



**Issue 111 FEBRUARY 2017**

**Next Club Night: March 14th**

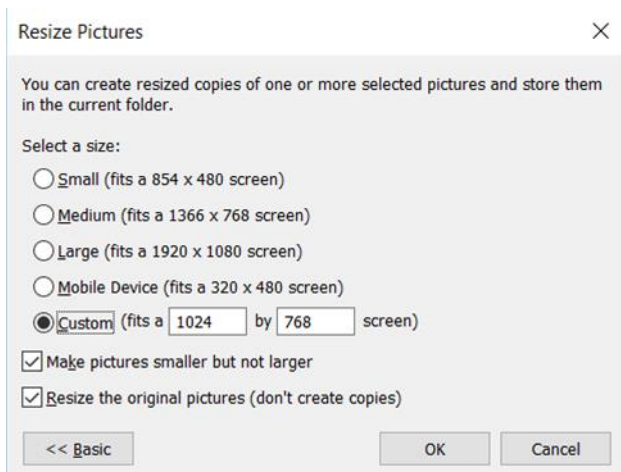
**Next Subject: Doors/Windows**

### **Resizing for Digital Entries**

Images are required to be formatted as follows:

**File type** - jpg format

**Size** - to fit within 1024 wide x 768 tall (pixels)



Within the Memory stick when you join the club is a resize option that can be loaded onto our computer, then simply right click on a copy of your original, select resize, tick the custom enter the resize dimensions, tick the two boxes as shown in the example to the left.

Please ask Lynn or Bev if you haven't yet received your memory stick.

On the Submissions page of the Images Website are instructions for using other photo editing options for resizing.



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**Hi All,**

***What a great selection of entries for our Valentine's club night. Our judge was very impressed. Thoroughly enjoyed her judging, very helpful for learning what to do next time.***

***Hope you are all out snapping doors and windows for next months entry.***

***We're also negotiating a change of date for the Ayrlires trip. Unfortunately our original date is now not available, but we'll keep you informed once the new date is arranged.***

***Finally managed to have a day off work today, (worked the last three weeks straight thru, no weekends) so spent the day at the Hamilton Zoo with Bev and Barry, plus lots of other canon/camera enthusiasts. My first visit to the zoo. Had a great time with the giraffes, right up close and personal, great for photographs. So nice to get a chance to use the camera and looking forward to next Sunday too. Hope to see you all there in Auckland, challenging ourselves with the alphabet and composition.***



'ere, what you looking at !!



Count the necks



Sleeping Beauty



Some of the crowd



The paparazzi at the tiger enclosure



My favourite type of Kitty

***From the crazy cat lady, Julie***

**The first of our Outings /Workshop will be a hands on outing lead by your committee on Composition on Sunday March 5th**

**This is then followed by the Basic Post Processing Workshop, run by Stu. This was the first workshop I attended when I joined Images and it was invaluable for me. There is a comprehensive book that is part of the fee that I refer back to on a regular basis. Well worth attending. I'll be going again as a refresher.**

**Flyers for both as below.**

# COMPOSITION

## Workshop & Outing

Come and learn the art of composition in photography, with an added twist !!

We will set you a challenge, to go and photograph during the day the 26 letters of the alphabet using your new found knowledge of composition.

Not as hard as you think, there is a wealth of potential around the lower part of Auckland city.

We will then critique your images at the Basic Post Processing workshop, you will need to bring them along as 6x4 prints.

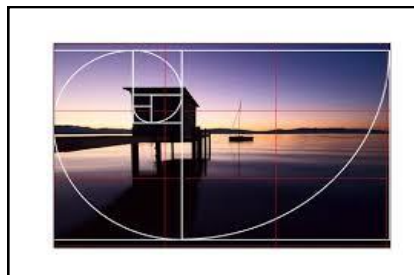
**Date: Sunday 5th March**

**Time: Meet at the back of Britomart 10am - ?**

Some are looking at maybe going in by Train from Papakura. So we know how many intend on coming

**Please contact Treasurer, Lynn Johnstone:**

**[treasurer@images.org.nz](mailto:treasurer@images.org.nz)**



# BASIC POST PROCESSING

## WORKSHOP

SUNDAY 26TH MARCH

9.30 AM to 3.30 PM

PATUMAHOE BOWLING

CLUBROOMS

JOHN St

PATUMAHOE



Will cover.... Folder management - Save as - File types  
Resizing - Cropping - Layers - Selections - Blending Modes  
Adding Textures - Cloning & Healing - Transform Tools  
Triptych—Dodge & Burn - and more

Some things you would like to find out about and some things you  
don't even know you need to find out about.

Cost will be \$40 which includes a printed manual of topics covered on  
the day.

Please register your interest by emailing Lynn at  
[treasurer@images.org.nz](mailto:treasurer@images.org.nz) by Friday 17th March.

If no-one has registered by 17th March workshop will be cancelled.  
Don't miss this if you are new to post processing, it is a  
comprehensive workshop. I speak from personal experience. Bev.

## Images Results 14th February 2017

### Advanced

Page 1:

1st Place	Barry Easton 'Rose By Any Other Name'
2nd Place	Stuart Braithwaite 'The Window'
3rd Place	Barry Easton 'Oakura Long Exposure'

Honours:	X 2	Barry Easton.
	X 1	Stuart Braithwaite, Pauline Muir FPSNZ.

Highly Commended:	X 2	Sandy Campbell.
	X 1	Stuart Braithwaite, Bill Fitzgerald, Bev McIntyre.

### Advanced Points:

Set	Points:	Open	Points:
Bev McIntyre	123	Barry Easton	75
Ross Muir	102	Bill Fitzgerald	58
Stuart Braithwaite	98	Pauline Muir FPSNZ	52
Bill Fitzgerald	94	Sandy Campbell	45
Sandy Campbell	90	Stuart Braithwaite	42
Pauline Muir FPSNZ	83	Ross Muir	27
Barry Easton	41	Heather Campbell	21
Paul Vettoretti LPSNZ	30	Bev McIntyre	21

## Images Results 14th February 2017

### Intermediate

1st Place	Lynn Johnstone 'Big Daddy Dune'
2nd Place	Angela Hale 'The Proposal'
3rd Place	Julie Carswell 'Love At Dusk'

#### Honours:

X 2	Lynn Johnstone.
X 1	Julie Carswell, Angela Hale, Linda Hart, Ewen McIntyre, Diane Todd.

#### Highly Commended:

X 2	
X 1	Julie Carswell, June Handley, Ewen McIntyre, Gary Morriss.

### Intermediate Points:

Set	Points:	Open	Points:
Julie Carswell	120	Robyn Wilkinson	128
Lynn Johnstone	115	June Handley	105
Ewen McIntyre	115	Gary Morriss	62
Raewyn Lane	80	Lynn Johnstone	41
Diane Todd	75	Linda Hart	36
Margaret Donald	74	Julie Carswell	30
Linda Hart	64	Angela Hale	30
Anita Harris	62	Robyn Dickie	21
Angela Hale	47	Diane Todd	21
Gary Morriss	46	Ewen McIntyre	18
Colleen Thompson	44	Ariana Carswell	16
June Handley	40	Margaret Donald	16
Robyn Dickie	33	Raewyn Lane	14
Bill Dyer	18	Art Cattell	9
Robyn Wilkinson	16	Terri Cattell	9
		Colleen Thompson	9
		Bill Dyer	7

# ADVANCED



Rose by any other name-Barry Easton-Set—Honours-1st



Oakura long exposure-Barry Easton-Open-Honours-3rd



The Key to Love is in the Heart-Bev McIntyre—Set—HC



Happy Landing-Pauline Muir-Open—Honours

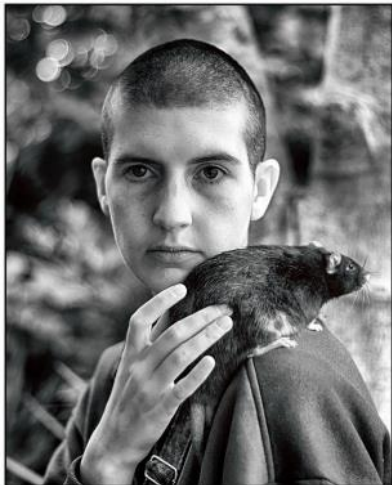
# ADVANCED



Trunk Memories-Sandy Campbell-Open-HC



My Valentine after Chemo-Sandy Campbell—Set—HC



Alice-Bill Fitzgerald-Open-Merit



Lady in red-Bill Fitzgerald -Set-HC



Their First Valentines Day-Ross Muir —Set-Merit

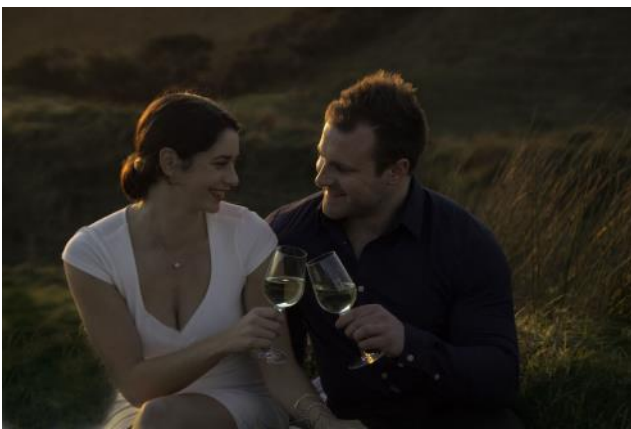


Love is Fishing off the Wharf-Bev MCIntyre—Set—Merit

# INTERMEDIATE



Big Daddy Dune-Lynn Johnstone-Open-Honours-1st



Love at Dusk-Julie Carswell– Set-Honours-3rd



Nature's Valentine-Lynn Johnstone-Set –Honours



Romeo & Juliet—Ewen McIntyre– Set-Honours



Crystal Celebration—Julie Carswell– Set-HC

# INTERMEDIATE



The Enchanted Forest-Ewen McIntyre-Open-HC



Mountains- -June Handley—Open-HC



A pheasant walked by-June Handley-Open-Merit



Hello there-Raewyn Lane-set-Merit

Please remember to send your digital images so they be added to the newsletter, for any printed photos.

## Treasurer

I'd like to introduce our hardworking treasurer Lynn Johnstone. She was born in Waiuku but then spent 25 years living and working in the USA. Glad you've come back to us and bring us your lovely photos.

She works hard at Franklins, Pukekohe in their accounts and analysis, department hence she's our great treasurer.

She got into photography as her sisters & mother were into SLR photography back in film days & piqued her interest. She promised herself an SLR camera as a graduation reward when she began studies to complete late degree. In 2003 she bought the first Canon consumer digital SLR model, but without any skills or time to learn, it was used as a point & shoot for a decade. After using the camera as a point & shoot for a decade, Lynn joined Images to make photography a priority and force herself to find time. Progress was very slow (over 6 months to submit the first image) & lack of time is still an issue, but knowledge & skills have greatly improved thanks to club activities - judging, outings and workshops.

Close-up photography is the thing she'd most like to master, though she finds it tough & incredibly frustrating at times. But also enjoy taking people & nature. I can remember when we went to McLaren Falls, Lynn had a leaf lined up to take a macro of with the light shining thru.



I asked how long it took her to discover her favourite subject and she said she's always liked looking at macro & wildlife photography so naturally leaned to attempting to capture those images. She uses a Canon 7D & Olympus OMD-10 with assortment of lenses.

When asked how long she takes to process her photos she said that lots of photos take only a few mins in Lightroom. Club submissions would probably average 15 mins, but she has spent hours at times when trying something new e.g. triptych.

She's been told she's her toughest critic, but she wants to produce more photos that she is happy with! That mostly involves getting out there & taking more shots, but also working on post-processing skills.

I asked Lynn for some of her favourite photos and these are what she gave me, plus the reasons why.....

*Ironically, some of favs are from point & shoot days when I was lucky enough to visit Amboseli park in Kenya when there was a large elephant population*



*& the mountain wasn't covered in cloud. I love the picture of my friend with her expression of exhilaration at finally being there, even though her eyes are shaded & semi-closed.*



*The third is of an Aunt on her 90th birthday where her character shows in her face.*



# Coming Up

## 2017 Calendar

<b>March 14th Club Night</b>	Theme, "Doors/Windows" Internal Judging
Sunday 5th	Composition Workshop/Outing Venue to be decided
Sunday 26th	Basic Post Processing
<b>April 11th Club Night</b>	Theme, "Kiwiana" / Open Invited Judge
Saturday 8th	Arylies Outing - Autumn
Sunday 30th	Steel and Wheels Waiuku
<b>May 9th Club Night</b>	"Theme, "Autumn" Internal Judging
	Link: <a href="https://www.google.co.nz/search?q=Autumn">https://www.google.co.nz/search?q=Autumn</a>
Saturday/Sunday 20th/21st	Introduction to Lightroom
<b>June 13th Club Night</b>	Theme, "Night Sky" / Open Invited Judge
Sunday 4th	5.30 - 7.30 Pink Walk - opportunity for Scape
Saturday 24th	Salon Judging
<b>July 11th Club Night</b>	Theme, "Eyes" / Open Internal Judging
Sunday 16th	Gadgets Workshop: ND filters, Studio Lighting and more
Saturday 29th	Salon
<b>August 8th Club Night</b>	Theme, "Textured" / Open Invited Judge
Saturday 12th	Black & White Workshop
Saturday 19th	Port Waikato early morning, Landscape
<b>September 12th Club Night</b>	Theme, "Reflections" / Open Internal Judging
	Macro Workshop TBA
<b>October 10th Club Night</b>	Theme, "Scapes": Land, Sea, City - Black & White. / Open Invited Judge
<b>November 14th Club Night</b>	Theme, "Everyones Different" Internal Judging
Saturday 11th	Outing, Thames: Art Deco Buildings and Steampunk
<b>December 12th Club Night</b>	Theme,
	Summer Assignments

# **Your Committee**

<b>President:</b>	<b>Stuart Braithwaite (the new 'he who must be obeyed')</b> <b><a href="mailto:president@images.org.nz">president@images.org.nz</a></b>
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<b>Secretary:</b>	<b>Bev McIntyre (she who keeps the place running smoothly &amp; the boys in line)</b> <b><a href="mailto:secretary@images.org.nz">secretary@images.org.nz</a></b>
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# **The End**