

# Scottish Photographic Federation

## 'Interim' Club Print Championship

### General Information - Closing Date 20<sup>th</sup> March 2022

Your Club members are invited to submit an entry into this year's SPF Print Championship. We will announce the results at a Zoom Presentation event open to Club members to attend where we will announce the results of both the Club and Individual Awards. And, if the Judges are available to attend, they will be invited to speak about the Individual Award Winners.

**All prints for this competition must be submitted by Clubs, by post / carrier, or dropped-off direct to Carluke, by the closing date of 20<sup>th</sup> March 2022.** Sorry but we are unable to set up any other 'drop-off' points, given the current situation.

Drop-off at Carluke will be by 'non-contact' delivery left in porch between 10am and 6pm, following email request notification. Re Courier/Postal Deliveries - We cannot guarantee to collect non-delivered prints from all carriers, so please ensure we know when your prints are being delivered, before dispatching.

- **Online Entry via our website – \* Open January\* - Closes 20th March 2022**
- **Unmounted Prints only accepted, Maximum size A3**
- Digital copies are not required at time of entry.
- We will request 'Digital Copies' of all Prints scoring 13 to 15 points after initial scoring, for Awards Selection and Presentations, together with those of the winning Clubs.
- To be eligible for the overall Club Awards you must submit a minimum of 15 prints, 5 of which must be Mono. *(16 prints required for Best Colour Club (8) & Best Mono Club (8))*
- Only one person must collate and submit all entries from a club.
- Maximum 3 Mono Prints and 3 Colour Prints per author
- Cost reduced to 35p per print (50% reduction) – *This is not the amount calculated by the website. Only 50% of the total shown on the website is payable (plus any P&P if required). No refunds will be given for any overpayment.*
- Maximum 50 prints per Club
- A printed copy of the online entry form, that will be available after you have submitted your entry, must be included with your prints
- A printed copy of the online entry form, together with your cheque payment for your entry fee and return postage must be sent separately to – Joe Prior, 24, Langcroft Road, Glasgow G51 4JB to arrive by 30<sup>th</sup> March 2022.
- Prints will be held for return, and will not be destroyed. Prints will be returned whenever that is possible.
- Clubs will require to enclose return postage, or be prepared to arrange a suitable time to collect from Carluke (porch), otherwise we will 'hold' your prints until we can return to normal meetings and events. Please enclose return postage for the same amount as it cost you to send the package. Please do not arrange a pre-paid return as it may not be possible to use this as we cannot guarantee a timescale for return. Please Note that the 'carrier' used for return of prints will be to ensure the safety of SPF handlers, dependent on the circumstances at that time, and may not always be your preferred choice.
- Please email [libby.neilsmith@btinternet.com](mailto:libby.neilsmith@btinternet.com) to arrange a delivery timescale in advance of making any arrangements to avoid any non-delivery issues. If any prints are undelivered by a carrier, they will not be uplifted from the carrier by the SPF, it will be up to the sender to have them redelivered.

**For All Entries** - We ask that the Club organiser, collating their Club's entries, supplies a note of their name, postal address, email address and phone number, by email to Libby in case of any queries during processing, and for sourcing Digital Copies at the Awards stage, or for return of prints/awards.

Contact the Organiser – [libby.neilsmith@btinternet.com](mailto:libby.neilsmith@btinternet.com) (01555 750737) for any enquiries