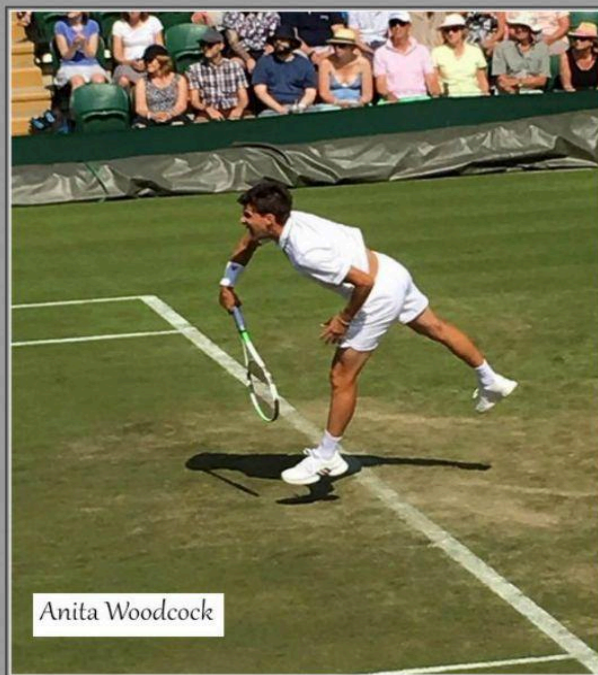
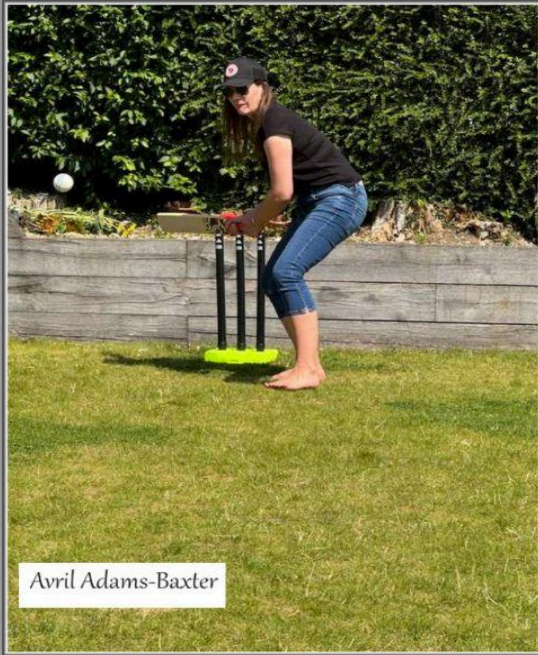




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Our theme for August was "Sport", suggested by Anita to coincide with the Paris Olympics. After a slow start there were quite a few sport related images posted to the Facebook site, with the latest arriving just a few days ago. To save space I am including just one per member.





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Diane Simpson



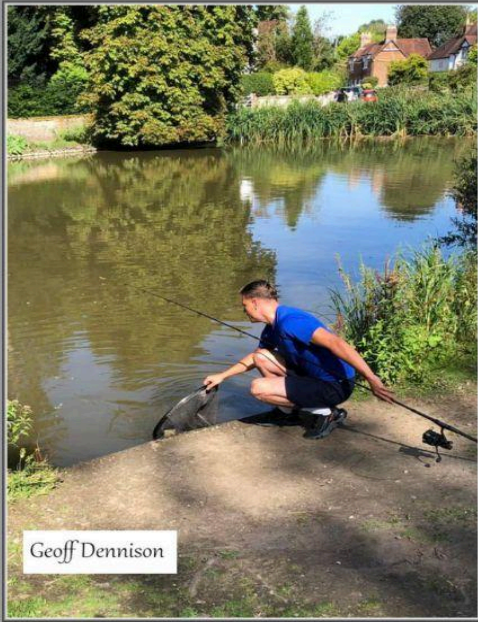
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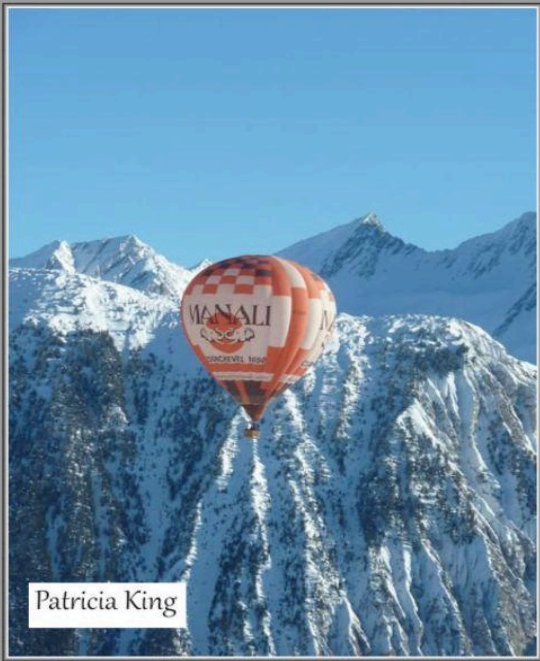
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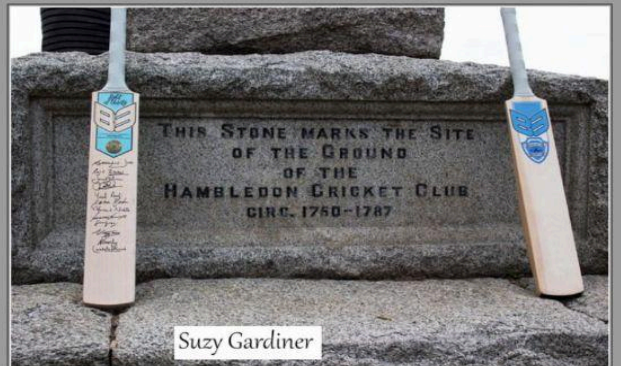
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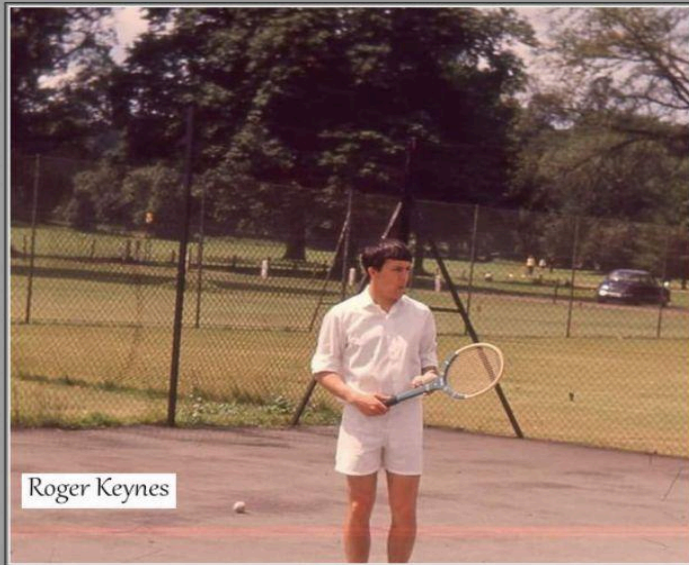


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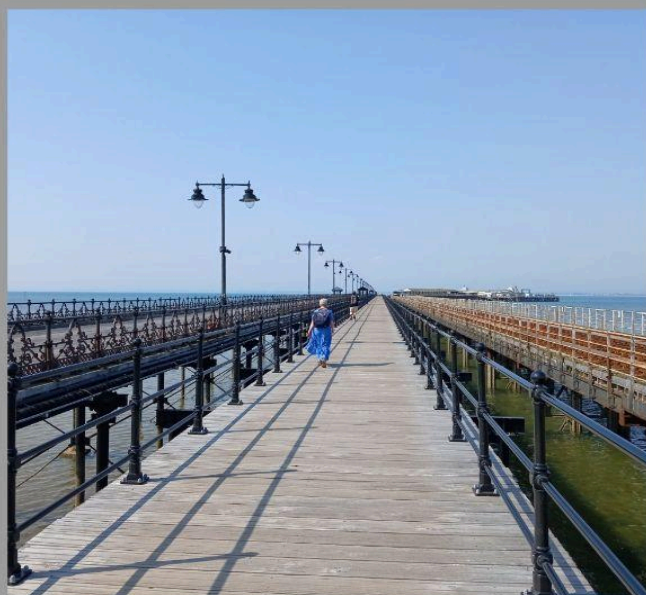
And finally...who is this, giving McEnroe a run for his money?



The randomly drawn theme for September is "Perspective". As this is such an extensive subject, I thought that we could concentrate on just one aspect ie "Leading Lines" Here is a definition: "Leading Lines draw you into the scene, acting as pointers to what you want the viewer to notice....They may be on the walls, in the sky or on the floor. (Jo Bradford - Smart Phone Photography)

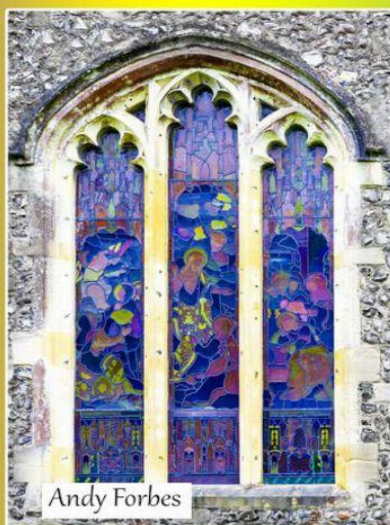
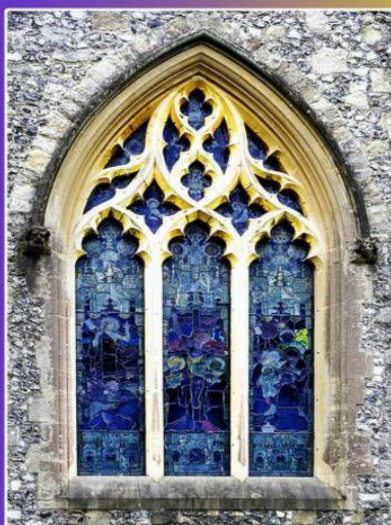
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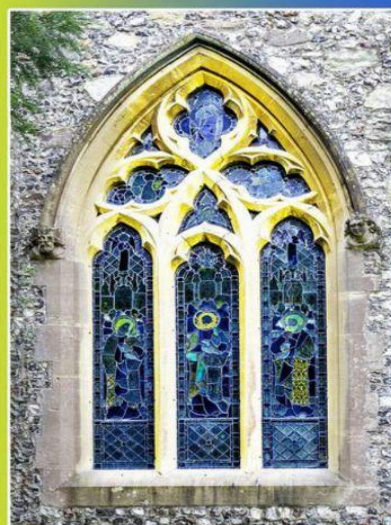


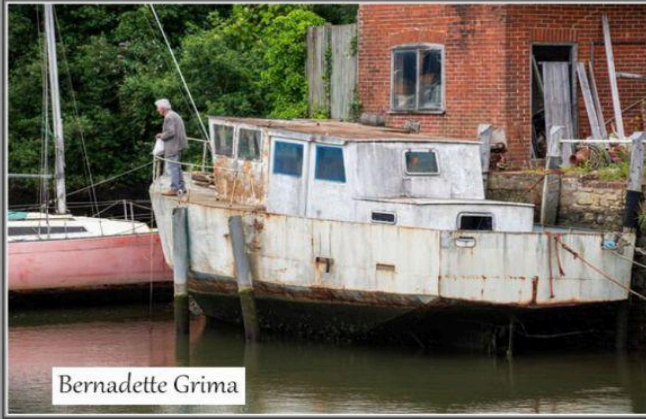
Your task this month therefore is to provide images on any subject which demonstrate leading lines. As usual please post on to our Facebook page.

Our meeting in August took place at Eling Tide Mill which for a comparatively small area provided quite a variety of photo opportunities.

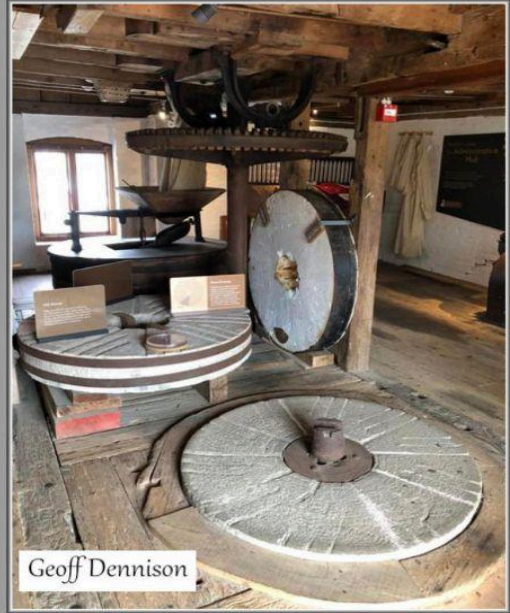


Andy Forbes





Bernadette Grima



Geoff Dennison



Ingrid Reakes



Patricia King



Roger Keynes



Suzy Gardiner

Future meetings will now take place on the second Thursday of the month starting on 12th September.

The venue will be Alresford. Although we have been here in the past, it was before some of our current members joined.

There is a cheap car park adjacent to the Alresford Football Club Postcode SO24 9EP. 4 hours parking is £1.40.

I suggest we meet by Alresford railway station (Watercress Line) at 1.30pm. It is about 10m walk from the car park.

From here we have a choice:

You can either walk through town and along the river Arle which will provide many opportunities for landscape images.

Alternately there is a train shuttle from the station leaving at 1400 and arriving at Ropley 1414 hrs. Here is situated the Watercress Locomotive workshop which has a viewing platform as well as the vintage station. A return shuttle leaves at 1520 arriving back 1534.

Unfortunately when I phoned to check the shuttle fare, the person who answered couldn't tell me. (Be kind, they are all volunteers) However tickets will be available from the ticket office on the day.

Whatever you choose to do, we can meet afterwards at the Caraloli Cafe in Broad St around 1545.

I will email a reminder nearer the time.