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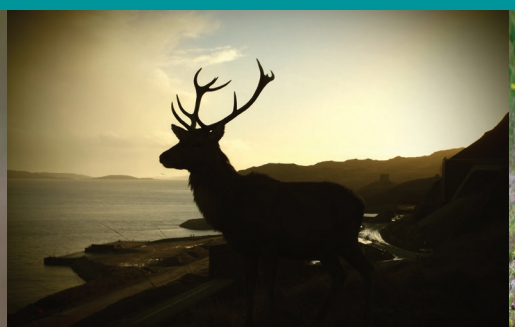
The MPA Nature Photo Competition 2017

for all volunteers at restored mineral sites



To celebrate the creation of amazing spaces for nature, the Mineral Products Association is holding a photo competition for all volunteers based at reserves which are former quarries.

Entries can be images of species (both fauna and flora) and habitats (including their landscape setting).

The competition is open until **1 September 2017** and any photographs entered must have been taken between 1 January 2016 and 31 August 2017 to allow all the seasons and different wildlife to be captured.

Winners will be announced and images showcased at the MPA Quarries and Nature event in London in October 2017. The first, second and third prizes will be **sponsored vouchers for photographic equipment**.

You can enter a maximum of 5 images (between 1MB and 5MB each in size) which should be sent as separate emails direct to MPA at naturephotos17@mineralproducts.org – please read terms and conditions below.

For further information please contact Elizabeth Clements at MPA elizabeth.clements@mineralproducts.org or 07775 894 285

Terms & Conditions

Email your photos one at a time in JPEG format to naturephotos15@mineralproducts.org, up to 5Mb (1Mb minimum), telling us where the photo/s was taken and when. You should also include a brief description to put the photo/s into context. Please keep large resolution copies of your photos, in case your entry is successful, for promotional and printing purposes.

Please tell us your full name, age, company, job role, location and a contact phone number with your submissions.

You must hold the copyright for or have the right to use the image/s. Please abide by your company's health & safety regulations and gain permission to photograph if required.

By submitting an entry you give MPA permission to use your image(s) in future publicity. The entrant will receive acknowledgement where their entry is used.

Entries from professional photographers (those whose main income is their photography) are not eligible to enter. No photoshopped composites, faked or doctored images are permitted.

Prizes are as stated; no alternative can be offered. The judges' decision is final.

The Mineral Products Association is the trade association for the aggregates, asphalt, cement, concrete, dimension stone, lime, mortar and silica sand industries.