

## **Camborne-Redruth Camera Club**

At the Camborne-Redruth Camera Club's meeting held at the Treleigh Church Hall last Thursday evening Reg Poad (Chairman) welcomed professional photographer Geoff Hitchens of St Ives to judge the Third Open Competition of its winter programme.

In his opening remarks Geoff said that he was very impressed with the overall high quality of the work presented to him to judge and how the Club has adapted to and embraced the new technology. In his commentary Geoff made it clear that the final results were purely his personal opinion and given a different judge the results could be quite different. He gave useful tips how some images could be improved and felt that more care should be taken with the treatment of backgrounds, which in some cases almost dominated the principal subject. He liked the ideas in many of the entries which could be developed further but was not so sure of those entries giving rise to the question 'Is it photography or is it art?'

### **Results – Intermediate Group**

#### Monochrome Prints

1. Kevin Leah 'Wheal Peevor'
2. Val Burtenshaw 'Just Married'
3. Jimmy Trethowan 'Carn Brea Castle'

#### Colour Prints

1. Kevin Leah 'Tulips'
2. Noel Ellis 'Physalis Seed'
- Jt 3. Val Burtenshaw 'Blue Candle & Vase'
- Jt 3. Jimmy Trethowan 'Eastern Dragon'

#### Projected Images – Monochrome

1. Kevin Leah 'I can see you'
2. Neil Keen 'Assembly Room'
3. Mike Adams 'Image on Canvas'

#### Projected Images – Colour

1. Val Burtenshaw 'Sleeping Beauty'
2. Kevin Leah 'Fungi'
- Jt 3. Mike Adams 'Robin'
- Jt 3. Val Burtenshaw 'Through the Fence'

### **Results – Advanced Group**

#### Monochrome Prints

1. Clive Kingsley 'Godrevy Winter'
2. Andy Davies 'The Engine House'
3. Jim Tarbox 'Dawn in the Rockies'

#### Colour Prints

1. Bob Morgan 'The Conversation'
2. Clive Kingsley 'Autumn – New Forest'
- Jt 3. Reg Poad 'Lapwing'
- Jt 3. Peter Keverne 'Fishing Boats – Polperro'

#### Projected Images – Monochrome

1. Clive Kingsley 'South Wheal Frances'
2. Andy Davies 'Truro at Dawn'
3. Jenny Goodman 'The Core Dome – Eden'

#### Projected Images – Colour

1. Clive Kingsley 'Godrevy Lighthouse'
2. Peter Keverne 'Close Racing'
3. Andy Davies 'Red Kite'
- H/Cs Mary Poad 'Love in the Mist'
- Clive Kingsley 'Halnaker Windmill'
- Barbara Jenkin 'City Centre'

Malcolm Jenkin (C-RCC President) thanked Geoff Hitchens for judging and appreciated the time and efforts he had made to get to the final results.

The evening finished with the showing of the High Scoring Images from the Cornwall Photographic Alliance's 2009 Charles Hosken Memorial Competition.

Tonight there will be no meeting at Treleigh as C-RCC will be away playing an Inter Club match with the Falmouth Camera Club.

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