



Programme of Events 2026-2027

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start date Wed 02 Sep 2026

Meetings are on Wednesday evenings arrive from 7.30pm for 7.45pm start - finishing at 10pm (at URC)
Online meeting details will be circulated by email to members in advance.

from 21 Aug - ANNUAL PRINT EXHIBITION at Crawley Museum		
Sep 2026	Wed 02 Sep HUT	PhotoCraft Summer Challenge review and learning - subject is 'Leading Lines'
	Wed 09 Sep Online	TALK (online) - "Fungi" with Tony North. Shooting fungi using a variety of 'straight' and creative techniques
	Sat 12 Sep	final day of ANNUAL PRINT EXHIBITION at Crawley Museum
	Wed 16 Sep Online	Members' Update
	Mon 21 Sep	PHOTOENTRY monthly challenge image submission deadline 6pm - followed by online poll for members
	Wed 23 Sep Online	The First Cut - Mix n Match image selection from across the whole Club portfolio
	Wed 30 Sep URC	Monthly Set Subject Challenge review and learning - subject is 'Q/W' - submit images before 6pm Mon 21 Sep
Oct 2026	Wed 07 Oct Online	TALK (online) - "Image Analysis - The Choice is Yours" with John Lewis. This presentation looks at image analysis and some of the reasons for selecting a successful image - based on many years of experience judging images.
	Wed 14 Oct URC	PhotoCraft Practical Learning - creative table-top ightpainting
	Wed 14 Oct	PHOTOENTRY Club competition image submission deadline 6pm for A and B Groups
	Mon 19 Oct	PHOTOENTRY monthly challenge image submission deadline 6pm - followed by online poll for members
	Wed 21 Oct URC	PROJECTED DIGITAL IMAGE (PDI) COMPETITION ROUND 1 (A and B Groups) with visiting judge David Lloyd LRPS from United Photographic Postfolios of Great Britian (SPA)
	Wed 28 Oct URC	Monthly Set Subject Challenge review and learning - subject is 'E' - submit images before 6pm Mon 19 Oct
Nov 2026	Wed 04 Nov URC	PhotoCraft Learn and Improve - an opportunity to review, discuss and learn from the recent competition images
	Wed 11 Nov Online	TALK (online) - "Starting on a Blank Canvas" with Polina Plotnikova. This talk shows Polina's approach to taking flower photographs from start to finish
	Wed 11 Nov	PHOTOENTRY Club competition image submission deadline 6pm for A and B Groups
	Mon 16 Nov	PHOTOENTRY monthly challenge image submission deadline 6pm - followed by online poll for members
	Wed 18 Nov URC	PRINT COMPETITION ROUND 1 (A and B Groups) with visiting judge Lawrence Homewood from East Grinstead CC (SPA)
	Fri 20 Nov	Regnum Crouch Group - Regnum Shield Inter-Club Print Competition at Steyning with judge Wayne Grundy
	Wed 25 Nov URC	Monthly Set Subject Challenge review and learning - subject is 'R' - submit images before 6pm on Mon 16 Nov
Dec 2026	Wed 02 Dec EGCC	note - this week's meeting is at East Grintead Camera Club (EGCC) on Thursday
	Thu 03 Dec EGCC	Mix n Match Christmas Special with EGCC at Glen Vue Centre, Railway Approach RH19 1BS - 7.30pm for 8pm start
	Wed 09 Dec Online	TALK (online) - "After the Coal Dust" with John Gill a talk about street photography based on his book. "I concentrate on the why as much as the how of street photography"
	Wed 16 Dec URC	PhotoCraft Winter Baubles - a Winter photo challenge on 'Bokeh' - setting the scene, hints and tips on techniques to explore. A month to utilise Christmas lighting and explore bokeh in your images.
	Wed 23 Dec x	CHRISTMAS / NEW YEAR - no scheduled meeting
	Wed 30 Dec x	CHRISTMAS / NEW YEAR - no scheduled meeting
Jan 2027	Wed 06 Jan Online	TALK (online) - "Creative Photography" with Steve Varman, who is a creative photographer across a wide range of genres. Steve shares ideas, processes and behind-the-scenes techniques.
	Wed 13 Jan URC	PhotoCraft Practical Learning - members' choices (content to be advised nearer the time - camera or editing choices)
	Wed 13 Jan	PHOTOENTRY Club competition image submission deadline 6pm for A and B Groups
	Mon 18 Jan	PHOTOENTRY monthly challenge image submission deadline 6pm - followed by online poll for members
	Wed 20 Jan Online	ONLINE SET SUBJECT COMPETITION - judge's set subject is "Action" (A and B Groups) with online judge Don Morley from Reigate Photographic Society (SPA)
	Mon 25 Jan	PHOTOENTRY Winter Challenge (Bokeh) image submission deadline 6pm - followed by online poll for members
	Wed 27 Jan URC	Monthly Set Subject Challenge review and learning - subject is 'T' - submit images before 6pm on Mon 18 Jan

Feb 2027	Wed 03 Feb	Online	PhotoCraft Winter Challenge review and learning - subject is 'Bokeh' - submit images before 6pm on Mon 25 Jan
	Wed 10 Feb	URC	(tele)Photo Challenge ranking - members rank Belfast, Cardiff and Edinburgh images
	Wed 17 Feb	Online	TALK (online) - "Shooting the Moon" with Robert Harvey. Planning and techniques for shooting the Moon as part of a landscape.
	Wed 17 Feb		PHOTOENTRY Club competition image submission deadline 6pm for A and B Groups
	Mon 22 Feb		PHOTOENTRY monthly challenge image submission deadline 6pm - followed by online poll for members
	Wed 24 Feb	URC	PROJECTED DIGITAL IMAGE (PDI) COMPETITION ROUND 2 (A and B Groups) with visiting judge Eddie Lord from Crawley Down CC (SPA)
Mar 2027	Wed 03 Mar	URC	Monthly Set Subject Challenge review and learning - subject is 'Y' - submit images before 6pm on Mon 22 Feb
	Wed 10 Mar	URC	PhotoCraft Practical Learning - members' choices (content to be advised nearer the time - camera or editing choices)
	Wed 10 Mar		PHOTOENTRY Club competition image submission deadline 6pm for A and B Groups
	Wed 17 Mar	URC	PRINT COMPETITION ROUND 2 (A and B Groups) with visiting judge Ian Brash from Old Coulsden Camera Club (SPA)
	Fri 19 Mar		Regnum Crouch Group - Crouch Shield Inter-Club Digital Competition at Henfield with judge Paul Graber
	Mon 22 Mar		PHOTOENTRY monthly challenge image submission deadline 6pm - followed by online poll for members
	Wed 24 Mar	URC	(tele)Photo Challenge results - presentation and discussion of results of the annual Interclub (tele)Photo Challenge
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	Wed 31 Mar	URC	Monthly Set Subject Challenge review and learning - subject is 'U' - submit images before 6pm on Mon 22 Mar
Apr 2027	Wed 07 Apr	URC	PhotoCraft Practical Learning - members' choices (content to be advised nearer the time - camera or editing choices)
	Wed 07 Apr		PHOTOENTRY Club competition image submission deadline 6pm for A and B Groups
	Wed 14 Apr	URC	PROJECTED DIGITAL IMAGE (PDI) COMPETITION ROUND 3 (A and B Groups) with visiting judge Royston Williamson from Guilford Camera Club (SPA)
	Mon 19 Apr		PHOTOENTRY monthly challenge image submission deadline 6pm - followed by online poll for members
	Wed 21 Apr	URC	PhotoCraft Learn and Improve - an opportunity to review, discuss and learn from the recent competition images
	Wed 28 Apr	URC	Monthly Set Subject Challenge review and learning - subject is 'I (i)' - submit images before 6pm on Mon 19 Apr
BANK HOLIDAY			
May 2027	Wed 05 May	CAC	An evening with the CRAWLEY ART SOCIETY - hosted by CAC (details later) - start time 7pm (to 9pm)
	Wed 05 May		PHOTOENTRY Club competition image submission deadline 6pm for A Group
	Wed 12 May	URC	DIGITAL IMAGE OF THE YEAR COMPETITION (A Group) with visiting judge Tim Morland from Kingston Camera Club (SPA) and SPA President
	Mon 17 May		PHOTOENTRY monthly challenge image submission deadline 6pm - followed by online poll for members
	Wed 19 May	URC	PhotoCraft Practical Learning - members' choices (content to be advised nearer the time - camera or editing choices)
	Wed 26 May	URC	Monthly Set Subject Challenge review and learning - subject is 'O' - submit images before 6pm on Mon 17 May
BANK HOLIDAY			
Jun 2027	Wed 02 Jun	URC	PhotoCraft Start of Photo Rally 5-day Challenge - setting the scene, hints and tips on techniques to explore
	Wed 02 Jun		PHOTOENTRY Club competition image submission deadline 6pm for A Group
	Mon 07 Jun		PHOTOENTRY rally image submission deadline 6pm - followed by online poll for members
	Wed 09 Jun	URC	PRINT OF THE YEAR COMPETITION (A Group) with visiting judge Darren Pullman from Carshalton Camera Club (SPA)
	Wed 16 Jun	URC	PhotoCraft Photo Rally results, review and learning - submit images before 6pm on Mon 07 Jun
	Mon 21 Jun		Online poll for Monthly Set Subject Challenge top images from the past year
	Wed 23 Jun	URC	REprints - an evening to be inspired by this season's prints - and how to get more involved with print-working
	Wed 30 Jun	URC	AGM and CLUB AWARDS - includes Monthly Challenge Final Poll results and setting the scene for Summer programme
Summer Programme commences - events announced throughout Summer			