

Volunteer Centre Warrington EYV 11 Photography competition

Terms and Conditions:

- 1 The competition is open to all amateur photographers, and is free of charge.
2. Entrants can submit any number of images
3. Images may be digitally enhanced to remove spots or scratches, but not manipulated. Entrants can enhance the picture to make it brighter, clearer etc, but not manipulate the content. Eg Judges reserve the right to exclude any image they believe may have been excessively treated so as to alter its authenticity.
4. The deadline for entries is midnight on **Sunday 16th October 2011**.
5. Photographs should be submitted as digital images, scans of slides and negatives are acceptable.
6. All entries will be judged by a panel of judges. The judges will select a shortlist of photographs which, in their opinion, best illustrate the theme of the competition. They will consider a range of factors including composition, technical ability and originality. The judges' decisions will be final and no correspondence can be entered into.
7. Shortlisted entries will be displayed at The Gateway, Warrington on 24th & 25th October, successful entrants will be required to provide a brief written description of the volunteering depicted (max 150 words).
8. 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.
9. Entrants must have signed permission of any individual portrayed, were under 16's are portrayed signed permission of a parent/guardian is required. If your entry is shortlisted and you cannot provide signed consent of all individuals portrayed your entry will be disqualified.
10. Each entry retains the copyright but by entering the competition it is deemed that permission is granted to Volunteer Centre Warrington to reproduce images at no fee for future promotional material.
11. Prior to submission, entrants must not have offered any of their entries for sale, been paid for any publication of any of their entries or won or been a runner up in any other photographic competition with any of their entries.
12. By entering, entrants will be deemed to have agreed to be bound by these rules and Volunteer Centre Warrington reserves the right to exclude any entry from the competition at any time and in its absolute discretion if there is reason to believe that an entrant has breached these rules

Send entries to chris@warringtonvc.org.uk along with the completed entry form.

All entries will be displayed in our competition Flickr group
<http://www.flickr.com/groups/volunteeringinwarrington/>