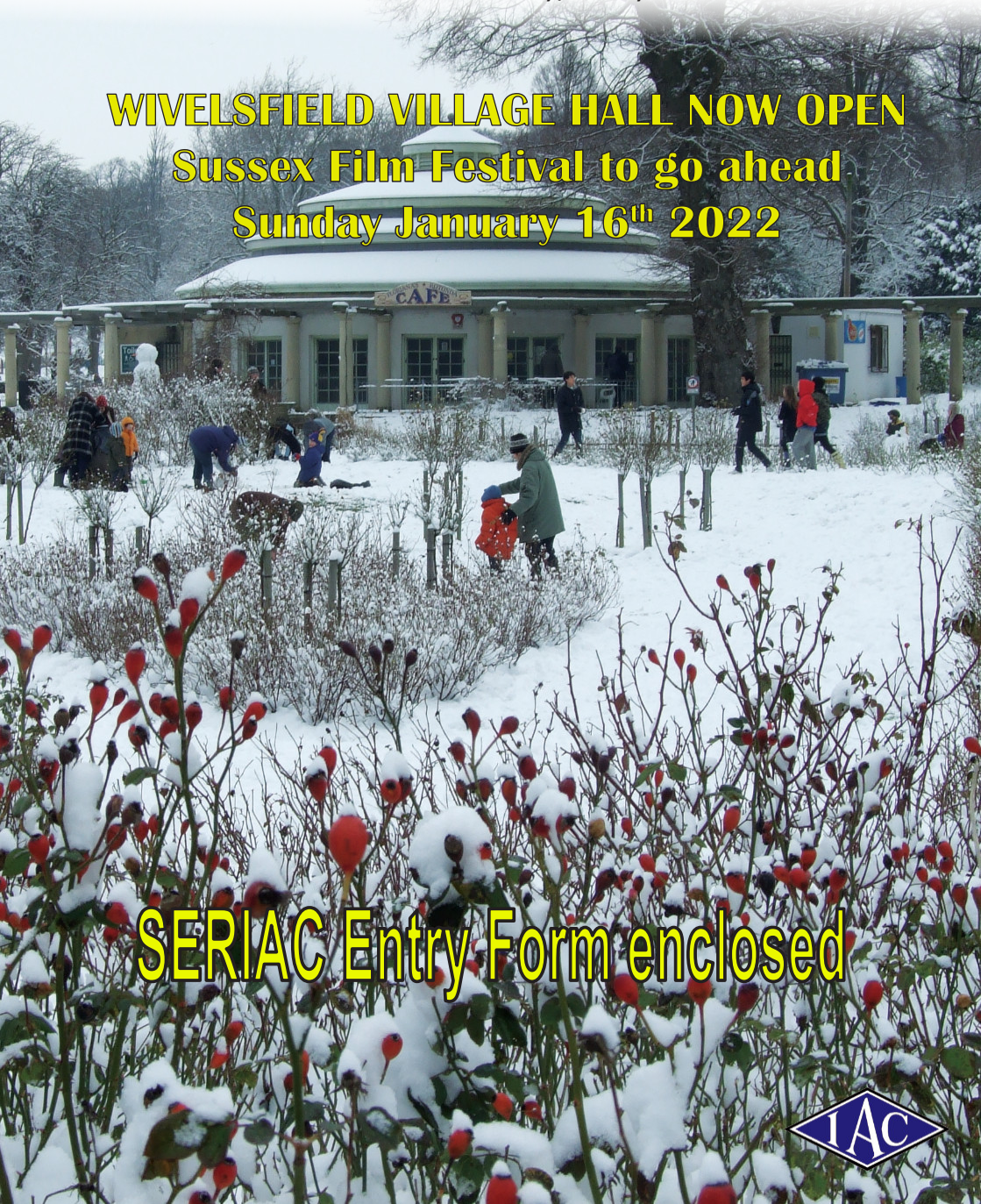


WIVELSFIELD VILLAGE HALL NOW OPEN Sussex Film Festival to go ahead Sunday January 16th 2022



SERCIAC Entry Form enclosed



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<https://www.facebook.com/seriacnews>

CLUB MAGAZINES & PROGRAMME

We love to see your club magazines/newsletters and programme dates. We will publish articles from them as appropriate. Please send them to:-
Keith Sayers FACI, SERIAC News Editor and
Brenda Troughton FACI, SERIAC Secretary
Please note the contact details and deadlines on the left of this page.

Rita's Review

Thoughts from SERIAC Chairman Rita Hayes FACI

New Year less restrictions, we hope.

Hopefully you all had a good Christmas and it wasn't cancelled at the last minute like it was in 2020. As I am writing this at the beginning of December and the Omicron variant has arrived, things could have changed yet again by the big day. Hopefully with all the vaccines and boosters it might be a different story this time and into next year, just as clubs are able to meet again.

Sussex Festival date change.

Fingers crossed that the 2022 Festivals like the Sussex on 16th January and SERIAC on 16th April can go ahead as planned.

The judging is now complete for the Sussex and the entry form for the SERIAC Festival is included in this edition. Hopefully we will receive the usual bumper amount of entries that we always used to get before the pandemic struck.

I was able to attend two evenings at Spring Park Film Makers: their Annual Show, which was very enjoyable, and an evening to celebrate the life of Mike Shaw FACI, a member of both Spring Park and Orpington and a past Chair of SERIAC. Many of the wonderful films he made were shown. His family attended and brought along their lovely little pet dog, Merida. When the audience clapped after every film the dog joined in each time with a little bark - she could see what a great film maker Mike was as well!

I hope to meet up with you all at the festivals and to be able to give out the awards once more.

Best wishes,

A VERY HAPPY NEW YEAR
TO YOU ALL

Keith's Column

Notes from the Editor, Keith Sayers FACI

Good news at last

I hope you had a fantastic Christmas and a fabulous New Year. Confirmation has now been received that the refurbishment of Wivelsfield Village Hall is completed and, at the time of writing,

SERIAC entry form inside

the Sussex Film Festival can go ahead on its third time of asking, that's January 16th 2022. Ok, that's a bit late to call it the 2021 festival but as we hope to have another towards the end of the year we'll go with it anyway. All the films have been safely stored away for some time now so it will be good to run through them again and set up the running order, we will be showing all of them. We also plan to show a few of the films from the 2020 Sussex and the 2020 / 21 SERIAC festivals that didn't get an airing due to Covid.

With the SERIAC Film Festival on course to go ahead at the Oast Theatre Tonbridge things look a lot more promising for 2022. The entry form for this is in the centre pages of this issue so we are ready and waiting for your films. It will certainly be good to see you all at these events, it's been way too long.

I hope you will send details and pictures of your Christmas lunches and parties, I can include them in the next issue.



Sussex ready to run on the 16th January 2022

Keith

SERIAC FILM FESTIVAL 2022

ENTRY CLOSES 1st FEBRUARY 2022

Name of entrant or group

Address & postcode

Tel No. Email

IAC Member No. IAC Club No.

MCPS Licence No. Judges Comments YES / NO

Entry Fee	
IAC Member or IAC Club	£5.00 per movie / One minute film £3.00
Non IAC member or club	£7.00 per movie / One minute film £5.00
Youth and Junior	£2.00 per movie / One minute film £2.00
Return postage	£2.00
Films to be collected at the festival, if possible, or returned if post has been paid for.	

Entry fee £	Return postage* £	Total £
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- (a) Paying on line: SERIAC A/C 90508195 Sort code 20-12-26 Ref: 2022 plus surname
- (b) PLEASE SEND ALL ENTRY FORMS TO the Competition Officer which should include your comments for the AGM and any cheques.
- (d) If you wish to send your film on DVD or USB Stick please send to the Competition Officer, 92 Loder Road, Brighton, BN1 6PH with entry form.
- (e) If you wish to send your entry by film transfer: please send to seriacfilms@gmail.com.

SERIACFESTIVAL2021



A two disc DVD set is now available with all the films from the 2021 SERIAC Film Festival

£10.00 inc P&P

Contact our Secretary, Brenda. Details on page 2

FESTIVAL ENTRY RULES

Name of Film *(Print)*

Duration	Minutes	Seconds
Categories	Adult <input type="checkbox"/>	Adult Group or Club <input type="checkbox"/>
	Youth <input type="checkbox"/>	Youth Group or Club <input type="checkbox"/>
	Junior <input type="checkbox"/>	Open <input type="checkbox"/>

Please tick only one of the following

Drama <input type="checkbox"/>	Comedy <input type="checkbox"/>
Documentary <input type="checkbox"/>	One minute <input type="checkbox"/>
Animation <input type="checkbox"/>	Other <input type="checkbox"/>

Junior or Youth entry date of birth *(if applicable)*

Brief description of any help received for Junior / Youth entry *(if applicable)*

Declarations

We trust that you are happy for your film to be shown either on our website or in a compilations of films on disc unless we are advised to the contrary.

I declare that this movie was produced without paid professional help and complies with the SERIAC festival rules. Copyright clearance has been obtained and I have read and understood and agreed to all the Competition rules. I confirm also that all trophies are the property of the South East Region of the I.A.C. (SERIAC) and must be returned when Requested.

Signed

Dated

Please print name

Detach and send separate copy for each entry

Amateur films are deemed to be made with no intended profit motive and solely for the joy and challenge of making them.

Location

- Entrants to the SERIAC Film Festival must reside in Kent, Surrey, Sussex, the Channel Islands or have a SE or SW postcode in London.

IAC Number

- An IAC Club number cannot be used for an individual's entry.
- Individuals who are not members of the IAC may enter the festival.

Entries

- A completed and signed form must accompany each film with appropriate fee.
- All entries must have a title and name and address clearly marked on your film entry.
- Format accepted SD, AVCHD or Blu-ray on disc or USB Drive.
- Copyright clearance of all visuals and recorded sound is the sole responsibility of the entry form signatory.
- Films **must not** have a menu.
- One minute entries must include all credits within sixty seconds or less.
- Previous entries to this festival are not accepted
- All entries are handled with care but SERIAC cannot accept liability for any loss or damage.
- Judges decisions are final.
- SERIAC Council decisions on any matter arising and not covered by these rules will be final.
- SERIAC reserve the right to use entrant's film or photographs from that film in media associated with SERIAC unless advised to the contrary by the entrant.

Open Class

- An amateur or student who has paid for any technical creative help or assistance from a professional must enter the 'Open Class'.
- Open entrants are also those who are in higher education for a career in film making but are not Youth or Junior entrants.
- Open entrants are only eligible for the Open Award

Junior and Youth Entries

- Juniors must be under 18 year old on the closing date and Youth entries must be between 18 and 21 year.
- Both entries must disclose their age and any help provided.

Club Entries

- Club entries must be submitted from an address of an official of the club/society.
- Clubs do not need to be affiliated to the IAC.
- Club members involved in the making of the film must be included in the credits.
- The Kent Cup can only be awarded to an IAC affiliated club.

Trophies

- Trophies are handed out on the day of the event .

The SERIAC Film Festival 2022

Back at the Oast

CHANGES TO THE 2022 FESTIVAL

Since lockdown we have taken time to rationalize the 2022 Film Festival now that we are back at the Oast Theatre in Tonbridge 16th April 2022.

This year there will be differences. You will be free to bring your own choice of refreshments for supper including soft drinks, beer or wine. There is, of course, always the opportunity to enjoy a meal in the Beefeater next door at lunch time.

Tickets can only be purchased on the day at the box office. Doors will open around 1pm. The cost of the ticket will be £4.00.

We will be offering tea and biscuits during the afternoon breaks.

We appreciate that not many of our members join in the AGM. We are, therefore asking you to sign on the following page if you agree with with the details below.

Committee for a further two years:

Chairman	Rita Hayes
Secretary	Brenda Troughton
Treasurer	Richard Troughton
SERIAC News	Keith Sayers
Other members	Pip Hayes / Terence Patrick / Charlie Caseley

SERIAC accounts: Total £4000

If there are any questions regarding SERIAC, please phone 020 8462 2822 where we will be happy to help you.

The SERIAC Festival is a great opportunity for like minded film makers to get together to enjoy an afternoon of films.

SERIAC is coming home

Join us at the Oast Theatre, Tonbridge

Saturday 16th of April 2022

Closing date for entries February 1st 2022

An entry form is in this issue



Club Diary

Contact details for clubs in the region

Due to the Coronavirus club meetings have been disrupted. Some are using video conferencing but can still be contacted using the details shown

Ashford Camcorder Club

Contact: Mrs. Heather Slater - 01233 627093
heather48@talktalk.net
www.ashfordcamcorderclubkent.co.uk



Contact: Val McManus (Sec)
Valmcmanusuk@yahoo.com
www.eastsussexmoviemakers.org

<https://www.facebook.com/pages/East-Sussex-Moviemakers/625638464235183?ref=hl>
Meet 1st & 3rd Wednesdays of each month at -
St Luke's Parish Centre, Stone Cross. 7.30 pm

Canterbury Film Makers Club

Contact: Bill Ricketts

Cfm@canterburyfilmmakers.club
www.canterburyfilmmakers.club
Meetings held 2nd Friday of each month 10 am till 12 noon
All Saints Church, Military Road, Canterbury CT1 1PA
And simultaneously via Zoom.

Jan 8th Keeping your PC in top order



Chichester Film & Video Makers

www.cfm.org.uk
Meet every other Wednesday Evening from 7.15 for 7.30pm
St Pancras Church Hall, Tozer Way, Chichester, PO19 7LH

Jan 12th Tricks filming with natural light



Contact: Norman Bull 020 8337 8118
Epsomcvs@hotmail.co.uk
www.epsommoviemakers.co.uk

Meet at: - Ewell Hall, London Road, Ewell, Surrey KT17 2AZ
Jan 10th Holiday & travelogue competitions



Contact: Liz Willerton 01444 441479
liz.willerton@icloud.com

www.haywardsheathmoviemakers.org.uk
Meetings at The Upper Room, Methodist Church,
Perrymount Road, Haywards Heath.

Dec 21st Christmas clips & nibbles + competition awards



Contact: Frank Bassett
01622 745123

info@maidstonecamcorderclub.co.uk
www.maidstonecamcorder.co.uk
Meet 1st & 3rd Wednesday of the month from 7.45pm
East Farleigh WI Hall ME15 0HQ

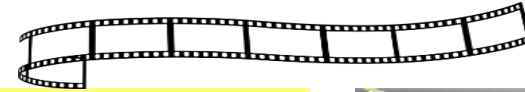
Miller Centre Moviemakers

Contact: David Sparrow.

55 Markfield Road, Caterham, Surrey CR3 6RQ
Tel: 01883 342940 david.sparrow01@btinternet.com
<http://millercentretreasure.org>
Meet: Fridays 7.30pm
30 Godstone Road, Caterham, Surrey CR3 6RA

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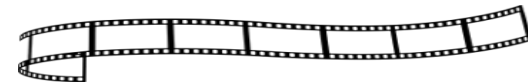
Orpington Video & Film Makers

Contact: Jane Oliver
info@ovfm.org.uk
www.ovfm.org.uk

Meet 8 – 10pm on alternate Tuesdays at the Barnard Room,
St. Augustine's Church, Southborough Lane,
Petts Wood BR2 8AT
Jan 11th Top ten 2021 - Final



Contact: Sean Phelan 07775 690210
secretary@suttonfilm.co.uk www.suttonfilm.co.uk
Meet 1st & 3rd Wednesday of every month
at the Parochial Rooms, 42 The Broadway, Cheam.



Portsdown Video Makers

Contact: Stewart Newell,
tessa.newell@btinternet.com 01962 885296
Meet 1st Tuesday each month at St James Church Hall,
Emsworth. 7.30 pm. New / prospective members welcome
Dec 21st An evening with Adrian



Spring Park Film Makers

Contact: Brenda Troughton FACI
020 8462 2822
springparkfilmmakers@hotmail.com

www.springparkfilms.co.uk
Meet every other Thursday 7.45 pm to 10 pm
in the Griffiths - Jones Hall, Emmanuel Church,
The Grove, West Wickham BR4 9JS
Dec 16th Christmas Lunch



South Downs Film Makers

Contact: Roy Powell tel: 01903 266606
roy@p2roy.co.uk

www.southdownsfilmmakers.org.uk
Meet at: The Village Hall, Ferring Street, Ferring,
West Sussex. BN12 5JP
Jan 19th Christmas Film Competition
Feb 16th Ferring Cup Competition
Feb 25th Annual Club Luncheon
Mar 16th Annual General Meeting



Contact: Rita Wheeler
secretary@surreyborder.org.uk
www.surreyborder.org.uk

Find us on f at:-
<https://www.facebook.com/SurreyBorderMovieMakers/timeline>
Meet on line on the 1st Friday of each month 8.00 pm
For those interested email secretary@surreyborder.org.uk
Dec 5th Christmas lunch

Club details are correct as we know them at the time of publication.
The impact of Corona Virus has had an effect on ongoing schedules
so we advise you check with the club if you are planning a visit.

Please send your programme details and any news to the Editor
by January 5th 2022.
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Photographic Club Diary

Contact details for photographic clubs in the region

Littlehampton & Dist Camera Club

Contact: The Secretary litcc@hotmail.co.uk
<http://littlehamptoncameraclub.co.uk>
Meet Wednesdays at The Methodist Church Hall
Claigmar Road, Rustington. BN16 2NL

Woking Photographic Society



Contact: 07954 196142 admin@wokingps.org.uk
www.wokingps.org.uk
Meet: Tuesdays, September to June, at 7.45 for 8.00 pm at
Parkview Centre for the Community, Sheerwater Recreation
Ground, Blackmore Crescent, Sheerwater,
Woking GU21 5NZ
Some on line events available by invitation

Ludshott Photographic Club

Contact: info@ludshottpc.org.uk Web: <https://ludshottpc.org.uk/>
Meet 1st & 3rd Monday of each month September to June. 7.45pm
Headley Village Hall, 2 Arford Road, Headley, Bordon, Hampshire
GU35 8LJ (Note, new venue & email address)

Mid Thames

Audio Visual
Group

Meet at 10am on 1st Friday of the month
Woosehill Community Centre,
Wokingham RG41 3DA
www.midthamesavgroup.org.uk

Contact: Jean Hoyle mtavsec@virginmedia.com

Events below are correct at the
time of going to press but may be
subject to change or cancellation .
Please check before travelling.

Events



SUSSEX FILM FESTIVAL

Sunday 16th January 2022 (Doors open 2.30 for 3.00 pm)
Wivelsfield Village Hall, Eastern Road, Wivelsfield Green. RH17 7QH
Competition Officer, Jonathan Wilde St Crispin, Old Road, Magham Down. Hailsham BN27 1PR
telephone: 01323 449025 email: sussexff@gmail.com
www.seriac.org.uk/sussexfilmfestival.html



SERIAC FILM FESTIVAL

Saturday 16th April 2022
Closing date for entries 1st February 2022
The Oast Theatre,
London Road, Tonbridge, Kent.
www.seriac.org.uk



BIAFF 2022

22nd - 24th April 2022

Closing date for entries January 31st 2022. (Discounts for films received before December 20th 2021)
Crescent Theatre, 20 Sheepcote St, Brindley place, Birmingham B16 8AE.
www.biaff.org.uk/competition.html



Haywards
Heath
MM

ALBANY COMPETITION 2022

Details to be advised

www.haywardsheathmoviemakers.org.uk



Scan the QR codes with your smart phone to go to the relevant web sites