



Our Club Premises at Ward Avenue

Bangor and North Down Camera Club was formed in 1951 and celebrated its 59th anniversary as a club in May 2010.

The Club currently has a membership of sixty + persons, coming mostly from Bangor and the North Down locality, but also Newtownards, Comber, Newtownabbey and Belfast and other locations further afield.

Bangor and North Down Camera Club is part of the Northern Ireland Photographic Association (NIPA), Photographic Alliance of Great Britain (PAGB) and the Federation of International Associations of Photography (FIAP).

The Club meets formally on Friday evenings from 7.45pm during September to May.

Wednesday evenings throughout the year are used for practical workshops and tutorials and useful for networking.

The current venue is our premises at Kingsland, Ward Avenue, Ballyholme, Bangor, just a short distance along the coastal Seacliffe Road past the Eisenhower Pier. We directly overlook Belfast Lough, only a few metres away, and are served with substantial car parking. Check out our Club Location Maps page on our website for directions.

The premises in Ward Avenue, Ballyholme, Bangor, enables us to provide 365 days a year facilities for our members, and includes studios with the latest state of the art lighting system, conventional darkroom facilities and electronic 'whiteroom' digital darkroom facilities.

Digital Camera owners are well catered for in the club whilst traditional chemical and film technology is also well represented. There is a keen interest in Digital Audio Visual techniques and members present their AVs throughout the year.

Throughout the season, guest speakers regularly attend for illustrated presentations. These presentations are given by experienced Photographers and Trade Sponsored Speakers. These evenings are designed to be both entertaining and instructive, providing something for everyone from the beginner to items on more advanced and innovative techniques that will be of interest to even the most experienced photographer.

The Club organises regular competitions for black & white prints (Lindsay Orr Trophy), Colour prints (Beginners and Advanced sections) and Digital Images. Near the end of the formal season an Exhibition Competition is held and the winners and place takers photographs are exhibited in local centres for public viewing.

In addition prints of camera club members will represent the area at Northern Ireland Inter-Club competitions, the Celtic Challenge, Northern Ireland Photographic Association (NIPA) and further to UK wide via PAGB and internationally via FIAP and the RPS.



Image by John Bennett



Established 1951

Meeting 7.45pm
Friday and Wednesday
Nights at our
Club Premises, Kingsland,
Ward Avenue, Ballyholme,
Bangor

**PROGRAMME
2010 – 2011**

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2010	
Sept 3	Members Digital AV - Your Holiday (3 minute a/v)
Sept 10	Chris Roberts - Flash Photography Workshop
Sept 17	Seacourt Imaging Presentation
Sept 24	Competition Night - CLUB/NIPA "Open" Round 1
Oct 1	My Favourite Photographer' Mini DPI presentations of admired photographers and their work
Oct 8	Northern Ireland -v - Spain) Interclub Competition
Oct 15	David Foster - 'Redbubble'
Oct 22	Competition Night - CLUB/NIPA "Open" Round 2
Oct 29	Boyle Audrey Argue 'Natural History' Club Competition.
Nov 5	Bob Given - Givens Travels.
Nov 12	Jim Crone- Fashion and other things.
Nov 19	An evening with Des Clinton & Judy
Nov 26	John Lennon - 'Northern Ireland Yesterday and Today'. (Slide Presentation).
Dec 3	NI -v- Spain (The Results). DPI Presentation
Dec 10	Quiz Night. Alastair & Mildred Bell
Dec 17	Competition Night - CLUB/NIPA "Motion" Round 3
Dec 24	Christmas Eve (No Meeting)
Dec 31	Christmas Holidays (No Meeting)

Other Dates

Fri 3 Dec	Roy Finlay Natural History Competition at Newtownards Camera Club
Mon 24 Jan	NIPA Beginners Competition hosted at BANDCC

2011	
Jan 7	Camera Club Christmas Dinner. Members only
Jan 14	Presentation of Exhibition Panels by Club Members.
Jan 21	Roy McKeown - Landscape photography for everyone.
Jan 28	Competition Night - CLUB/NIPA "Open" Round 4
Feb 5	Sports Photography - Stephen Davidson
Feb 4	Jim Kelso - 'Hidden Northern Ireland'.
Feb 11	Club Panels Competition - Combined Foundation & Advanced Images. B&W Prints, Colour Prints and Digital Images.
Feb 18	Photo Book Making - Hugh Rooney.
Feb 25	Competition Night - CLUB/NIPA "Environmental Portraiture" Round 5
Mar 4	Print and DPI Battle with Carrickfergus CC.
Mar 11	Trevor Craig - In Patagonia..
Mar 18	Club Workshop - Creation of Triptych Images - Ray Magill.
Mar 25	My kind of photography (15 mins) Foundation and Advanced members
Apr 1	Club Annual Exhibition Entries
Apr 8	Mobile Phone Photography - Hugh Rooney, Trevor Craig, Gerry Coe
Apr 15	Club Annual Dinner Presentation of Awards
Apr 22	Good Friday - No Meeting
Apr 29	Exhibition Post Mortem
May 6	Annual General Meeting

Although the formal meetings end for the summer, the club continues to function and open on Wednesday and Friday evenings. These are 'free-form' evenings

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Bangor & North Down Camera Club meets on Friday and Wednesday evenings at 7.45 pm in the Club premises at Ward Avenue, Ballyholme, Bangor.

Facilities include:-

Studio Lighting, White Room & Dark Room. You don't have to be an expert photographer to join. New Members are always welcome.

Wednesday nights will be 'free form' with the information for 'What's On' to be announced at club meetings a week in advance as well as the website.

Note: Committee Members are key holders