

Eden Valley Camera Club

PROGRAMME: January to April 2025

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Monday 6th January—**POSTPONED**

'From Street to Nature Photography' with Alan Walker

Alan returns with a presentation about his photographic journey that covers over 50 years. <https://www.alanwalkerphotography.co.uk>

Monday 13th January

'Practical Session—using coloured card to create patterns and abstracts.

Bring your camera / tripod & mobile phones !!!

Monday 20th January

'Creating an Audio Visual Presentation' - offers please to lead this session

Monday 27th January

'The Joy of being uncreative' with Maybritt Haag

Danish photographer, Maybritt, now living in Penrith, says that all her life she was told that she wasn't creative—as she never fitted into the box of society's definition of 'Creative'. She believed this until photography & technology showed her something different. <https://www.edenvalleyartisticnetwork.co.uk/maybritt-haag/>

Monday 3rd February

'Winter Challenge: 'Industry v Nature'

Set by Denise—bring 3 jpegs—hopefully taken in response to the challenge!!

Monday 10th February –**Practical Session—Self Portraits'**

Bring tripods/ mirror/s +anything to make the Self-[portrait quirky (if desired!)

Monday 17th February

'The Lake District by Day & Night' with Mark Hetherington

Joss Mark is a landscape photographer based in Penrith. Brought up in Cumbria since a child, he aims to share the natural beauty of the Lake District landscape where he grew up and spent many years walking, running & climbing. Since 2019 he has dedicated his time to capturing the Lake District 's stunning landscape. This is his first talk to a Camera Club & he is putting to a presentation for the first time.

<https://markhetherington.com>

Monday 24th February

‘Practical Session—Abstracts’

Bring items eg with textures/ perspectives - be creative

Monday 3rd March

‘Club Challenge—take 3 sets of photos, each of which should have 1 taken on a mobile & the other on a digital camera’

Idea is to compare and see differences or not!!

Monday 10th March

‘Basics of Digital Photography’ with Richard Spiers Richard has contributed to our Club’s photographic journey/ learning since we first started 10 years ago. He is offering an up to date version of what he feels are the important basics, together examples from his own recent photography.

Monday 17th March

‘The Collaborative Approach’ with - Natasha J Bella

Natasha says “when all the elements of a creative production align: the photographer; model; set; lighting; and wardrobe, it just clicks. That’s what I love to help photographers achieve.” |<https://www.natashajbella.co.uk/>

Monday 24th March

‘My Way’ with Linda Haney

Linda visited the club last season with a fascinating glimpse at the creative work from taking photos of animals at Chester Zoo, & then combining often several images to create some unique imagery. .

Monday 31st March

Portrait session—using continuous light—led by Barrie

Monday 7th April

‘Software Tutorials’ with Photoshop/Lightroom & Affinity

Monday 14th April

‘Tales of the Unexpected’ with Carrie Calvert

Carrie says “o many times I go out with my camera looking for one thing and find another..it's awesome when that happens but you have to be able to change your settings pretty quickly!!!! Or I go out expecting nothing at all in the rain. and all sorts turn up out of the blue.”

MONDAY 21st APRIL_ NO SESSION _ EASTER MONDAY

Monday 28th April

‘Image of the Year’ - judged by Alan Walker To be confirmed