



North Wales Photographic Association CYMDEITHAS FFOTOGRAFFIG GOGLED CYMRU

The NWPA is looking for Judges and “Assessors” –

Are you, or do you know of any member who would consider or indeed like to become a NWPA Judge?

OR could you be interested in the role of “Assessor” (a person who evaluates the merits of something).

Not all Clubs, or indeed all members within Clubs, want to enter competition events either within or without their Club environment. Some members, however, would like to have their photography assessed, evaluated or critiqued – not in a hierarchal, judgemental or competitive ranking competition, but to seek guidance and hints to grow their photography. This is where the role of an ‘Assessor’ would come in. A new role fulfilled by an experienced and knowledgeable photographer who would be able to attend and support Clubs (in person or Zoom) with the pure aim of providing assessment and guidance in a non-judgemental or ranking environment.

This could be categorised and fulfilled as a standalone role or a combined Judge/Assessor role – the choice would be entirely at the discretion of the applicant.

If there is a hint of a thought in anybody’s mind, then please let us know and we could then arrange an “Introductory Session”. This session would be quite informal and enjoyable and certainly NOT a contest. Other Federations organise such sessions which are 3- 4 hours duration and following a short introduction on what a Judge or an Assessor should be looking for. Each person would be given several prints to critique and then asked to give an assessment of each print and a score if appropriate. This would be followed by discussion.

I stress this would all be in a very relaxed, friendly and non-competitive atmosphere: the intention being for you to decide if you feel it might be for you.

Please email our General Secretary Jason Wharam email: wharamj@gmail.com expressing interest.