
THE CHILTERN ASSOCIATION OF CAMERA CLUBS

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Rosebowl Inter-Club Competition

The competition is organised in a league with 3 rounds, held around host Clubs. The league will be organised into random groups of 3 or 4 Clubs so that each Club competes against different Clubs in each round.

After the league completes, Rosebowl Day will include two events:

- The Final which will consist of the top 12 Clubs from the league/
- The Stars Competition which will comprise all images starred during the league.

Clubs must first tell the CACC Organiser that they intend to enter the competition. A league table will then be prepared and issued. In the table, some Clubs will be designated to host a league match. Hosting Clubs are then responsible for:

- Providing a match date to the Organiser within the time limit.
- Notifying their Guest Clubs of the match date and venue, and for providing venue maps and mobile phone contacts.
- Ensuring that any essential change of date or venue is notified immediately to the Organiser and to their Guest Clubs.

The General Requirements for Events and the Media Requirements apply.

CHANGE NOTICE for 2021/2022: Host Clubs must arrange for all league matches to be held on-line (Zoom or equivalent).

Entries

Refer to the General Requirements for eligibility and other relevant issues.

Refer to the Media Requirements for preparation of image files and CDs.

The subject matter is 'Open'.

In this multi-round competition, Clubs can retain or change images in any way they want between league matches, and for the Final.

For the league matches, Clubs will enter 15 images each, with no more than 4 per photographer.

At the final, the top 12 Clubs will each enter 8 images, with no more than 2 per photographer.

At the Stars Competition, Clubs will each enter the images which received a star in any of the league matches (excluding duplicates). A Club receiving no stars in any match may nominate and enter one image used in any league match.

For Each League Match

The CACC organiser will appoint the judge. The Host Club will be responsible for paying the judge's expenses at the match.

The Host Club must inform the Guest Clubs of the additional detail listed in the projected media requirements (projection size; file name format; any use of electronic submission) by at least ONE MONTH before the match.

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Guest Clubs must send the titles and names of photographers, the projection sequence and the images to the Host Club by at least FOURTEEN DAYS before the match.

The Host Club records all the entries on a marking sheet (available via the web site), and sends this to the CACC Organiser, who will then inform the Club of the judge's name and contact details.

The Host Club must contact the judge to confirm the date, time and venue; provide a map if required; and agree mobile phone contacts.

Titles will be announced at the match, and should be displayed on screen for checking against the score sheet. [NOTE: The exact order of projection may differ slightly from the score sheet depending on the projection software options available.]

Images will be marked out of 20, with no half marks. Stars are awarded to two of the highest scoring entries.

The Clubs' representatives will agree the marks, and the Host Club will send the agreed results sheet to the CACC Organiser as soon as possible.

The CACC Organiser will allocate points to each Club according to the order by marks. In order, 5, 3, 2, and 1 points for 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th place respectively. In any tie of marks, points will be combined and shared amongst the tied Clubs.

If the match cannot be completed on the scheduled date for any reason (examples: adverse weather, judge unavailable or technical failure), then the Host Club will inform the CACC Organiser and alternative arrangements for the match will be agreed.

For The Final

The CACC Organiser will arrange to publish progress in the league, and then to notify the top 12 Clubs of their invitation to the Final. For any tie of points which would otherwise include more than 12 Clubs in the final, the CACC Organiser will break the tie by a count-back of scores, starting with the number of stars, and proceeding by numbers of 20s, 19s, etc.

Club Awards for the Rosebowl Final

The CACC Rosebowl and a certificate for the winning club, based on the overall scores for the set of projected images. A certificate for the runner-up club. In the event of a tie, the Rosebowl will be shared, with certificates for the winning clubs.

For the Stars Competition

The CACC Organiser will publish a list of all stars awarded in the league matches and will invite Clubs without a star to nominate one image used in any of the league matches for inclusion in the list. The list determines eligibility for the Stars Competition.

Individual Awards for the Stars Competition

A Winner's certificate and up to 3 Highly Commended certificates.