



LANDBOUSKRYWERS SA
AGRICULTURAL WRITERS SA

30TH BKB PHOTO COMPETITION

TOTAL PRIZE MONEY: R10 000

- All members of the Agricultural Writers SA are invited to participate in the 30th BKB PHOTO COMPETITION for the agricultural press.
- In the competition the emphasis is on the communication value of photos and the photographic skill of the photographer.
- There are two main awards:
 - AGRICULTURAL PHOTOGRAPHER and
 - AGRICULTURAL PHOTO OF THE YEAR.

CLOSING DATE: 13 August 2010

(For the 2010 competition photos with a publication date of 1 May 2009 to 30 April 2010 must be entered.)

ADJUDICATION OF ENTRIES IS IN THE FOLLOWING CLASSES:

- **CLASS 1: PEOPLE IN FARMING**

These persons, as well as the farming related activities they are involved in, must be reflected by the entries, e.g. the sale of products, congresses, farmers' days, demonstrations and training and information sessions. Photos depicting farm lifestyles also fall into this category.

- **CLASS 2: VEGETATION**

Crops, pastures and problem plants.

- **CLASS 3: ANIMALS**

This includes livestock, poultry, fish, game as well as farm and problem animals. Animals in Class 4 are excluded.

- **CLASS 4: WOOL AND MOHAIR INDUSTRIES**

Photos of wool sheep and Angora goats or any other photos illustrating aspects of these industries.

- **CLASS 5: AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS**

Implements and related technology.

- **CLASS 6: PHOTOS OF SHOW ANIMALS**

Any photo of an animal that participated in a show.

- **CLASS 7: PORTFOLIO**

Six single photos (each with a caption and date of publication) reflecting the participant's skill as agricultural photographer. Entries should be of six different subjects and could include colour or black and white photos.

- **CLASS 8: UNPUBLISHED PHOTOGRAPHS**

Any photo with agriculture as a theme which portrays the photographer's versatility. Entries are restricted to six photos and can be colour or black and white.

- **CLASS 9: BEST PHOTO**

All published photos in Class 1 to 7 will be entered automatically. The winning photo is the AGRICULTURAL PHOTO OF THE YEAR.

The AGRICULTURAL PHOTOGRAPHER OF THE YEAR is designated on the grounds of points allocated to published photos in Class 1 to 8.

PRIZE MONEY:

The total prize money of the competition amounts to R10 000. The prize money and points allocated to entries in Classes 1 to 8 are as follows: The first prize: R500 plus 5 points; the second prize: R300 and 3 points; the third prize: R150 and 1 point. The winner in Class 9 (AGRICULTURAL PHOTO OF THE YEAR) receives R1 000 and the PHOTOGRAPHER OF THE YEAR R1 000. Prizes can also be withheld if the entries are not of the desired quality.

COMPETITION RULES:

1. Published black and white or colour photos participate in the same classes.
2. Photos taken specifically for publication purposes, or entered previously in the competition, may not be entered again.
3. For the 2010 competition photos with a publication date of 1 May 2009 to 30 April 2010 must be entered.
4. Photos must be sent as complete pages from the publication. Reproductions may be entered, however, these should be accompanied by the relevant published page, cutting, caption and publication date.
5. NB Photographic reproductions and any "colour copy" of good quality are acceptable. Slides and transparencies are not suitable for adjudication.
6. Reproductions must not be smaller than 100 mm x 150 mm or larger than A4 size. If not accompanied by a page from the publication the necessary caption must be provided, indicating the use and date of publication.
7. Published pages must be neat and not folded. If the photos appear on both sides of the page, participants must, if possible, provide a second reproduction to facilitate the adjudication of the full entries.
8. Participants should ensure that their names on the torn pages have been painted out.
9. The classes are planned for the adjudication of analogous material. Although the photos should illuminate the text, it is the photos that determine the correct class. For example: photos of cattle illuminating the text on pastures belong in Class 3 (ANIMALS) and not in Class 2. In consultation with officials the judges can transfer entries to the correct class.
10. In Classes 1 to 8 an entry should consist of one photo with a caption or more than one photo illuminating text.
11. A total of ten entries can be presented. There is no limit on the number of entries per class, except Class 9 (PORTFOLIO) where there must be only one entry per participant.
12. A completed entry form must accompany all entries and the holder of copyright must sign the form. If the copyright holder has not signed, it will be assumed that the participant is the copyright holder and that he/she indemnifies the sponsor and organisers from all claims that could emanate.
13. The sponsor retains the right to use any entry or photo for exhibition purposes of publicity in connection with the competition. Participants must be willing to provide negatives or colour transparencies to the organisers for this purpose. Although all the necessary precautions will be taken, the organisers cannot be held responsible for lost material.
14. Participants wishing to receive back their entries after adjudication must include a prepaid envelope for this purpose.
15. All members of the Agricultural Writers SA, excluding persons directly involved in adjudication, can participate. No entry fees are charged.
16. Photos adapted in the electronic printing process must be accompanied by the original reproductions.

ENTRIES MUST BE SENT TO:

BKB Photo Competition: Adèle Engelbrecht, Landbouweekblad,
PO Box 1802, Cape Town, 8000.

The entries should reach us in time for adjudication just after 13 August 2010.

BKB PHOTO COMPETITION ENTRY FORM

The class number, entry number and number of pages from the publication or photos must be entered on the back of each page or photo (e.g. Class 3, Entry 5, 3 pages of Class 4, Entry 6, 2 photos). No other particulars must be entered.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Tel.(Work): _____ (Cell): _____

Official use	Entry number	Class number	Pages	Short description of title
	1			
	2			
	3			
	4			
	5			
	6			
	7			
	8			
	9			
	10			

I declare that these photos are my own work and undertake to adhere to the rules of the competition.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

Copyright holder's approval: _____

Signed: _____ Date: _____

