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To all EAF member Clubs and Societies:

All EAF member Clubs are invited to take part in one or both Inter-Club Championships at The Fulbourn Centre (otherwise known as the Townley Memorial Hall)

31 Home End, Fulbourn, Cambridge CB21 5BS.

EAF INTER-CLUB PROJECTED DIGITAL IMAGE CHAMPIONSHIP

on Sunday 16th February 2025

Judges: David Gibbins ARPS APAGB EFIAP/b BPE5 CPAGB/av
Gary Langley DPAGB
Louise Langley CPAGB

EAF INTER-CLUB PRINT CHAMPIONSHIP

on Sunday 16th March 2025

Judges: Roger Reynolds HonFRPS APAGB FBPPA FBPE
Rosemary Wilman HonFRPS AFIAP ABPE APAGB
Clive Tanner MPAGB FRPS APAGB

These two separate events will find the top Projected Digital Image (PDI) Club and the top Print Club in the Federation. They will also select two Clubs to represent our Federation at the PAGB Inter-Club PDI Championship held at Warwick in July 2025 and the PAGB Inter-Club Print Championship held in October 2025 (Blackburn).

Competition secretaries, please treat your application as a commitment to enter and ensure your committee and membership are in agreement that you are confident, <u>before applying</u>, that you will be able to select the required 25 PDIs and/or 15 Print Images for these Championships. Please note, if your Club is one of the Clubs selected at the EAF Championships to represent the EAF at the PAGB PDI or Print Inter-Club Championship later in the year, your members whose work is used in the EAF Championships MUST continue to support your Club in the PAGB Championships: they can only represent one Club, from any Federation, at the PAGB PDI or Print Club Championship in any one year.

The Print Championship will only call for 15 images rather than 25. This is in line with the PAGB Inter-Club Print Championship and is intended to enable a wider range of Clubs to enter and encourage the use of prints. To provide a further incentive, there will be a Best Rookie Club award at each of the Championships to recognise the best new entrant.

Tickets to each event are to be requested by the Club Competition Secretary when the Club's entry has been submitted. There is no Zoom option this year. Tickets will be available for purchase by email with payment normally by BACS and all tickets will be sent by email. Separate applications should be made for the two Championships.

<u>Please note</u> that we require PDI versions of the prints for display in the venue for the benefit of the audience. Entries using BOTH Entry Form <u>AND Titles List</u> in Word-compatible format to be sent in by the closing. Each Championship

has a closing date three weeks prior to the date of that Championship. Clubs must have paid their 2025 EAF subscription to take part in the 2025 Championships.

Late entries will not be accepted. (Championships Rule 1.)

Documents associated with these competitions are on the EAF website via Info/Downloadable Documents or directly at http://www.eaf.org.uk/downloadable-documents.html and comprise:

- Rules dated October 2024, which include details of PDI preparation.
- 2 Entry Forms one each for PDI and Print.
- 2 Titles Lists one each for PDI and Print.
- Advertising leaflet for your Club noticeboard.
- 2 Spectator Application Forms tickets available from Championship Secretary.

Maps to help you to find the venue are also available on the website.

Calendar:

Sunday 26th January 2025: Closing date for PDI entry.

Your PDI Entry Form and Titles List in Word-compatible format plus the 25 images must be

- sent to me by WeTransfer or Dropbox,
- or emailed (Round One and Round Two separately, please)

and must arrive by 26th January. Early entries are always appreciated.

Sunday 16th February 2025 - PDI Championship, The Fulbourn Centre

Championship will be after the EAF AGM at 10.30am - Championship starts no earlier than 11.30am

Sunday 23rd February 2025 - Closing date for Print entry.

Print Entry Form and Titles List only in Word-compatible format required, by email PLUS PDI versions of the prints.

Note: Print labels required for the Print Championship will be given out at the PDI Championship to those Clubs whose entry form and titles list have been received before 8th February. Labels will be sent by post to the remaining Clubs.

Sunday 16th March 2025: Print Championship, The Fulbourn Centre - 11.30am

Your 15 Print images (which must match your Titles List submitted on or before 23rd February) must be handed in between 9.00am and 9:30am on 16th March

Please read the Championship rules carefully. PDIs must be correctly submitted according to the instructions given with the Rules, and Prints must be on mounts 50cm x 40cm.

For PDIs, 1600×1200 pixels will be used as the maximum image size in line with the PAGB. Note that 1400×1050 will still be accepted, though it will appear proportionately smaller when projected.

The use of data for the Championships will comply with the EAF's Data Protection Policy. This is available on the EAF Website on the Downloadable Documents page.

Please note that no photography or videoing of the images entered is allowed during the Championships.

The master entry forms and rules can be found on the Downloadable Documents page on the EAF website, www.eaf.org.uk accessed via Info/Downloadable Documents on the website's home page.

If you have any queries do not hesitate to contact me by telephone or email .

Yours sincerely,

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