

Jahanpanah Club
Photography Contest 2019

Please read these rules carefully before submitting your photographs for Jahanpanah Forest Photography contest 2019. By participating in this contest, you understand, acknowledge and unconditionally agree to abide by the following Rules:

BASIC SUBMISSIONS GUIDELINES FOR PHOTOGRAPHS

1. The contest is open only to members of Jahanpanah Club and their immediate families.
2. There is no fee for taking part in this contest.
3. The contests are open for online submissions only, through the email mail@jahanpanahclub.com
4. Submissions will not be accepted once the deadline lapses – which is **7th October, 2019**
5. Photos submitted must be at least 640 pixels on the shorter side, and no more than 2000 pixels on the longer side. Images should be no larger than 2MB. Photos must be in JPEG format only
6. You may submit a maximum of 2 entries per member per category
7. You are required to provide a unique title & description for each image submitted
8. All submitted photos must contain the original EXIF metadata information
9. In addition, there must be no border(s), logo(s), copyright marks, identifying marks, or any other visible references and/or marks on the image
10. Basic editing, including colour enhancement, the use of filters, and cropping of the Photo(s) is acceptable, provided any such editing does not affect the authenticity and/or genuineness of the Photo(s)
11. Advanced editing used to create illusions, deceptions and/or manipulations, and the adding and removing of significant elements within the frame is prohibited
12. Photos that portray or otherwise include inappropriate and/or offensive content, including provocative nudity, violence, human rights and/or environmental violation, and/or any other contents deemed to be contrary to the law, religious, cultural & moral traditions and practices of India, are strictly prohibited and will be immediately discarded

THE JUDGING

1. Jahanpanah Club will appoint an eminent judge / judges for this contest. This will comprise of members of the Managing committee and / or external judges
2. The judging panel shall assess and determine the winning Photos. The results and the winners will be announced on **20th October,2019**
3. The decision of the judging panel will be final and binding on all Participants in respect to all matters relating to the Contest
4. Jahanpanah Club / the judging panel reserves the right to call for original JPEG or RAW files with unchanged EXIF for the purpose of authentication. An image maybe disregarded if this information cannot be provided.

THE CATEGORIES

1. Every individual entry shall be in any one of the following categories:
 - Flora & Fauna of Jahanpanah Forest
 - People in Jahanpanah Forest and areas around it
 - Still Life, Abstracts& Macro from Jahanpanah Forest

THE PRIZES

1. 3 Prizes shall be declared in each of the above 3 categories

INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS

1. Submitted photos must be original, created and/or taken by the contestant. It must not contain any materials owned or controlled by a third party for which you have not obtained a license, must not infringe the copyright, trademark, moral rights, rights of privacy/publicity or intellectual property rights of any person or entity
2. Jahanpanah Club respects the photographers' copyrights and copyrights shall remain vested with the creator of the image. Upon making the submission, you grant Jahanpanah Club, worldwide, non-exclusive, royalty free, sub-licensable right and license to use, publish, reproduce, display, perform, adapt, create derivative works, distribute, have distributed, print, in whole or in part, in any form, in all media forms now or hereafter known, to promote the contest, image, the photographer or for editorial or educative use – as well as for subsequent display in the Club
3. The Photographer will be credited wherever the image is used.

LIABILITY

1. You hereby hold harmless, release, indemnify and discharge Jahanpanah Club and its partners, affiliates, subsidiaries, advertising agencies, agents and their employees, officers and representatives from all liability, claims, judgments, demands, controversies, agreements, damages, actions and causes of action whatsoever, arising out of or related in any way to the contest or the conduct of the contest and the acceptance and use, misuse, or possession of any prize awarded, whether in law or in equity, no matter what the cause or nature, and You further waive any claims that You may state or assert against Jahanpanah Club in association with the contest or any of its associated activities, or in any way related to or resulting from the contest, even if such injury or claims results from or is caused by the negligence or gross negligence of Jahanpanah Club, in whole or in part, due to human error or otherwise. You further agree to indemnify and hold harmless Jahanpanah Club from any claim arising out of your participation in the contest including, without limitation, all claims brought or asserted by any third party as a result of any injury or loss that You or they may sustain in any way associated with your participation in the contest
2. Under no circumstance will Jahanpanah Club be liable for any:
 - a) lost, late, misdirected, stolen, illegible or incomplete Submissions

- b) error, omission, interruption, deletion, defect, delay in operation or transmission, communications line failure, theft or destruction or unauthorized access to, or alteration of, submitted Photo(s);
 - c) problems, failures or technical malfunction of any telephone network or lines, computer online systems, servers, providers, computer equipment, software, email, players or browsers, on account of technical problems or traffic congestion on the Internet, at any website, or on account of any combination of the foregoing;
 - d) incorrect or inaccurate information, caused by any of the equipment or programming associated with or utilized in the Contest or by any technical or human error which may occur in the processing of the Photos and/or the Submissions; and/or
 - e) injury or damage to any Participant or to any computer related to, resulting from or in connection with the Contest.
3. If, for any reason, the contest is not capable of being conducted as anticipated, due to computer virus, bugs, tampering, unauthorized intervention, fraud, technical failures, or any other causes beyond the control of Jahanpanah Club, which corrupt or affect the administration, security, fairness, integrity or proper conduct of the contest, Jahanpanah Club reserves the right at its sole discretion to cancel, terminate, modify or suspend the contest as deemed appropriate, disqualify any Participant, and/or select winners from all eligible Photos submitted prior to the termination, cancellation, modification or suspension. Jahanpanah Club reserves the right to correct any typo-graphical, printing, computer programming or operating errors at any time

GOVERNING LAW

The Contest, Your Submission(s) and the Rules shall be governed by and construed in accordance with Indian laws. Any aspects or disputes arising out of or in connection with the contest and/or your submission(s) will be subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts at New Delhi