



INTER-CLUB PRINT CHAMPIONSHIP

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The Twenty-Fifth Inter-Club Print Championship

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Master of All He Surveys by Laurie Campbell. (Best Individual Colour Print)



Unstoppable by Jennifer Willis. (Best Individual Monochrome Print)

Welcome to the 25th Celebration of the PAGB Inter-Club Print Championship.

Welcome to the 2022 PAGB Inter-Club Print Championship. We had to cancel the 2020 event and run a truncated version in 2021, but we're now back to our usual format in the excellent setting of Westholme School's Croston Theatre and the Print Championship Committee is delighted to be able to run a full print competition. Those of you who are regular readers of PAGB e-news (as I'm sure you all are) will recently have read the words of Leigh Preston, "*Printing is simply a way of interpreting what you took with your camera, but important as a means of personal expression. Recapturing what you felt when you pressed the shutter. A voyage of discovery in the art of the possible*". This Print Championship is a wonderful opportunity for us all to join in in the voyage of discovery in the art of photography.

David Smith, Chair, PAGB Inter-Club Print Championship Committee

Chapter Six, Deepings C.C and Monmouth P.C are the 217th, 218th and 219th Clubs to have achieved the honour of participating in this event. A very warm welcome to them and to all of the 34 competing Clubs.

Just being here is a considerable achievement that many other clubs dream of emulating and our Chairman, David Smith, even has a prize for the Best Rookie, a Club participating for the first time!

Our thanks are due to everyone who has helped organize this event. Especially, our thanks go to **Permajet** who continue to Sponsor the Championship and to our new insurance brokers, **Hive**, who support this and other events.

The John Robb Quaich is awarded to the Champion Club

The John Robb Quaich is presented in memory of a weel-loved Scottish photographer. A Quaich pronounced, as nearly as a non-Scot can manage, kwaik is a shallow bowl, originally made of bone or wood, but now more commonly crafted in pewter. It was used by Scottish Highlanders to eat their brose or sup their whisky. Dumfries C.C. has once again donated a bottle of the "good stuff", so that the winners can properly toast their success. Should the Quaich come into your keeping please don't clean it with polish - or anything that might spoil the dram!

The Terry Chapman Plate is awarded to the winners of the Plate Competition.

Terry was a tireless and enthusiastic organiser who left his mark on organised amateur photography. We miss him still and this trophy is awarded in his memory.



Catchlight Camera Club with the PAGB President and their impressive haul of Trophies.

	<i>R</i> INDICATES "ROOKIE" – A CLUB COMPETING FOR THE FIRST TIME IN THIS CHAMPIONSHIP		ROUND ONE SCORE	PLATE SCORE	FINAL SCORE
AB	Catchlight Camera Club	NIPA	158		201 (1)
BJ	Rolls-Royce Derby Photo Society	NEMPF	154		199 (2)
AA	Smethwick Photographic Society	MCPF	152		196 (3)
AD	Wigan 10 Foto Club	LCPU	155		195 (4)
BF	Photographic Imaging Co-operative	EAF	148		191 (5)
BG	Chorley Photographic Society	LCPU	150		187 (6)
AG	Arden Photo Group	MCPF	160		186 (7=)
AT	Beyond Group	EAF	148		186 (7=)
AY	North Cheshire Photo Society	LCPU	148		184 (9)
AE	Chapter Six R	MCPF	147	100	
BD	Tenby and District Camera Club	WPF	137	99	
AR	Dumfries Camera Club	SPF	143	97	
BE	Bristol Photographic Society	WCPF	140	97	
AF	Northallerton Camera Club	NCPF	137	97	
AC	Watford Camera Club	CACC	130	97	
AJ	Beeston Camera Club	NEMPF	141	96	
AX	Dorchester Camera Club	WCPF	137	95	
BA	Wrekin Arts Photography Club	MCPF	137	95	
AL	Huddersfield Photo Imaging Club	YPU	136	95	
AV	Amersham Photographic Society	CACC	133	95	
BH	Deepings Camera Club R	NEMPF	143	94	
AZ	Carlake Camera Club	SPF	136	94	
AW	Mold Camera Club	NWPA	130	94	
BC	Ware and District Photo Society	EAF	129	94	
AP	Woking Photographic Society	SPA	127	94	
AH	Chelmsford Camera Club	EAF	143	93	
AK	Chichester Camera Club	SCPF	136	92	
BL	Nonpareil	WCPF	129	92	
AS	Southampton Camera Club	SCPF	135	90	
BN	Ilkley Camera Club	YPU	134	90	
BM	Monmouth Photographic Club R	WPF	131	87	
AN	Gosforth Camera Club	NCPF	131	84	
AM	Conwy Camera Club	NWPA	118	84	
BK	Bookham Camera Club	SPA	126	82	

THE TOP 8 CLUBS AND ANY TIED FOR 8th PLACE, PLUS THE WINNERS OF THE PLATE COMPETITION, AUTOMATICALLY QUALIFY FOR AN INVITATION TO NEXT YEAR'S PRINT CHAMPIONSHIP, IN ADDITION TO THE TWO CLUBS NOMINATED BY EACH FEDERATION.

Catchlight Camera Club - Final Round Winning Entry



A Picture of Determination - Jennifer Wills.jpg



Aint that a kick in the Teeth - William Strain.jpg



Alaskan Coastal Bear cub - Pamela Wilson.jpg



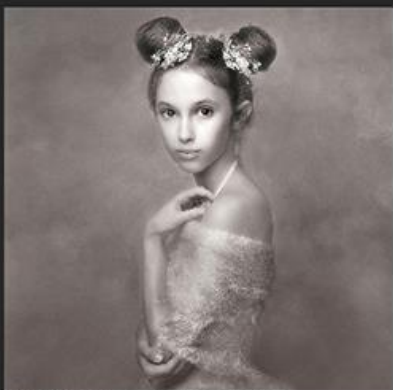
Bobby Bo Leo McCourt.jpg



Double Trouble - Jennifer Wills.jpg



Eastern Promise - Ross McKelvey.jpg



Girl with Piercing Eyes - Laurie Campbell.jpg



GreenFinches Squabble - Ross McKelvey.jpg



Hitching a Ride - Laurie Campbell.jpg



kerry cottage - Roger Eager.jpg



Master of All He Surveys - Laurie Campbell.jpg



Mr Cool - Ross McKelvey.jpg



Nutcrackers - Pamela Wilson.jpg



Sandwiched - Jennifer Wills.jpg



Unstoppable_Jennifer Wills.jpg

The Champions

CATCHLIGHT CAMERA CLUB
NIPA

The John Robb Quaich plus a PAGB Gold Medal

Runners-Up

ROLLS ROYCE (DERBY) P.S.
N&EMPF

PAGB Silver Medal

Third Place

SMETHWICK PHOTO SOCIETY
MCPF

PAGB Silver Medal

**Plate
Winners**

PAGB Silver Medal

CHAPTER SIX
MCPF

Best "Rookie"

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**"Backroom"
Award**

Blue Tit with Nesting Material by Jane Lee
Dorchester C.C.

Gwen Charnock Personal Choice - PAGB Silver Medals

1. Colour

2. Mono

Reverse Half Twist

by

David Keep RRPS

Name

Club

Melissa Booth Triple Jump

by

Colin Bradshaw PICO

Name

Club

Des Clinton Personal Choice - PAGB Silver Medals

3. Colour

4. Mono

Glossy Ibis with Grub

by

Mike Downton Dorchester

Name

Club

Horse Whisperer

by

Adrian Lines Chorley

Name

Club

Richard Speirs Personal Choice - PAGB Silver Medals

5. Colour

6. Mono

Jazz Singer Backstage

by

David Lowe Smethwick

Name

Club

Breaking Through

by

Roger Geldard Wigan 10

Name

Club

7. Best Colour Print – RW. Trophy & PAGB Gold Medal

Master of All He Surveys

by

Laurie Campbell Catchlight

Name

Club

8. Best Mono Print – RW. Trophy & PAGB Gold Medal

Unstoppable

by

Jennifer Willis Catchlight

Name

Club

Melissa Booth Triple Jump by Colin Bradshaw



Glossy Ibis with Grub by Tim Downton



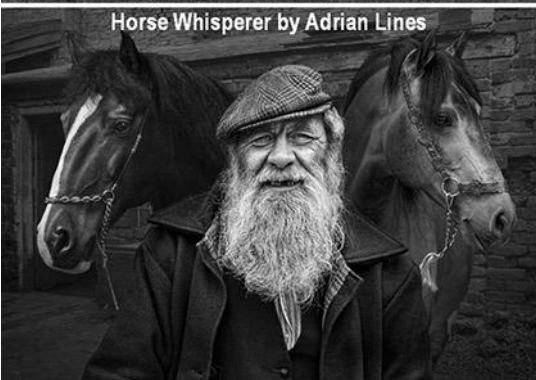
Jazz Singer Backstage-David Lowe



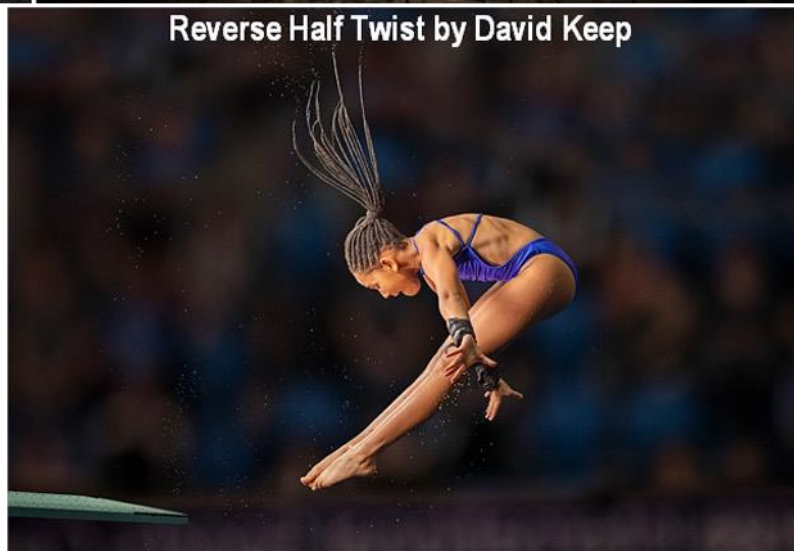
Breaking Through by Roger Geldard



Horse Whisperer by Adrian Lines



Reverse Half Twist by David Keep



MEDAL WINNERS



PREVIOUS CHAMPIONS.

1997	Smethwick P.S
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2000	Dumfries C.C.
2001	Solihull P.S.
2002	Smethwick P.S.
2003	Southport P.S.
2004	Smethwick P.S.
2005	Smethwick P.S.
2006	Smethwick P.S.
2007	Amersham P.S.
2008	Arden P.G. in their “rookie” year
2009	Wigan 10 F.C.
2010	Arden P.G.
2011	Arden P.G. and Edinburgh P.S.
2012	Wigan 10 F.C.
2013	Smethwick P.S.
2014	Dumfries C.C.
2015	Dumfries C.C. and Stafford P.S.
2016	Wigan 10 F.C.
2017	Cambridge C.C.
2018	Rolls Royce (Derby) P.S.
2019	Arden P.G.
2020	cancelled
2021	Catchlight C.C. and Smethwick P.S.

Clubs who haven't competed every year have an advantage that can outweigh past form and “Rookies” and others who are relatively new to the event, or who have “rested” for a few years, can draw on their full resource of prints, unrestrained by previous use in the Championship. It is tough for any Club to produce a competitive entry every year.

Of course, experience counts too and both CATCHLIGHT and SMETHWICK were keen to retain the title.

SMETHWICK has participated in every Print Championship and has featured in 23 of the 24 Finals, winning 8 times. DUMFRIES is the only other Club to have qualified for every Championship and has achieved 20 Final places, including wins in 2000, 2014 and 2015, whilst ARDEN, 2008, 2010 & 2011, is always strong, as are the Wigan 10, 2009 2012 & 2016, ROLLS ROYCE, 2018, and AMERSHAM, 2007, who all have a great track record. However, the competition is very open and there is no guarantee that the Winner will come from any of these these Clubs