

Donside Camera Club – Programme 2017 – 2018 Season

DATE	MEETING	COMPETITION HAND-IN
25 May 2017	Meet in the hall.	
29 Jun		
27 Jul		
31 Aug	Open evening – Introduction to photography – Brian Mercer	
<u>2017</u>	<u>Autumn / Winter / Spring</u>	
7 Sep	Induction evening. How to look after your camera – John Fowler	
14 Sep	Assignment 1 brief – Long exposure – Ron Southby. Macro workshop – Andy Bolsover	
21 Sep	Still life workshop – to be held at the Heritage Museum, 7pm for 7.30 – Lynette Gray, Alan Knox	
28 Sep	Invited speaker, Graham Dargie, Commercial photography and Speedlights	
5 Oct	SPF / Salon / PAGB approach to judging and scoring, Allan Gawthorpe	Assignment 1 hand in (digital) Club monthly competition hand in Orkney exchange hand in (digital)
12 Oct	Assignment 1 feedback – Ron Southby. Viewing images from an external competition.	SPF digital hand in
19 Oct	Club competition results. Judge Allan Gawthorpe	
Sat, 21 Oct	Bennachie workshop Practical workshop for members of the public. Bennachie Visitors Centre	
26 Oct	Portrait workshop – Lynette Gray	
2 Nov	“Ask the panel” – Dennis Scott, Ron Southby, Bob Humphreys	Club monthly competition hand in
Sun 5 Nov (TBC)	Bonfire night, date to be confirmed, possibly Saturday 4th	
9 Nov	Mice, mustelids and the magic of camera trapping – Rose Toney and Nick Littlewood	
16 Nov	Laptop evening, Photoshop layers – Brian Mercer	
Sat 18 Nov	Christmas Fair – Laura Smith	
23 Nov	Club competition results, external judge Howard Kennedy	
30 Nov	Invited speaker, Andy Hayes, Wildlife and Aviation	Club portrait competition hand in (digital)
7 Dec	Invited speaker, Ian Cameron, Landscape photographer	Deeside / Donside digital hand in (digital)
14 Dec	Assignment 2 brief – Macro – Andy Bolsover. Portrait competition results – Barbara Pickford. Social evening	
21 Dec	Christmas holidays - no meeting	
28 Dec	Christmas holidays - no meeting	

2018		
4 Jan 2018	It's a Knock Out - light-hearted print competition - bring one mounted print not seen previously, Dave Valentine	Club monthly competition hand in Assignment 2 hand-in (digital)
11 Jan	Orkney exchange - annual friendly competition – Robbie Gauld	PAGB small club hand in
18 Jan	Club competition results – External judge TBC	SPF print hand in
25 Jan	Assignment 2 feedback – Andy Bolsover. Burns' Night - members submit an image inspired by a Burns' poem	
1 Feb	Deeside/ Donside exchange evening. Meeting at Donside CC, in Alford.	Club monthly competition hand in
8 Feb	Assignment 3 brief – Diptych – two views of one subject – John Fowler. Also, “My Photography” - members talk about some of their images	
15 Feb	Club competition results. External judge Ian McCurrach	
22 Feb	10 images - present a subject of your choice with only 10 still images – John Fowler	Assignment 3 hand in (digital)
1 Mar	Invited speaker, Al Buntin, Composite images	
8 Mar	Assignment 3 feedback – John Fowler	Club monthly competition hand in
15 Mar	Practical session – follow-on from Al Buntin's visit – Andy Duff	Grampian Eye hand in (digital) Scottish Salon hand in (digital + prints)
22 Mar	Club competition results. External judge: Andy Hayes	
29 Mar	Sports night – Brian Mercer	Quaich competition hand in
5 Apr	Image of the year – external judge, Kevin McIntosh	
12 Apr	Malcolm Scott Quaich, Judge: Barbara Pickford, Subject: Ancient and modern	
19 Apr	AGM - the opportunity to shape your club	
26 Apr	Social evening & prize giving	
12 May	Grampian Eye, hosted by Westhill CC. Venue: Robert Gordon University, Sir Ian Wood Building, Garthdee. 9.30 am for a 10 am start. Judge: Malcolm McBeath from Kirriemuir	