

# Syllabus 2023 - 2024

<b>September</b>	5	Every Picture Tells a Story	<b>Bob Turner</b>	<i>CD 1<sup>st</sup> PDI</i>
	12	Forty Farms	<b>Amy Bateman</b>	
	19	Just Ask Dave	<b>Dave Strother</b>	
	26	The Morton Charlton Archive Project	<b>Duncan Burridge Dave Best</b>	
<b>October</b>	3	Competition Results – 1 <sup>st</sup> PDI	<b>Stuart Edgar</b>	
	10	AI in Photography	<b>Rod Lawton</b>	<i>Zoom presentation CD 1<sup>st</sup> Print</i>
	17	Whickham Photographic Society Visit	<b>Whickham CC</b>	
	24	Night Photography – Techniques and planning	<b>Members</b>	
	31	Night Photography Practical	<b>Members</b>	
<b>November</b>	7	Competition Results – 1 <sup>st</sup> Print	<b>Alan Wilson</b>	
	14	An evening with Sebastiao Salgado	<b>Dave Best</b>	<i>CD 2<sup>nd</sup> PDI</i>
	21	Landscape Photography	<b>Peter Wilkinson</b>	
	28	An evening with Will Cheung	<b>Will Cheung</b>	
<b>December</b>	5	Competition Results – 2 <sup>nd</sup> PDI	<b>Stephen Fowler</b>	<i>CD 2<sup>nd</sup> Print</i>
	12	The NHS Darkroom	<b>Johannah Churchill</b>	
	19	Christmas Meal		
	26	Christmas Break		
<b>January</b>	2	Competition Results – 2 <sup>nd</sup> Print	<b>Alan Porrett</b>	
	9	Remembering Danny Brannigan	<b>Gerry Stephens</b>	<i>CD 3<sup>rd</sup> PDI</i>
	16	My top ten images	<b>Member</b>	
	23	Abandoned Architecture	<b>James Kerwin</b>	<i>Zoom presentation</i>
	30	Flower Photography	<b>Cherry Larcombe</b>	<i>Zoom presentation</i>
<b>February</b>	6	Competition Results – 3 <sup>rd</sup> PDI	<b>Tony Broom</b>	
	13	Image Focus Stacking - practical	<b>Members</b>	<i>CD 3<sup>rd</sup> Print</i>
	20	Smartphone Photography	<b>Jeanette Ledon</b>	
	27	Image assessment - external	<b>TBA</b>	<i>Zoom</i>
<b>March</b>	5	Competition Results – 3 <sup>rd</sup> Print	<b>Joe Sheridan</b>	<i>CD POTY</i>
	12	Light Painting – the basics	<b>Members</b>	<i>CD Internal PDI</i>
	19	AV theme night	<b>Members</b>	
	22	HPS visiting Whickham CC		
	26	Landscapes – post processing	<b>Ken Rennie</b>	
<b>April</b>	2	Print of the Year	<b>Richard Spiers</b>	
	9	President's Night	<b>Kevin Hilton</b>	
	16	AGM and Internal PDI Competition Results	<b>Members</b>	
	23	Society Awards Night Stereoscopy	<b>Denis Pellerin</b>	<i>At the Forum Cinema, Hexham</i>

**INTERNAL PDI COMPETITION THEME: 'The Morton Charlton Archive Project'**

Closing date for entries is March 12<sup>th</sup> 2023.

## Council Members

President:	<b>Kevin Hilton</b>
Vice President:	<b>Dave Strother</b>
Past President:	<b>Gerry Stephens</b>
Secretary:	<b>Pat Johnston</b>
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Syllabus:	<b>Dave Best</b>
Social Inclusion:	<b>Dave Strother</b>
Exhibitions:	<b>Graham Bradshaw</b>
Internal Competitions: (externally judged)	<b>Val Johnston</b>
Internal Competition: (internally judged)	<b>Stephen Smith</b>
External Competitions:	<b>Vacant</b>
<b>Committee Members:</b>	<b>Verity Johnson</b>
	<b>Jane Waitt</b>
	<b>Duncan Burridge</b>
	<b>Rob Halliburton</b>

## Competitions 2023-2024

### Submission Deadlines

1 <sup>st</sup> Print	10 <sup>th</sup> October 2023
2 <sup>nd</sup> Print	12 <sup>th</sup> December 2023
3 <sup>rd</sup> Print	13 <sup>th</sup> February 2024
1 <sup>st</sup> PDI	5 <sup>th</sup> September 2023
2 <sup>nd</sup> PDI	14 <sup>th</sup> November 2023
3 <sup>rd</sup> PDI	9 <sup>th</sup> January 2024
Internal PDI	12 <sup>th</sup> March 2024
POTY	5 <sup>th</sup> March 2024

Founded in 1947, our Society is one of the longest established in Northumberland.

Our Membership comprises a range of abilities from beginners to accredited and professional photographers.

Our syllabus provides a wide range of speakers who discuss their work, photographic techniques, and present examples of their images in print or as projected digital images.

We organise workshops and assignments to help our members develop their photographic skills. We run internal competitions for members as well as encouraging them to enter inter-club, regional and national competitions.

Members can also share their photographic work with our community through exhibitions and articles in the local press.

If anyone is interested in joining us, you are invited to come along and experience a couple of our Tuesday night meetings before you make a commitment

Hexham and District Photographic Society supports the **Camera Donation Project**, which supplies unused digital and film cameras to local schools and community groups.

For more information:  
[www.cameradonationproject.org](http://www.cameradonationproject.org)



## 2023 – 2024 Season Syllabus

**Meetings held  
Tuesday evenings  
at 7.30 pm  
from September to April  
at  
The Torch Centre  
Corbridge Road  
Hexham NE46 1QS**

**Annual Membership Fee: £50**

For more details

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