NOTICE

As a part of celebrating International Day for Biological Diversity 2022, the West Bengal Biodiversity Board is organising a State Level Photography Competition for generating awareness on Biodiversity. The selected entries will be exhibited at the event venue on 22nd May 2022.

Theme: “Building a shared future for All life”

Deadline for Entries: 13th May, 2022 (upto 5.00 p.m.)
Result: 20th May, 2022 (at www.wbbb.wb.gov.in)
Exhibition: 22nd May, 2022 (at Science City Mini Auditorium, Kolkata)
Prize Distribution: 22nd May, 2022

Judges Panel:
Eminent Photographers and Scientists in the related field

Entry Fee: No participation fee is required

Rules & Regulations:
- Each participant is allowed to submit a maximum of two (02) colour photographs.
- Two photographs sent by the participant/s should be from two different themes.
- All entries should be unmounted and of 15x12” in size.
- Each print must bear the name, address, telephone no., email id of the participant together with the title/caption of the photograph. The details should be on the reverse of the print.
- Submitted print/s should be border-less and should not contain any name (including copyright info), title/caption and any other information on the front side.
- Each participant should submit a CD of their photograph/s at 300 dpi along with print/s.
- Digitally manipulated photograph/s will not be accepted. Normal corrective measures like spotting and/or contrast control will not be considered as digital manipulation.
- Photographs of cultivated flora, captive fauna and/or man-made objects will not be accepted.
- No herms should be done to the animals or its habitat at the time of taking photograph. Photographs previously exhibited at other exhibition/competition or published anywhere will not be accepted.
- Entries can be sent by post/courier or can be hand-delivered to the address mentioned below superscribed as “Entries for Photography competition” and must reach within the last date as mentioned above. Any postal delay will not be entertained.
- Print/s must be packed properly in sturdy envelops to ensure that no damage is caused during transit. In case of any damage in transit the Board will not be held responsible.
• All possible care for entries will be exercised but no liability will be accepted for loss or damage to entries.

• The participants may collect their entries (prints only) from the Board’s office after the completion of the event. Soft copy will be retained by the Board for utilization for awareness purpose with due acknowledgement.

• Entries which do not comply with the rules and regulations are subject to disqualification. The Board reserves the right to use any of the entries for non-commercial purpose without payment in any form; however, the photographer(s) will duly be acknowledged for that.

• Employees (including family members) and persons associated with the Board are not entitled to take part in the competition.

• Decision of the Judges will be final and binding.

• Decision of the Chairman of the Board will be the final in case of any dispute arisen in this regard.

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