

The Marianne Woods

**ROTARY** **YOUNG**  
**PHOTOGRAPHER**  
**COMPETITION**  
**2025**

**Information for Competitors**





## Information Pack for 2025

### **THEME – 'ANIMALS'**

#### Introduction

The competition is designed to support and encourage the development of photographic skills in young people through:

- Experimenting with photography
- Creative interpretation of the chosen topic
- Expression of ideas through the medium of photography

Our theme this year is Animals. There are many lovely animals around locally for you to take a photo of - maybe your pet or a friend or relatives pet. Maybe you want to take a picture of a wild animal like a squirrel or a deer. We will accept pictures of birds fish and reptiles as well. There is plenty of scope so Happy Photographing.

#### **Who can take part?**

This competition is open to **all** young people resident in or attending schools in the CR3 & CR6 area. Cash prizes and awards will be given in three age groups.

- KS1 (5-7 years)
- KS2 (7-11 years)
- KS3 (11-14 years)

#### Competition Guidelines

**Task** To produce a photograph as a .jpg file based upon the theme '**Animals**' in colour or black and white. (Ideally the file should be able to produce a 4" x 6"/ 10 cm x 15cm size print).

The photograph should be taken locally.

The photograph must be the original work of the entrant without assistance from parents/ guardians or carers.

Complete the Entry Form. (Unfortunately, entries received without a form cannot be included). Only one photograph entry per person.

Send the picture and Entry Form to: [photo@caterhamrotary.org.uk](mailto:photo@caterhamrotary.org.uk) by 17th March 2025 or post to/drop off:

Caterham Rotary Club  
c/o Computer Solutions  
5b High Street  
Caterham  
CR3 5UE

## Important Notes:

- Files in .pdf format and photos modified by photo imaging software (such as Photoshop) **will not be** accepted.
- Photographs which include people under 18 years old **must** be accompanied by written permission from the parent, guardian or carer of the person photographed. (see Entry Form Attached)

**Judges** 3 Judges with appropriate skills, appointed by the Rotary Club of Caterham, who will look at the technical merit; content and composition as well as imagination and style.

**Prizes** There will be cash prizes for the winner and 2 runners up in each of the age groups. Certificates of merit will also be awarded to other participants at the discretion of the Judges. All winners and runners –up will be notified by 11<sup>th</sup> April 2025.

Only under exceptional circumstances will the organisers enter into correspondence about the Competition and the results.



## ENTRY FORM 2025

<b>My Full Name</b>	<b>I am in Year</b>
<b>Age Category</b> <b>KS1</b> <b>KS2</b> <b>KS3</b> (please circle category)	
<b>Home Address (including Postcode – for certificates)</b>	<b>Email of Parent/ Guardian/ Carer</b>
	<b>Tel No of Parent/ Guardian/ Carer</b>
<b>Entrant's signature</b> (I declare that the photographs are entirely my own, unmodified, work)	<b>Date</b>
<b>I attend the following School</b>	
<b>SECTION TO BE COMPLETED BY PARENT/ GUARDIAN OR CARER</b> <b>I have read and understood the information provided and agree to be bound by the rules of the competition and the terms set out below.</b>	
<b>Signature:</b>	<b>Date</b>
<b>Print Name:</b>	

**TERMS:**

You Give permission:

- For the named person to take part and be identified in the competition.
- For photographic/video records to be taken and used for Rotary International in Great Britain and Ireland (RIBI) publicity purposes in printed, electronic and online formats.
- In signing this form the parent/guardian/carer allows permission for contact by the Rotary Club of Caterham Publicity Team

## Permission for use of image of a person under 18 years of age

Permission is hereby given for the image of the person(s) named below to be used in this entry.  
I/we have read and agree to accept the terms set out in the entry form guidance in respect of use by The Rotary Club of Caterham of the photographs submitted for marketing and promotional purposes.

**Entrants name** \_\_\_\_\_.

Name of young person	Name of parent/ guardian/ carer	Signature parent/ guardian/ carer	Date

**Working with Children** Rotary International in Great Britain and Ireland has adopted this statement of policy in working with children, the vulnerable and those with disability:

*“The needs and rights of the child, the elderly, the vulnerable and those with disability take priority. It is the duty of every Rotarian to safeguard to the best of their ability, the welfare of and prevent the physical, sexual or emotional abuse and neglect of all children, the elderly, persons with disability or otherwise vulnerable persons with whom they come into contact during their Rotarian duties.”*

The Rotary Club of Caterham respects your rights and does not claim copyright for works you submit to this contest. You will retain full copyright in each entry. In addition, your moral rights are respected. Whenever your work is published by The Rotary Club of Caterham (and its partners), you will be credited. Failure to publish a credit due to error or oversight shall not be deemed a breach of this condition.

By entering this contest you agree that any (winning or shortlisted) work you submit may be used by The Rotary Club of Caterham (and its partners) solely for marketing and promotional purposes of this contest or future contests and for no other purpose. These uses include :-

1. judging the competition,
2. displaying the entries on the Rotary website (and websites of partners),
3. displaying the entries at public exhibitions to promote the competition,
4. displaying the entries in a book, magazine, any newspaper or similar,
5. publishing the entries on posters to promote the competition,
6. publishing the entries on postcards to promote the competition,
7. publishing the entries on a calendar to promote the competition,
8. cropping and re-sizing the work as necessary to fit pre-defined formats to promote the competition,
9. sub-licensing the entries to the press for reproduction in connection with the competition and any related exhibition,
10. inclusion within any materials promoting the competition or any exhibition of works from this competition organised by The Rotary Club of Caterham.

You hereby grant The Rotary Club of Caterham a non-exclusive, irrevocable licence in each entry throughout the world in all media for the issues described above for **3** years following the date of announcement of the winners.

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