

The 2018 St. Arvans Memorial Hall Photography Competition

“What makes St. Arvans?”

As part of a programme of activities to commemorate the end of World War I on its 100th anniversary, St. Arvans Memorial Hall is launching a photography competition, on the theme “What makes St. Arvans?”

You are invited to enter up to two photographs which in your opinion show the best of St. Arvans. The subject is up to you – we only ask that the photos have been taken within the last year in or around St. Arvans. Your entry must be received no later than 5:00 PM on Wednesday 31st October 2018, together with the completed entry form.

The winning entries will be announced at a prize giving ceremony at St. Arvans Memorial Hall during the afternoon of Sunday 11th November 2018, at which a selection of entries will be displayed. There will be a programme of other events on the afternoon – further details (including the list of prizes) will be posted on the St. Arvans Memorial Hall web site www.starvanshall.co.uk.

Please read the competition rules before completing the entry form and – if your entry includes any identifiable people – a release form and submitting these with your entry.

Good luck!

Chris Balmer
Competition Secretary

St. Arvans Memorial Hall Photography Competition Rules

1. This competition is free and open to UK residents only.
2. This competition has two age categories, under and over 16. For the under-16 category, entrants must be aged 15 or younger on 31st October 2018. Proof of age may be requested. If you are under 16 years of age, you must obtain your parent's or guardian's permission before entering the competition.
3. Photographs entered for the competition should have been taken within 5 miles of St. Arvans Memorial Hall no earlier than 1st January 2018.
4. Whilst enhancement of photos is permitted the images must not be changed, added to or manipulated in any way.
5. No more than two entries will be accepted per person and entries will not be returned. Entries should be submitted as prints at least 10" by 8" (A4 is ideal). Users of digital cameras should also supply an image file (ideally a JPEG file between 1MB and 2MB) for each entry via e-mail to chris.balmer1@btinternet.com , while users of film cameras should submit negatives together with their prints – these will not be returned unless requested.
6. Each entrant must send a completed and signed entry form with their entry, giving details of the date and location at which each photograph was taken.
7. The deadline for receiving entries is 5pm on Wednesday 31st October 2018. Results will be announced at the Exhibition on Sunday 11th November 2018 (details to follow) and posted on the St. Arvans Memorial Hall web site www.starvanshall.co.uk .
8. You must provide the St. Arvans Memorial Hall Committee with your name, address, age and telephone number if you wish to enter this competition. The St. Arvans Memorial Hall Committee will only ever use your personal details for the purposes of administering this competition, and will not publish them or provide them to anyone without your permission.
9. The judges' decision is final and no correspondence will be entered into.
10. The prize(s) may only be taken as stated. There will be no cash alternatives.
11. Your entries must be entirely your own original work, not defame anybody nor breach any copyright.
12. If your photographs feature any person or people, permission must be obtained from all involved (or their parents/guardians if under 18) using the Release Form attached.
13. By submitting your photographs to the St. Arvans Memorial Hall Committee you agree to grant the St. Arvans Memorial Hall Committee free of charge the right to publish and the right to licence others to publish the photographs online and in all media as required.
14. You agree to take part in any competition publicity if asked to do so.
15. This competition is not open to St. Arvans Memorial Hall Committee members or any person involved in the running of the competition, or their immediate family members.
16. The St. Arvans Memorial Hall Committee reserves the right to cancel this competition at any stage if deemed necessary in its opinion or if circumstances arise outside its control.
17. If a winning entrant is unable to be contacted after reasonable attempts have been made to do so, the St. Arvans Memorial Hall Committee reserves the right to offer the prize to the next best entry.
18. The St. Arvans Memorial Hall Committee reserves the right to disqualify any entry which breaches any of these rules or to withhold a prize if in its opinion entries do not reach the required standard.
19. These rules are governed by the laws of England and Wales.

St. Arvans Memorial Hall Photography Competition Entry Form

Your details

Name:

Address:

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Postcode:

Contact telephone number:

e-mail address:

Age category: 16 and over Under 16

If under 16, please give your date of birth :/...../.....

Please tell us in a few words about your entry (or entries, maximum 2):

Entry 1 Date taken:/...../..... Location:

Entry 2 Date taken:/...../..... Location:

“I confirm that the enclosed image(s) is (are) my own unpublished work taken since 1st January 2018 and that my entry complies with all of the competition rules.”

Signed:

Parent's / Guardian's signature if under 16:

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Please send this form with your prints and any negatives by 5pm on 31st October 2018 to:

Photo Competition, c/o 14 Grange Park, St Arvans, Chepstow, NP16 6EA

Please e-mail your digital image files to chris.balmer1@btinternet.com

