

The Ross Cup is the KCPA's most prestigious competition with affiliated clubs from Kent, Sussex and South London joining in to take part in this popular annual print competition.

The **Ross Cup 2019**, will take place on 16th November 2019 at Ditton Community Centre, Kiln Barn Rd, Ditton, Aylesford ME20 6QR

Doors open to the public at 1pm and the event is expected to finish around 5.30. Do come along and see all the images entered on display.

Our judge for this year's competition is Caroline Colegate APAGB ARPS.

Each club's entry consists of 8 prints in 50cm x 40cm mounts, no more than 2 prints per photographer.

(Opening date 17th August - Closing date 30th September).

The Ross Cup is awarded to the Associate with the highest total marks in the competition from a total of up to 8 prints.

The Mick Smithson Shield and Premier Award Certificate are awarded to the Photographer, who in the opinion of the Judge(s) produced the Best Print.

The Lakeland Holidays Landscape Trophy is awarded to the Photographer who in the opinion of the Judge(s) produced the Best Landscape Print.

A Trophy is presented to the most improved Club. Defined by the Club with the highest placement as compared to their position in the competition the previous year.

Merit Award Certificates (maximum 10) may be awarded at the discretion of the Judge(s).

The Ross Cup is the mechanism for the KCPA to choose its representatives for the PAGB Inter-Federation Print competition. The first and second placed Associates are invited to represent the KCPA.

Check out the **Rules for the Ross Cup**, Generic and Specific, and do remember to check your Club has not entered the chosen images in a previous year's Ross Cup!

Conditions for the competitions can be found here [Conditions for the Ross Cup](#)

Information, along with entry forms will be sent out to clubs external competition secretaries on 14th August. However, should you need a copy of these please contact competitions@kcpa.co.uk

If you have any questions please email competitions@kcpa.co.uk or telephone Tracy Hughes on 01634 303540

The KCPA look forward to welcoming you at this event on 16th November 2019.

Ross Cup poster



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Kent County Photographic Association

Ross Cup 2019

Judge : Caroline Colegate APAGB ARPS



Premier Award and Mick Smithson Shield Winner in Ross Cup 2018 competition.
Strength with Style by Helen Cooper

16th November 2019

Entry price £4.50 (Under 18's £2.25)

Includes a catalogue, hot drink & biscuit.

**Ditton Community Centre, Kiln Barn Rd,
Aylesford, Ditton ME20 6AH**

Exhibition opens at 1pm

Judge's comments begin at 3pm, followed by Award presentations.

**For further information see www.kcpa.co.uk
or email Tracy Hughes via competitions@kcpa.co.uk**

ROSS CUP 2019 Results

On 16th November, the KCPA opened the doors at Ditton Community Centre, to welcome our audience and fellow club members.

As always it was a delight to see some familiar faces in the audience, along with some new ones.

Overhearing people's comments on the images on display was a joy as always, with so many people appreciating the images that have been entered by the various KCPA affiliated clubs.

The KCPA had 36 clubs entering the Ross Cup competition which is a great contribution from our clubs. However, I would still like to see more clubs taking part in this prestigious print competition, it is a great chance to show off the best work your club produces.

Our judge for this event was Caroline Colegate ARPS APAG who took only 1 day to judge the images.

The Ross Cup 2019 competition resulted in Ashford P.S coming first and winning the competition, with Sevenoaks C.C coming 2nd.

The KCPA is hoping that representatives from these clubs will go onto represent the KCPA at Blackburn in October 2020 at the PAGB Inter-Club Print Championships.

Each year I am amazed at the high standard of prints entered and I felt proud to present them to our judge for her selection. My husband and I, spent a most enjoyable day with our judge Caroline, whilst she scored all of the images.

Caroline had 288 prints from which to choose a maximum of 10 Merit awards, along with the Premier Award and Mick Smithson Shield for the best print entered and the Lakelands Holidays Landscape Trophy for the best landscape print entered.

In addition to the clubs that entered the KCPA would also like to thank all of the people that took the time to visit Ditton Community Hall, and view the Prints and hear the comments by our judge. We hope those that came along enjoyed the event and will join us again for the Ross Cup 2020 competition.

Awards

ROSS CUP 2019 WINNERS

ASHFORD P.S

PREMIER AWARD AND MICK SMITHSON SHIELD

PUT A SPELL ON YOU PAUL LAM

LAKELAND HOLIDAYS LANDSCAPE TROPHY

DESERT SANDSTORM AT DAWN JOHN LETHBRIDGE LRPS

THE ROSS CUP MOST IMPROVED CLUB TROPHY

GATEWAY C.C

MERIT AWARD WINNERS

CHASING THE LIGHT, SVALBARD

RICHARD GOLDSMITH

DORSET COAST

ANTHONY WRIGHT ARPS

GET OFF MY LAND	PETER GREENSTREET
OTTER PUP	JOAN AUSTIN AFIAP CPAGB QPSA
FLEDGLING OSPREY'S FIRST SEA ENCOUNTER	SHEILA SARGEANT
THAT'S A NO THEN SAID RILEY	PAUL RAYMENT
THE LADY IN THE SNOW	BESNIK MEHMED
TULIP AND EGG	INNA KARPOVA

Place	Associate	Total
1	ASHFORD PHOTOGRAPHIC SOCIETY	139
2	SEVENOAKS CAMERA CLUB	137
3	GATEWAY CAMERA CLUB	136
3	MAIDSTONE CAMERA CLUB	136
5	INVICTA PHOTOGRAPHIC CLUB	135
6	FOLKESTONE CAMERA CLUB	134
7	BECKENHAM PHOTOGRAPHIC SOCIETY	133
7	WHITSTABLE PHOTOGRAPHIC GROUP	133
9	APERTURE WOOLWICH PHOTOGRAPHIC SOCIETY	131
9	PARKWOOD CAMERA CLUB	131
11	BROMLEY CAMERA CLUB	130
11	DEAL & DISTRICT CAMERA CLUB	130
11	EASTBOURNE PHOTOGRAPHIC SOCIETY	130
11	RYE & DISTRICT CAMERA CLUB	130
11	TONBRIDGE CAMERA CLUB	130
16	UCKFIELD CAMERA CLUB	129
17	ISLE OF THANET PHOTOGRAPHIC SOCIETY	128
17	MALLING PHOTOGRAPHIC SOCIETY	128
17	SITTINGBOURNE PHOTOGRAPHIC SOCIETY	128
17	WEST WICKHAM PHOTOGRAPHIC SOCIETY	128
21	BATTLE PHOTOGRAPHIC SOCIETY	127
21	HAILSHAM PHOTOGRAPHIC SOCIETY	127
21	HASTING & ORE PHOTOGRAPHIC CLUB	127
21	SEAFORD PHOTOGRAPHIC SOCIETY	127
21	VERVE	127
26	CANTERBURY PHOTOGRAPHIC SOCIETY	126
26	FAVERSHAM & DISTRICT CAMERA CLUB	126
26	GRAVESEND CAMERA CLUB	126
26	ORPINGTON PHOTOGRAPHIC SOCIETY	126
30	BEXLEYHEATH PHOTOGRAPHIC SOCIETY	123

30	DARTFORD & DISTRICT PHOTOGRAPHIC SOCIETY	123
32	HERNE BAY PHOTOGRAPHIC CLUB	122
32	REFLEX PHOTOGRAPHIC CLUB	120
34	CRAYFORD CAMERA CLUB	120
35	AG MONO	116
35	SEVEN SISTERS CAMERA CLUB	116



Ashford P.S Winning Images



ASHFORD P.S COLLECTING THE ROSS CUP 2019 AWARD



GATEWAY CC MOST IMPROVED CLUB



RICHARD GOLDSMITH



ANTHONY WRIGHT ARPS



PETER GREENSTREET



JOAN AUSTIN AFIAP CPAGB QPSA



SHEILA SARGEANT



BESNIK MEHMED



PAUL RAYMENT



INNA KARPOVA



All set up and ready for our audience.

In addition to the Ross Cup competition, at the event club members were awarded their PAGB certificates.

Well done to Chris Dawson (Seaford P.S) and gaining his CPAGB and to Anthony Wright (Ashford P.S) on gaining your DPAGB distinction.

A special APAGB award was also presented to Paul Adams (Bexleyheath).



ANTHONY WRIGHT

receiving his DPAGB Certificate



CHRIS DAWSON receiving

his CPAGB Certificate



PAUL ADAMS receiving his APAGB Certificate

Images by Alan Lomakin

Should any of our audience members wish to provide feedback please feel free to email myself, Tracy Hughes via competitions@kcpa.co.uk

The KCPA look forward to welcoming more audience members for the Ross Cup 2020 competition, in November 2020.

Helpers Alan

Cork Philip

Smithies Colin

Bristow Jane

Puncher

Lorraine Grey

Joan Austin

John Austin

Chas Beford

Roger Parker

Chris Shore

Chris White

Helen Taylor

Doug Hughes

Hazel Turner

Janet

Val Allen

Penny Lewington

Peter Skyner

Ros Eastwood

Rupert Bruns