**Terms and Conditions**

The title of The Seaside Museum Herne Bay Postcard Photographic Competition 2023 is ‘**Herne Bay The Healthiest Spot**’.

An exhibition of all entries will be held at the Museum in April 2023.

We are looking for beautiful photographs showing **Herne Bay The Healthiest Spot** to print as a postcard and include in our 2024 calendar, so that your view can be shared with others.

Three winning photographs will be produced as postcards. These 3 images will be joined by 9 others selected by visitors to the exhibition and will appear in the Seaside Museum Herne Bay calendar for 2024. The money raised will be used to help with the running costs of the Museum.

If there are sufficient children’s entries (at least 10), there will be two Age Groups:

**Under 18yrs**

**Adults**

Entrants under 18 years of age must have Parent or Guardian consent to enter the competition.

Each entrant may enter up to 3 photographs.

The closing date for entries is midnight on Saturday 26 March 2023.

Winners will be notified after judging in April for the volunteer choices and at the end of the exhibition for visitor choices.

**General Terms and Conditions**

1. The title of the competition is ‘Herne Bay The Healthiest Spot’.

The theme is open to your personal interpretation but we are looking for exceptional photographs that show off the wonderful town of Herne Bay. The Museum’s decision as to the eligibility of individual photographs will be final.

1. Photographs entered into the competition must be identifiable as being taken in Herne Bay, which we define as the Hampton/Reculver/Herne triangle.
2. Entrants can submit up to 3 photographs as prints, in colour or black and white. Prints must be suitable for printing at A4 size, and should be submitted as A4. Landscape images are preferred. Electronic images cannot be accepted but entrants must be prepared to supply the electronic format for printing should they win.
3. Entrants must **not** be professional photographers.
4. Entrants MUST complete an entry form and mark the back of each photograph with their name, address and contact number. If under 18yrs please include your age.
5. The Museum will only use personal details for the purpose of administrating the competition in accordance with the Data Protection Act.
6. Entries should be sent or delivered in person to Herne Bay Through the Year, The Seaside Museum, 12 William Street, Herne Bay CT6 5EJ.
Entries received after Saturday 26 March 2023 will not be considered.
The Museum will not take any responsibility for prints lost or delayed in the post.
7. Entries can be collected from the Museum after the exhibition has finished.
8. All entries must be the original work of the entrant and must not infringe the rights of any other party. **If your image features people then it is your responsibility to obtain their permission to enter the photo into the competition for possible inclusion in the calendar and on postcards.**
9. Entrants will retain copyright of any photographs they submit.
10. By entering the competition, all entrants grant to the Museum the rights to print and exhibit their photographs including on the Museum Website and local media outlets and to make them available as postcards and part of a calendar if selected.
11. Entrants must complete an entry form and indicate that they have read the Terms and Conditions of the competition.