

Winchester Photographic Society

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Programme Secretary's Report

The 2016-2017 Season

David McKibbin set the bar high with his fantastic 2015-2016 season programme and I hope that I have done the Society justice with the 2016-2017 programme.

My intention with the 2016-2017 programme was 'diversity'. We had a few unorthodox speakers this season - notably David Shaw, Nick Marsh and Anton Page - whom I was a little uncertain as to how the membership would react, but I have been pleasantly surprised by the positive feedback. We had one or two speakers who were less than inspiring unfortunately, but I hope the superb talks from our special guest speakers - Will Cheung, Danny Green and David Noton - made up for that. I must give a special thanks to Lilian Hobbs for her member's evening as well.

Thanks also to the WPS Committee for all of their support and advice.

The 2017-2018 Season

At the time of writing the 2017-2018 season programme is nearly complete, with only one speaker still to confirm.

I have again tried to create a varied programme that has something for everyone. We have speakers covering smart phones, cultural heritage, travel, sports, macro, marine wildlife, coasts, landscapes, documentary, portraits, abstract, and a road trip.

We will have two member's evenings this year, from Tony Smith and Paul Davison. We all know how wonderful their images are!

The final Programme will be published in the Members' Handbook, on the website, on the WPS Google calendar, and in the members' newsletters.

Lastly, many thanks again this season for all of the great suggestions for future speakers. Please keep them coming.

Jason Reeves

Programme Secretary