# The 16th National Audio Visual Championships



19th & 20th September 2009

# Programme

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# WELCOME TO THE 16th NATIONAL AUDIO VISUAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

#### From the Chairman of NAVC Organising Committee Peter Brown ARPS DPAGB Hon. PAGB

It is my pleasure to welcome you to the Premier Inn at Braunstone Town Leicestershire for the 16th National AV Championships. A new venue again for the championships, since leaving Sutton Bonington we have not been able to find a permanent suitable venue that will enable us to continue holding the championships there.

As you are aware the organising committee took the bold step to move to the 1400 x 1050 for projection. We were asked 'why have you done this, all other AV festivals are 1024 x 768', technology marches on apace, some one has to take the first step forward, and we believe it should be the major events that lead the way, and not the clubs, otherwise it would be like 'the tail wagging the dog'. The PAGB has generously loaned us their new projector and a laptop, I have seen this projector in action onto a 12ft screen and I have to say I was most impressed, I hope that you will be also.

We received an excellent entry of 73, which created more overall time that we could squeeze into the four planned projection sessions. Once again the committee had to think and act quickly, and decided that we would have to pre-select the entries. The three of us have generated enough experience in AV over the past 30 years, to know what is up to National exhibition standard. We spent considerable time viewing the entries so as to remove only those not up to 'Nationals' standards and to fit our time schedule.

We thank you for supporting us either by entering and/or attending in an attempt to make this event a success. Last January when the person responsible for the technical side of the event resigned, it created a very difficult decision for Brian and I; do we try and organise an event planned for 140 miles north or do we find a suitable venue on our doorstep. Graham Neville agreed to take on the responsibility of the technical side, and the Premier Inn fitted our needs as a venue, so here we are today. We the organising committee hope that those of you who have attended the festival enjoy it, should you have any complaints please tell us now, don't let everyone read about them in AV News, when it is too late for us to try and rectify them.

Peter Brown ~ Chairman & Treasurer
Brian Jeffs ~ Secretary Graham Neville ~ Technical.

#### THE 16th NATIONAL A-V CHAMPIONSHIPS JURY

#### Keith Scott FRPS DPAGB AV-AFIAP ~ Chairman of the Jury

Currently Chairman of the Royal Photographic Society Audio-Visual Group, also an active member and past President of the Leeds & District Audio-Visual Group, and member and past President of Howden Camera Club where he has been involved for over forty years and where he was first introduced to slide tape in the early 1970's. He has won gold, silver & bronze awards at international and national audio-visual events, and has been an active lecturer and judge for the Yorkshire PU for over 30 years, now concentrating solely on audio-visual. He is



delighted to be involved in the Nationals and looks forward to seeing the best sequences the nation can offer and to working with Howard and John.

#### John Rowell ARPS DPAGB



John's interest in photography goes back as long as he can remember. He shares his love of photography with a love of wild places. His camera has taken him throughout the mountains of North Wales, The Lakes and Scotland to the greater ranges of The Himalaya, The Andes, The Atlas and The Sierra. Along the way John has gained a deep respect for the culture and people who inhabit these mountain areas and has strived to capture images of them. John is never happier than when he is wandering his home mountains of Wales trying to capture 'Magical

Light'. He is also a member of the The Royal Photographic Society. He was awarded his ARPS in 2004 and his DPAGB 2005. Both of these were in AV. John's philosophy in AV is " If I can communicate in a single shot what I want to say then that is sacrosanct, AV takes over when I can not.

# **Howard Gregory**

From early teenage onwards he has dabbled in photography – monochrome, cine and 35mm. In 1975 he returned to his native North West. Sharing an office with two photographers, he bought his first SLR and was soon onto the committee of the firm's photographic society. It was here, in the early '80s, that he first saw A-V and realised the possibilities of enhancing his sound programmes with pictures. He was a regular speaker at the Platt Chapel A-V days, and eventually one of the four founder members of the Wilmslow Guild A-V Group.



He and his partner Suzanne were recording, editing and mixing soundtracks digitally well before domestic computers were fitted with soundcards, let alone CD drives. He has written over 200 articles for magazines, and, in 2006 was awarded the Dobson Henry medal for services to A-V. He is looking forward to learning from his fellow judges and will be looking for a well-structured sequence that communicates clearly, and listening for a well-recorded and structured soundtrack of a quality commensurate with the pictures.

#### 16th NAVC WEEKEND TIMETABLE

#### Friday 18th September

7.30 RPS AV Group Annual General Meeting

#### Saturday 19th September

9.30 am First Projection Session Refreshment Break

30 minutes later First Projection Session continues

1.00 pm Lunch ~ Buffet

2.30 pm Second Projection Session

3.45 pm approx Refreshment Break

30 minutes later Second Projection continues

7.30 for 8.00 pm Gala Dinner - Premier Restaurant

#### **Sunday 20th September**

9.30 am
Third Projection Session
Refreshments Break
Third Projection Session continues
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All projection sessions will be in the Premier Inn's Houghton Suite All Refreshment breaks will be served in the adjacent corridor All Buffet Lunches and the Gala Dinner will be in the Restaurant

#### **Bar Service:**

There is a bar within the Premier Inn, which will be open at lunch times and on Friday and Saturday evenings until 12 midnight.

## **Important Information:**

Please wear your name badge at all times;

no badge means no refreshments.

Entry into the Houghton Suite will not being permitted during the projection of a sequence.

Please do not interrupt the Jury or the Projection team, if you have any problems please contact Peter Brown (at any time) or Brian Jeffs (during breaks) who will endeavour to help you.

#### **ENTRIES AND PROJECTION SESSIONS**

#### Saturday 19th September ~ First Projection Session ~ 9.30am # Indicates First Time Entrant

01	The Wilderbeast Trail	Len Deeley	Mid Thames AVG	
02	As delicate as a butterfly	Philip Barker	Wilmslow Guild AVG	L&CPU
03	Wish you were here	Christine & John Hales #	Kingsbridge & Dist CC	WCPF
04	Howarth, Past & Present	Peter Brown	East Midlands AVG	MCPF
05	Beyond Hosta Frost	Peter Coles	Leeds AVG	YPU
06	Kirkstall Abbey	Tony Collinson #	Leeds AVG	YPU
07	Oranges and Lemons	Dave Wilcox	Essex AVG	EAF
08	Chariots of Fire	Peter Lucas & Peggy Franks	East Midlands AVG	MCPF
09	The Boathouse	Mike Woolnough	Essex AVG	EAF
	Refreshment Break			
10	Photographing Irish Seabirds	Sheila Haycox #	Exmouth Photo Group	WCPF
11	Imagination	Michael Brown #	Leeds AVG	YPU
12	She Sells Seashells	Jose & John Currant #	East Midlands AVG	MCPF
13	The Legacy	Robert Albright	WAVES	WCPF
14	Vision Fulfilled	David Johnson #	East Midlands AVG	MCPF
15	Do you love it or hate it?	Jake Pursey #	Essex AVG	EAF
16	Mysts of Avalon	Eddie Spence	Leeds AVG	YPU
17	Tough Guy	Howard Bagshaw #	Stafford PS	MCPF
18	Ballet Dancers of the Fuschia	Bob Brisley #	Folkestone CC	KCPA

# Saturday 19th September ~ Second Projection Session ~ 2.30pm # Indicates First Time Entrant

19	Gettysburg 1863	John Holt #	Wolverhampton PS	MCPF
20	All Ice in Wonderland	Ian Johnson	Kempston CC	EAF
21	The Garden Shed	Harry Hunt #	Wolverhampton PS	MCPF
22	Arthur's Secret	Sheila Davies #	West Lancs AVG	L&CPU
23	Snow Season	Michael Brown #	Leeds AVG	YPU
24	The Dash	Beth Elston #	East Midlands AVG	MCPF
25	A Belfast Tale	Raymond Hughes	Merville Newtownabbey PC	NIPA
26	A Case for Conan Doyle	Jeff Mansell & Phil Gee #	Stafford AVG	MCPF
27	Connecting	Alan Bootham	Newton Abbot PC	WCPF
	Refreshment Break			
28	Hong Kong	Bob Brisley #	Folkstone CC	KCPA
29	Show me Heaven	Keith Leedham	Essex AVG	EAF
30	The Art of the Isles of Scilly	Tony Collinson #	Leeds AVG	YPU
31	The Glory of the Garden	Jose & John Currant #	East Midlands AVG	MCPF
32	Fire Kindled	Martin Fry	Cheltenham CC	MCPF
33	An African Alphabet	Lee Broderick #	Derby City PC	N&EMPF
34	A Venetian Experience	James Nicholson #	Leighton Buzzard PC	CACC
35	The Stain in the Snow	Malcolm Imhoff	East Midlands AVG	MCPF
36	There's a first time for everything	Kate Brown	Sheffield PS	YPU

#### Sunday 20th September ~ Third Projection Session ~ 9.30am # Indicates First Time Entrant

37	Perhaps	Valerie Rawlings	WAVES	WCPF
38	And Never Cackled	Richard Brown	Fentham PS	MCPF
39	Hidden Depths	Len Deeley	Mid Thames AVG	
40	The Flush of Spring	David Pickford	Donside CC	SPF
41	Isadora's Legacy	Eddie Spence	Leeds AVG	YPU
42	The Colour Thief	Jill Bunting	Wilmslow Guild AVG	L&CPU
43	The Mist and the Rime	David Firth #	Leeds AVG	YPU
44	The Dual	Bryan Stubbs	Leeds AVG	YPU
	Refreshment Break ~ 30 Minutes			
45	Sudursveit	Howard Bagshaw #	Stafford PS	MCPF
46	Remembering	Maureen Albright	WAVES	WCPF
47	Canary Wharf	Graham Neville & Martin Janes	Leicester & Leics PS	MCPF
48	All for the Silver Darlings	David Clark	Banff Art Club (Photo Sec)	SPF
49	Reflections of War	Viv Woolnough	Essex AVG	EAF
50	Ship of the Fens	Sandra Johnson #	East Midlands AVG	MCPF
51	The Gathering	Ian Bateman	Wantage CC	CACC
52	Top of Europe	Dick Williams	Essex AVG	EAF
53	A Love Affair	Maggie & Malcolm Imhoff	East Midlands AVG	MCPF

Wilmslow Guild AVG

L&CPU

Lunch Break ~ Premier Restaurant

All Stations To

#### Sunday 20th September ~ Fourth Projection Session ~ 2.30pm # Indicates First Time Entrant

Philip Barker

55	Lincoln—The Cathedral	Clare Laflin #	Lincoln CC	N&EMPF
56	Eternity	Peter Coles	Leeds AVG	YPU
57	The Quiet One	Keith Brown	Sheffield PS	YPU
58	Clarity	Carol & Dave Gillow	Leighton Buzzard PC	CACC
59	Postman's Park	Keith Biggs	Overton PC	SoPF
60	Mountain Man	David Pickford	Donside CC	SPF
61	Michael	Keith Leedham	Essex AVG	EAF
62	Talbot House	Linda & Edgar Gibbs	Gwynfa CC	WPF
63	Camborne Steam Festival	Martin Fry	Cheltenham CC	MCPF

Refreshment Break

#### Sunday 20th September ~ Results and Presentation of the Awards ~ 5.00pm

Page 11 ~ The Results page and the Awards in contention for you to complete

# THE CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP TABLE

The Club Championship will be decided on the average points from the best 5 entries from the club, a minimum of 3 entrants per club is required to qualify, not more than 2 sequences per author to be consid-

## Points awarded for the Club and Federation Championships

1st Prize	10	points	All other Awards,		
2nd Prize	8	points	HC & Commended	4	points
3rd Prize	6	points	All other entries	1	point

Club	Entrant & Seq. Identifica	tion	Club	Entrant & Seq. Identificati		
East Midlands A-V Group	Brown P Lucas/Franks P/P Currant J&J Johnson D Elston B Currant J&J Imhoff Mal Johnson S Imhoff Mag	04 08 12 14 24 31 35 50	Leeds A-V Group	Coles P Collinson T Brown M Spence E Brown M Collinson T Spence E Firth D Stubbs B Coles P	05 06 11 16 23 30 41 43 44 56	
Essex A-V Group	Wilcox D Woolnough M Pursey J Leedham K Woolnough V Williams R Leedham K	07 09 15 29 49 52 61				

#### THE FEDERATION ENTRIES TABLE

The Federation Championship will be decided on the average points from the best 5 entries from 5 different entrants, and from a minimum of two different clubs. The entrant is the first named on the entry form.

No entries were received from: NCPF - NWPA - SPA
Insufficient entries were received from: CACC - L&CPU - KCPA
N&EMPF - NIPA - SPF - SoPF - WPF

Federation	EAF	MCPF	WCPF	YPU
No. Clubs	2	6	4	2
No. Entrants	7	15	6	7
No. seq. Entered	8	18	6	12
Sequence	07	04	03	05
Identification	09	08	10	06
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# HISTORY OF THE INDIVIDUAL CHAMPIONS

Year	Champion	Sequence
1980	Richard Brown	The City
1982	A ~ Irene Clark B ~ Walter Jones Triangle ~ Mike Woolnough	In Bluebell Wood Dream Cottage Las Vagas
1983	Doreen Pollock	One Brief Moment
1985	Colin Balls	Who Can Deny Them Tomorrow
1987	Norman Veale	Monsieur Maurice
1989	Doug Mackerell	IKB
1991	Peter Coles	Jill is Still
1993	Alan Green	When the Grass was Greener
1995	Mollie McConaghy	The Rocks Remain
1997	Norman Veale	The Dance Band Days
1999	Colin Balls	This is a Town
2001	Keith Leedham	Still Waters Run Deep
2003	Sheelagh Peel & Peter Coles	Sarah
2005	S/T ~ Mollie McConaghy	A Basket of Eggs
	Digital ~ Ron Davies	Hedd Wyn
2007	Keith Leedham	Slainte Mhath

# HISTORY OF THE CHAMPION CLUBS and FEDERATIONS

Year	Champion Club	<b>Champion Federation</b>
1980		Central Association of PC
	(1980 Feds entered a sequence, winnin	ig seq 'The Great British Diaporama'
		by Tom Hart & Tony Troman)
1982		Central Association of PC
1983		Central Association of PC
1985		Lancashire & Cheshire PU
1987	Cheltenham Camera Club	Northern Ireland PA
1989	Leeds & District AV Group	Lancashire & Cheshire PU
1991	Leeds & District AV Group	Yorkshire PU
1993	Manchester AP Society	Yorkshire PU
1995	Wilmslow Guild AV Group	Midland Counties PF
1997	Wilmslow Guild AV Group	Midland Counties PF
1999	Wilmslow Guild AV Group	Lancashire & Cheshire PU
2001	Wilmslow Guild AV Group	Lancashire & Cheshire PU
2003	Wilmslow Guild AV Group	Lancashire & Cheshire PU
2005	Wilmslow Guild AV Group	Lancashire & Cheshire P
2007	Wilmslow Guild AV Group	Yorkshire PU

# THE RESULTS PAGE

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3rd ~ RPS Bronze Medal 457 Question A - Blog	11
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3 Highly Commended ~ NAVC Plaque # 38 Never Cachel R.E	ma
1 Commended ~ RPS Ribbon (5) Gathery I an Ball	dre
2 Commended ~ RPS Ribbon 4 5 Beyond Anth York Pite (	de
3 Commended ~ RPS Ribbon # 22 Ala Sceret S. Dan	iles
Best First Time Entrant  RPS AV Group 'Pollock' Medal #17 Tunh Guy Howard B	re)her
Audience Choice Vote	
1st Session ~ PAGB Ribbon / FGACY & Albuyle /	3
2nd Session ~ PAGB Ribbon Ala JECRET DOWN 2	2
3rd Session ~ PAGB Ribbon	
4th Session ~ PAGB Ribbon JALBOT / GMM C	1
Champion Club	
1st ~ PAGB Gold Medal	
2nd ~ PAGB Siler Medal Fly + Free College	
3rd ~ PAGB Bronze Medal	•••
Champion Federation  1st ~ MCPF Trophy	
2nd ~ PAGB Ribbon Westless Contra	
3rd ~ PAGB Ribbon Malla (Cuthor)	 11

# **Photographic Alliance of Great Britain**

Awards for Photographic Merit in the Audio Visual category

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The next adjudication will be on: Saturday October 16th 2010

at the Civic Centre Braunstone Town Leicester hosted by the East Midlands Audio Visual Group ~ MCPF

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#### IN APPRECIATION

The organising committee wish to thank the following who have helped in any way towards making these Championships successful.

# For the loan of equipment and support:

PAGB for the loan of their Canon XEED SX7 projector

and Acer Laptop

Tannoy Ltd for the Loudspeakers Quad Electroacoustics Ltd for the Amplifier The Jessop Group for taking advertising space

## For the donation of prizes:

The RPS AV Group, Prize for the overall Champion award The RPS AV Group 'Pollock' Medal for the Best First Time Entrants award

## For providing the venue:

#### **Premier Inn, Braunstone Town:**

For their help, and cooperation in attending to our requirements, both before and during the championships.



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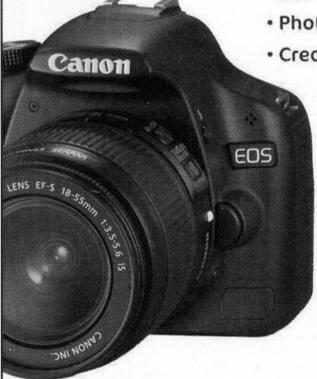
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