



BEESTON CAMERA CLUB

Affiliated to the North and East Midlands Photographic Federation

BEST OF BEESTON COMPETITION RULES

1. This Competition is restricted to digital images only which must (a) have been taken during the last 12 months (b) and not been entered in any of the other monthly club competitions including The Hilda Thurman Competition. (But they may be entered in the Annual Club Exhibition)
2. There are six categories each year which will normally be announced at the AGM and which will appear in the Club Programme.
3. Members may submit entries in 4 out of the 6 categories.
4. Only one entry per member is permitted. Each category is judged separately and individual entries marked out of 20. The winner will be the entrant with the highest aggregate score (out of 80)
5. All digital images must be in JPEG format and should be at a maximum size of 1400 wide x 1050 high. **The height of any digital image must not exceed 1050 pixels.**
6. Images may be captured either by digital camera or scanned from the entrant's original slide or print. Laboratory scanning is permitted providing the original image was on negative, slide or print which was the work of the entrant.
7. Images may be straight images with no manipulation, manipulated images or composites of several images providing that the originals were taken by the entrant using the photographic process. Wholly computer generated images are not permitted nor are tryptichs.
8. The preferred method of submission of digital images is by e-mail to Derek Martin at derekandirismartin@gmail.com E-mails must include titles (as opposed to file name) and name of entrant. Entries on CD or memory stick will be accepted.
9. Titles and digital images should be with the Competition Secretary on the club night one week before the competition but certainly no later than the Sunday prior to the competition.
10. An official entry form **COMPLETED IN BLOCK CAPITALS** must accompany all entries.
11. The Competition Secretary has the right to refuse late entries
12. **ANY ENTRY WHICH IS NOT CONSIDERED BY THE JUDGE ON THE NIGHT TO FIT THE CATEGORY IN WHICH IT IS ENTERED WILL BE DEDUCTED 5 POINTS**