## **Gloucestershire Branch Annual Photographic Competition**

The annual photographic competition is free and open to all members of Gloucestershire Branch and their children and grandchildren. See competition rules below. As in the previous few years we would like digital photos which will be compiled and set to music to be shown at the meeting.

Please send up to three in each category as JPEG attachments to emails to reach Chris Tracey at chris@gloucestershire-butterflies.org.uk by 14th October. These will be judged by our speaker before the meeting. The winners will be announced after we have viewed all the entries during the meeting.

There will be 4 categories:

UK Butterflies, UK Moths, Overseas Butterflies and Moths, My Garden Butterflies and Moths.

Please encourage your children or grandchildren to enter. If the photo is taken by someone under the age of 16, please give their name and age. There will be a separate prize for the winner of the under 16s.

The overall winning entry will appear on the front cover of the 2024 Spring edition of Antennae and the photographer will receive £10 in cash as well as the shield proclaiming the 'Gloucestershire Butterfly Photographer of the Year'. All category winners' photos will also be published in the 2024 Spring edition.

## Competition Rules

All entrants must be a member of Gloucestershire Branch of Butterfly Conservation or the child or grandchild of a member.

All images must be the entrant's own work and they own the copyright for them.

None of the images submitted have been published elsewhere or have won a prize in any other photographic competition.

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