

FRCC Competitions 2026-27

Titles Guide

FRCC Competitions: Judged by an outside judge.

* **Up to 3 Prints, and/or up to 3 Images, per competition (3+3).**

- up to **3 Prints** (max print size of A3, bevel mounted in 50 x 40 cm mountboard)
(plus their resized digital copies = 1600 x 1200 px. To be uploaded onto Photo Entry System in 'Prints')
- and/or up to **3 Digital Images** (Resized to = 1600 x 1200 px)
(To be uploaded onto Photo Entry System in 'Digital Images'.)

Hand in for competitions on **dates** below. Judging results at next meeting (see date in *italics*)

Hand in	Title	Guidance
17th Sept 2026 Results on 1st Oct	"Atmospheric"	Photos with an atmospheric feeling to them. You want to present a feeling. Can be ethereal, peaceful, calm, misty, ghostly, frightening, menacing, etc. Use of mist, or photographing towards the sun (ethereal), a moonlit night, etc, for your lighting to create an atmosphere. Judged by: James Moore
29th Oct Results on 12th Nov	"Light Trails"	Light trails are long exposure camera techniques. Use of tripod is essential. For star trails you will need shutter speeds of 30 seconds or more. Can be tail lights from cars, trains, etc. Or use of sparklers, fireworks, finger lights, torches, candles, LED lights, etc. Can also be done indoors: Be creative with Still Lifes? Or Portraiture? Judged by: David bridges
2027		
7th Jan 2027 Results on 21st Jan 2027	"Open"	An Open competition: photos of anything, with no set subject. Can include Nature/Wildlife. Can be creative (using layers), colour-pop, anything! Judged by: Hanene Basson + (hopefully) Sonya Rogers
4th Feb Results on 18th Feb	"Sport"	Sports photos show action from the vast variety of competitive sports. A viewer should be able to tell which sport it is by looking at the photo. You could show racing or the competition, with a bit of background for context. Use of fast shutter speed to stop motion, or use panning techniques to capture the action. Try zooming in closer to the action to create photos with impact. Judged By: Chris Robins

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