



The Twenty-Sixth Inter-Club Print Championship

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The Results of the 26th Celebration of the PAGB Inter-Club Print Championship.

The 2023 PAGB Inter-Club Print Championship was held in the excellent setting of Westholme School's Croston Theatre. Those of you who are regular readers of PAGB **e-news** (as I'm sure you all are) will have read the words of Leigh Preston, "*Printing is simply a way of interpreting what you took with your camera, but important as a means of personal expression. Recapturing what you felt when you pressed the shutter is a voyage of discovery in the art of the possible*". This Print Championship is a wonderful opportunity for us all to join in in the voyage of discovery in the art of photography. David Smith, Chair, PAGB Inter-Club Print Championship Committee

LICHFIELD are the 226th Club to have achieved the honour of participating in this event, along with fellow first time "rookies", **BEAUMARIS & MENAI BRIDGE, COLCHESTER, KNARESBOROUGH MELBOURN & DIST, SALTBURN & TRURO**. Great credit to them and to all of the 37 competing Clubs. Qualifying for this event is an achievement that many other clubs dream of emulating and

Our thanks are due to everyone who has helped organize this event. Especially, our thanks go to **Permajet** who continue to Sponsor the Championship and to our new insurance brokers, **Hive**, who support this and other events.

The John Robb Quaich is awarded to the Champion Club

The John Robb Quaich is presented in memory of a weel-loved Scottish photographer. A Quaich pronounced, as nearly as a non-Scot can manage, kwaik is a shallow bowl, originally made of bone or wood, but now more commonly crafted in pewter. It was used by Scottish Highlanders to eat their brose or sup their whisky.

The Terry Chapman Plate is awarded to the Plate Competition Winner.

Terry was a tireless and enthusiastic organiser who left his mark on organised amateur photography. We miss him still and this trophy is awarded in his memory.

Because of a tie for 8th Place, 9 Clubs qualified to compete in the Final including Colchester PS who battled through on their very first appearance in the Print Championship.

Congratulations to our Joint Champions, **Catchlight** and **Rolls Royce (Derby)**. This is three times in a row for Catchlight and a second for Rolls Royce (Derby). All of the Finalists qualify for the event in 2024..

Congratulations also to **Melbourn & District PC** who have described themselves as a "small village Club" and who were competing in this event for the first time. They shared the Plate Championship with **Poulton Le Fylde PS** and both automatically qualify to appear in the Championship next year. Very well done to both Clubs!

It is noticeable that the only two Clubs who have participated in every Print Championship, Smethwick and Dumfries, will have to qualify for 2024 by winning or at least coming second in their own Federation Print Championship.

| | <i>R</i> INDICATES "ROOKIE" – A CLUB COMPETING FOR THE FIRST TIME IN THIS CHAMPIONSHIP | | SCORE | PLATE |
|----|---|--------|--------------|--------------|
| AA | CATCHLIGHT CC | NIPA | 151 | Final |
| AB | TRURO CC R | WCPF | 137 | 92 |
| AC | COLCHESTER PS R | EAF | 145 | Final |
| AD | TYNEMOUTH PS | NCPF | 129 | 89 |
| AE | SMETHWICK PS | MCPF | 140 | 95 |
| AF | CHORLEY PS | L&CPU | 143 | Final |
| AG | MOLD CC | NWPA | 130 | 94 |
| AH | NORTH CHESHIRE PS | LCPU | 134 | 93 |
| AJ | CHESTERFIELD PS | N&EMPF | 137 | 91 |
| AK | SALTBURN PS R | NCPF | 136 | 91 |
| AL | WOKING PS | SPA | 122 | 84 |
| AM | ARDEN PG | MCPF | 144 | Final |
| AN | PHOTO IMAGING CO-OP | EAF | 147 | Final |
| AP | WIGAN 10 FC | L&CPU | 147 | Final |
| AR | MOLESEY PC | SPA | 132 | 84 |
| AS | BRISTOL PS | WCPF | 139 | 94 |
| AT | MELBOURN AND DISTRICT PC R | EAF | 140 | 98 |
| AV | SOUTHPORT PS | L&CPU | 139 | 95 |
| AW | EDINBURGH PS | SPF | 134 | 93 |
| AX | DUMFRIES CC | SPF | 138 | 93 |
| AY | ROLLS ROYCE DERBY PS | N&EMPF | 150 | Final |
| AZ | BEYOND GROUP | EAF | 152 | Final |
| BA | MAIDSTONE CC | KCPA | 127 | 83 |
| BB | BEAUMARIS & MENAI BRIDGE CC R | NWPA | 122 | 83 |
| BC | CHICHESTER CC | SCPF | 134 | 83 |
| BD | CHAPTER SIX | MCPF | 139 | 91 |
| BE | BRIDGEND AND DISTRICT CC | WPF | 125 | 86 |
| BG | NEW FOREST CC | SCPF | 138 | 91 |
| BH | AFAN NEDD CC | WPF | 127 | 83 |
| BJ | CENTRAL PA | NIPA | 124 | 86 |
| BK | KNARESBOROUGH CC R | YPU | 113 | 78 |
| BL | BURTON ON TRENT PS | MCPF | 136 | 90 |
| BM | WATFORD CC | CACC | 127 | 88 |
| BN | NOTTINGHAM AND NOTTS PS | NEMPF | 143 | Final |
| BP | LICHFIELD CC R | MCPF | 134 | 85 |
| BR | AMERSHAM PS | CACC | 127 | 90 |
| BS | POULTON LE FYLDE PS | L&CPU | 140 | 98 |

THE TOP 8 CLUBS AND ANY TIED FOR 8th PLACE, PLUS THE WINNERS OF THE PLATE COMPETITION, AUTOMATICALLY QUALIFY FOR AN INVITATION TO NEXT YEAR'S PRINT CHAMPIONSHIP, IN ADDITION TO THE TWO CLUBS NOMINATED BY EACH FEDERATION.

| FINAL 2023 | | SCORE | POSITION |
|----------------------------------|--------|--------------|-----------------|
| CATCHLIGHT CC | NIPA | 191 | 1= |
| ROLLS ROYCE DERBY PS | N&EMPF | 191 | 1= |
| WIGAN 10 FC | L&CPU | 185 | 3 |
| ARDEN PG | MCPF | 184 | 4= |
| BEYOND GROUP | EAF | 184 | 4= |
| COLCHESTER PS R | EAF | 184 | 4= |
| CHORLEY PS | L&CPU | 183 | 7 |
| PHOTO IMAGING CO-OP | EAF | 180 | 8 |
| NOTTINGHAM & NOTTS PS | NEMPF | 179 | 9 |

Joint Champions

CATCHLIGHT CC
and
ROLLS ROYCE DERBY PS

The John Robb Quaich plus a PAGB Gold Medal

Third Place

WIGAN 10 FC

PAGB Silver Medal

Joint Fourth Place

**ARDEN PG
BEYOND GROUP
COLCHESTER PS**

PAGB Silver Medal

Plate Winners

PAGB Silver Medal

**MELBOURN AND DISTRICT PC
and
POULTON LE FYLDE PS**

Best "Rookie"

David's Award

COLCHESTER PS

Back Room Award

The Print Sorting team have
the honour of choosing their
Individual Award

The Animals came in Four by Four
Richard O'Meara. Poulton Le Fylde

Name

Club

Armando Personal Choice - PAGB Silver Medals

1. Colour

2. Mono

Levitation
by
Paul Hassel. Arden PG.

Name

Club

Locked and Loaded
by
Jennifer Willis. Catchlight PS

Name

Club

Erica Personal Choice - PAGB Silver Medals

3. Colour

4. Mono

Choir Master
by
Pamela Wilson. Catchlight PS

Name

Club

Village Girl, Gujarat
by
Colin Westgate. Colchester PS

Name

Club

Christine Personal Choice - PAGB Silver Medals

5. Colour

6. Mono

Beside Still Waters
by
Katrina Mee. Rolls Royce (Derby)

Name

Club

Great Grey Owls
by
Lynda Haney. Wigan 10 FC

Name

Club

7. Best Colour Print – RW. Trophy & PAGB Gold Medal

Mother's Love
by
Lynda Haney. Wigan 10 FC

Name

Club

8. Best Mono Print – RW. Trophy & PAGB Gold Medal

Muslim Girls
by
Chrissie Westgate. Beyond Group

Name

Club

PREVIOUS CHAMPIONS.

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|------|------------------------------------|
| 1997 | Smethwick P.S |
| 1998 | Smethwick P.S |
| 1999 | Smethwick P.S |
| 2000 | Dumfries C.C. |
| 2001 | Solihull P.S. |
| 2002 | Smethwick P.S. |
| 2003 | Southport P.S. |
| 2004 | Smethwick P.S. |
| 2005 | Smethwick P.S. |
| 2006 | Smethwick P.S. |
| 2007 | Amersham P.S. |
| 2008 | Arden P.G. in their “rookie” year |
| 2009 | Wigan 10 F.C. |
| 2010 | Arden P.G. |
| 2011 | Arden P.G. and Edinburgh P.S. |
| 2012 | Wigan 10 F.C. |
| 2013 | Smethwick P.S. |
| 2014 | Dumfries C.C. |
| 2015 | Dumfries C.C. and Stafford P.S. |
| 2016 | Wigan 10 F.C. |
| 2017 | Cambridge C.C. |
| 2018 | Rolls Royce (Derby) P.S. |
| 2019 | Arden P.G. |
| 2020 | not held. |
| 2021 | Catchlight C.C. and Smethwick P.S. |
| 2022 | Catchlight C.C. |

THE NEXT INTER-CLUB PRINT CHAMPIONSHIP

TBC,
Probably Saturday 26 October 2024 and probably the same venue.
Put it in your diary now.

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