**Uckfield Town Council**

**‘Funny Photo Caption’ 2021**

**Photographic Competition Entry Form**

This completed entry form should be emailed to: mailto:admin@uckfieldtc.gov.uk with your photograph/s as attachments. Alternatively, forms can be returned to Uckfield Town Council Offices, Civic Centre Uckfield TN22 1AE, with your digital photograph/s supplied on a CD.

Name:

Address:

Telephone: Mobile:

Email:

Entrants under 16 years of age must obtain written permission from a parent or guardian before entering.

Name of parent or guardian:

Address (if different from above):

I hereby consent to Click or tap here to enter text. Participating in the Uckfield Town Council Calendar 2018 Photographic Competition.

Signed: Date:

Photo 2 title/caption:

Where taken:

Photo 1 title/caption:

Where taken:

Photographs submitted via (please tick one option):

CD-ROM (post) [ ]  Email [ ]

I have read and understood the Rules of the Competition and hereby agree to the terms and conditions of entry.

Signed: Date:

**Uckfield Calendar 2021 – Competition Rules**

**Entering the Competition**

* The competition is open to residents within the Uckfield Parish Boundary only.
* This is an amateur competition. Submissions by professional photographers will not be considered.
* This competition is not open to Uckfield Town Council Councillors or employees, any person directly or indirectly involved with Uckfield Town Council or with the running of this competition or their direct family members.
* All entries must be accompanied by an official entry form.

**Competition categories**

* All entries must be of pictures representing this year’s theme ‘**Funny Photo Caption**’ and be taken in the Parish of Uckfield by Uckfield residents.

**Your photographs**

* You may submit up to two photographs to the competition, providing they are of a different subject. Multiple shots of the same subject will not be eligible for shortlisting and may not be accepted for the gallery.
* All photographs must be submitted in digital format and must be at least 300dpi. (Please note pictures may be cropped square for publishing purposes).
* Photographs with text added to the image will not be accepted (date stamps automatically added by the camera will not be accepted).
* Prints will not be considered. Any prints that are submitted will not be returned.
* Please ensure that you print off and keep a copy of your completed entry form.
* All images should be accompanied by a funny caption, which can be subject to change by Uckfield Town Council.
* It is the entrant's responsibility to ensure that all the necessary permissions are obtained from any people featured in their photograph(s).
* Anyone may submit photograph(s) to the competition, providing their submissions comply with the competition’s rules.

**Competition Rules**

* The closing date for entries is 31 August 2020. Winners will be notified by the end of September 2020 and the winning pictures will be used in the Council’s 2021 Calendar.
* Entrants under 16 must obtain written permission from a parent or guardian before entering.
* Uckfield Town Council reserves the right to reject submissions that do not conform to the Competition Rules; do not comply with UK and European legal requirements (copyright); do not meet the competition’s technical or editorial specifications.
* You must provide Uckfield Town Council with your name, address and e-mail address if you wish to enter this competition. Uckfield Town Council will only ever use your personal details for the purposes of administering this competition, and will not publish them or provide them to anyone else without your

permission.

* Uckfield Town Council does not accept any responsibility for late or lost entries. Please note that proof of sending is not proof of receipt.
* In entering the competition you agree to grant Uckfield Town Council a non-exclusive licence to publish and use your photographs for non-commercial purposes. Copyright will however remain with the photographer.
* The prize(s) must be taken as stated and cannot be deferred. There will be no cash alternatives.
* The decision of the judges is final in every situation and no correspondence will be entered into.
* Uckfield Town Council reserves the right to cancel the competition (and any associated exhibition or event) at any stage, if deemed necessary in their opinion, and if circumstances arise outside of their control.
* Entrants will be deemed to have understood the above rules and accepted them and agree to be bound to them when entering the competition.
* These rules are governed by the laws of England and Wales.
* All photographs entered into the competition must be suitable for publication on Uckfield Town Council’s website and potentially in exhibitions and therefore should be suitable for a general audience.

**Judging and prizes**

A panel comprised of the Town Mayor, Judith Stewart (a Sussex Photographic Federation Judge) and Ron Hill (Ron Hill Photographic) will select the winning entries. The judges will be looking for originality, creativity and strong

composition, linked to the theme**.**

Prizes will only be awarded to first, second and third places with a One4all Post Office gift card, to the value of £50, £35 and £20 respectively. The remaining winning entries will receive a copy of the calendar in which their entry is printed, but will not receive a prize of monetary value. Each winning entrant will be restricted to one prize only.

Winning entries will be used in Uckfield Town Council’s 2021 Calendar and displayed in the Civic Centre. They may also be used on the Town Council’s website, in “The Voice” and other ad hoc publications.