

Surrey Border Movie Maker's 2026 Programme.

The programme may be changed due to unforeseen circumstances.

9th January 2026: **Zoom 7.30 pm for 8.00 pm** – Films made for the Edit Challenge to be shown. All entered films from the December Club Competition not shown at the December evening will be shown, with discussion after. *Already happened.*

6th February 2026: AGM + a presentation from Jim Reed about AI. AI – Uses? How to approach using AI in a video. sound, pictures, background noise? Not cheap. AI to assist but not make a movie. A step from super 8 to 4K to AI.

6th March 2026: Dave's Annual Animation Show and Tell.

10th April 2026: Another hands on evening, "Let's make a Film". The previous two have been very popular. Ideas welcome.

1st May 2026: EDIT EXERCISE – Short films made by groups to be shown. Challenge to be sent to members in January.

5th June 2026: In preparation for the July club night, we will be showing some of the previous films from Film-in-an-Evening up to COFFEE BREAK. After, a few hints on how to make a short film in a short time, and then groups get together and have a brainstorming session.

3rd July 2026: Group films to be shown. The challenge will be given earlier in the year.

7th August 2026: Films to be shown for discussion, what works, what doesn't?

4th Sept 2026: Documentary Competition. Open to members. Max 20 minutes.

2nd Oct 2026: Examples of previous member's films for the December Club Competition, deadline for entry is 6th November.

6th Nov 2026: Inter Club Competition. Six clubs from around the UK will enter a film, max 20 minutes.

4th Dec 2026: Club Competition. Films, docs, drama, holiday, animation. No longer than 6 minutes. Have to be submitted by beginning of November. External judges.

6th Dec 2026: Christmas lunch. Venue to be decided.