



Welcome to this late summer issue of AV News e-xtra!

Inside you will see a review of the AV Group's contribution to the RPS Members' Exhibition. This went very well, and was a taster for seeing how the International AV Festival will look in the Tony Troman theatre. The high-resolution projector and 6-speaker sound system are top class, and the sequences looked great on the big screen.

A 'technical team' from the AV Group and Festival Committee returned to RPS House a few days ago to do a dry run of the festival and a refresher on how to use the integral Zoom system to stream the event live. It all went well, so we should be good to go on the festival weekend. If you've not booked yet, full information can be found here: <https://rps.org/groups/audio-visual/rps-international-audio-visual-festival/>

Also in this issue you will find lots of information about upcoming competitions and AV Days, with a mixture of live and Zoom events. Its especially good to see The Great Northern back as a live event, and at its new home in North Wales. I hope to meet up with many of our AV Group members at these events over the coming months.



Ian Bateman  
FRPS MPAGB AV-EFIAP APAGB  
Chair of the RPS AV Group Committee



## MIDLANDS AUDIO VISUAL DAY

Sunday 15 October 2023 - 1000 to 1630  
A day of AV Excellence with AV Friends

*Attendees AV Sequences for Review*  
*Technical talks on AV techniques*  
*How I made it talks from AV workers*  
*(Full programme to be confirmed)*

£12.00 per attendee  
Bring your own lunch

To be held at: Smethwick Photographic Society  
THE OLD SCHOOL HOUSE, CHURCHBRIDGE, OLDBURY,  
WEST MIDLANDS, B69 2AS (Junction 2 M5)

A MCPF event - [www.mcpf.co.uk](http://www.mcpf.co.uk)  
Contact: Alastair Taylor  
Email: [midphotavcomp@gmail.com](mailto:midphotavcomp@gmail.com)

### Planned Programme

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| 1015 to 1145 | <b>Attendees Sequences</b> for Review (8 sequences planned – contact Alastair Taylor to book your place)                       |
| 1200 to 1300 | <b>AVs from the Archives</b> – an opportunity to view a few of the best from across the years.                                 |
| 1345 to 1415 | <b>Midlands Miscellany</b> – Dave Cooke will show some of his Avs with a local Midlands interest                               |
| 1415 to 1500 | <b>The Anatomy of an AV</b> . Malcolm Imhoff will dig into the details of his AV “ <i>The Queen of the Hills</i> ”             |
| 1500 to 1545 | <b>Focus on Photo Harmony</b> . Speaker TBA to dig into the details of an award winning Photo Harmony production               |
| 1545 to 1630 | <b>Scripts and Soundscapes</b> . Alastair Taylor will look behind the details behind his AV “ <i>For Peace and Democracy</i> ” |

To book your place, visit <https://mcpf.co.uk/mcpf-midlands-audio-visual-day>

Please confirm your attendance with Alastair Taylor, event co-ordinator  
Email: [midphotavcomp@gmail.com](mailto:midphotavcomp@gmail.com) or [alast.taylor@gmail.com](mailto:alast.taylor@gmail.com)

## The East Anglian Federation Audio-Visual Trophy

Formerly "The East Anglian Audio-Visual Competition"

Now organised by

**THE EAST ANGLIAN FEDERATION OF PHOTOGRAPHIC SOCIETIES**

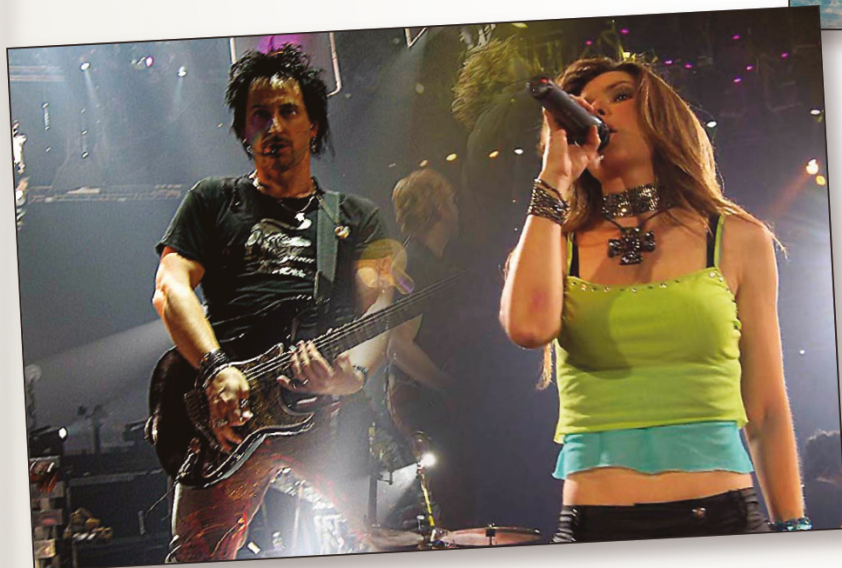
ACCORDED PAGB PATRONAGE No. 2023-014



**To be held on  
Saturday 14th October 2023**

at The Foxton Village Hall,  
Hardman Road, Foxton,  
Cambs. CB22 6RN

Commencing at 9.45am with the  
Gala presentation at 7.00pm.



Assessed by two top A-V judges  
Keith Brown, FRPS FIPF MPAGB EFIAP  
and

Richard Brown, FRPS FIPF, FACI(M) EFIAP APAGB



Rules and entry forms will be available from 13th February 2023 on the  
EAF website - [www.eaf.org.uk](http://www.eaf.org.uk) on the downloadable documents' page.

**G**reat **N**orthern **F**estival  
Incorporating the **New Horizons** Competition

1st - 3rd  
December 2023

# The 27th Great Northern Festival This Year LIVE!

1st - 3rd December 2023 at  
Church House  
Llansanffraid Glan Conwy,  
Just off the A55 J19 near Conwy/Llandudno  
North Wales



**Our Jury are:**  
Richard Brown FRPS, FACI(M), APAGB, EFIAP, FIPF (Chair)  
Alastair Taylor ARPS, DPAGB/AV, AV-AFIAP  
Mike Pill DPAGB/AV

More Details to follow - keep watching  
[www.gnfestival.org.uk](http://www.gnfestival.org.uk)



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FIAP Patronage 2024/001

## 6<sup>th</sup> PORT ELIZABETH CAMERA CLUB INTERNATIONAL AUDIO VISUAL FESTIVAL 2024

All Audio Visual enthusiasts worldwide are cordially invited to enter the  
6<sup>th</sup> Port Elizabeth Camera Club International Audio Visual Festival  
Closing on Thursday 21 March 2024.

### ENQUIRIES:

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Entries to be sent to:

[peccav2022@gmail.com](mailto:peccav2022@gmail.com)

### FESTIVAL TIMETABLE:

21 March 2024:	Entries close
1-15 April 2024:	Judging
21 April 2024 :	Results emailed
29 April 2024 :	Public show
07 May 2024 :	Awards poste

## RPS Members AV Group Exhibition

On Saturday 15th July The Royal Photographic Society Audio Visual Group held a members AV exhibition in the Tony Troman Lecture Theatre. This was held in conjunction with the RPS Members Summer Exhibition.

The RPS Volunteers Newsletter produced in July 2023 reported on this event:

*"We hope you were able to join the AV Groups' Summer Exhibition on 15th July. It was lovely meeting more of our members and to see and hear about your amazing productions! It was a great day at the RPS House and the AV Group enjoyed using the facilities. Here some wonderful captured impressions, taken by Keith Watson LRPS"*

In the morning we had five of the AV Groups leading producers discuss and show their Audio Visual work.



From left to right: Martin Addison FRPS, Andrew Gagg FRPS, Sheila Haycox ARPS, Alastair Taylor ARPS, Ian Bateman FRPS

In the afternoon the audience were shown winning AV Productions from the 2022 National Audio-Visual Championship.

The photographs on the following pages which were taken by Keith Watson LRPS show activities on the day and parts of the building itself for those who have not yet visited.

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