

Auckland Zoo - Digital Photography Workshops Schedule

An Introduction to Photoshop

Registration Fee: \$270 or \$220 if providing your own computer (including Zoo admission and morning tea)

9.00 – 9.15am	Convene at Zoo Plaza - meet by the Zoom Window	Graham or Claire will meet you here at 9.30am Late comers will not gain entry to the Zoo- no refund will be given
9.30 – 9.45am	Introducing - Graham Meadows	A PowerPoint presentation summarising Graham's career as a photographer, plus the nine key ingredients a photographer needs.
9.45 – 10.00am	Introducing – Claire Vial	A PowerPoint presentation summarising Claire's career as a photographer and African Safari Tour Operator; plus ten helpful tips for photographing wildlife.
10.00 – 10.30am	Photoshop – Basic Techniques (by Graham Meadows)	Before you Start A few words about pixels Resolutions – camera, monitor, printer and image Image formats – jpg, tiff, psd, pdf, png Setting your RGB working space – adobe RGB or sRGB The menu, options and commands Bringing images into Photoshop Palettes and the palette well
10.30 – 10.45am	Short Break	Morning Tea
10.45 – 12.00	Photoshop – Basic Techniques (cont..) (by Graham Meadows)	The Basic Steps in Processing a Digital Image Step 1 Adjusting Tonality Histograms Levels Colour balance Contrast Shadow/Highlight Hue/Saturation Brightness Step 2 Using the Tool Box The Zoom Tool The Clone Stamp Tool The Toning Tools The Blur Tool Step 3 Adjusting the image size Cropping Changing Image Size Changing Image Resolution Step 4 Sharpening the image Step 5 Saving your images Step 6 Printing an image Step 7 Backing up your images
12.00 – 2.00pm	Lunch and Photography around the Zoo	Two hours to break for lunch and take photos around the Zoo
2.00 – 4.00pm	Photoshop – Advanced Techniques (by Graham Meadows)	The Marquee Tools The Lasso Tools The Eraser Tool Foreground and Background Colour The Move Tool Creating Layers Transforming Images Rulers, Guides and Grids The Type Tool The History Brush How to get clipart into Photoshop