

Photographic Competition

A photographic competition was held during the conference for ASF members. It consisted of seven categories with both open and novice divisions in each. Prizes were awarded in each division with an overall winner and a popular choice winner for the print entries.

Eleven members entered the competition with a total of 152 images submitted.

The judges were Barbara Styles (Adelaide Eastern Suburbs Camera Club), Keith Seidel (Australian Photographic Society judge) and Athol Jackson of CEGSA to keep them informed of the physical and technical difficulties of underground photography.

The following are the winners and commendations.



Water and Light

Entrances / Karst Features

Open Div

First Place

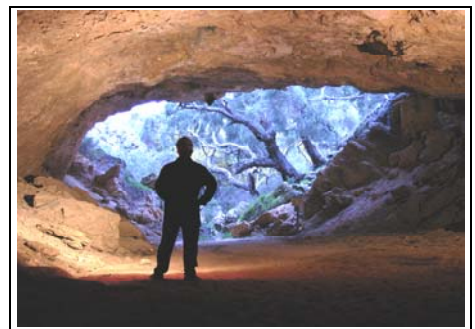
Richard (Harry) Harris---Water and Light

Commendations

Ross Anderson-----Cold Start

Garry K Smith-----Chambers Pillar

Garry K Smith-----Entrance to Liang Bua (print)



Twilight at Stockyard Tunnel

Novice Div

First Place

Kym Hosie-----Twilight at Stockyard Tunnel (print)



High and Dry

Passages / Chambers

Open Div

First Place

Ross Anderson-----High and Dry

Commendations

Richard (Harry) Harris---In the Rough

Garry K Smith-----Serpentine Cave Meanders

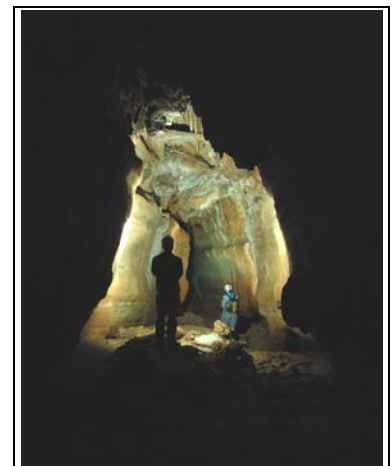
Garry K Smith-----Croesus Cave (print)

Ken Smith-----Decorated Chamber 2

Novice Div

First Place

Kym Hosie-----Exploring the Ningblings (print)



Exploring the Ningblings

PHOTOGRAPHIC COMPETITION

Cave Decoration

Open Div

First Place

Norman Poulter-----Halite crystals on Halite Straw (slide)

Commendations

Garry Smith-----Silk Shop – Kubla Khan

Garry K Smith-----Helictite – Gengus Khan

Norman Poulter-----Halite and Calcite Decoration (slide)

Novice Div

First Place

Paul Hosie-----Halite Whorls (print)

Scientific

Open Div

First Place

Garry K Smith-----Hickmania Troglodyte Cave
Spider (print)

Commendations

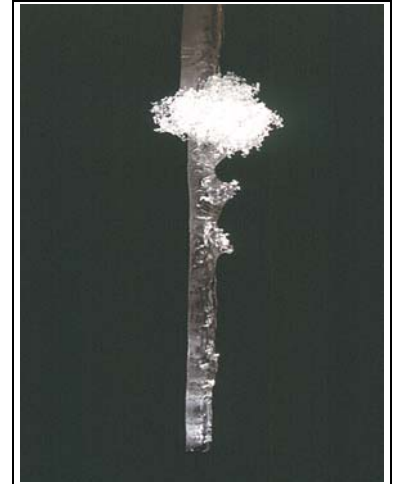
Ross Anderson-----Ostracoding

Novice Div

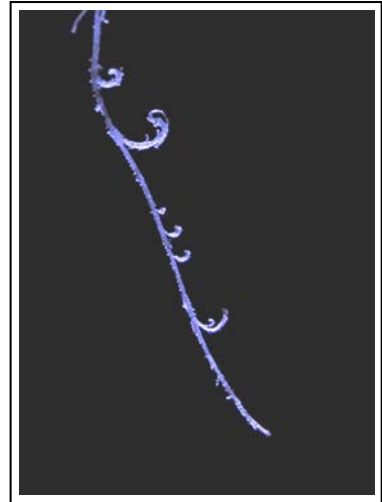
First Place

Paul Hosie-----Ningbing Scutigermorph
(print)

Athol Jackson



Halite Crystals on Halite Straw



Halite Whorls



Hickmania Troglodyte Cave Spider



Ningbing Scutigermorph

PHOTOGRAPHIC COMPETITION
Cavers in Action

Open Div

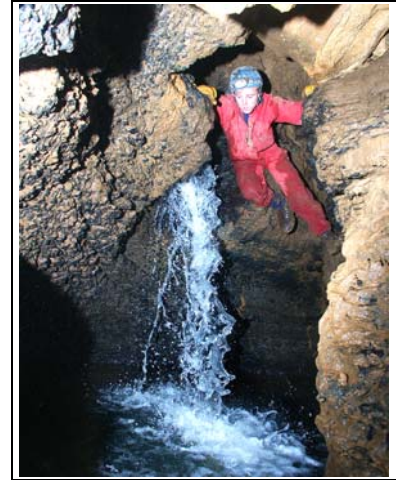
First Place

Garry K Smith-----Andrew in Emperor Cave

Commendation

Ross Anderson-----Dropping the Pot

Athol Jackson

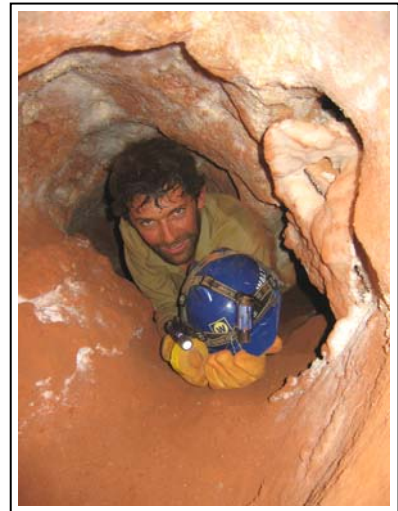


Andrew in Emperor Cave

Novice Div

First Place

Paul Hosie-----Ripley in Ezam (print)



Ripley in Ezam

Cave Diving

Open Div

First Place

Richard (Harry) Harris---Inner Space

Freeform

Open Div

Commendation

Ross Anderson-----Once Upon a Drain



Inner Space

Overall of Show

Garry Smith-----Hickmania Troglodyte Cave
Spider (print)

See previous page for photo.

Peoples Choice Print

Paul Hosie-----NingBing Scutigeromorph

See previous page for photo.

Athol Jackson.

(Photo Competition Coordinator)