

## HEXHAM & DISTRICT PHOTOGRAPHIC SOCIETY COMPETITIONS & RULES

TROPHY	AWARDED FOR	AWARDED TO
Keen Trophy	Open Colour Slides	Mothballed
Edgar Shield	Open Mono Prints	Member gaining most points in the 3 Annual Competitions.
Donald Low Trophy	Open Colour Prints	Member gaining most points in the 3 Annual Competitions.
Sydney Coston Trophy	Advanced Colour Slides	Mothballed
Davison Trophy	Advanced Mono Prints	Member gaining most points in the 3 Annual Competitions.
Donated by Carol	Advanced Colour Prints	Member gaining most points in 3 Annual Competitions
Louie Ord Memorial	Slide of the Year	Mothballed
Wardle Rosebowl	Mono Print of Year	Member gaining 1 <sup>st</sup> place in POY Competition.
Palmer Pot	Colour Print of Year	Member gaining 1 <sup>st</sup> place in POY Competition.
Fothergill Silver Tray	Consistent Performance	Member showing consistent performance who did not win any other trophy that season.

### GENERAL

- Prints must be mounted, to a minimum mount size of 10" x 8" & a maximum mount size of 20" x 16", & titled. The member's number, but not the name, must appear on the back of the mount.
- *Work once entered in one competition, or anything significantly similar, cannot be entered in other club competitions. The exception being entries for Print of the Year if eligible.*
- *Members may enter up to 2 pieces of work in each print competition . Eligibility for entering the O & A Competitions will be reviewed on an annual basis. Check with the Competition Secretary for the current years gradings.*
- All Prints must be Home processed, either by traditional or digital means.
- Subject matter for all work is the choice of the member.

### PRINT OF THE YEAR COMPETITIONS

*All entries must have been taken since 1<sup>st</sup> January of the previous year.*

*Work can be entered from other competitions*

## **Eligibility for entering Open & Advanced Competitions**

\* Members will be classified as O or A workers. They will then be allowed to enter the appropriate competitions. Classification will be reviewed, by the Promotions Panel, on an annual basis.

### **Image Eligibility (New)**

**Any entry into Club, Northern Counties Photographic Federation or Photographic Alliance of Great Britain Competitions must comprise of lens made images taken by you.**

**Websites and magazines offer royalty free images for you to use and manipulate. This is fine however they cannot be entered in competitions no matter how much you alter them.**

**Any component you use, if it contains pixels, must have been taken by you and not downloaded from the web or a CD.**

### **Eligibility/Criteria for winning the “Consistent Performance Trophy”**

- \* A member can win this trophy only once
- \* Anyone winning a trophy that season is excluded
- \* Awarded to the member who gains the most points in Open Competitions that season

*The “Eligibility” rules are straightforward & aimed at balancing all the sections fairly & allowing genuine competition between members of a similar level of expertise.*

### **Allocation of Points to Positions**

First Place – 10 Points

Second Place – 7 Points

Third Place – 5 Points

Fourth Place – 3 Points

Fifth Place – 2 Points

HC's – 1 Point

**There will be no joint places and a limit of 3 HC's per competition.**

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