

# ERYRI PHOTO GROUP

AFFILIATED TO THE NORTH WALES PHOTOGRAPHIC ASSOCIATION

## NEWSLETTER

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We now have the results from the final competition of the PSA General & travel sections

### 3<sup>rd</sup> Open Competition - General

Judged by the Shutterbugs Creative Forum.

In total 26 clubs took part in our group with a total of 150 images being submitted, interestingly the highest score given in this competition, was for one image to score 14 and 60% of the images scored 10 or less!

Owl in Flight by Jan Wilson Chalon 8.  
Are we there yet by Philip Chadwick 8.  
Broken Doll by Sharon Prenton Jones 12 Award.  
Sunrise at the pier by Tanya Liepins 10 HM.  
The secret book by Robert Prenton Jones 9.  
One day old by Andy Polakowski 9.

In this the third round we came in 4<sup>th</sup> place. Many thanks to all who sent in their images and a special mention to Sharon who got an award for Broken Doll and also to Tanya for Sunrise at the Pier which got a HM - Honourable Mention [Tanya's first entry into PSA with the Eryri Group].

***Overall, as this is the end of this PSA season, we as the Eryri Photo Group came 'First' in the open section, so a big thank you to all for such a great selection of images that you sent in.***

[Images are attached]

John Bell

### PSA Travel competition.

The competition was judged by Sun Lakes Camera Club, USA.

18 clubs took part with a total of 108 images of which 101 of the images scored 11 or less!

Catnap in India by Phil Chadwick 10.  
Minding the pot by Ian O'Neill 11.  
My Grandfather by Jean Chadwick 8.  
On the streets of Delhi by John Bell 11 HM.  
Standing for peace by Linda Bell 7.  
Vatican Cardinal by Andy Polakowski 8.

We came 5<sup>th</sup> out of 18 clubs in round three.

As this was the last competition of the season overall we came 10<sup>th</sup> place out of 18 clubs.

Many thanks to all who took part!

[Images are attached]

John Bell

.... and a note from John

It is worth keeping in mind that we are living in very unusual times and that the judging for the Travel and Open competitions has taken place by judges in *lockdown – Isolation* and significantly judging took place in **America**, I have no way of proving it but by looking at the scores given, I would have to say they were all under the influence of a very potent brand of Disinfectant!!!

I would like to thank John for his hard work all season organising our entries into both these competitions and also to thank our members who submitted images for him to select. And congratulations to those who won awards.

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