

## S. A. P. A.

S.A.P.A. is the acronym of the Stour and Avon Photographic Association, an association of local camera clubs formed to support clubs and facilitate interclub activities.

Each affiliated club contributes toward the running costs of the association, nominates a committee member who attends S.A.P.A meetings, represents the club and reports back to the club committee.

The S.A.P.A. committee elects its own Chairman and Officers and has its own constitution and rules. The association includes the following in its activities and aims:

- i) The organisation and hosting of interclub competitions and other events
- ii) To arrange a public display of club members work and promote the member clubs.
- iii) To maintain a list of suitable judges, monitor performance and facilitate the training of new judges.
- iv) To guide, encourage and advise member clubs in respect of technical and other issues, and trends.

Blandford Forum Camera Club was a founder member of S.A.P.A. and fully supports its objectives and activities. The club's S.A.P.A. representative is selected from the committee members elected at each A.G.M. and is shown on the list of Committee Members on the club website.