

MONTHLY SET SUBJECT COMPETITION (submission guidelines dated 27 June 2019)

THESE APPLY ONLY TO THE MONTHLY SET SUBJECT COMPETITION. The Club PDI competition has its own rules.

You can submit up to three jpegs - ideally max size 1920x1080 pixels (as good practice for PDI competition) but not essential. This also keeps the file size smaller eg around 1-2mb so image transfer is faster.

IMAGE SUBMISSION

Bring your images on a USB stick to the Club on the night of the competition from 7.30pm onwards and before 7.45pm (unless you've previously submitted images by email – see below)

USB sticks are to be deposited in a clearly labelled IN box. Processed USB sticks will be put in an OUT box for collection later - no need to hang around the computer.

As you will not be there when the images are copied it is important that (1) the stick is readable and (2) we know who it is from and (3) it's clear where the images are on the stick.

As you won't want to be responsible for delays on the evening we suggest the following approach.

IMAGE FILE NAMES

We have standardised on a naming format for images - it just makes it easier to do last minute checks. For convenience images names should use same format as PDI competition

ie image title_your name_optionally any other data.jpg Please use underscores where shown.

in FOLDER

PUT your three entries in a FOLDER which includes your name. We suggest it is called "2020 C yourname" (where "C" is the subject of the month) eg 2020 C JohnSmith

We need to be able to find this folder quickly so will look for this name rather than look at all possible candidates.

on USB STICK

Ideally use a USB stick just for the competition so that it only contains one folder with your images (three images are usually less than 20mb in total - usually less than 10mb - so a small capacity stick works). Whether or not it's single use or has other files then please make sure folder above can be found easily.

Ideally the USB stick should have a name (yourname) and be formatted as FAT (or exFAT or FAT32 etc) so that if necessary we can read it on different computers. Having the stick named with your name helps with basic finding/checking.

REMOTE SUBMISSION

If you know you will not be at the Club or will be arriving late then you can submit properly named images files as follows:

by email attachment to crawleycamera@gmail.com before 5pm on a competition night (please check they are attached to email and not "embedded" which MAC Mail can do sometimes)

Thank you