



October 2011 Club News

Dundalk Photo Club season is back in full swing. The beginner's class has started and has attracted another large, enthusiastic crowd.

The Club has received 2nd place in the Photographic Society of America website competition. The website was recently redesigned by club member Niall McEntegart and has now a comprehensive collection of the clubs work. Check out our website at www.dundalkphoto.com.

There have been two monthly competitions so far. In September, John McGee emerged leading in the non-advanced section, Freddie McArdle in Advanced section and David Martin & Gabriel O'Shaughnessy in Senior Section. The image of the month was landscape image 'Sunbeam a.m' by Gabriel O'Shaughnessy. The judge was Ciaran Whyte from Celbridge Photo Club.

And more recently, in October, Brendan Tumilty & Mark English are leading the in Non-advanced section, Declan Gernan is leading the Advanced section and David Martin in Senior Section. Judge Gerry Kerr was very impressed with the standard of photography and he selected Michelle McNally's Dutch master-style portrait 'Jean' as Photo of the Month.

The Tallaght Photographic Society held their Salon this month, with Brian Hopper winning a gold medal and three ribbons and Michelle McNally got Bronze for her image 'Little Ballerina'.

Also this month, Brian Hopper was awarded a medal for third place in monochrome in the French Salon, 7eme SALON MONDIAL PHOTOGRAPHIQUE DE LIMOURS 2011 for his image "I'm Not Bothered" and also a PSA Honourable Mention for his image "Prize Fighting Cocks".