

**Telangana State Biodiversity Board in collaboration with Nehru Zoological Park conducting photography exhibition on Biodiversity & slogan writing on Nature & Biodiversity.**

**1. Photography contest-2019**

- The Telangana State Biodiversity Board in collaboration with the Nehru Zoological Park invites photographers for photography exhibition on "*Biodiversity (flora and fauna)*" under two categories **Amateur** (Age group 10- 25 years) and **Professional** (Age 25 years and above).
- This contest is open from 3<sup>rd</sup> May, 2019 to 10<sup>th</sup> May, 2019. The contest is open to all Indian Citizens only.
- The theme of the competition is "*Biodiversity and Nature*" (The photographs should be taken in Telangana state only, photographs of the biodiversity and Nature taken in any other than the state will not be accepted).
- They participants should bring the photo prints to the venue on 11<sup>th</sup> May 2019 by between 9.30 to 10:00 AM. The size of the photo print must be 8x12 Inches (Glossy or Mat). There is no limit on the number of entries per person.
- There is no limit on the number of entries per person by sending through mail. But the shortlisted photo will be printed by the organizers and it will be exhibited during the competition on 11<sup>th</sup> May 2019 at Nehru Zoological Park, and then the Jury members (judges) will finalize the winners.
- These exhibited photos will be in the custody of Telangana State Biodiversity Board and Nehru Zoological Park. It will not be given back to the participants.
- The geographical location where the photographs were clicked should be mentioned.
- To enter the contest, the participant must submit an entry form with the following information name, address, telephone number, email address, and photo caption; and submit along with your photograph in accordance with the instructions that follow.
- The caption must be complete and accurate, sufficient to convey the circumstances in which the photograph was taken.
- The entries in each Category will be judged separately, in accordance with the Judging Criteria. Winners' names will announce on same day on 11<sup>th</sup> May, 2019, itself, after the exhibition.
- The winners will get the certificate of appreciation of "**Nature Champion**" on same day.

**2. Competition on slogan writing on Nature & Biodiversity.**

- The slogan writing competitions will be conducted on the spot at Nehru Zoological Park. The participants should reach the venue by 9.30 AM.
- The winners will get the certificate of appreciation of "**Nature Champion**" from the senior officers of the Telangana State Biodiversity Board and Telangana State Forest Department.

- ❖ The winner's photos and slogans will be published in the different magazines with their photo.
- ❖ There is no entry fee for the participants only. Participants must submit entry form with all details.

**Prizes for photography winners:**

S.No	Winners	Category	Cash Prize (Rs.)
1.	First Place	Professional	5,000/-
		Amateur	3,000/-
2.	Second place	Professional	2,500/-
		Amateur	1500/-
3.	Third place	Professional	1250/-
		Amateur	750/-

- Each winner will be awarded a certificate and memento along with the cash prize.
- The minimum size of the photograph for professional entry is limited to 5 Mb in JPEG or JPG format and is to be sent by e-mail to [tsphotographycontest@gmail.com](mailto:tsphotographycontest@gmail.com) or can be send through DVD to the Secretary, Telangana State Biodiversity Board, 6th Floor, Chandra Vihar, Nampally, MJ Road, Beside CARE Hospital, Hyderabad'.

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