

CQ/NQ Interclub Challenge 2021 – Part II – Colour Negative Space

Details for the November competition are: Category – Colour Negative Space

- Definition: Negative space photography uses the space that is usually not the primary focus and uses it to fill in most of the composition. The negative space commands more attention than the positive space and creates a unique perspective. It also adds definition and can create strong emotions;
1. Final submission date for entries – Friday 8 October 2021; **(I have put this forward a couple of days to give me more time – the whole task was far more time consuming – although fun - than I had thought it would be)**
- Entries to be submitted to judges no later than Friday 15 October;
 - Results due back from judges no later than Friday 19 November;
 - Results announced Wednesday 24 November.

Rules for the competition will be: -

1. The results for the second competition will be announced near the end of November. Entries will be due in as per timeline above.
2. Host Club – FNQ Photographers Club (Marian Moore Coordinator) to host both competitions in 2021.
3. Eligible Clubs – Limited to PSQ Accredited clubs in Central and North Queensland.
4. **Should a person belong to more than one club, they will only be allowed to have images submitted by ONE CLUB**
5. Entries –
 - a. Digital entries only;
 - b. Each club are to submit 12 entries per competition with the following limitations – no more than
 - i. One image per person for clubs with 75 financial members or more;
 - ii. Two images per person for clubs with 40 – 75 financial members;
 - iii. Three images per person for clubs with less than 40 financial members;
 - c. The same image cannot be submitted to both competitions;
 - d. No restrictions on the style of images (except no writing or lewd images) and no restrictions on the style of processing.
6. Image size – Maximum size **1920 pixels x 1200 pixels** for landscape or portrait images (including border); 1200 pixels per side for square images (including border). Larger images will be disqualified;
7. Maximum file size to be no larger than 2mb. Images to be in sRGB.
8. No watermarks or names on the images.
9. **Image Title – Member's names are to be part of the image file. Club co-ordinators are to name files with image title and photographer's name. This is different to last time – again streamlining for me.**

e.g. **The Jetty -Thea Boss**

Looking Around - Jacob Well

10. Entry submission – Entries to be submitted by Dropbox. Links will be sent to the club coordinator. For the clubs who entered Part 1 it will be the same Dropbox set up. Any new clubs joining Part 2 will have their link sent to their coordinator.
11. Judging – To be judged by a panel of judges to be advised.
12. Scoring – Images to be scored on a points system 1-10 (with 10 being the highest awarded score). Each judge will score the images (but not critique them). The three sets of scores for each image will be averaged, and a Gold, Silver and Bronze Image will be identified from within each Club. The image with the highest overall score across all clubs will be the Champion Image.
13. Results – Will be due back to the host club as per dates above. The host club will tally scores. The club with the highest overall points for the 12 images submitted will be the winning Club. Results for the competitions will be communicated to clubs via email. The winning Club, and the Champion Gold, Silver and Bronze images will be published on the PSQ Website.
14. The winning Club will be awarded a PSQ medal.

Good luck all

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