

ST LAWRENCE FRIENDS HERITAGE TRUST – CHOBHAM CALENDAR 2022

Terms and Conditions

1. The St Lawrence Friends Heritage Trust (the “**Heritage Trust**”) is looking for beautiful photographs to include in a 2022 calendar (the “**Calendar**”). The images should show off the best of Chobham: its countryside, its wildlife and its buildings.
2. Images of farm animals and pets are allowed; images of UK wildlife in captivity are not.
3. Entrants must not cause injury or do anything distress to any animal or damage its habitat, either deliberately or inadvertently, whilst trying to take a photograph. This includes the flying of drones, which should not be flown too close or too noisily to wildlife, or their habitats or nest sites. Please click on the links below for guidance about filming and photographing wildlife responsibly.
4. Entrants – including those using drones – must have the necessary permits and licences for photographing wildlife, and should, where necessary, have permission from the landowners to be on their land. They should be ready to provide proof if asked to do so by the competition organisers.
5. Photographs entered must be taken in area immediately surrounding the village of Chobham and Chobham Common.
6. Entrants can submit as many images as they wish, uploaded to the competition website.
7. The Heritage Trust appreciates that digital photography does allow for some image enhancement. Entrants may enter images that have had spots, scratches or other blemishes removed. Entrants may also have worked on the colour or enhanced the image for the sake of the composition. Entrants may also crop the image to improve composition. But, please: don't manipulate the images beyond this kind of “touching up”. The Heritage Trust wants you to stay faithful to the spirit of the competition and the scene being portrayed. The Heritage Trust reserves the right to exclude any image it believes may have been excessively treated so as to alter its authenticity.
8. The competition is open to all. Entrants under the age of 18 need the verifiable permission of a parent or guardian to enter.
9. Entrants must complete all sections of the online form. Online entrants under the age of 18 will need their parents or guardians to fill out the sections asking for a parent's or guardian's name and email address, and to tick the box giving permission to their child's participation. All contact from the Heritage Trust will be made through the named parent or guardian only.
10. The competition closes at 23:59 on 31st October 2021. Entries received after this date will not be considered.
11. The winning photographs will be announced by email following the Heritage Trust selecting images for the calendar.
12. 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 and must have obtained permission of any people featured in the entries or their parents or guardians if children under 16 are featured. Where an individual, or a residential or commercial property belonging to someone other than the photographer, is featured, or it has been taken on private land, the photographer must seek permission and be prepared to provide written consent,

when requested by the Heritage Trust. Further, entrants must not have breached any laws when taking their photographs.

13. The Heritage Trust is looking for original photographs, so entries must not have won any competition prize previously.
14. Entrants will retain copyright in the photographs that they submit to the Heritage Trust. By entering the competition all entrants grant to the Heritage Trust the right to publish and exhibit their photographs on Heritage Trust's website in perpetuity.
15. Entrants whose photographs are selected to appear in the Heritage Trust Chobham Calendar 2022 grant to the Heritage Trust (including the publishers selected and authorised by the Heritage Trust) the further rights to publish and exhibit their photographs in print, on their respective websites or in any other media, in perpetuity. No fees will be payable for any of the above uses. Entrants must ensure that the photograph is not used to publicise or promote companies, individuals, organisations or causes – other than Heritage Trust (including the photographic competition, the calendar and any associated Heritage Trust promotions) and the winning photographer themselves – until 1 January 2023.
16. By entering, entrants will be deemed to have agreed to be bound by these rules. The Heritage Trust reserves the right to exclude any entry from the competition at any time and in its absolute discretion if the Heritage Trust has reason to believe that an entrant has breached these rules, acted fraudulently in any way or brings the Heritage Trust into disrepute.
17. The Heritage 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.
18. These rules are governed by the laws of England and Wales. This competition is administered by the Heritage Trust.
19. Entrants must take photos responsibly and always follow the Countryside Code. More information can be found here:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/the-countryside-code>

<http://webarchive.nationalarchives.gov.uk/20140605090108/>

http://www.naturalengland.org.uk/images/photography-guidance_tcm6-35807.pdf
20. For information about licences for photographing wildlife please follow the guidance here:

<https://www.gov.uk/guidance/protected-species-when-to-apply-for-a-licence-to-survey-film-or-photograph-them>
21. Current Government guidance regarding Coronavirus must be adhered to at all times when taking photographs.

<https://www.gov.uk/coronavirus>
22. Photographs must be taken responsibly adhering to all applicable government guidelines. Respect must be given for local habitats, communities and business such as farmland and nature reserves where there may be local instructions in place for visitors, walkers and others enjoying the countryside.

23. For health and safety reasons relating to Coronavirus, the Heritage Trust will only accept JPEGs uploaded to the competition website. Hard copies sent through the post will not be accepted.