

ST RICHARD'S PHOTOGRAPHY COMPETITION



Entries should be submitted by post to St Richard's Presbytery, 184 Liverpool Road, Skelmersdale WN8 8BX or by hand during office hours as printed in newsletter. Also they may be handed into one of the sisters or helpers in St Richard's, St Francis of Assisi or St Mary's Churches.

Closing date for all photographic entries is 2pm on Monday 18th May, 2015. No late entries will be accepted.

1. The adult photography competition is open to all amateur photographers aged 16 years and over on 30th May 2014.. The Junior competition is open to anyone under 16 years of age on 30th May 2014.
2. Entrants may enter one or both classes – Class a) contemporary photographs of the Church during the four seasons: Class b) vintage photographs of the Church and Church life.
3. All images submitted under class a) must be the work of the individual submitting them and must not have been published elsewhere or have won a prize in any other photographic competition. Class b) entrants must warrant the photograph they are submitting as their own work or that they own the copyright for it.
4. The winner may be required to take part in publicity.
5. Photographs may or may not be mounted on card but **no** entries will be accepted that are framed. Prints should be no smaller than 7"x 5" up to maximum size of 20" x 16" including the cardboard mount. Class b) may be colour or black and white prints.
6. All entries must have the photographer's name, the title of the photograph and the show classification clearly displayed on the **back** surface. **For the junior class the age as well.** The exhibitor's name must not be visible on the front of the exhibit.
7. Photographs may be taken on film or digitally but must be sourced from your own original work. Or as stated in(Para 3)
8. Competitors are required to send a completed entry form and fee with their photographs. The entry fee :Juniors – no charge. All others **£1.00** per photograph – maximum of three entries in each class.
9. Prizes: **Juniors** 1st - £7: 2nd - £5: 3rd - £3 **Adults:** 1st - £25: 2nd - £20: 3rd - £15
10. The winning entry will be that that is judged to be the most visually appealing, original and self-explanatory. The winners will be announced over the weekend of 23rd/24th May, 2015.
11. Copyright in all images submitted for this competition remains with the respective entrants. However, in consideration of their entry to the competition, each entrant grants a worldwide, irrevocable, perpetual licence (a license with no expiration date), to St Richard's fundraising group to feature any or all of the submitted images on their websites and/or in any promotional material connected to this competition. Entries to the competition will feature in an exhibition in St Richard's Church and Skelmersdale Library.
12. Whilst every care will be taken to maintain the condition of all entries, the Committee cannot be responsible for any unforeseen loss or damage that may occur during the staging and exhibition of the photographs. Entrants are requested to only enter their photographs on the acceptance of this condition.
13. The judge's decision is final.