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Photo Contest Planner 2027: sample

Free sample: 6 of the 28 closing dates in today's planner, which lists 26 verified photo contests. Built 15 Nov 2026 from WinPhoto's contest records. Each record was checked against the organiser's published rules between 11 Oct 2026 and 4 Nov 2026. Dates are as each organiser publishes them. Where an organiser names no time zone, the files give the zone we read the date in, UTC or the organiser's own, marked “our reading”. Some contests show a closing time of day, quoted from the organiser's rules; for the rest, check the official page for the time before you enter. The full planner, with its spreadsheet and calendar file: https://winphoto.io/planner

CONTEST	OPENS	CLOSES	ENTRY FEE	AI RULE	LICENCE	FILE SPEC	LINKS
Sony World Photography Awards 2027 — Student World Photography Organisation (in partnership with Sony)	1 Jun 2026	**27 Nov 2026** 13:00 GMT Europe/London The Student rules say entries must be uploaded by 13:00 GMT and submitted by 16:00 GMT.	Free to enter	Bans AI-generated images; editing tools allowed	**Standard** You keep copyright, but the licence reaches past promoting the contest: sub-licensing or passing it to others. Read the licence clause before entering. Checked 11 Oct 2026	Files: JPG; Min 3000px long edge; Under 5 MB; sRGB colour profile; Caption required; No watermarks	Official rules WinPhoto page
CUPOTY Challenge 2026 (Close to Home) Close-up Photographer of the Year	29 Oct 2026	**30 Nov 2026** Etc/GMT+12 (our reading)	11 GBP per image	Bans AI-generated images; editing tools allowed	**Standard** You keep copyright, but the licence reaches past promoting the contest: sub-licensing or passing it to others. Read the licence clause before entering. Checked 4 Nov 2026	Files: JPG; Max 2200px long edge; Under 10 MB; sRGB colour profile; Caption required; No watermarks	Official rules WinPhoto page
Wildlife Photographer of the Year 2027 Natural History Museum, London	19 Oct 2026	**3 Dec 2026** 11:30 GMT Europe/London	35 GBP for up to 25 images	Strict ban on AI-generated images	**Standard** You keep copyright, but the licence reaches past promoting the contest: commercial use or merchandise and sub-licensing or passing it to others. Read the licence clause before entering. Checked 12 Oct 2026	Files: JPG; 1920px long edge; Adobe RGB (1998) colour profile; Caption required; No watermarks	Official rules WinPhoto page
Bird Photographer of the Year 2027 (BPOTY 12) Bird Photographer of the Year Limited	Not stated	**13 Dec 2026** 23:59 GMT Europe/London	35 GBP for up to 25 images	Strict ban on AI-generated images	**Standard** You keep copyright, but the licence reaches past promoting the contest: commercial use or merchandise and sub-licensing or passing it to others. Read the licence clause before entering. Checked 11 Oct 2026	Files: JPG; Max 2000px long edge; Under 2 MB; Caption required; No watermarks	Official rules WinPhoto page
Sony World Photography Awards 2027 — Single Image and Youth World Photography Organisation (in partnership with Sony)	1 Jun 2026	**5 Jan 2027** 16:00 GMT Europe/London	Free to enter	Bans AI-generated images; editing tools allowed	**Standard** You keep copyright, but the licence reaches past promoting the contest: sub-licensing or passing it to others. Read the licence clause before entering. Checked 11 Oct 2026	Files: JPG; Min 3000px long edge; Under 5 MB; sRGB colour profile; Caption required; No watermarks	Official rules WinPhoto page

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Sony World Photography Awards 2027 — Series World Photography Organisation (in partnership with Sony)	1 Jun 2026	**12 Jan 2027** 16:00 GMT Europe/London	Free to enter	Bans AI-generated images; editing tools allowed	**Standard** You keep copyright, but the licence reaches past promoting the contest: sub-licensing or passing it to others. Read the licence clause before entering. Checked 11 Oct 2026	Files: JPG; Min 3000px long edge; Under 5 MB; sRGB colour profile; Caption required; No watermarks	Official rules WinPhoto page