

NAFAS NATIONAL PHOTOGRAPHY COMPETITION 2021 SCHEDULE

Winning Images to be announced at the NAFAS AGM to take place in October 2021

Class 1 - THE GREAT OUTDOORS

The Doris Madeley Trophy
A colour image of a landscape or seascape

Class 2 - IT'S ALL IN THE DETAIL

The North Midlands Trophy
A close-up detail of natural plant material

Class 3 - TERRIFIC TEXTURES

The Coles Trophy

An image of plants and/or flowers, to demonstrate imaginative manipulation

Please send a copy of the original image for comparison

Class 4 - VINTAGE VIBES

The Surrey Trophy

A black and white, greyscale or sepia image of any subject to interpret the title

Class 5 - SOLITUDE - Novice Class*

The East of England Trophy

A colour image of any subject to interpret the class title

*A novice is defined as a member who has not previously won a prize in a NAFAS National Photography Competition

Class 6 - MY NEIGHBOURHOOD - Junior Class*

The Junior Trophy

A colour image of any subject to interpret the class title

*A Junior is classed as any person aged 17 years or under

Age to be stated as at 1.9.21

CLOSING DATE: 5 pm TUESDAY 31ST AUGUST 2021

The Competition Secretary must receive all entries and entry forms by this date

PRIZES

Juniors

1st - £20.00, 2nd - £15.00, 3rd - £10.00

Adults

1st - £30.00, 2nd - £20.00, 3rd - £10.00

THE IMAGE SELECTED AS "OVERALL WINNER" WILL RECEIVE THE SOUTH MIDLANDS TROPHY

RULES

- Classes 1 5: The competition is open to all NAFAS members who have paid their affiliation fee, except for members of the NAFAS National Photography Committee, who may not enter the competition.
- 2. Class 6 is open to junior members of any club affiliated to NAFAS.
- 3. Entry Fee: There is no charge to enter the competition in any class.
- 4. No image that has previously won an award in any NAFAS *National* Photography Competition may be entered into this competition.
- 5. No image can be entered into more than one class.
- 6. No more than three entries in any one class are allowed.
- 7. No manipulation except basic overall adjustment faithful to the original image is allowed, except in Class 3.
- 8. Entrants submitting images of floral exhibits should, as far as possible, acknowledge the arranger or state if the exhibit is the photographer's own work.
- 9. All images must have been taken by the competitor.
- 10. The judge's decision is final.
- 11. Images should be sent in jpg format and must be a **minimum of 2000 pixels** in width or height, depending on the aspect (portrait or landscape) and a **minimum of 1 megabyte** in size.
- 12. Images should be emailed to the Competition Secretary, with "2021 Photography Competition" in the subject line, to nafasphotography2016@gmail.com and the completed entry form should be posted to the address below. Alternatively, entries and a scanned, signed entry form can be submitted via the file sharing website www.wetransfer.com. Follow the instructions on the website.
- 13. By entering this competition, you are agreeing to the future use of your image/s by NAFAS in any form, whether electronic or in print.

Any information you submit will not be passed on to any third party, but will only be used for the purpose of contacting you regarding the competition.

Send your completed entry form to: Competition Secretary, 68 Barlich Way, Redditch, B98 7JP

Digital entries by email are preferred, but for those unable to email their entries, un-mounted prints, minimum size 10" x 8" (approximately 25.5cms x 20.5cms), together with your entry form may be mailed in a suitably protected envelope to the address above. (Remember that if your entry requires a signature, it must be posted at least 14 days before the closing date.)

PLEASE NOTE THAT PRINTS WILL NOT BE RETURNED

The closing date for entries by email or post is 5 pm on Tuesday 31st August 2021. All entries and entry forms must be received by this date.

HOW TO ENTER

STEP ONE:

Submit each individual entry by email with 2021 Photography Competition in the subject line to the Competition Secretary - nafasphotography2016@gmail.com

before the deadline of 5 pm **Tuesday 31**st **August 2021. IMPORTANT**: Please send your entry **AS A SEPARATE ATTACHMENT** (not as an image in the body of the email). Please ensure that your image/s are sent at full size as some email and image applications automatically reduce the size before sending. Alternatively, you may submit your entries and your completed entry form via the file sharing website www.wetransfer.com. Follow the instructions on the website.

Please include the following information in your email:

- Your name
- Your address and postcode
- Your telephone number
- Your email address
- Your Flower Club name and NAFAS Area
- The number and title of the class you are entering
- Your age (Class 6 only)
- A very brief description of the image (e.g. who designed a floral exhibit, or where a landscape image was taken)

STEP TWO:

• Print out the entry form and send it to the address below (except if you are submitting your completed and signed scanned entry form via www.wetransfer.com). Once your entry form has been received, your digital image will be entered into the competition.

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Competition Secretary 68 Barlich Way Redditch B98 7JP

Please ensure that you have applied the correct postage to your entry before sending, as entries will not be collected from the postal depot if underpayment is advised.

Remember that if your postal entry requires a signature, it must be posted at least 14 days before the closing date.

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ENTRY FORM

(Please print this form and send it to the address below)

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I WISH TO E	ENTER THE FOLLOWING: (I	Please circle the number o	f entries submitted in	each class)
CLASS 1	THE GREAT OUTDOORS	1	2	3
CLASS 2	IT'S ALL IN THE DETAIL	1	2	3
CLASS 3	TERRIFIC TEXTURES	1	2	3
CLASS 4	VINTAGE VIBES	1	2	3
CLASS 5	SOLITUDE	1	2	3
CLASS 6	MY NEIGHBOURHOOD	1	2	3
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