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Waiting by Libby Smith, SPF, was awarded a Ribbon in the Inter-Federation PDI Competition 2013







Other Ribbons - Lady of the House by Nicholas Hill * Duel by Harish Chavda * Anybody There by Sofiya Finbow

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THE GB CUP IS CLOSING SOON http://www.thepagb.org.uk/

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Probably the biggest Inter-Club Photographic Competition in the World.

You don't have to be selected.

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You don't need to have entered before.

The GB Cup is open to EVERY Club who is a Member of a Federation Affiliated to the PAGB.

Every Club that enters will have it's work scored by a panel of the best judges around. There are Club and Individual Awards and each entrant Club gets a DVD of the very best work from the competition they enter. This will provide great entertainment for a complete evening. All this for a fee, subsidised from Sponsorship, of just £6 per Club per Competition!



There are Three Photographic Alliance GB Cup Competitions. The GB Cup (Open) is open to any Club that wishes to enter whilst the GB Cup (Small Clubs) is for those who cannot find enough entries from sufficient photographers for the Open competition. Size of membership is not important. It is how many photographers you have wishing to enter. There is also a specialist GB Cup (Nature) which has many individual awards including the "PAGB Nature Photographer" of the Year". Further explanation and the rules can be found on the website. DO IT NOW.

Entry closes 18 Jan 2014

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CLOSING DATE 2 FEBRUARY 2014



of photography

http://www.southamptoninternationalexhibition.co.uk/

INTER CLUB PRINT CHAMPIONSHIP – 25 OCTOBER 2014







Put the date in your diary now! Apart from one year when the heating failed we have been very happy at Connah's Quay in North Wales. However it is time to move and Edge Hill University, near Ormskirk, offers a great venue with a magnificent 400 seat tiered theatre. We have checked the mileage from many destinations all over the UK and almost all of you will have a shorter, quicker journey. The seats will be more comfortable and there is a great canteen/restaurant.

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Entry opens 1st February and closes 11th April 2014

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The Audio Visual Championship used to be jointly organised by the PAGB and the RPS but the RPS was unable to continue this and now run it as their own event. It retains Federation and Club competitions although the PAGB have no direct involvement.

Find out more at -

http://www.rps.org/group/National-AV-Championships



All photographs by John Smith

Montage by Peter Brown

RESULTS OF THE 18th NATIONAL AUDIO VISUAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

held on 14th & 15th September 2013

Jury ~ Keith Leedham FRPS EFIAP ~ Suzanne Gregory ARPS DPAGB ~ Robert Albright FRPS

18th National Audio Visual Champion ~ Malcolm Imhoff FRPS

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Placed	Seq.	No	Title	Author(s)
First		52	Soul Music	Malcolm Imhoff
Second		28	Grease, Gaskets and Gears	Keith & Kate Brown
Third		31	Special	Jeff Mansell & Howard Bagshaw
Highly Com	mended	05	A Very Special Job	Sheila Davies
Highly Com	mended	09	The Power of Memories	Richard Brown
Highly Com	mended	33	A Rich Legacy	Linda & Edgar Gibbs
Commende	d	29	Holsworthy Market	Shelia Haycox
Commende	d	43	Sarah's Window	Paul Miller
Commende	d	45	This Special Place	Martin Fry
Best First Time Entrant				
		51	The Match	Alastair Taylor
Audience Choice Vote				
Session 1		09	The Power of Memories	Richard Brown
Session 2		33	A Rich Legacy	Linda & Edgar Gibbs
Session 3		52	Soul Music	Malcolm Imhoff
Club Championship			Club	Federation
First			Wilmslow Guild AV Group	Lancashire & Cheshire PU

Second Leeds & District AV Group Yorkshire Photographic Union

Federation Championship

First Lancashire & Cheshire Photographic Union Second Midland Counties Photographic Federation

Third Yorkshire Photographic Union

Entry Statistics

Entries - 54 all of which contested the championship

The 54 entries were from 42 different Authors

7 of which were new Entrants.

Entries came from 23 different Photographic Societies/Clubs representing 12 of the 15 member Federations of the PAGB

Organising Committee ~ Chairman Keith Scott FRPS DPAGB AV-AFIAP Secretary Brian Jeffs FRPS DPAGB Treasurer Peter Brown DPAGB Honpagb Technical & Projectionist Graham Neville CPAGB

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THE MOTLEY APM CREW

This is the PAGB Team who organise and run the Awards for Photographic Merit in co-operation with a Host Federation.

Back row

Rod Wheelans MPAGB – APM Chairman Neil Smith DPAGB – Projectionist/Roadie Libby Smith MPAGB – Projectionist and sometimes Adjudicator

Leo Rich DPAGB – APM Secretary and Current PAGB President

Middle row

Richard Speirs DPAGB – APM Venue co-ordinator and sometimes Adjudicator Patricia Platt CPAGB – Scorer/computer Gordon Jenkins APAGB – Treasurer Floor

Anne Greiner MPAGB – Title Reader and sometimes Adjudicator



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Ribbon Winners in the Inter-Federation Competition 2013





Vespa Vulgaris by Martin Halley

Darwin's Heath by Ferrari Gianopiero













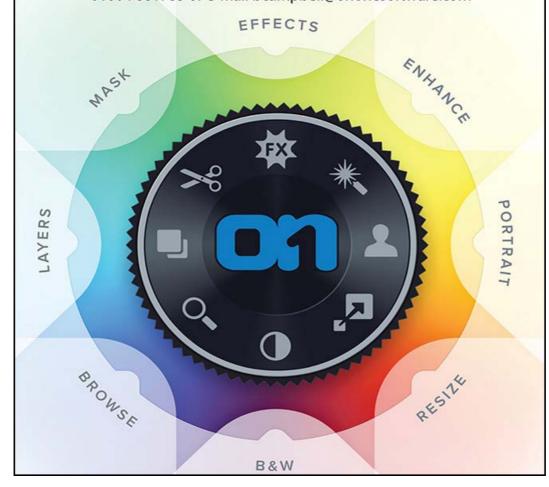






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