#### LPSC Programme up to March 2025

## 08/01/2025 "Tools Not Rules", with Caroline Preece (on ZOOM)

Caroline made a great impression on us when she judged our "People" competition last year. So much so, we invited her to bring us one of her own talks. Her objective tonight is to introduce us to a different way of thinking about photography and composition. *Whatever you do, DON'T miss it.* 

https://www.carolinepreecephotography.com/toolsnotrules

## 15/01/2025 Member's Presentations, Holiday snaps, etc (on ZOOM)

Tonight is your opportunity to shine by entertaining the rest of us (for say 10 minutes). Share your screen and show us some of your favourite images, or some recent record shots, or whatever. We've two hours to fill, so don't be shy - the more the merrier. *Hand-in Heat 4 of the annual PDI comp. (Any subject)* 

## 22/01/2025 "Awards for Photographic Merit (Vol 8 – 2024)", a PAGB recorded lecture (on ZOOM)

Some of our members already have a PAGB award for photographic merit. For the benefit of those hopeful to join them, this recorded lecture will explain the process and show us the standard required to achieve success at the many different levels.

## 29/01/2025 Heat 4 Judge for yourself – PDI of the year (on ZOOM)

Your votes will be used to promote some of our top images at the end of the year. Members fortunate enough to have more than 3 images in the final, will have to choose which 3 they want to keep. (Please make your selections by the 12/02/24)

#### 05/02/2025 "A little bit of Magic" - Before/After Show and Tell (on ZOOM) Tonight

we would like to see what improvements you can make to an original image. You can use some of your own originals or select from a shared pool. Your challenge is to share your screen and explain why you felt the original needed changing and how you went about doing it. (Pool images from the internet, will be shared at the start of 2025.)

# 12/02/2025 "Touching the Light", with Ken Scott, ARPS, APAGB, MBPsS (on ZOOM)

Ken's photography is probably best known for his work with mountain landscape and light, which spans over forty years of walking and mountaineering in Britain, and overseas in Corsica, the Pyrenees, Alps and North America. (He's an honary lifetime member of Steyning Camera Club in West Sussex) *Whatever you do, DON'T miss it.* <u>https://touchingthelight.co.uk</u>

## **19/02/2025 PDIOTY Final, with John Haines (on ZOOM)**

Over the course the last 12 months our PDI heats have identified tonight's top images. Only a select few have made it through to the final. Tonight we will find out which will be chosen as our "PDI of the Year".

Hand-in PDI's for next week's "Conservation Trophy"

## 26/02/2025 The Johnson Conservation Trophy, with Monica Doshi (on ZOOM)

LPSC has a strong cohort of natural history photographers and the Johnson Conservation Trophy is their most coveted prize. Our judge tonight has the unenviable task of selecting just one winner from what's bound to be a strong field.

https://www.facebook.com/MonicaDoshiPhotography/ https://www.instagram.com/mdee\_photos/

## 05/03/2025 2024 Rushden Open

Tonight we are back at the Church hall and will get to see and discuss some superb images from the award winners and accepted entries of the 2024 Rushden open.

**12/03/2025** Home battle vs Dunchurch PS, judged by Malcolm Cook The usual print and PDI match, but with matchless comments from Malcolm.

## 19/03/2025 President's Evening

#### 26/03/2025 AGM

It's the appropriate time to make your input into the club's future direction, plus thanking those members who've served the club over the last 12 months and to offer your support for the next 12.

#### 02/04/2025 "Still Life, our way", with Jules and Phil

A **live demo** of how Julie Holbeche-Maunde ARPS CPAGB BPE2 and Phil Mallin LRPS CPAGB BPE2 go about making their stunning "Still Life" images. This is a MUST see evening.

https://www.sandalwoodpictures.co.uk/

## 09/04/2025 Portraiture Session – bring your cameras

Hand-in for "Street"

**16/04/2025 1st Set-Subject PDI Competition ''Street''** An internal PDI competition (up to 3 entries per member) judged by ourselves.

23/04/2025 A/V Night

More entertaining Audio Visual sequences, courtesy of the "Beechbrook" website. Hand in Heat 1 of the annual PDI comp. (Any subject)

#### 30/04/2025 "Uniquely Zimanga", with Jayne Hutchings

This is sure to be a special evening with Jayne's images from the renowned KwaZulu-Natal game reserve, specially designed for wildlife photographers.

#### 07/05/2025 Heat 1 Judge for yourself – PDI of the year

Your votes will be used to promote some of our top images at the end of the year.

#### 14/05/2024 Summer social, at a venue with a Pub.

#### Summer Break