

**Competition Entries to be submitted by:**

21st Sept 2017 - Competition 1

19<sup>th</sup> Oct 2017 - Summer Competition  
Portrait Competition

26<sup>th</sup> Oct 2017 - Competition 2

16<sup>th</sup> Nov 2017 - Bernard Hinton Competition  
(Town Gardens) Digital Only  
Series Competition  
Creative Competition Digital  
Only

23<sup>rd</sup> Nov 2017 - Competition 3

4<sup>th</sup> Jan 2018 - Monochrome Competition  
Digital Images

18<sup>th</sup> Jan 2018 - Competition 4

8<sup>th</sup> Feb 2018 - Audio-Visual Competition

15<sup>th</sup> Feb 2018 - Competition 5 "Power"

22<sup>nd</sup> Feb 2018 - John Evans Competition  
Prints Only

22<sup>nd</sup> Mar 2018 - Competition 6

29<sup>th</sup> Mar 2018 - Annual Exhibition Digital  
Images

12<sup>th</sup> April 2018 - Annual Exhibition Printed  
Images



**What's in it for you?**

Swindon Photographic Society is a long established camera club which meets weekly from September to May each year. Our membership ranges from those new to photography, who just want to enjoy a sociable evening with like-minded enthusiasts, to those who are advanced award winning photographers. We encourage new members to join our club no matter what standard they are at, as there are plenty of events going on to appeal to everyone's tastes.

Each year we produce a packed programme to cover all aspects of photography. Take a look inside at our 2017 - 2018 schedule to see what we are running this season. Listed below are just some of the things you can expect when you come to our club:

- A warm and friendly welcome
- Practical evenings and workshops
- Mentoring
- Lectures and presentations from invited Speakers
- Competitions within the club
- Inter-club competitions
- Critiques and discussions
- National exhibition presentations
- A social summer programme

There is no obligation to participate in the competitions, you are still most welcome to come to our evenings to listen, watch, learn and develop your skills in the company of a friendly group of photography enthusiasts.

We meet every Thursday evening from 7.30pm - 9.45pm  
at: The Western Community Centre  
Somerset Road  
Swindon, SN2 1NF

For full details of our club please visit our website:  
[www.swindonphotosoc.org.uk](http://www.swindonphotosoc.org.uk)



**Swindon Photographic  
Society**

**Programme  
for  
2017-2018**



7th Sept 2017	Club Social	Welcome Night
14th Sept 2017	Talk	Robert Harvey ARPS EFIAP Winter Photography <a href="http://www.robertharvey.net">www.robertharvey.net</a>
21st Sept 2017	Battle at Home	Digital Imaging Battle with Wantage, Cirencester and Calne Judge - Tony Oliver, LRPS CPAGB <i>Entries for Comp 1</i>
28th Sept 2017	Club Night	Gill Marsh The Underwater Photography Experience
Tuesday 3rd Oct 2017		Tuesday Workshop
5th Oct 2017	Comp	Monthly Comp 1 Judge Bob Train LRPS
12th Oct 2017	Tutorial	Oliver Smart RAW Nature - Images uncovered <a href="http://www.smartimages.co.uk">www.smartimages.co.uk</a>
19th Oct 2017	Club Night	Info for Avs + Past examples <i>Entries for Summer &amp; Portrait Comps</i>
26th Oct 2017	Club Comp	Summer Competition and Portrait Competition Judged by Members <i>Entries for Comp 2</i>
2nd Nov 2017	Talk	Michelle Whitmore Macro Photography <a href="http://www.michellewhitmore.co.uk">www.michellewhitmore.co.uk</a>
Tuesday 7th Nov 2017		Tuesday Workshop
9th Nov 2017	Comp	Monthly Comp 2 Judge Ralph Snook ARPS DPAGB EFIAP
16th Nov 2017	Tutorial	Prof Bob Ryan FRSA ARPS & Alison Ryan Intuitive Photography <i>Entries for BH, Series &amp; Creative Comps</i>
Monday 20th Nov 2017	Away Battle	Calne Multiclub Battle
23rd Nov 2017	Club Comp	Bernard Hinton (Town Gardens), Series & Creative Competitions Judged by Members <i>Entries for Comp 3</i>

30th Nov 2017	Talk	Peter Crane LRPS Street Photography
Tuesday 5th Dec 2017		Tuesday Workshop
7th Dec 2017	Comp	Monthly Comp 3 Judge Michael Curtis ARPS
14th Dec 2017	Club Social	Fish and Chip Supper
21st Dec 2017		Closed
28th Dec 2017		Closed
4th Jan 2018	Show	London Salon of Photography <i>Digital Entries for Mono Comp</i>
11th Jan 2018	Club Comp	Monochrome Competition plus presentation of images from members Judged by Members
18th Jan 2018	Open Charity Comp	Open Digital Charity Comp with Stratton/RWB/Cricklade/Lawns <i>Entries for Comp 4</i>
25th Jan 2018	Talk	Mary McIntyre (nee Spicer) Astrophotography - Creating Stunning Star Trails <a href="http://marysastronomyblogs.blogspot.co.uk">marysastronomyblogs.blogspot.co.uk</a>
1st Feb 2018	Comp	Monthly Comp 4 Judge Martin Cooper LRPS
Tuesday 6th Feb 2018		Tuesday Workshop
8th Feb 2018	Club Night	Tabletop or Critique night with New College Students <i>Entries for AV Comp</i>
15th Feb 2018	AV Club Comp	AV Comp plus recent winners of AV National Contests <i>Entries for Comp 5 "Power"</i>
22nd Feb 2018	Talk	Simon Caplan LRPS Seeing Things Differently <a href="http://www.simoncaplanphotography.co.uk">www.simoncaplanphotography.co.uk</a> <i>Print Only Entries for John Evans Comp</i>
1st March 2018	Comp	Monthly Comp 5 Theme is "Power" Judge Martin Fry FRPS APAGB AFIAP AV-AFIAP

Tuesday 6th March 2018	Away Battle	Battle at Wantage with Swindon and Oxford
8th March 2018	Club Night	President's Evening
15th March 2018	Comp	John Evans Competition Adver to Judge
22nd March 2018	Talk	Viveca Koh FRPS Urban Exploration to Fine Art: a Photographic Journey <a href="http://www.vivecakahphotography.photoshelter.com">www.vivecakahphotography.photoshelter.com</a> <i>Entries for Comp 6</i>
Tuesday 27th March 2018	Away Battle	Battle at Devizes with Swindon and RWB
29th March 2018	Club Night	8 X 10 <i>Entries for AE Projected</i>
Tuesday 3rd April 2018		Tuesday Workshop
5th April 2018	Comp	Monthly Comp 6 Judge Ted Wilson
12th April 2018	Show	Bristol Salon <i>Entries for AE Prints</i>
19th April 2018	AE Comp	Annual Exhibition Projected Judge Colin Harrison FRPS MPAGB EFIAP/p FBPE
26th April 2018	Show	WCPF Travelling Prints Critique
Tuesday 1st May 2018		Tuesday Workshop
3rd May 2018	AE Comp	Annual Exhibition Prints Judge Tony Byram ARPS DPAGB EFIAP AWPF
10th May 2018	Talk	Tracey Rich PhD BSc(Hons) Wildlife Photography
17th May 2018		End of Season Event To be decided
24th May 2018	Summer Programme	24th May, 7th June, 21st June, 5th July, 19th July, 2nd August, 16th August
30th August 2018		AGM + Prize Giving