

# **EuroMayenne Photographic Special Interest Group (SIG)**

## **New Member's Guide – Monthly Photo Competition**

### **USING FLICKR**

The password for the FLICKR account for the EuroMayenne photographic SIG will be advised to you via email each month as part of the competition. You can login to this account and view the relevant 'album' of photos prior to marking the images appropriately. N.B. Please do not change any of the account parameters or reorganise the 'photostream' or sets.

Unfortunately FLICKR is not the simplest or most intuitive website to use, so we have provided simple instructions on how to view the competition photographs below:-

- Navigate to [www.flickr.com](http://www.flickr.com)
- Top RH corner click 'sign in'. You will be presented with a Yahoo! Sign in page.
- Overtyping Yahoo ID with 'euromayenne' (N.B. not case sensitive).
- Overtyping the password field with the password you have been supplied (N.B. this is case sensitive, so please enter it exactly as advised).
- Hover your mouse over 'YOU' then click 'ALBUMS'.
- The current competition set of images is the first one (top left). Click on it to view.
- If you click on the first picture in the stream you can view it individually.
- Scroll through the full set in full-screen mode by clicking the arrows on the left/right of the screen.
- Click the 'X' in the top right hand corner to close.
- There is a small square picture icon in the top right-hand corner of the page. Hover over this then click 'SIGN OUT' to log out of FLICKR.

If you have trouble logging into the account you may get a message saying something like "Yahoo does not recognise this device" and inviting you to apply for a verification code. If you get this message please click on the button to the left of the email address [sansbup@hotmail.com](mailto:sansbup@hotmail.com) then press enter. This will email a verification code to Peter Sansbury. If you then telephone or email Peter he will provide the code (subject to his availability!). Please note that these codes are time-limited and unique, so an old code (or one provided for somebody else) will not work.

### **USING THE MONTHLY SCORESHEET**

You will be emailed a scoresheet in both ".ODS" format (for Open Office) and ".XLSX" format (for Microsoft Office Excel). Please use either, whichever best suits your needs/software.

- Open the selected file.
- Save a copy of the spreadsheet.
- Score each photo as you see fit and save again (N.B. Please score your own pictures ZERO).
- Email your saved copy to the competition coordinator, at least a day before the monthly meeting.

Finally, please note that photographs entered for the competition should have been taken during the past year.