

## **JERSEY TREES FOR LIFE**

### **“Trees We Love” Photographic Competition 2017**

#### **1. ELIGIBILITY**

- 1.1 The competition is open to all residents of the Channel Islands.
- 1.2 Images that have won prizes in prior competitions, or have been used for commercial purposes and or been published will not be eligible.
- 1.3 An image can only be submitted for the Open or Schools categories, not both. Any image which is submitted for both categories will be considered ineligible.

#### **2. SUBMISSION OF ENTRIES**

- 2.1 Images of not more than 5 MB in size must be submitted online to [education@jerseytreesforlife.org](mailto:education@jerseytreesforlife.org) and the organiser may request for higher resolution images subsequently. The original images should be at least 3 MB in size as winning images will be printed and exhibited. Shortlisted finalists will be notified via email to submit their original images within a week for judging.
- 2.2 Submitted images should be in JPEG format.
- 2.3 Each participant can submit up to three (3) images.
- 2.4 Digital manipulation that distorts the reality of the images will not be allowed. Only basic enhancements such as sharpening, contrast adjustment, or simple cropping will be allowed.
- 2.5 The organiser reserves the right to reject images with incomplete details required under the photo submission page. The Registration deadline is **Friday 1st September 2017**, before 11.59pm.
- 2.6 The Closing deadline for entries is **Monday 25th September 2017**, before 11.59pm.
- 2.7 All submitted images are non-returnable. The file name for each image should be clearly labelled with the participant’s name and where the image was taken.
- 2.8 Participants are entirely responsible for all entry-related costs.

#### **3. COPYRIGHT/INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY**

- 3.1 Each image submitted must be the original and unpublished work of the participant who must also be its copyright owner.
- 3.2 The participant shall retain copyright to the image entered for the competition.
- 3.3 By submitting an image for the competition, the participant will be regarded as having granted the organiser the right to use the image in print, broadcast and or electronic media without any fee payment, for the purposes of promoting the competition or areas related to the organiser’s work.
- 3.4 Submitted images may be used for the 2018 RUBiS calendar and other future promotional literature.

#### **4. PRIZES**

- 4.1 Prizes are non-transferrable and non-exchangeable for cash or in kind.
- 4.2 The organiser reserves the right to change or replace the competition prizes and/or modify the rules and regulations of the competition as and when necessary, without prior notice.
- 4.3 The organiser shall not be liable for any fault with any of the prizes.
- 4.4 One Adult winner in Jersey and one in Guernsey will receive a £500 credit to their RUBiS Card or a pre-loaded RUBiS Card for new customers.
- 4.5 One School / Junior winner (18 years of age or under) in Jersey and one in Guernsey will receive a £200 Amazon voucher.
- 4.6 Each winner and runner up will receive a free 2018 RUBiS calendar.

#### **5. JUDGING AND RESULTS**

- 5.1 Images will be selected by an independent panel of judges and their decision is final.  
No correspondence pertaining to the selection process and decision will be entertained.
- 5.2 Winning entries and some other entries will be displayed publicly in Jersey and Guernsey at venues to be announced and winners will also be notified via email.

#### **6. ACCEPTANCE OF RULES AND REGULATIONS**

- 6.1 By submitting an image for the competition, the participant will be regarded as having accepted and agreed to be bound by the rules and regulations of the competition.
- 6.2 While the organiser will exercise due care during the collection, selection and storage of images, it shall not be held liable for any loss, theft or destruction of the images.

#### **7. ORGANISERS**

- 7.1 The “Trees We Love” photography competition is organised by Jersey Trees for Life and Guernsey Trees for Life.