

## Forest of Galtres Camera Club

26<sup>th</sup> November

### Members Workshop

Still Life and Table Top was the subject for Monday's workshop, a practical session that brought interest, challenge, sharing and learning together. Sometimes the Parish Room was hushed as members concentrated on getting the best from their cameras. At other times, the buzz of enthusiasts filled the room as equipment, techniques and outcomes were shared. Several tables were set up around the room displaying items ranging from a model hand to a teasel, from lichen covered wood to Christmas decorations and from the tools of an architect's trade to oil on water and coloured papers. All these challenged members. There was much to consider including lighting effects, sometimes diffused, sometimes more directly focused on the main subject. A tripod was usually the main stay of this kind of photography. Some chose to also use time delay facilities so that once the shutter is pressed camera shake can be avoided. It is always enjoyable to have the opportunity as members to bring our cameras along and work on a common project at the same time.

Many thanks to those who brought along the range of interesting subject possibilities, lighting and screens.

Next week will be the Ladies v Gents Image Battle and Christmas Social. The judge will be Peter Thompson DPAGB APAGB.