



Photography Competition Terms & Conditions 2020

General

1. The promoter of this competition is Milton Keynes Parks Trust, a registered charity (Charity No. 1007183) and is a Company registered in England and Wales (Company No. 2519659) and whose registered office is at Campbell Park Pavillion, 1300 Silbury Boulevard, Campbell Park Milton Keynes, Buckinghamshire, MK9 4AD.
2. All persons entering the competition shall be deemed to have accepted the rules set out in these terms and conditions. The Parks Trust reserves the right in its absolute discretion to exclude any entry from the competition if at any time it has reason to believe that the entrant has breached any of these rules.
3. The competition will open on Monday 29th June 2020 at 12:00pm (GMT) and will end on Friday 31st July 2020 at 11pm (GMT). No liability will be accepted by The Parks Trust for illegible, incomplete or entries submitted late.
4. Entrants must be residents of the UK. Entrants under the age of 18 years must ensure they have a parent or guardians' permission to enter.
5. Any entries from individuals who work for The Parks Trust or Willen Lake, or any of their friends and relatives will not be accepted.

The submission

1. Entries must be taken in Milton Keynes at a park or green space belonging to The Parks Trust. You can see details of The Parks Trust's parks and greens at www.theparkstrust.com.
2. Only one photo per person will be submitted for judging.
3. All photos uploads should be submitted as high resolution jpeg images. At least 1400 pixels on the longest dimension.
4. The image upload must not exceed 30MB.
5. All file names must carry the name of the entrant and the photo location e.g. Joe.Bloggs.WillenLake.jpg
6. All entries must be completed online via www.theparkstrust.com.
7. Images may be digitally enhanced to remove spots or scratches or brighten etc. but cannot manipulate the content of the image. The judges reserve the right to exclude any image they believe may have been excessively treated so as to alter its authenticity.
8. Original jpegs or transparencies may be requested if an image reaches the final round of the competition.
9. Entrants must not be professional photographers, and, for the purposes of this competition, a professional photographer will be considered as someone who makes more than half their annual income from the sales of their photographs.



10. All entries must be the original work of the entrant and must not infringe the rights of any other party. The entrants must be the sole owner of copyright in all photographs entered.
11. The entrant must obtain permission (using a permission form which can be requested from info@theparkstrust.com) of any people featured in the entries or their parents/guardians if children under 18 are featured.
12. Entrants will retain copyright of the photographs that they submit to The Parks Trust.
13. **By entering the competition all entrants grant to The Parks Trust the right to reproduce the images for the below purposes, regardless of whether there photograph is selected as the winner of the competition.** No fees will be payable for any of the below uses. Entrants whose photographs are one of the finalists also agree to take part in post-competition publicity.
 - a. Judging the competition
 - b. Inclusion within The Parks Trust's marketing and promotional materials (including press packs, social media and website).
 - c. The Parks Trust is entitled further to the above to reproduce and exhibit in all media prize-winning and commended entries, but only in connection with the promotion of the publicity for the competition and the Trust's charitable work or promotional activity at Willen Lake.

The prize

1. There are 3 prizes for this competition.
2. The prizes are as follows:
 - a. 1st Prize: £100 worth of Amazon gift vouchers
 - b. 2nd Prize: £50 worth of Amazon gift vouchers
 - c. 3rd Prize: £25 worth of Amazon gift vouchers
3. Prizes are non-transferrable, non-exchangeable and have no cash alternative.

Selecting a winner

1. All entries will be judged by a panel of judges. The judges will select three winners which, in their opinion, best illustrate the theme of the competition. They will consider a range of factors including composition, technical ability, originality and interpretation of the brief.
2. The winners will be selected and announced by Friday 28th August 2020.
3. The winners will be contacted on the email address provided at the point of entry and the winners photographs and names will also be publicly announced on The Parks Trust website and social media.



4. The winners will be required to claim their prize via email and provide the appropriate details so that we can arrange delivery of the prize.
5. The judges' decisions will be final, and no correspondence can be entered into.
6. If the winner is unable to be contacted after reasonable attempts have been made, The Parks Trust reserves the right to either offer the prize to a runner up or to re-offer the prize in any future competition.

Further Terms and Conditions

1. The Parks Trust reserves the right to cancel this competition or alter any of the rules at any stage, if deemed necessary in its opinion, and if circumstances arise outside of its control.
2. The entrant agrees that The Parks Trust shall have no liability for any losses, distress or inconvenience that any entrant may suffer as a result of such cancellation.
3. Only valid entries will be accepted; the entrant will be disqualified if any of the following apply:
 - a. The entry contains racist, indecent content, sexism or inappropriate language.
 - b. The entry condones or promotes antisocial or immoral behaviour.
 - c. The entry could be considered offensive to another person based on their demographics including but not limited to age, gender or religion.
4. This competition is in no way endorsed by Facebook, Twitter or any other social media network.
5. The promoter's decision is final in respect of all matters to do with this prize draw and no correspondence will be entered into.
6. The prize draw and these terms and conditions will be governed by English law and any disputes will be subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of England.