

Croydon Camera Club Newsletter – 8 March 2020

Chairman's Viewpoint

In a couple of days, on 10 March, the club will be celebrating the 130th anniversary of our founding. It is a significant achievement; other clubs in the area have come and gone during the course of our history. Longevity does not guarantee the club a right to exist. It is only through the efforts of those willing to contribute, past and present, that we have reached this milestone. To them, we all owe our thanks.

The club's website has a lot of information about our history, including this short summary:

<http://croydoncameraclub.org.uk/ClubArchiveHome/ClubArchiveQuickHistory/ClubArchiveQuickHistory.htm>

There is a new addition to our ranks and we extend a warm welcome to Ken Thomas.

We had an enjoyable evening on Wednesday for our Practical Evening when Alice, Caroline (making a return visit) and Jamie posed for us. We would like to send some of the photos we took on the evening to our models and, separately, Mike West has sent details of how to submit your images.

Club Matters

Print Competition 3rd Round – 11 March 2020

This competition is now open in PhotoEntry for entries, with a closing date of midnight on Monday 9 March 2020. The judge will be Gerald Kitiyakara.

Links for PhotoEntry and Instructions

<https://compent.photoentry.uk/compent/>

<http://croydoncameraclub.org.uk/WebSiteArchive/PhotoEntryGuidance.pdf>

Wratten Lecture with Mark Bauer – 18 March 2020

The Wratten Lecture is named after the Wratten family who were prominent early members of the club and lent their name to the Wratten filters later marketed by Kodak. Mark Bauer is one of the UK's leading landscape photographers and his lecture is entitled "From Dawn to Dusk". It will examine how to exploit the changing light throughout the day in the landscape.

Tickets at £5 each are now on sale from David Beard. For further information about Mark and the lecture, see the post on our club's forum:

<http://forums.croydoncameraclub.org.uk/viewtopic.php?f=4&t=3365&p=15137#p15137>

Mike Farley

Chairman

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