

PSQ Photography Convention Programme 2026

Friday May 1st - External location

TIME	LOCATION	EVENT	
05.00 - 07.00 PM	Maroochy Surf Club	Meet & Greet - Cash bar and Nibbles	<input type="checkbox"/>
08.30 - 10.30 PM	Cotton Tree 20 pax	Workshop 26 - Ken York "Trail of Light"	<input type="checkbox"/>

Saturday May 2nd - Maroochy RSL (Upstairs)- 105 Memorial Avenue, Maroochydore

TIME	LOCATION	EVENT	
	Maroochy RSL	Morning Sessions	
07.30 - 08.30 AM	Foyer	Registration Open - Tea & Coffee	
08.30 - 09.15 AM	Auditorium M1 & M2	Welcome to Sunshine Coast Welcome from PSQ President - Ralph Brown Program announcement - MC	
09.15 - 10.45 AM		Keynote Speaker 1 - Adrian Donoghue "My story-telling photography journey – what were the steps along the way?"	
10.45 - 11.15 AM	Foyer	Morning Tea	
11.15 - 12.45 AM	Auditorium M1 & M2	Keynote Speaker 2 - Mark Galer "Discover how to tell a photographic story and create compelling visual narratives in travel photography"	
12.45 - 01.45 PM	Room M4	Trade Show & lunch in the foyer	
	Maroochy RSL	Choose Indoor Sessions	
01.45 - 03.15 PM	Boardroom 1 30 pax	Workshop 1 - Robert Smith "Introduction to Underwater Photography"	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Boardroom 2 30 pax	Workshop 2 - Fran McFadzen "Pop Your Shot"	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Boardroom 3 50 pax	Workshop 3 - John Doody "Coastal/Seascape Photography and Post Processing"	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Room M3 80 pax	Workshop 4 - Adrian Donoghue "My Creative Process – from Concept to Completion"	<input type="checkbox"/>
03.15 - 03.45 PM	Foyer	Afternoon Tea	
03.45 - 05.15 PM	Boardroom 1 30 pax	Workshop 5 - Lurline Slater "The Camera is Always with You (Mobile Photography)"	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Boardroom 2 30 pax	Workshop 6 - Andrew Goodall "Preparing for a photography holiday such as a Safari, including the best gear to take. Transition from DSLR to Mirrorless cameras."	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Boardroom 3 50 pax	Workshop 7 - Tony Wellington "Capturing Non-Human Animals"	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Room M3 80 pax	Workshop 8 - Steve Parish "A Wild Life"	<input type="checkbox"/>
	External Location	OR - Choose Outdoor Sessions	
01.45 - 05.30 PM	Room M1 then Maroochy CBD 20 pax	Workshop 9 - Mark Galer "Travel Photography: Planning, Capture and Post-Production Workflows"	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Buderim Falls (Harry's entrance) 25 pax	Workshop 10 - Nicolas Rakatopare "Immersive Nature Photography"	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Room M2 then Maroochy River 25 pax	Workshop 11 - Warren Veivers "Stretching Reality- Stretching Time (Long Exposure Photography)"	<input type="checkbox"/>
07.00 - 09.00 PM	TBA - Cotton Tree Beach 20 pax each	Workshop 12 - Ken York "Trail of light" (Light painting)	<input type="checkbox"/>
09.00 - 11.00 PM		Workshop 12 repeated - Ken York "Trail of light" (Light painting)	<input type="checkbox"/>

Sunday May 3rd - Maroochy RSL (Upstairs)- 105 Memorial Avenue, Maroochydore

TIME	LOCATION	EVENT
05.30 - 07.00 AM	Point Cartwright 25 pax	Workshop 13 Sunrise Shoot - Warren Veivers <input type="checkbox"/>
	TBA 25 pax	Workshop 27 Sunrise Shoot - John Doody <input type="checkbox"/>
	Maroochy RSL	Morning Sessions
07.15 - 08.00 AM	Foyer	Social - Tea & Coffee
08.00 - 09.30 AM	Auditorium M1 & M2	Keynote Speaker 3 - Peter Eastway "CHANGE: What will happen to travel photography?"
09.30 - 10.00 AM	Foyer	Morning Tea
10.00 - 11.30AM	Auditorium M1 & M2	Keynote Speaker 4 - Esther Beaton "In Pursuit of Beauty: Adventures in Wildlife Photography"
11.30 - 12.30 PM	Room M4	Trade Show & lunch in the Foyer
	Maroochy RSL	Choose Indoor Sessions
12.30 - 02.00PM	Boardroom 1 15 pax	Workshop 14 - John Lomas "Seeing the Light" <input type="checkbox"/>
	Boardroom 2 30 pax	Workshop 15 - Conni Weise "My favourite wildlife - close and personal" (underwater photography) <input type="checkbox"/>
	Boardroom 3 30 pax	Workshop 16 - Tricia King "Authentic images of older adults created by older adults!" <input type="checkbox"/>
	Room M3 80 pax	Workshop 17 - Tom Woods "The Wave That Changed Everything - My Journey Into Photography, Adventure and Purpose" <input type="checkbox"/>
02.00 - 02.30 PM	Foyer	Afternoon Tea
02.30 - 04.00 PM	Boardroom 1 15 pax	Workshop 14 Repeated - John Lomas "Seeing the Light" <input type="checkbox"/>
	Boardroom 2 30 pax	Workshop 18 - Lisa Kurtz "Your Image, How I See It" <input type="checkbox"/>
	Boardroom 3 30 pax	Workshop 19 - Anne Pappalardo "Sequenced & Folded: Creating a Concertina Book with Your Photography" <input type="checkbox"/>
	Room M3 80 pax	Workshop 20 - Peter Eastway "How I create my photographs" <input type="checkbox"/>
	External Location	OR Choose Outdoor Sessions
01.00 - 04.30 PM	Maroochydore CBD 20 pax	Workshop 21 - Andrew Kennedy "City Frames: Turning Urban Beauty into Inspiration" <input type="checkbox"/>
	Buderim Falls (Harry's entrance) 25 pax	Workshop 10 Repeated - Nicolas Rakatopare "Immersive Nature Photography" <input type="checkbox"/>
	Botanical Gardens 25 pax	Workshop 22 - Esther Beaton "Hands-on workshop in Environmental Portraiture" <input type="checkbox"/>
	Coolum Point Arkwright 15 pax	Workshop 23 - Andrew Goodall "Practical bird photography featuring Point Arkwright" <input type="checkbox"/>
	Coolum 1st or 2nd Bay 20 pax	Workshop 24 - John Doody "Practical Coastal/Seascape Photography" <input type="checkbox"/>
06.00 - 10.00 PM	Auditorium M1 & M2	Gala Dinner and Awards <input type="checkbox"/>

Monday May 4th - Maroochy RSL (Upstairs)- 105 Memorial Avenue, Maroochydore

TIME	LOCATION	EVENT
	Maroochy RSL	Choose Indoor Sessions
07.30 - 08.30 AM	Foyer	Social - Tea & Coffee
08.45 - 10.15 AM	Boardroom 3 50 pax	Workshop 1 repeated - Robert Smith "Introduction to Underwater Photography" <input style="float: right;" type="checkbox"/>
	Room M3 80 pax	Workshop 15 Repeated - Conni Weise "My favourite wildlife - close and personal" (underwater Photography) <input style="float: right;" type="checkbox"/>
	Room M1-2 100 pax	Workshop 28 - Andrew Kennedy "Post Processing Architectural Images" <input style="float: right;" type="checkbox"/>
10.15 - 10.45AM	Foyer	Morning Tea
10.45 - 12.15PM	Boardroom 3 50 pax	Workshop 2 Repeated - Fran McFadzen "Pop Your Shot" <input style="float: right;" type="checkbox"/>
	Room M3 80 pax	Workshop 25 - Lisa Kurtz "Thinking in Polaroids: Instant Film as a Way of Seeing" <input style="float: right;" type="checkbox"/>
	Room M1-2 100 pax	Workshop 29 - John Lomas "Portraiture" lecture <input style="float: right;" type="checkbox"/>
12.30 - 01.15PM	TBA	PSQ Judges Q&A
01.15 - 02.15 PM	TBA	Exhibition for the Queensland International Circuit
01.15 - 02.15 PM	Foyer	Lunch and Farewell

Notes: Write down what to bring from your ticket selection for each day