CONTEST RULES
PHOTO TRAVEL INTERCLUB DIGTAL COMPETITION

GENERAL: Photo Travel offers opportunities for many fine pictures which may not comply with existing formats for other pictorial competitions. This competition is sponsored by the Photo Travel Division of PSA to encourage photographic communication between camera clubs and to provide experience in conducting contests of an international scope. The Photo Travel Division (PTD) Interclub Competitions are open to all Camera Clubs that are members of PSA. Individual club members submitting images for the interclub competitions are not required to be PSA members. Starting with the 2009 - 2010 season the Photo Travel Interclub Competitions will be all digital.

FREQUENCY: The competitions will consist of 3 Contests. The closing dates for the contests will be the middle of November, February and May.

FEES: Beginning with the 2009-2010 competition year there is no entry fee.

ENTRIES: Each club can enter six (6) different images from six (6) different members in each contest for a total of 18 different images for the season.
The ONLY exception to this rule is Host Club participation who will have a double entry in one of the two remaining competitions, and in some instances when an error on part of Director or Judging club, Director allows a club to make up an entry. HOST CLUBS DO NOT JUDGE THEIR OWN ENTRIES.

Note: A Photographer may only have one image in each competition, no matter how many clubs they participate in.

Entries must be the sole work of the exhibitor and must conform to the Photo Travel Division definition...

"A Photo Travel image must express the feeling of a time and place, portray a land, its people, or a culture in its natural state, and has no geographical limitations. Ultra close-ups which lose their identity, studio-type model shots, or photographic manipulations that misrepresent the true situation or alter the content of the image are unacceptable in Photo Travel competition.
No pictorial elements may be moved, cloned, added, deleted, rearranged or combined. No manipulation or modification is permitted except resizing, cropping, selective lightening or darkening, sharpening, and restoration of original color to the scene. Any adjustments must appear natural."

Entry of an ineligible image will forfeit the score for that image. Winning entries or look-a-likes of previous PT inter-club winners should not be entered

and may be disqualified.

ENTRIES: The Director of the PT competitions will notify registered clubs when to submit their entries. All entries will be initiated via an on-line digital entry form.

Images must be submitted as JPEG images and an sRGB color space is recommended.
Maximum image width is 1024 pixels and maximum height is 768 pixels. Each image should have Maximum file size no greater than 800K.

The Director will send the results to each participating club via e-mail and any ribbons won will be sent via first class mail.

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