

Friends of Anderton and Marbury (FoAM) 2022 Photographic Competition

This is a competition for any photographs taken in the Northwich Woodlands. Entries are invited from photographers of all ages and abilities.

An Exhibition of all entries will be held at Comberbach Village Hall early in 2023 (date to be announced).

Winning entries may be posted on FoAM's website and published in FoAM's Newsletter. These and other entries may also be put on FoAM's Facebook page.

Entry to the competition is free.

RULES

1. Entries may be submitted as prints (from film or digital cameras) or as digital image files (TIFF or JPEG) on CD, Memory Stick or via the **free version** of Wettransfer (<https://wettransfer.com/>). Send images to jmjeeves@gmail.com , a confirmation of receipt will be sent if you supply your email address.

If submitted as prints, they should be unmounted and a maximum size of A4 (210 x 297mm). There is no minimum size.

If submitted as digital image files, FoAM will endeavour to produce a print to a high standard, but will expect the submitted image file to be ready to print without the requirement for any further enhancement such as brightness/contrast/colour/etc. An indication of maximum dimensions (up to A4 size) for the print should be included. These prints will remain the property of FoAM to be used for publicity after the competition is over.

2. Entries will be judged in the following 4 categories:
3. a) Landscape; b) Wildlife (flora); c) Wildlife (fauna); d) Work, Rest and Play
4. Up to four of the best entries in each category will be selected. The decision of the judges is final.
5. Up to four entries may be submitted per entrant. These can be all in one category or split between categories in any way.
6. Entries submitted to previous FoAM photographic competitions will be disallowed.
7. Your name, address and telephone number must be attached to every item, together with the category entered. No information identifying the entrant (such as name, email, website, etc.) should be visible in the image. Credit for the entrant will be given when the photographs are made available to the the public.
8. Entries should be placed in a protective envelope with an identification of 'FoAM Photographic Competition' and handed in, or sent, to: Rangers' Cabin, Marbury Country Park, Comberbach, CW9 6AT.

The closing date for entries is 31st.December 2022.

By entering, you acknowledge that you hold full copyright to the images submitted and authorise them to be used by FoAM for any purpose in connection with the competition or for publicising FoAM activities.

It is the photographer's responsibility to obtain permission to include an identifiable person in any photo. FoAM will not be responsible for loss or damage to entries.

Return post and packing must be enclosed if you would like your entry returned. Entries may also be collected from the Rangers' Cabin during November 2023 to allow for exhibitions. Entries not returned or collected may be destroyed after December 2023.

If further clarification is required, please contact Jim Jeeves.

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