Programme Secretary's Report

Yet again I've attempted to give you a varied programme in this 2010/11 season. Hopefully this means that all of you will enjoy at least something, I wouldn't expect everybody to enjoy everything.

Just to recap a few evenings: we had Clive Hayes and Martin Addison who showed us panel after panel of their very varied work, Paul Foley who I know some of you found very inspirational with his beautiful landscapes capturing intimate detail, Gavin Hoey whose lively talk on Photoshop techniques had members of the audience asking me at coffee break if we could have him back again and the lovely Ann Cook who had us rocking in our seats with laughter with her 'Granny at Glastonbury' talk.

Thanks also to club members Barry Mann, Tony Smith and Zoe Hemsley who shared their photography and travel experiences with us.

We had a couple of cancellations this year and as a result of one of these a new club competition evening was introduced towards the end of the season to select the best print and DPI of the year.

The Spring Lecture was given by the famous landscape photographer Charlie Waite and the evening was completely sold out.

But it wasn't just me that was responsible for the programme because George Walsh kindly arranged all the judges, a major task in itself. Thank you George.

The programme for next season is arranged and our Spring Lecture will be given by John Swannell, one of the UK's leading portrait and fashion photographers.

I hope that you have enjoyed the year overall, thank you for having me as your Programme Secretary.

Anne Burke