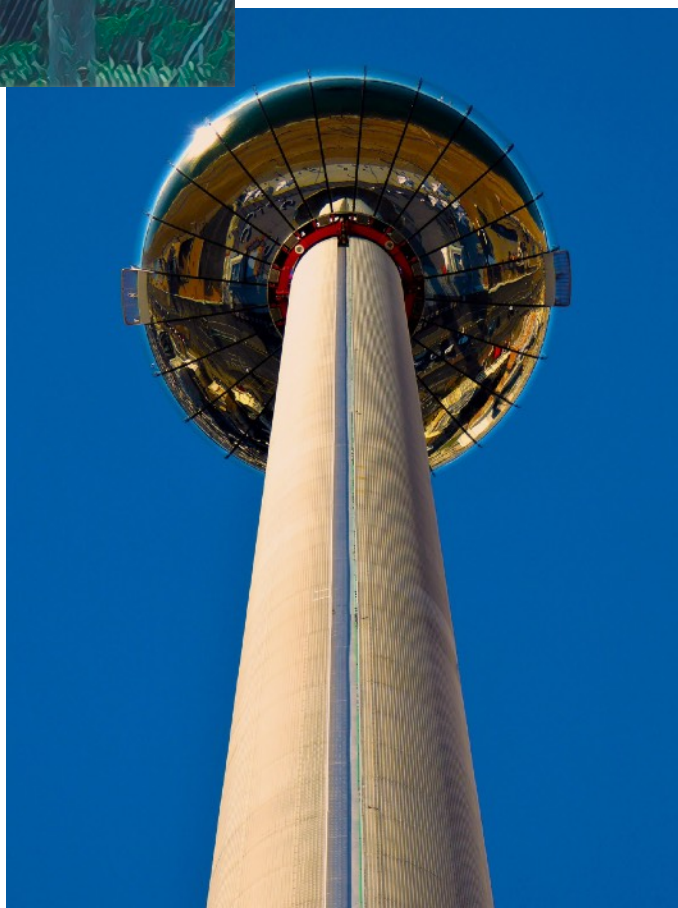
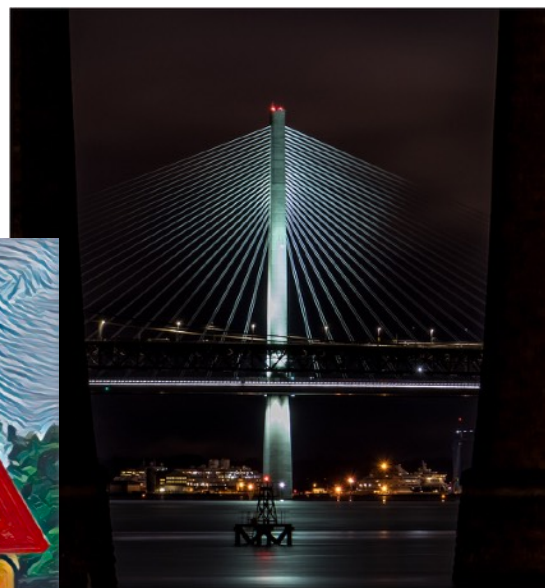
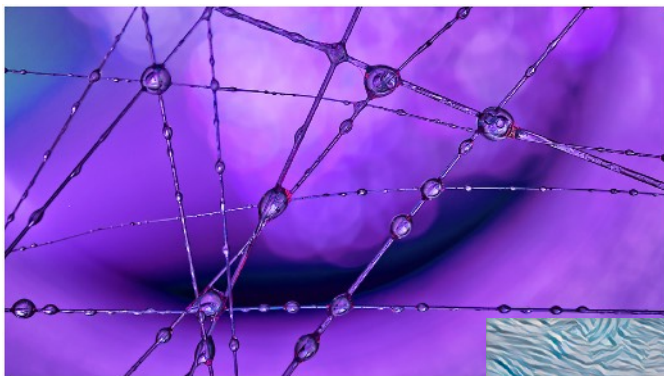


Photos should be sent to the event secretary
CarolWood593@btinternet.com

The location might be quite wet/muddy due to the recent weather and horses so wear appropriate footwear.

Lines, Angles & Curves Competition

PDIs - 1st Zebra in Kenya, Nick Clayton
2nd Lavender Lattice, Karen Lathrope
3rd, Three Forth Bridges, David Chapman
HC We're going to need a bigger firemen. Karen L
C 2 out of 3 aint Bad, Debbie Swales
C Little Moreton Hall, Trina Fitzalan Howard
C Brighton Eye, Jeff Gulliver



Prints - 1st Curvaceous Car, John Owen
2nd Steps and more Steps, John Owens
3rd St Peters Basillica Celimg, Nick Clayton
HC Discombobulated, Karen Lathorpe
C, It's a wrap, Bryan Hurt
C, The Leaning Tower, Nick Clayton

