

Photographic Competition

Rules of Entry

1 About the Competition

- 1.1 The TSBT Photographic competition is owned and run by the Thames Sailing Barge Trust. Registered Charity 1102840
- 1.2 The competition is free to enter,
- 1.3 The aim of the competition is to raise awareness of the TSBT and the Barges it operates

2 Categories

- 2.1 A Barge Theme photograph
- 2.2 A photograph specifically of Sailing Barges Pudge or Centaur

3 Dates

- 3.1 The competition opens for entries on July 1st
- 3.2 The deadline for entries is 31st October 2017
- 3.3 Winners will be announced in the 1st 2018 Edition of the TSBT newsletter Golden Chaffcutter

4 Conditions of Entry

- 4.1 All Entries must be submitted via the email address photocomp@bargetrust.org, and include a contact email address
- 4.2 Entrants are permitted to submit 1 photograph for each category as stated above
- 4.3 A high resolution image of approximately 6MB will be requested if entries are shortlisted and may be disqualified at the judging panel's discretion if not provided
- 4.4 Images must not contain watermarks, borders or signatures
- 4.5 Black and White images are eligible in both categories
- 4.6 No single image may be entered into more than 1 category above

5 Eligibility

- 5.1 The TSBT Photo Competition is open to all - apart from any associated with the competition, within the TSBT, including the judges,
- 5.2 The entrant must be the original artwork creator and solely hold the copyright
- 5.3 Images that have won, or been commended or received notable publicity in any previous competition will be disqualified
- 5.4 All Images submitted should have been taken during 2017
- 5.5 It is the entrant's responsibility to ensure that all necessary permissions are obtained from any person featured in a photograph

6 Ethics

- 6.1 Digital adjustments that maintain the integrity of the image are allowed.
- 6.2 It is not permitted to make any major physical change to the image
- 6.3 Accepted adjustments include dodging and burning, changes to tone and contrast and cropping,

as well as High Dynamic Range imaging techniques, stitched panoramas and focus stacking.

6.4 The TSBT may request the RAW file(s) or jpeg(s) for any shortlisted image, to clarify the ethics listed above

7 Judging

7.1 A Panel of judges will be appointed within the TSBT to judge the competition

8 Winners and Prize

8.1 The winners will each receive a voucher for a weekend sail for 2 during a non Barge Match Weekend.

8.2 Winners are able to upgrade their voucher to a barge match for an additional fee

8.3 As above, winners will be announced on Facebook and within our newsletter

9 Copyright

9.1 Entrants remain the copyright holder to any images submitted by themselves.

9.2 Awarded (including commended) entrants agree to grant the TSBT Photographic Competition and its partners and sponsors to a nonexclusive irrevocable licence to reproduce, enlarge, publish and exhibit for any purpose related to the competition in any medium, including print and digital.

9.3 This includes, but is not restricted to; exhibiting, competition calendar, competition book, for use in press and on websites.

We look forward to receiving your entries.