

Photograph Contest 2024 Rules.

- 1. The contest is open to any current member of the Basingstoke Model Aero Club (BMAC). By submitting contributions to the Basingstoke Model Aero Club (BMAC) photograph contest, the entrant thereby agrees to the rules of the contest.
- 2. There are four 4 photograph categories, Static, Action, Artistic and Events.
 - a. Category one: Static.

Static photos of any model aircraft i.e. on the ground not moving, and/or their owners, pictures may be staged. We are looking for quality of photograph, subject sharp and in focus and have a good composition.

b. Category Two: Artistic.

Any photograph with an artistic look or feel, i.e. Models at sunset, close ups, unusual angles etc.... We are looking for the artistic quality and composition of the photograph.

c. Category three: Action.

Action pictures of models and/or owners/helpers in motion, i.e. launching, landing, aerobatics or crashing etc.

As above, we are looking for quality of photograph, good composition with the subject sharp and in focus. Additionally they require a sense of movement.

d. Category four: Events.

Photographs of any event run by or attended by the members of BMAC. i.e. Pilots lining up for a spitty combat, models waiting in the pits of E fly-in.

Pictures must convey a sense of the occasion, the excitement, camaraderie etc. As above, we are looking for quality of photograph, good composition with the subject sharp and in focus.

- **3.** The Contributions shall be the original creation of the entrant and the entrant confirms that they are the owner of all copyright and any other rights in the Contributions.
- **4.** Each entrant may enter up to a maximum of eight photographs, across the four categories. Individual photographs may only be entered in one category.
- **5.** 1st in each category will win a prize. 2nd and 3rd will be awarded a certificate. Plus the overall winner decided by the chairmen's choice will win an additional prize. **Prizes TBA.**
- **6.** All contributions must have a clear connection with the Basingstoke Model Aero Club (BMAC). Photographs must be in a **JPEG** format and ideally have a 1 Mb minimum file size. They should have good composition with the subject sharp and in focus.
- **7.** The entrant undertakes to obtain all necessary releases and permissions in a form satisfactory to BMAC by all relevant persons in relation to any material included in a Contribution where rights of copyright or other rights are vested in third parties.



- **8.** Contributions with an image of any persons under the age of 18 years must have the written permission of the parent or guardian.
- **9.** Contributions must be received no later than 1st October 2024. Results will be given out at the October club night.
- **10.** Judging will be carried out by the committee. Judges decisions will be final.
- **11.** Contributions for the contest must be sent to the published E-Mail address (bmacphoto24@gmail.com). Contributions must contain the name of the club member and details of which photograph is entered in which category.
- **12.** By submitting contributions to the Basingstoke Model Aero Club (BMAC) photograph contest, the entrant thereby grants BMAC perpetual, irrevocable, royalty free licence to use the Contributions (whether now in existence or created in the future), for the full period of any copyright and any extensions and renewals thereof.
- **13.** Providing the wining pictures are of suitable quality and there is sufficient intent, the hope is they will be made into a BMAC calendar, available to be purchased by the club members. Price expected to be around £12 per calendar (deposits up front).