



June 2024

What's been happening?

5 June – Competition – Flowers theme judged by Naomi Soul

12 June -Bedford photo walk and SD Challenge

19 June – Review of Bedford SD Challenge

26 June – Studio Night

Next Month

Competition – Penny Reeves Theme: Open

10 July - Committee

17 July - Photo walk: Paxton Pits

24 July - Studio

31 July - Day trip to Cambridge

Kempston Camera Club

SD Card Challenge and Review

On 12th June we held the SD Challenge, which we had postponed in January due to the cold weather, in Bedford. We all met at the Embankment Hotel and were issued with an SD card which, at the end of the evening had to be returned with just 10 Jpeg images on it.

It was a fine evening and after about an hour and a half we all returned to the Embankment to upload the photos to a laptop and have a couple of drinks to toast a successful evening. I think everyone enjoyed it and we followed it up the following week at club with the SD Challenge review. Gordon had preloaded all the images into the programme which displays them two at a time so members could vote for the one they preferred - left or right. In this way they were slowly whittled down to two remaining photos giving us a winner and runner up. On this occasion, both of those photos were taken by Stewart – many congratulations to him. These are his winning images:



1st place



2nd place

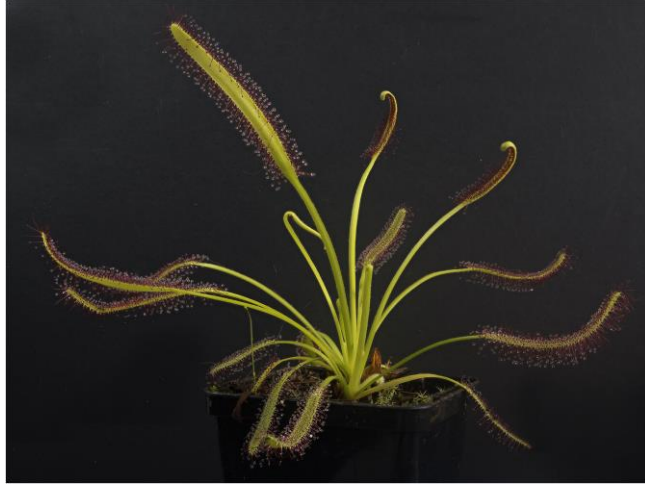
Competition

Digital – Flowers theme

1st place – Cape Sundew
by Roy

2nd place – Hibiscus by
Chris

3rd place – Rose by Chris

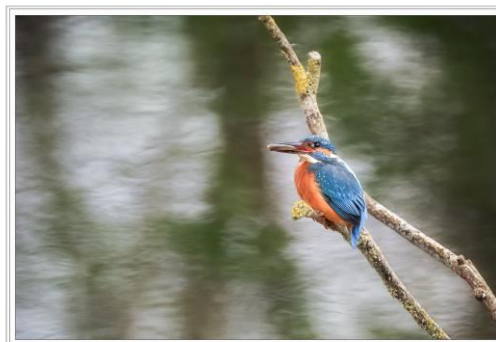


Prints

1st place – Delicate by
Stewart

2nd place – Kingfisher
with fish by Peter

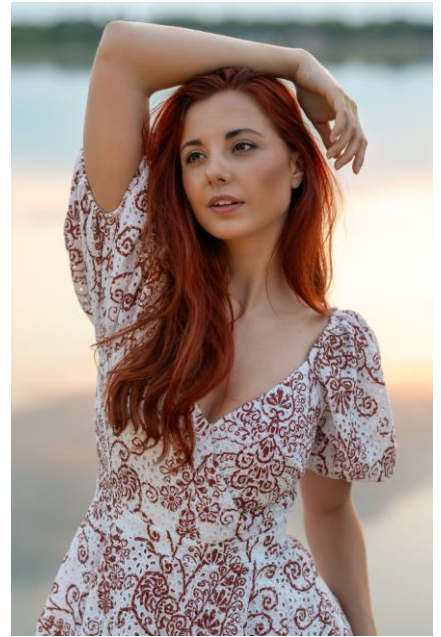
3rd place – Soft delicate
rose by Peter



Studio night with Hannah at Priory Lake

It was a beautiful evening for an outdoor studio session and Andy had organised our model – Hannah to come along by the lake where there was also the occasional swan on show! Hannah was great – really natural and a lovely personality. These are some of the photos from the night:

These are Andy's:



And this is Carolyn's:



And then the second
model came along:



Links from the Chairman

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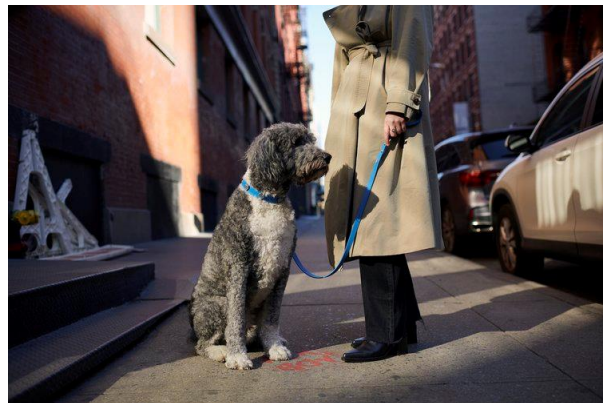
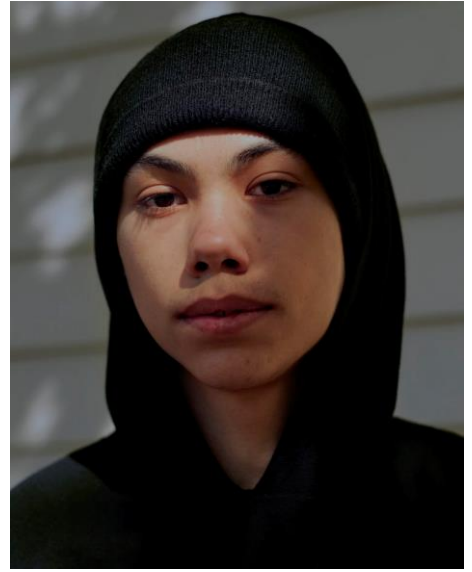
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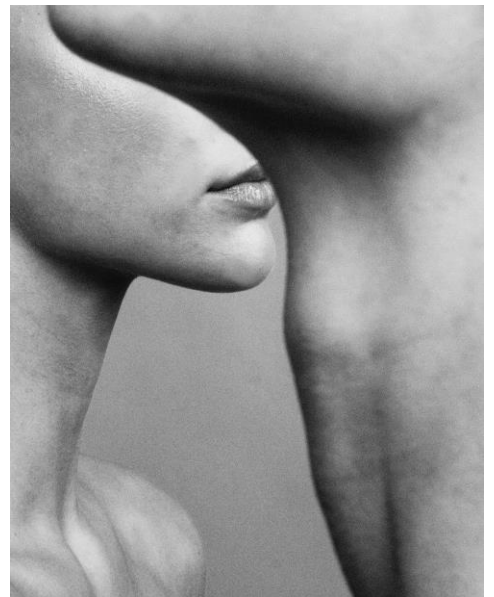
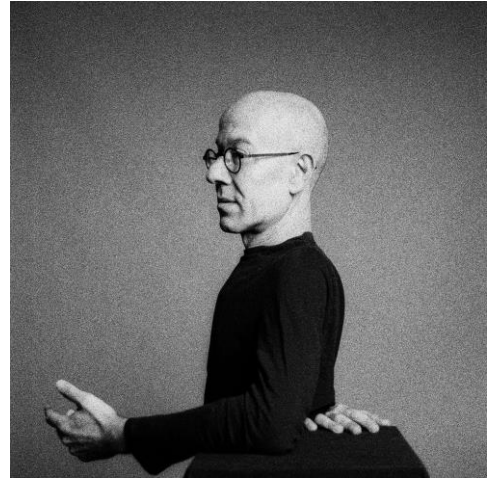
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