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KENT – DIDN'T WE DO WELL?

Spring Park did very well at this year's Kent Film festival. Our members won a massive eight trophies and a commendation. Peter's "Bird Watching in Lesvos" was voted Most Entertaining film by the audience and Best Sound by the judges. Our club film "The Spring Park Story" was chosen as Best Film by an IAC Club. Gerald's "The Ships Kept Coming" was selected as Best Documentary. Graham Rall's "Puerto Banus" won two trophies: Best Photography and Best Holiday/Travelogue. Richard and Brenda's "Keston – More than just a Village" won Best Film on a Kent Subject. Dorothy won Best Editing with "Out of Mothballs" and Paul won a Commendation for "Crossroads". Congratulations to you all.



Peter gets one of his 2 trophies



Dorothy gets more silverware



Paul's film is commended



Richard and Brenda score again

All photos by our official photographer Keith Sayers

FORTHCOMING ATTRACTIONS

11th October – Awards Evening

Members are invited to a gala “Awards Evening” where complementary drinks and nibbles will be served. The first part of the evening is often a nostalgic look at members’ films from a previous year. After the interval, we see a montage of the films that are likely to win club awards for 2018. We then reach a climax when the winners of trophies and merit certificates are awarded. Some of us dress up for the occasion but members in cool casual dress will still be admitted!

25th October – Annual Show

This is the “BIG ONE” as far as Spring Park is concerned where we invite our friends and neighbours to come and see our films in the large hall at the Emmanuel Church. Members enter free of charge, but guests pay £5 to enter. Many members provide cakes and other goodies (see next column) which are available at no extra cost at the interval plus a cup of tea. Please try and persuade your friends and neighbours to come along.

PREVIOUS MEETINGS

13th September – Annual Competition – Part One

20 members turned up eager to cast their votes for the annual competition. It was good to see ex-Chairman Derek exercising his democratic rights. Members scored each film out of ten.

We watched and then scored:

Brenda’s Garden

Ceylan-6

Crossroads

From West Wickham to Croydon in 2 Minutes

Green Space

The Happy Guinea Pig

Hidden London

Jump Start

Keston – More than Just a Village

20th September – Annual Competition – Part Two

18 members voted this time. The films seen this evening were:

Master Shipwright’s House

Out of Mothballs

Pelicans at Hastings

Pila 2018 Club

Puerto Banus

Sailing into Woolwich

Slow but Sure

The People’s Park

The Ships Kept Coming

Under the Weather

CLIVE COBLEY COMPETITION

There is still plenty of time to make or finalise your entry for this two-minute film competition. Just make a film to the topic “colours” and bring it along on the 8th of November. This competition will be followed by Movie-go-round on the same evening.

FINGER FOOD FOR THE ANNUAL SHOW

Please tell Helen Cain at our next meeting, if not before, if you will be able to donate some food (eg cakes and savouries) on the day of our Annual Show for our buffet at the interval. All contributions will be gratefully received. Please tell Helen whether your contribution will be sweet or savoury.

TEA ROTA

8th November – Dorothy Batten

23rd November – Helen Cain