

Come and enjoy the excitement of Black & White Photography. At the Ringwood Black & White Camera Club, we hold **competitions, workshops and exhibitions**. Enjoy the company of our members, some who have more than 30 years experience. We encourage all ages from 16 plus amateurs to experienced photographers. Whether you take photographs with film or digital, bring them along for discussion and share in our passion for photography.

**New members are assigned a mentor** so our experienced club members can help you to advise you on how to get started or improve your photography and printing (film or digital). Various photographic activities are organised throughout the year; these vary from **day photographic excursions to weekends away** to nearby districts.

**Guest judges and speakers** are also invited to our club, thus providing access to a wider source of knowledge, ideas and inspiration.

For many years the club has been affiliated with the Victorian Association of Photographic Societies. This enables our club to participate in **inter-club competitions** and also keep up with the latest information about photography.

The club gives members the opportunity to **display their photographs** in local camera stores, cafes, libraries etc. promoting a selection of the work we produce.

Club competition entries are not restricted to photographers with their own darkroom facilities. All photos must be taken by the member concerned, but film developing and enlargements may be commercially processed.

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**2005-2006 COMMITTEE**

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# RINGWOOD

## Black & White

# CAMERA CLUB

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### PROGRAMME 2006

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### VISITORS ARE MOST WELCOME

#### Film & Digital Photography

- **Guest Speakers**
- **Outings**
- **Mentor Program for new Members**
- **Instructional Workshops**
- **Competitions and Exhibitions**

**Meetings are held from 8pm on the fourth Friday and Workshops on the Second Friday of each month** at the Heathmont Uniting Church Rooms, Canterbury Road, Heathmont. (a few doors uphill from the Heathmont Shopping Centre pedestrian lights Melways map 50, B11)

*A unique group of keen amateur photographers, enjoying their hobby of monochrome photography.*

Enquires: Mark AH: 9893 3921  
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**Jan 20<sup>th</sup>** Competitions: Open & Set  
Topic - "**Coastal**"

**Feb 10<sup>th</sup>** Workshop: Visit to FrameCo  
Trevor Penny

**Feb 24<sup>th</sup>** Competitions: Open & Set  
Topic - "**Funny Bones**"  
Guest Critic: Lindsay McColl

**March 10<sup>th</sup>** Workshop: Processing in  
Photoshop: Ron Cork

**March 24<sup>th</sup>** Competitions: Open & Set  
Topic - "**Architecture**"

**April 7<sup>th</sup>** Workshop:  
Portrait and Lighting  
Peter English  
*(Note 1<sup>st</sup> Friday instead of 2<sup>nd</sup>  
Friday due to Easter.)*

**April 28<sup>th</sup>** Competitions: Open & Set  
Topic "**Music**"  
Guest Critic: TBA

**May 12<sup>th</sup>** Workshop: Film Processing  
and print demo: John Tuckett

**May 26<sup>th</sup>** Competitions: Open & Set  
Topic "**Portrait**"

**May 31<sup>st</sup>** Special: Visit to Knox  
Photographic Society Meeting

**June 9<sup>th</sup>** Workshop: What to buy and  
how to use a digital camera  
Jason Woollard

**June 23<sup>rd</sup>** Annual General Meeting  
Competition: Open & Set  
Topic "**Corrosion or Decay**"  
Guest Critic: TBA

## Ringwood Black & White Camera Club Inc. Syllabus 2006

**July 2<sup>nd</sup>** (Sunday) Annual Dinner and Print of the  
Year competition

**July 14<sup>th</sup>** Workshop: TBA

**July 28<sup>th</sup>** Competitions: Open & Set  
Topic "**Humorous**"

**Aug 11<sup>th</sup>** Workshop: Toning prints –  
analogue and digital  
Jeff Rowe

**Aug 25<sup>th</sup>** Competitions: Open & Set  
Topic "**Fire, Smoke, Steam**"  
Guest Critic: TBA

**Sept 8<sup>th</sup>** Workshop: Etch bleaching  
Ian Block

**Sept 22<sup>nd</sup>** Competition: Open & Set  
Topic "**Animal(s)**"

**Oct 13<sup>th</sup>** Workshop: Camera flash  
exposed.

**Oct 27<sup>th</sup>** Competition: Open & Set  
Topic "**Alternate process**"  
Guest Critic: TBA

**Nov 10<sup>th</sup>** Workshop: Macro

**Nov 24<sup>th</sup>** Competitions: Open & Set  
Topic "**Flash lit subject**"  
Guest Critic: TBA

**Dec 8<sup>th</sup>** Christmas BBQ - Venue TBA  
Competitions: Open & Set  
Topic "**Macro or Tabletop**"

## Competition Program for 2007

<b>January</b>	"Food"
<b>February</b>	"Sport"
<b>March</b>	"Something Old"
<b>Alternate workshop</b>	Night shoot Location TBA

## Competitions

Entries should be brought to the meeting on the fourth Friday where they will be judged (scored) and a critique given on the same night. Club competition rules are available for your guidance.

## Outings and Functions

Additional outings and functions will be added to the Syllabus during the year. Any changes will be detailed in the Club's newsletter, "In Black & White", or at a preceding club meeting.

## Membership Benefits

Annual membership (\$40.00) includes a complementary 3 hour introductory workshop to Photoshop/Photoshop Elements. The workshop conducted by one of our members will assist new members wanting to learn some basic techniques in digital image editing, including how to convert colour images to black and white, improve contrast, sharpen and crop.

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