

PAGB Cups 2026

The PAGB Cup consists of two competitions one is Open the other Nature. In each competition you may enter up to 24 images, only the top 12 scores count toward the overall score.

The competitions are judged by three judges each giving a score out of 5 so the maximum score per image is 15. This year the judges were: Gordon Jenkins HonPAGB; Vin Scothern DPAGB EFIAP BPE5 PPSA; Dave Tucker DPAGB EFIAP/p BPE5

The Open cup was won by Southport Photographic Society with 159 out of 180 and the nature cup by Chichester Camera Club with 149 out of 180

In the Open competition we scored 127 and came 41st, this was 10 points fewer than 2025 and 5 places lower.

In the Nature competition we scored 127 and came 45th. This was the same points as 2025 and we finished two places higher.

OPEN	<u>2026</u>	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>
Biggleswade	41	36	51	55	60	76
Total Clubs	46	49	58	66	87	120
NATURE						
Biggleswade	45	47	43	50	63	64
Total Clubs	54	49	62	63	77	104

Our individual scores were as follows:

GB Cup Nature 2026			
No.	Title	Author	Score
13	Whitethroat	Mark Collins	12
14	Bald Eagles Nesting	Mark Glenister	11
16	Dusky Dolphin	Mark Glenister	11
7	Green Basilisk	Guy Wills	11
5	Thats Close Enough!	David Scott	11
19	The Stare	Ronnie Lane.	11
9	Beaver	Katy Tracey	10
10	Building a Nest	Katy Tracey	10
1	Common Hawker	Ben Pike	10
15	Drift Ice and Gull	Mark Glenister	10
8	Monarch Butterfly	Guy Wills	10
11	Ruffled Robin	Mark Collins	10
17	Short-Eared Owl	Mark Glenister	10
12	Stonechat 2	Mark Collins	10
2	Chaser and Passenger	Ben Pike	9
4	Evening Rest	David Scott	9
18	Grey Heron	Mike Hammond	9
6	The Waiting Game	David Scott	9
3	Cormorant	David Scott	7
TOTAL	12 Highest scoring images		127

GB Cup Open 2026			
No.	<u>Title</u>	<u>Author</u>	<u>Score</u>
6	Desiccated Desert Trees	Dave Collins	12
12	Frosty Web	Jean Wareing	12
21	Preparing for the Fight	Tim Walton	12
3	Up and over	Bryan King	12
16	Standing Stones	Nigel Sutton	11
19	View from Victoria Embankment	Roy Higgins	11
10	Early Morning at Bamburgh	Ian Gostelow	10
18	Farewell Best Friend	Ronnie Lane	10
11	The Bridge to Nowhere	Ian Gostelow	10
1	Waiting for His Kebeb	Anthea Saunder	9
15	Amaryllis	Mary Dominey	9
8	Girl in Embroidered Dress	Hugh Spence	9
22	In the Sand	Tony Collis	9
20	In Transit	Steve Ridgway	9
9	Sitting Pretty	Hugh Spence	9
4	Spooky Sisters	Carol Henson	9
13	Steaming Freely	John Strutt	9
5	The Cloisters	Chris Davies	9
2	Tour De France	Bev Emery	9
7	Unrequested Assistance	Geoff Phillips	9
14	Walk This Way	Judi Lipinski	9
17	Through the Dust	Roger Bradshaw	Disqualified
TOTAL	12 Highest scoring images		127

Mark Glenister

External Competition Secretary