

KNYSNA PHOTOGRAPHIC SOCIETY ANNUAL PRIZEGIVING AWARDS: 2023-24 CLUB YEAR.

Item	Award Title and Award Details			Remarks
1	Total Points scored for the year, per scoresheet Awards: 1st Prize: 2nd Prize: Certificate (with Image) 3rd Prize: Certificate (with Image) This is calculated on the total number of score points received for the photographic year. Six points will be added for a POM. A minimum of 350 points must be			If a 3-star worker is promoted and judged as a 4-star worker, before 31 st December, they will move to the senior category for this award. If a 3-star worker is promoted and judged as a 4-star worker, after 31 st December, they will remain in the Junior category for this award
2	accumulated, in order to qualify for 1 st , 2 nd , or 3 rd . Category winners			If a 3-star worker is promoted and judged
	Awards: 1 st Prize in each cat	Junior ar egory Certificat	as a 4-star worker, before 31 st December, they will move to the senior category for this award.	
	This award goes to the member who has gained the highest number of score points attained during the Photographic year in each of the categories listed below. Should less than 100 points be scored, in any particular category, no award will be given. Each category will have a 1 st prize only.			If a 3-star worker is promoted and judged as a 4-star worker, after 31 st December, they will remain in the Junior category for this award
	The categories are;			
	Pictorial Photo Journalism	Nature Monochrome	Visual Art Scapes	
	Portraiture Sport Macro & close up Photo travel & Street Photography			

3	KPS Photograp	her of the year	
	Awards: 1 st Prize:	Junior & Senior Floating trophy plus medal plus certificate (with image)	
	 2. This total so category, 1.7 categories. 3. To qualify fo 66 points for 4. The member 	of 45) for all images submitted during the club year are summated. ore is multiplied by a "versatility" factor of 1.06, for success in one 12 for success in two categories, up to 1.6 for success in ten or the category/versatility multiplier, at least 55 points for juniors and reseniors, must have been scored in a particular category. If with the highest score wins. Of a tie, a joint award will be made and the trophy will be shared for	
4	Brian Mullin Aw	vard Floating trophy plus badge	Towards the end of each club year, members will be invited to identify who, in their opinion, deserves this award.
	club, in any avenue	ented to anyone who has made a significant contribution to the of service. This award may be shared between 2 members should imittee decide this to be appropriate	A subcommittee consisting of two past winners of the award, will decide who should receive the award each year, based on the submissions from members.
5	Audio Visual (A	(V) Award	
	Not applicable this	club year	

6 KPS Award for Photographic Excellence

Award: Floating trophy plus medal and certificate (with image)

This award recognises one photographer each year who has achieved photographic excellence during the year.

Award criteria:

- 1. The total points scored, over eleven club nights, will be used as the base score or starting point.
- 2. 50 points are added for each National salon acceptance secured during the year. Only one acceptance per image is eligible.
- 3. 75 points are added for each International salon acceptance secured during the year. Only one acceptance per image is eligible.
- 4. 10 points are added each time one of the above mentioned acceptances is at COM standard.
- 5. 100 points are added for each National Silver medal, 50 points for National Bronze medal and 150 points for International salon Medal, Ribbon or "Judges Choice" during the year.
- 6. 100 points are added each time an image is published in a <u>recognised media</u> (usually a retail magazine) during the year.
- 7. 100 additional points are added each time an image wins a recognised media competition during the year. 75 additional points are added for second place and 50 points for third place, and a finalist 25 points if not the winner.
- 8. 75 points are added each time an image wins a National or International competition for school learners.
- 9. 100 points each time an image wins PSSA picture of the month, and 50 points for runner up. 100 points for Website winner of the month.
- 10. The member with the highest score wins the award.
- 11. In the event of a tie, based on the above scoring system, the most decorated photographer will win the award. I.e. The one who receives the most gold medals at International salons, silver medals at National salons and most

The onus will be on individual club members, to notify the Club Scoremaster of all achievements outside of the club domain. E.g. Salon acceptances, competition achievements, publications and the like for the current photographic year.

For indent points 5, 6,7 and 8, each image which qualifies in this regard can only do so once, and cannot earn these points in future club years.

Please refer to definition of a single image. If two similar images from a single shoot are submitted to a salon only one of those images will be eligible for this award.

When submitting list of salon awards the Salon name and date must be included, plus a thumbnail of the image. Exif data may be requested if necessary.

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7 Image of the Year

Award: Honourable mention plus photographic voucher

One award will be made for Juniors and one for Seniors.

ALL members will be asked to enter what they consider their **best 2 images**, **submitted to club during the photographic year**. (July of one year, to June of the next) The images do not necessarily have to be the highest scoring of those entered.

The Scorer will invite members to submit their choices, via Photovault, towards the end of each club year.

All submitted images will be judged and scored by 3 judges from another club.

Senior and Junior winners will receive a voucher for an A2 print of their winning image.

Images must be submitted via Photo Vault by the deadline date published on Photovault.

Members are encouraged to make a shortlist of possible candidates and then update it monthly, as future submissions are judged.