



THE SUSSEX FILM FESTIVAL **SUNDAY OCTOBER 9TH 2022**

THE SERIAC FILM FESTIVAL
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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

SERIAC Film festival date shift

As you will see, we have included an entry form for the SERIAC Festival in this edition. Sorry it's so early but we have encountered problems booking the Tonbridge Oast for 2023 and the only date on offer

The SERIAC Festival is early next year



to us is Saturday 18th February. This means we have had to make 31st October the closing date for entries. Hopefully we won't have this trouble booking the Oast again.

Could we use Canterbury in future?

Did any of you used to attend the Kent Film Festival in Canterbury? Sadly nobody has taken on the task of continuing the event. It is a great venue: the screen and projection is all set up to use and they have tea, coffee and meals on site, so no need to bring sandwiches, etc. It would be nice to hear if you feel the Canterbury venue is an option for the future, or is it too far to travel for some of you?

I hope to meet up with some of you at The Sussex Festival on Sunday 9th October at Wivelsfield Village Hall. Doors open at 2.30 for 3.00pm start. Good luck to all who have entered.



Rita

Keith's Column

Notes from the Editor, Keith Sayers FACI



If you wish to enter the 2023 SERIAC competition please complete this entry form and send as below.
The public show will be held at the Oast Theatre, London Road, Tonbridge, Kent TN10 3AN 18th February 2023

Three exciting events coming soon



It's all systems go for festivals at the moment. We have been caught out somewhat with the SERIAC, the Oast Theatre had a problem finding us a slot then they eventually came up with February 18th as the only date they had in the whole year. This meant we had to get a wiggle on as we would need to have the judges

Get ready for an early SERIAC

results by early January but we didn't think it was fair to expect them to work on this in December, I think something called Christmas tends to get in the way. This means the closing date for entries had to be set at October 31st but I'm sure you have

been making lots of films over this sweltering summer we've been having so all you have to do is fill in the form in the centre of this issue and send it with your film and payment and Bob's your Marley.

Another exciting event just on the horizon is the Sussex Film Festival on October 9th at our old favourite venue, Wivelsfield Village Hall. The films are all in and are currently being judged. We have a good selection of high quality movies and it should be a very entertaining afternoon so put the date in your diaries and I look forward to seeing you there.

The Sussex is fast approaching

Back on for 2023 is the Albany competition hosted this time by Haywards Heath Movie Makers at Wesley Hall Haywards Heath on Saturday June 24th. Details are in the Events section on the back cover and will be updated as soon as the information is available.

The Albany is back

After all the national and international disasters that have befallen us lately it will be good to get back into the swing so please try and support these events if you can, a lot of hard work goes into them by just a few people and it's nice to think their efforts are appreciated.

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	
Media to be collected at the festival, if possible, or returned if post has been paid for.		

- | Entry fee £ | Return postage* £ | Total £ |
|-------------|---|---------|
| (a) | Paying on line: SERIAC A/C 90508195 Sort code 20-12-26 Ref: 2023 plus surname. | |
| (b) | If paying by cheque please make it out to SERIAC and send to: Keith Sayers, 92 Loder Road, Brighton, BN1 6PH | |
| (c) | If you wish to send your film on DVD or USB Stick: please send to Keith Sayers, 92 Loder Road, Brighton, BN1 6PH with entry form. | |
| (d) | File transfer entries should be sent to seriafilms@gmail.com. | |
| (e) | Please email Entry forms to:- seriafilms@gmail.com or post to Keith Sayers, 92 Loder Road, Brighton, BN1 6PH | |

ENTRY CLOSES 31st OCTOBER 2022

Competition Officer Keith Sayers

FESTIVAL ENTRY DETAILS

Title 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 compilation 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



FESTIVAL ENTRY RULES

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 File transfer, DVD, Blu-Ray, 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 will be handed out only on the day of the event to the entrant or their representative.
- Trophies should be cleaned before returning to the nearest member of the SERIAC Council one month before the next year's festival. Please ring or email for nearest member.

Regional Shield

Best movie in the festival

Freddy Beard SERIAC Cup

For runner up of best film

Kent Cup

Best movie by an IAC affiliated club *(Not available for individual entries)*

Acting Trophy

Best acting performance

Alex Dove Trophy

Audience choice of most entertaining movie

Baynes Trophy

Best photography

Colin Payne Trophy

Film in no special category includes mood, experimental, other

Croydon Trophy

Best documentary

JVC Trophy

Best edited movie

Mike Coad Trophy

Best story

Open Trophy

Paid professional help or
in higher education for movie making

Orpington Cup

Best comedy

Paterson Cup

Best animated movie

SERIAC 60 Cup

Best one minute or less movie

Southern Sound Trophy

Best use of sound

Mike Shaw's Trophy for special effects

Surrey Border Cup

For special merit

Youth Award

Best film made by a person under 21 but over 18 years

Junior Award

Best film by a person under 18

Certificates of Merit

Awarded at the discretion of the judges

THE SUSSEX FILM FESTIVAL

October 9th 2022



We're back at Wivelsfield Village Hall once again for another show of exciting films by Sussex film makers.

Doors open 2.30 pm for a 3.00 pm start.

The afternoon will include a presentation of all the films entered, tea, coffee and snacks all included in the price of £10.00 per person.

This is a great chance to meet and chat with like minded friends both old and new and see what innovations others are putting into their films.

We are looking forward to seeing as many of you as possible so if you haven't attended for a while, or indeed, at all please make a date and come along, it promises to be a great afternoon.

**Wivelsfield Village Hall, Eastern Road, Wivelsfield Green RH17 7QH
Enquiries sussexff@gmail.com**

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



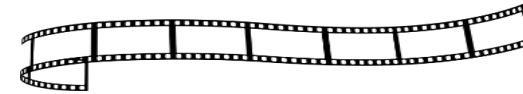
Contact: Val McManus (Sec)
Valmcmanusuk@yahoo.com
www.eastsussexmoviemakers.com

Meet 1st & 3rd Wednesdays of each month at -
St Luke's Parish Centre, Stone Cross. 7.00 pm

Aug 17th SERIAC Showreel
Sep 7th Studio experience
Sep 21st Results of indoor filming (Apr 20th)
Oct 9th Annual Film Competition
Oct 19th AGM
Nov 2nd Location film results (Jul 6th)

Club Diary

Contact details for clubs in the region



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

Sep 6th Screening footage shot on June 28th
Sep 20th Green screen filming
Oct 4th Top Ten 2022 - Round 3
Oct 7th Autumn show 2022
Oct 18th Guest speaker / Archive evening
Nov 1st Practical evening



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.

Sep 7th Sound recording & post production
Sep 21st Scene recreation
Oct 5th Team challenge
Oct 19th Guest speaker (TBA)
Nov 2nd How to pitch your script or film



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.



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

Meet at:- Ewell Hall, London Road, Ewell, Surrey KT17 2AZ



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



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

Sep 1st Visiting speaker
Sep 15th Competition part 1
Sep 29th Competition part 2
Oct 13th Awards evening
Oct 27th Annual show
Nov 10th Clive Cobley Competition



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



Contact: Liz Willerton 01444 441479

liz.willerton@icloud.com
www.haywardsheathmoviemakers.org.uk
Meetings at The Upper Room, Methodist Church,
Perrymount Road, Haywards Heath.

Sep 27th Showreel from another club
Oct 25th Open competition night. All genres max 15 mins
Nov 22nd Alan Early & 60 second competitions

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

Sep 21st SERIAC winning films 2022
Oct 19th David & Michael practical evening
Nov 16th Summer shoot film competition



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

Find us on Facebook:-
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
Sep 2nd Documentary competition

Circle Eight Film Group

Contact: Terence Patrick 01483 222534
www.circle-eight.org.uk enquiries@circle-eight.org.uk



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://millercentretheatre.org
Meet: Fridays 7.30pm
30 Godstone Road, Caterham, Surrey CR3 6RA

Please send your programme details and any news to the Editor
by October 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
Claimar Road, Rustington. BN16 2NL

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)

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

Mid Thames



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

Contact: Jean Hoyle mtavsec@virginmedia.com

Meetings recommence Friday Sep 2nd

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 9th October 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

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www.seriac.org.uk/sussexfilmfestival.html



SERIAC FILM FESTIVAL

Saturday 18th February 2023

Closing date for entries 31st October 2022

The Oast Theatre,

London Road, Tonbridge, Kent.

www.seriac.org.uk



ALBANY COMPETITION 2023

Hosted by Haywards Heath Movie Makers

Saturday 24th June 2023

Wesley Hall, Haywards Heath, Sussex

Theme "Nothing Ventured"

Entry forms and rules will be sent to participating clubs towards the end of 2022 and should be returned by

April 29th 2023 www.haywardsheathmoviemakers.org.uk



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