Blackdown and Hindhead Supporters of the National Trust – 2023 Photography Competition – win some fabulous prizes! Closing Date: 30 November 2023

Rules:

- 1. Open to all amateur photographers but excluding National Trust staff and Blackdown and Hindhead Supporters Committee. Under 16's must have the permission of a parent or guardian.
- 2. There is no fee to enter, but a donation is welcomed, no matter how large or small, by bank transfer to Black Down & Hindhead Supporters of the National Trust Account No: 01950670, Sort Code: 30-93-94 using "photocomp" as the reference.
- Subject: pictures of flora, fauna, landscapes and scenery within the boundaries of, or from the following National Trust properties: Black Down, Hindhead Common, Devil's Punch Bowl, Polecat, Marley Common, Marley Wood, Marley Heights, Swan Barn Farm, Golden Valley, Woodcock Bottom, Whitmore Vale, Whitmore Park and Windy Gap, Grayswood Common and Pond, Shottermill Ponds and Fields, Kingsley Green, Graig's Wood and Tyndall's Wood, Valewood and Valewood Park, Roundhurst Common, Stoatley Green, Weydown Common, The Quell and Quellwood Common, or Nutcombe Valley.
- 4. All image entries must be the work of the individual submitting them, and they must not have been published elsewhere or have won a prize in any other competition.
- 5. Up to two images to be submitted by email to <u>admin@blackdownhindheadntsupporters.org</u> indicating photographer's name, email address, telephone number, age (if under 16) and where each image was taken.
- 6. The judges reserve the right to exclude any image which they believe has been unduly enhanced.
- 7. Where an image includes residential property or children, then the permission of the owner or parent/guardian must be obtained.
- 8. Photos taken from a drone are not accepted as the use of drones is not allowed over any National Trust land without a permit and we do not wish to encourage their use through the competition.
- 9. It is a condition of entry that the originator accepts that the organisers may use the images (with credit to the originator where possible) for non-commercial exhibition or publication, in newsletters, calendars, correspondence or other publicity including online.
- 10. Judges: a panel will consist of two representatives of the Black Down & Hindhead Supporters of the National Trust and one representative of the Haslemere Camera Club.
- 11. The judges' decisions will be final. No correspondence can be entered into.
- 12. By entering the competition, entrants will be deemed to have agreed to the above rules.
- 13. The winners' will be contacted by telephone or email as appropriate. Names will be published on our website and in a Newsletter circulated to all Members.
- 14. The prizes (vouchers) sponsored by Raymond Reid Photo, Haslemere are as follows: 1st prize £75.00 – 2nd prize £50.00 – 3rd prize £25.00 available after November 2023.

Why not join us?

The Black Down & Hindhead Supporters of the National Trust is a local Committee, independent of the National Trust, which runs talks and events for the local community. Through these and membership subscriptions, we raise funds to provide such items as information panels, way markers, tools, fencing and play areas to enhance the Blackdown and Hindhead National Trust properties and the visitor experiences.

Membership, with a recommended donation of £25.00 per annum, with Gift Aid as appropriate, can be applied for by downloading the Application Form from our website, or emailing admin@blackdownhindheadntsupporters.org