



# ACE NEWSLETTER

## Ace Camera Club Albany



### ACTIVE COLOUR GAMES

Once again the weather was kind to us and we managed to provide the organisers with a range of videos and still photos of the event.

At the moment we are having problems in getting enough photographers onsite to adequately cover all the action.

Supporting worthwhile community events such as this has been a long-term priority for the club but we need more volunteers to continue to provide support to these worthy causes.

### AWARD NOMINATION

I was very pleased to receive a call that informed us we were finalists in the Australian Best Community Program Awards for 2024.

I think it proves that the concept of an inclusive and well supported club is the key to achieving successful outcomes for everyone involved.

### FREE WORKSHOP

Don't miss this excellent opportunity to attend our free workshop with Photo journalist Astrid Volzke at our ACTIV studio. Learn how to create photographs that tell a story. This is part of our Bi-Centenary project for the A-TEAM.



Join us in empowering voices and sharing stories that matter! Scan the QR code to learn more and sign up for the free workshop

Call Astrid on 0417788578  
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## ALBANY AGRICULTURAL SHOW PHOTO COMPETITION

Here's a part of the space you can help fill with your competition photos at this year's event.

We're getting them ready now and there's not much time before we reach the deadline.

1 free A4 mounted print for each member.

Good prizes, time is running out. [Link below.](#)

<https://www.albanysshow.org.au/custom/public/files/photography-schedule-2024.pdf>

## THE FINAL BUS TRIP FOR 2024

The buses have been booked and we've contacted the Dept of LG,S&CI for permission to visit Camp Quarunup on Tuesday the 10th of December and Thursday the 12th.

The dates have been set but we're just waiting for a reply from the Dept. The cost will be \$10.00 per person which covers entry and morning tea.

This is the last trip of 2024 so be ready to book when it becomes live on our ACE Facebook page.



## THE ACE XMAS PARTIES



**We've booked  
Handasydes Hayshed  
for the 17th and 19th  
of December,  
10:30am to 12:30pm  
Put it in your diary.**

*Thank  
you!*

## WE HAVE A PROBLEM!

When we started the A-TEAM our expectations weren't all that high but look how wrong that was. We've reached a stage where we now have potential to turn what we've learnt on our photography outings into so much more.

**There is one problem.**

The growth in numbers has outpaced our ability to provide the more advanced training programs necessary to take members to the next level. We've reached a roadblock.

Somehow we need to find a couple of volunteers with basic photography skills to manage the Tuesday and Thursday outings which would provide the time required to develop individual programs for the members who are moving into the more advanced levels.

The potential for great things is there but just won't happen without more volunteers.