



In This Months Magazine

President's Report

Photos from our film night

Results from our National Video Festival

More Photos from the club

**November 2018**

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**7th November 7.30pm  
Wednesday Club Meeting  
Themed Competition  
'Sock'  
Plus best of the rest**

**December 2018**

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**5th December 7.30pm  
Wednesday Club Meeting  
Christmas Party  
Bring a plate to share**

**2018 COMPETITIONS & FUNCTIONS**

November	Themed Competition 'Sock'
December	Christmas Party Bring a plate to share

## *From the President's Desk*



I'm back on board after my recent overseas holiday - rested, re energized and keen to get on with some more film making in the coming months ahead. Our November theme competition, held on Wednesday the 7th is all about 'Sox', and like you I'll be interested to see how our members interpret this theme.

During my holiday, of course, I shot a heap of footage on various subjects. For the trip I packed my Manfrotto tripod, my heavy 4k camera & bag, a voice recorder ( just in case) and a Go Pro along with it's associated spare batteries plus a Gorilla Pod. I did use the Manfrotto and the 4k camera twice, however it was cumbersome and I just didn't end up using it enough to have carted it all of the way with me - mainly using the Go Pro. Whilst this was still OK I feel that without any optical or digital zoom on the camera you tend to miss so much of the important 'detail' which normally adds so much to a completed film. Geoff spoke recently about downsizing his equipment so that it would be able to fit into a very small bag, and after travelling with a heavy kit overseas I agree with his thinking - so now I'm on the lookout for a cheap Go Pro knockoff with zoom capability. It all makes sense now...

I spoke to Mark about how the National Video Festival went on the 17th at the Lakes Cinema and he told me that whilst the audience numbers were down this year (a lot of our members were away on holidays and couldn't attend - I'm one of them!) it did turn out to be an enjoyable night. Terry helped out by bringing a heap of his friends along to pad out the audience on the night. Geoff jumped in as our genial host and once again I'd like to make special mention of the behind the scenes organizing by your hardworking

committee with assistance by Laurie also. Getting the films judged, buying the trophies, making up a master disc of the films to play on the night, setting up the cinema, printing and selling tickets, corresponding with the international entrants. Also the judges themselves. This all stacks up to a lot of work and I'd like to especially thank Mark for his sterling efforts behind the scenes again. Well done you. I was amazed by Ralf's extra yard effort of actually meeting up in Chesham England with Zenka and Ian Woodward who entered our International section and then provided a photo of this meet n greet for our club's magazine. Wow!

Recently I had to take down a very large mirror from one of the walls of my house and I recalled seeing an item on the ABC about sending a 'Mirror Flash' across a long distance between two separate mountain peaks right the way to Katoomba, and I mentioned to both Geoff & Ian the possibility of filming a similar exercise as a special club activity. We need correct sun conditions and 2 line of sight tall places for this to work. Of course we'll have to conduct a few small scale experiments first to see if this idea will actually work, and then on the day we'd split into 2 teams with (for example) group A at Bray Park Hill after completing could join group B for a BBQ at Mt Sugarloaf (for example). Think about this and we'll discuss it further at our November meeting - I love a crazy plan... See you all then.

*Phillip Reynolds.*

**Festival Photos at Lakes Cinema Boolaroo**



Terry Farrelly winning the Audience Appeal Award



Geoff Peel with members of the audience



Terry Farrelly accepting his award for 'Magic Martin' and Best of Festival with 'Breathe'



David Elliot accepting Phil Reynolds awards for Diner at the Blue Ginger, Nova Award and Ernie Potts Award

Terry Farrelly with his cast from his films 'Home', 'Magic Martin' and 'Breathe'.



# NATIONAL VIDEO FESTIVAL RESULTS

## Documentary

1st	The Regular	Christina Remnant & Timothy Melville
2nd	Diner at the Blue Ginger	Phillip Reynolds

## Drama / Fiction

1st	The Cube An Puzzle	Colin Paxman
2nd	Magic Martin	Terry Farrelly

## International

1st	Tchaikovsky in Love	Ian Woodward
2nd	Haul Away Joe	James Chalmers

## Best Sound

The Cube An Puzzle	Colin Paxman
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## Best Editing

The Cube An Puzzle	Colin Paxman
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## Nova Award

Phillip Reynolds

## Ernie Potts Memorial Trophy

Phillip Reynolds

## Best of the Festival

Breathe  
Terry Farrelly

## Audience Choice Award

Home  
Terry Farrelly

## More Club Photos

Kathy and Geoff Pryor at the Festival night



Mansel Williams and Bob Cook at the Festival night



Ian Huish demonstrating DaVinci Resolve 15 a free editing programme at the last club nights meeting



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## CLUB MEETINGS

**WHEN:** The first Wednesday of each month at 7.30pm.  
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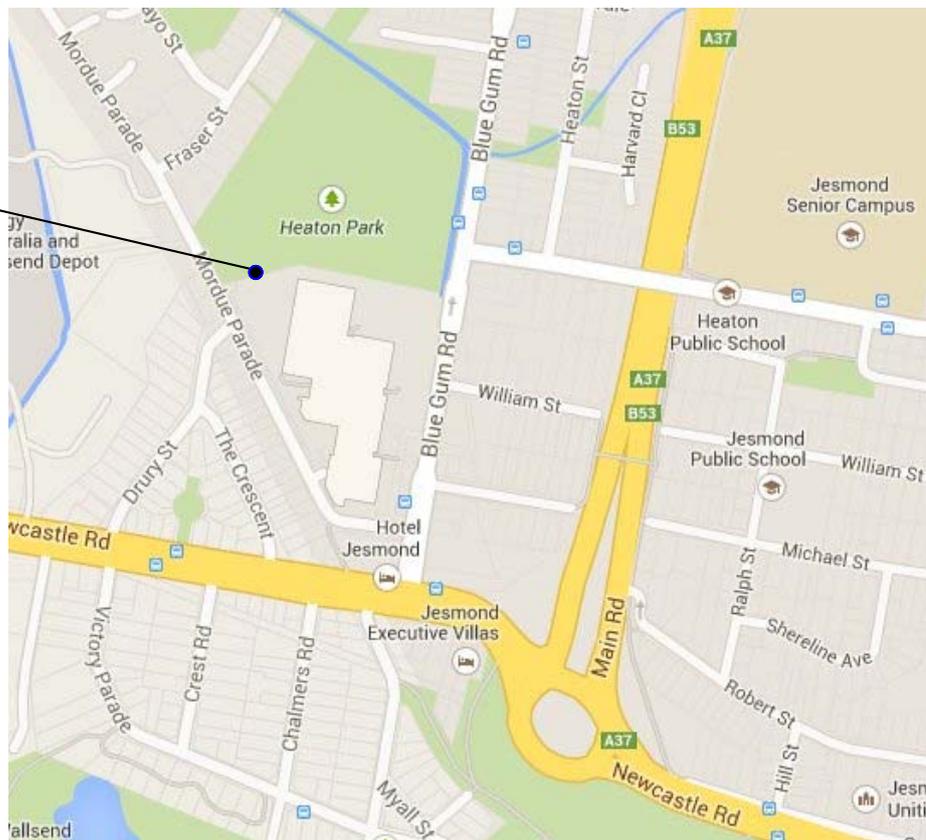
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