

# **Bolsover Camera Club Competition Rules**

## **General**

Members are expected to observe the spirit of the rules and the competitions.

The interpretation of the rules shall be the responsibility of the Competition Secretary whose decision shall be final.

Members must be fully paid up in order to enter any competition.

Images entered should be new work not seen at the Club previously. However, images from the previous year's competitions scoring less than 20 may be used in any format but cannot be used thereafter in any internal competitions.

A maximum of 4 entries per member in each competition

All components of an images must be the author's own work.

## **Prints**

Must be card mounted on a board no larger than 500 x 400 mm.

Authors shall provide a PDI of their image(s).

## **Digital Projected Images**

Images must be re-sized up to a maximum of 1600 x 1200 pixels – verticals must not exceed 1200 pixels high.

Images should be high quality jpegs in SRGB colour space at 72 dpi.

If you are unclear on how to re-size, ask for an explanation sheet on how to do this in photoshop software.

## **Scoring Competitions**

Entries will be marked out of 20. If more than one image attracts 20, the judge will choose a single winning image.

## **Use of Competition Entries**

All competition entries supplied to the Club will be available for use on Facebook or the Club website. Entry of images automatically gives permission for these to be used unless the author states otherwise.

## **COMPETITIONS**

### **Peter Cordery Competition**

Subject – Open

Format - Digital projected

### **Cliff Paulson Competition**

Subject – Open

Format - Prints - Colour or Monochrome

### **John Culpin Competition**

Subject – Natural History.

Format - Digital projected

**No wildlife is to be harmed or distressed in the making of any image entered into the John Culpin Natural History competition**

### **John Middleton Competition**

Subject – Open

Format - Prints - Colour or Monochrome

### **Brian Fawcett Competition**

Subject – Open

Digital projected.

### **The Founder's Trophy for Photographer of the Year**

Each author's highest four scores from 3 competitions will be used to decide the winner. In the event of more than one author accumulating the same score, each author will be announced as joint Photographer of the Year.