

Photographic Group Meets 2019 (Issue 2)

NB: Programme and activities are always subject to change

Highlighted areas indicate where volunteers are required as Stewards and for talks/workshops

21 - 26 March 2019

Winchcombe C&CC Site	
Address	Brooklands Farm, Alderton, Nr Tewkesbury, Gloucestershire, GL20 8NX
Co-ordinates	Latitude: 51.99052 Longitude: -1.99047
Site website	www.campingandcaravanningclub.co.uk
Photography theme	Wheels: We would like to see photographs showing age , misuse, strength etc , the choice is yours.
Activities	Thursday evening: Social
	Friday evening: Opening season meal: Details to follow.
	Saturday pm: Beginners workshop
	Saturday evening: Photography talk - Volunteer required
	Sunday evening: Photographic activity - Volunteer required
Fees	Monday evening: Members images related to photographic theme
Electric Hook Up	£12 PUN with EHU
Hard standing	Yes
Grass pitch option	Yes
Booking	Yes - subject to site availability
Local facilities	Essential - Meet booking closes 1 March 2019
	Cotswolds nearby
	Fishing on site
	The attractive town of Winchcombe is a short drive from the site. It has "Walkers are Welcome" status and a tempting variety of top restaurants, pubs and tea shops. Further afield Cheltenham with its elegant Regency houses, award-winning gardens and stylish shops is worth visiting.
	The Winchcombe Way Footpath is adjacent to the site and guidebooks are available at reception.
Stewards	Keith & Sylvia Hughes
EMERGENCY	Alan Howland - 07710 235700

25 - 30 April 2019

Yelden Village Hall	
Address	Spring Lane, Yelden, Bedfordshire, MK44 1AT
Co-ordinates	Latitude: 52.292132, Longitude: -0.518413
Site website	https://www.yeldenvillagehall.co.uk
Photography theme	Spring time: We would like to see a traditional interpretation of the new season. What spring means to you.

Activities	Thursday evening - social
	Friday evening: Photography talk - volunteer required
	Saturday evening: Photography workshop - volunteer required
	Sunday evening: Photography talk - volunteer required
	Monday evening: Members images related to photographic theme
Fees	£8 PUN - Very limited EHU - booking essential for medical need
Electric Hook Up	No - contact Sites Co-ordinator for medical needs
Hard standing	No
Grass pitch option	N/A
Booking	Optional
Local facilities	Castle mound - motte and bailey
	Church of St Mary
	Kimbolton Castle - limited public opening at weekends
	Bletchley Park (30 miles)
	Shuttleworth collection
Stewards	TBC - Volunteers required
EMERGENCY	Alan Howland - 07710 235700
23 - 28 May 2019	
Brailes Village Hall	FESTIVAL and AGM
Address	Castle Hill Ln, Upper Brailes, Banbury OX15 5AS
Co-ordinates	Latitude: 52.052649, Longitude: -1.552375
Site website	https://brailesvillage.co.uk/?page_id=165
Photography theme	This Meet includes display and selection of member's photographs for a competition organised against other photographic clubs which are local to the event. There is also a programme of workshops throughout the Meet schedule with plenty of options to learn new skills and meet/socialise with other members. Whilst images are on display opportunity is provided to vote for your favourites.
Activities	Thursday evening: Social
	Friday: Craft and photographic workshops - volunteers required; members submit prints for 3 way battle and intergroup competition.
	Friday evening: Social
	Saturday am: Craft and photographic workshops - volunteers required
	Saturday pm: Section AGM
	Saturday evening: 3 way battle with 2 local clubs
	Sunday: Craft and photographic workshops - volunteers required; Inter-group judging
	Sunday evening: BYO meal/social - Presentation of Inter-group awards
	Monday evening: Social
Fees	£12 PUN £16 with EHU
Electric Hook Up	6 - subject to pre-booking and priority to medical needs
Hard standing	No
Grass pitch option	Not applicable

Booking	Optional - see EHU above. Essential for medical EHU.
Site facilities	Shower and toilets in the Pavilion. Chemical Disposal
Local facilities	Stratford - upon - Avon
	National Trust properties
	Local pubs
Stewards	Alan and Liz Howland
EMERGENCY	Alan Howland - 07710 235700
20 - 25 June 2019	
Hollesley Village Hall	
Address	Woodbridge, IP12 3QU, Suffolk,
Co-ordinates	Latitude: 52.053400, Longitude: 1.429461
Site website	https://www.hallshire.com/halls/view/535/hollesley-village-hall
Photography theme	Water: You are required to catch the magic of water. Water is the essence of life, can you depict it in your images.
Activities	Thursday evening: Social
	Friday evening: BYO BBQ and quiz
	Saturday: Workshop Beginners printing and mounting
	Saturday evening: Photographic talk
	Sunday evening: Photographic talk - volunteer required
	Monday evening: Members images related to photographic theme
Fees	£8 PUN - Very limited EHU - booking essential for medical need
Electric Hook Up	No - contact Sites Co-ordinator for medical needs
Hard standing	No
Grass pitch option	Not applicable
Booking	Optional
Site facilities	Toilets and showers in hall
Local facilities	Suffolk Punch Trust
	Sutton Hoo
	Suffolk Coast including Aldeburgh and Southwold
	Woodbridge Tide Mill
	Ipswich - Christchurch Mansion and Ipswich Museum
	Felixstowe
	Bawdsey Manor - home of RADAR
Stewards	John and Vivien Hartill
EMERGENCY	Alan Howland - 07710 235700
25 - 30 July 2019	
Rufforth Playing Fields	
Address	Wetherby Road, Rufforth, York, North Yorkshire, YO23 3QA
Co-ordinates	Latitude: 53.9539 Longitude: -1.18720
Site website	www.campingandcaravanningclub.co.uk

Photography theme	Historic York: Your opportunity to show the historic side of York from engines, the cathedral and the Vikings. The chances are endless; it is a fabulous city.
Activities	Thursday evening: Social
	Friday evening: Social
	Saturday: Beginners - camera settings - volunteer required
	Saturday evening: Keith Hughes - my Approach to Street Photography - to include city walk at some point in programme - Keith to liaise with Stewards
	Sunday evening: Social
	Monday evening: Members images related to photographic theme
Fees	£14 with EHU, £9 PUN without
Electric Hook Up	Booking advised
Hard standing	No
Grass pitch option	Not applicable
Booking	Optional
Site facilities	Toilet and chemical disposal
Local facilities	Viking York
	National Railway Museum
	York Minster
	Castle Howard
	North Yorkshire Moors
	Whitby
Stewards	TBC - Volunteers required
EMERGENCY	Alan Howland - 07710 235700
22 - 27 August 2019	
Bromsberrow Village Hall	ANNUAL EXHIBITION
Address	Albright Ln, Ledbury HR8 1RU
Co-ordinates	Latitude: 52.001321, Longitude: -2.371278
Site website	https://bromsberrowvilagehall.weebly.com
Photography theme	The Exhibition is held during the August Bank Holiday Meet and is open to all Photographic Group members with special classes for children. A copy of the rules for entry and entry form will be available on the website well in advance of the closing date.
Activities	Thursday evening: Social
	Friday: Members deliver prints
	Friday evening: Social
	Saturday am : Judging
	Saturday pm : Judges comments DPIs
	Saturday evening: Judges comments Prints
	Sunday pm: Exhibition open to public
	Sunday evening: BYO meal and presentation of awards
	Monday evening: Photography talk - volunteer required
Fees	£12 PUN £16 with EHU

Electric Hook Up	Subject to pre-booking and priority for medical needs
Hard standing	No
Grass pitch option	Not applicable
Booking	Optional - see EHU above
Site facilities	Toilets in the hall
Local facilities	Hereford Waterworks Museum
	Eastnor Castle
	Berrington Hall
	Hampton Court Castle and Gardens
Stewards	John & Gwen Smith
EMERGENCY	Alan Howland - 07710 235700
12 - 17 September 2019	
Fort Widley	
Address	Portsdown Hill Rd, Portsmouth PO6 3LS
Co-ordinates	Latitude: 50.855358, Longitude: -1.065965 From the A3 (not the A3m) south of Purbrook take the B2177 towards Southwick. Caravanners please do not approach from the west.
Site website	https://peterashleyactivitycentres.co.uk
Photography theme	Naval History: Images that reflect our naval heritage
Activities	Thursday evening: Introduction to the area
	Friday evening: Photographic Trip Old Portsmouth
	Saturday pm: Photographic workshop - Volunteer required
	Saturday evening: Photographic Talk
	Sunday evening: Photographic talk
	Monday evening: Members images related to photographic theme
Fees	£10 PUN
Electric Hook Up	None
Hard standing	No
Grass pitch option	Not applicable
Booking	Optional
Site facilities	Toilets - accessed via stairs
Local facilities	Historic Portsmouth
	Roman city of Chichester 12 miles
	Various coastal/tidal villages/marinas Within 10 miles
	Porchester Castle - Roman
	Old Portsmouth and Southsea Attractions
	Inland Downland villages inc Hambledon (cricket)
	Internationally important bird reserve.
Stewards	Pat Mitchell and Rebecca Hitchcock
EMERGENCY	Alan Howland - 07710 235700

	<p>Both Fort Widley and Isle of Wight Meets will commence at 2pm on day 1 and close no later than noon on day 5. Members wishing to stay on at Fort Widley or wishing to arrive early at Heathfield Farm Camping will please need to make own arrangements separate to both Meets. Members are responsible for making their own ferry bookings. Jeff Morgan has advised that this can be achieved very economically by booking early and being flexible regarding time of travel. Club travel services offer good deals - Click "Book on-line "at the below address - 50% member discount for motorhomes and 20% cars and caravans - together with the very reasonable site fees a very attractive proposition. You will select the required crossing and see the full cost but this will be reduced by the discount at checkout.</p>
	<p>https://www.campingandcaravanningclub.co.uk/travelabroad/ferries/ferries-to-isle-of-wight/</p>
	<p>Why not stay on at Heathfield Farm Campsite (who are offering preferential rates) and sign up for one of Jeff's full day workshops. A great opportunity and money well spent - see link below:</p>
	<p>https://www.elmstudio.com/</p>
19 - 24 September 2019	Follow on Meet to Isle of Wight
Heathfield Farm Campsite	
Address	Heathfield Rd, Norton Green, Freshwater PO40 9SH
Co-ordinates	Latitude: 50.689650, Longitude: -1.527173
Site website	https://www.heathfieldcamping.co.uk
Photography theme	Jeff Morgan has kindly volunteered to run workshops that will provide interesting and informative photographic opportunities during this Meet. Subject to weather and tides this will include high tide shorescapes and sunsets.
Activities	The programme will be finalised at the Meet as some flexibility is essential.
Fees	£13 PUN
Electric Hook Up	Yes
Hard standing	No
Grass pitch option	Not applicable
Booking	Essential - Meet booking closes 1 September 2019
Site facilities	Commercial site with full facilities
Local facilities	https://www.visitisleofwight.co.uk
Stewards	Jeff Morgan and Rebecca Hitchcock
EMERGENCY	Alan Howland - 07710 235700
17 - 22 October 2019	
Wolverley C&CC Site	SEASONS END
Address	Brown Westhead Park, Wolverley, Kidderminster, Worcestershire, DY10 3PX
Co-ordinates	Latitude: 52.4106 Longitude: -2.2469

Site website	www.campingandcaravanningclub.co.uk
Photography theme	Our Photographic Year
Activities	Thursday evening: Social
	Friday evening: Closing dinner : Details to follow
	Saturday evening: Talk "Mirrorless cameras" or "Astrophotography" - volunteer required
	Sunday evening: BYO drinks social - Brainstorm the 2020 Activities programme
	Monday evening: Members images and AVs from 2019
Fees	£14 PUN with EHU
Electric Hook Up	Yes
Hard standing	Yes
Grass pitch option	Yes subject to site availability
Booking	Essential - closes 1 October 2019
Local facilities	Kidderminster for shopping
	Severn Valley railway
	West Midlands Safari Park
	Canal walks
	Local pubs
	NEC show 15 - 20 Oct 2019
Stewards	Keith & Sylvia Hughes
EMERGENCY	Alan Howland - 07710 235700