

Annual Photographic Competition

The Fylde Bird Club annual photographic competition will take place during **April**. Voting for this year's competition will take place entirely online.

There are three categories open for entries:

- Fylde (Fylde Bird Club recording area)
- British Isles (excluding the Fylde)
- World (excluding British Isles)

The Committee appreciates that people may still not have had the opportunity to travel widely in the UK and abroad during 2021 and therefore, a prize will only be awarded for the winner of the Fylde category in this year's competition.

The Rules

- A maximum of TWO images for the Fylde category per photographer.
- Only ONE image for the British Isles category per photographer.
- Only ONE image for the World category per photographer.
- All photographs must have been taken between 1st January 2021 and 31st December 2021.
- No photographs taken at the nest.
- No photographs of captive or trapped birds.
- Please submit digital photographs only; slides/hard copies/prints will not be accepted (but may be submitted as scanned images).
- Individuals may only enter the competition if they were a member of Fylde Bird Club in 2021 and/or 2022.

Please email your entries to paul.ellis24@btopenworld.com. **Please remember to include the species, date, and location for each entry in the email.**

The deadline for submissions is **midnight Wednesday 6th April**.

Voting will open on Monday 11th April. Links to 'Google Photos' galleries to view all the entries will be emailed out to all members once all the entries have been received.

Voting will close at midnight on Friday 15th April. Voting will be by email to malcolmevans433@btinternet.com.

The results will be announced on Tuesday the 26th April at the end of Fylde Bird Club's physical and online Zoom meeting.

Good Luck !