

# Get Together Photo Competition – 2012 Calendar

## The Rules

Terms and Conditions version 3 updated 3 November 2010

### How to enter

#### You can submit up to 4 photos

The subject is:-

#### The life and times of Poitou-Charente and the Vendee

**Email a low-res version preferably in landscape format (no more than 1MB in size) plus your name, the title and location and to be recognisable of the subject.** If possible include the make of camera and model, and exposure settings to [gettogetherfrance@yahoo.com](mailto:gettogetherfrance@yahoo.com) with **“Calendar Competition 2012”** in the subject line no later than **11:59pm on Friday 30<sup>th</sup> September 2011** in order to enter the competition. No photos submitted previously will be allowed. We also regret that for this competition we may be unable to accept scanned prints due to restrictions of quality.

The calendar will comprise 12 monthly pages of a similar format to the 2011 version and will be on sale to members from November 2011 at a price to be determined.

If your photo(s) are selected we will ask you to provide a copy in the highest resolution available. *So it is in your interests to set your camera at the highest resolution and then use your photo editing software to produce a smaller copy retaining the original. We will require this hi-res version to provide a quality image for reproduction purposes. As these will take a long time to down and upload do not send this hi-res version unless requested. (If you need help or advice on any aspect of photo editing email a request to the address in number 3 below.)* If you do not possess photo editing software, you can download for free Picasa which is easy to use, has all the facilities you would need to adjust or edit your photo to ensure it is of the best composition and quality. Download it at <http://picasa.google.com/>

Good luck, and happy snapping

### Entering the Competition

1. The Get Together competition (the "Competition") is open all fully paid up members of Get Together subject to paragraph 2 below.
2. By entering the Competition you are accepting these terms and conditions.
3. To enter the Competition, you must e-mail your name, and chosen image(s) to [gettogetherfrance@yahoo.com](mailto:gettogetherfrance@yahoo.com). If you have any questions about how to enter, or how to send the photo(s) or in connection with the Competition, please e-mail us at [gettogetherfrance@yahoo.com](mailto:gettogetherfrance@yahoo.com) "Photo Calendar Competition" in the subject line.
4. You are responsible for the cost (if any) of sending your Competition entry to us.
5. The closing date and time of the Competition is 11.59pm on Thursday 30 September 2010. Entries received after that date and time will not be considered.
6. You own the copyright to your Competition entry as its author.
7. By submitting an entry to the Competition, you give Get Together:

- a. permission for your entry to be published on the associations website and grant Get Together a non-exclusive, royalty-free, worldwide licence to republish your Competition entry in electronic format and hard copy for purposes connected with the Competition; and
  - b. the right to use your name and town or city of residence for the sole purpose of identifying You as the author of your entry and/or as a winner of the Competition. Get Together will use reasonable efforts to assert the entrant's moral rights in the photograph. However Get Together may cut, edit, crop or arrange the entry as it sees fit.
8. Your entry must be your own work, must not be copied, must not contain any third-party materials and/or content that you do not have permission to use and must not otherwise be obscene, defamatory or in breach of any applicable legislation or regulations. If we have reason to believe your entry is not your own work or otherwise breaches this paragraph 8, then we may not consider it. You warrant and undertake that photos submitted will not infringe intellectual property, privacy or any other rights of any third party. You must ensure that any person or persons whose image is used in an entry has given valid consent for the use of their image or has waived any rights they may have in the image submitted. Where such person is under 16, the consent of that person's parent or guardian must be obtained. Failure to adequately demonstrate such consent to the satisfaction of Get Together may result in the entrant's disqualification and forfeiture of any prize.

#### **Picking the photos for inclusion in the calendar.**

9. Provided sufficient entries are received it is proposed to publish a GT Calendar for 2012, and a selection Committee comprising of GT Members who have not submitted any entries will be formed during October 2011.
10. When choosing the short-list of finalists the Committee will be looking for the pictures that are the most striking in terms of photographic quality and best illustrate the brief laid down in the assignment.

#### **The prizes**

11. There will be a small prize for each photo selected.