

# INFORMATION & CONDITIONS

## The Hayfield Pro Loco – Art Competition 2024

Organised by Hayfield Civic Trust

The competition is organised by Hayfield Civic Trust to promote the parish of Hayfield and is intended to encourage artists of all abilities and ages to **'capture the essence of Hayfield as seen on the day of the competition'**.

The people of Hayfield are asked to vote on the painting, which they think best captures the essence of Hayfield on the day of the competition. A panel of three independent local judges will contribute to the voting total. The votes from the public and the panel are added together to decide on 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> places in the Senior section and 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> prizes in the Junior categories.

### CATEGORIES and PRIZES

Seniors (18 years and over) 1st prize £250,

2nd prize £100,

3rd prize £75

The art work of the senior prize winner becomes the property of Hayfield Parish Council and will be displayed in Hayfield Village Hall gallery of past winners.

Junior categories are: age 4 and under; 5 - 6 years; 7 - 8 years; 9 -10 years; 11 - 12 years; 13 - 14 years; 15 - 17 years The 1st and 2nd places in each category receive prizes of art material.

### VENUE

Registration, official stamping of all adult canvases, return and display return of work and voting takes place in St Matthew's Church & Hall, Hayfield

### REGISTRATION FEES

Senior artists £5 per entry

Juniors Artists entry free

### COMPETITION PROCEDURES

**ADULTS** - Registration and official stamping of all adult canvasses or papers takes place between 8.30 and 11.00 am. Each competitor must present for official stamping the canvas or paper on which the artwork will be completed.

All adult artwork should be completed in the parish during the day of the competition and capture the essence of Hayfield as seen on the day.

Finished artwork must be returned between 2.30 and 3.45pm to be prepared for display.

Artists may wish to frame their work but this is not obligatory .

A photographer will be recording the event so participants need to inform the organisers if they do not wish to be photographed as they work.

**CHILDREN** - Children may prepare their entry during the week before the competition provided it reflects conditions in Hayfield during that week. On the day of the competition, completed work may be returned to the church hall during the registration session 8.30 to 11.00 or in the afternoon 2.30 to 3.45. Children who have not already prepared their artwork may register with the adults between 8.30 and 11.00 and return the work during the afternoon reception session 2.30 to 3.45.

The church and church hall will be closed from 11a.m to 2.30p.m.

**Artwork must not be signed. Only one entry per artist allowed.**

Artwork may be in the following media: acrylics, oils, watercolour, pastels or mixed media and collage. Digital images are not permitted.

### **VOTING**

Viewing and voting by members of the public and a panel of independent judges appointed by Hayfield Civic Trust takes place between 4.00pm to 5.00pm

Canvassing for votes is not allowed. Identifying the artist may result in disqualification of the painting. This is a local event aimed at bringing visitors and residents together in an enjoyable day out. We trust voters and competitors alike to respect the spirit of the competition. The organiser's decisions are final.

### **PRIZE GIVING**

Prize giving will commence in St Matthew's Church at approximately 5.30pm  
Paintings may not be sold until after the prize giving. This must be done by private negotiation.

### **ENTRANTS' COPY AND DATA PROTECTION RIGHTS**

- During the day, the organisers may photograph competitors young and old working around the parish.
- The organisers endeavour to photograph all of the entries as they are returned for display
- All copyright remains vested in the artists, unless explicitly assigned in writing.
- In the course of administering the competition the organisers collect names, addresses, telephone numbers and e-mail addresses.

The Hayfield Civic Trust hereby request competitors, by signature of the document headed CONDITIONS OF ENTRY HAYFIELD PRO LOCO to signify acceptance of the competition rules described above and to grant the organisers permission to use the material so collected for the future promotion of the competition.

**DIRECTIONS TO HAYFIELD:** St Matthew's Church, Hayfield postcode is SK22 2JE. Hayfield is situated on the A624, 5 miles North of CHAPEL-EN-LE FRITH and 5 miles South of Glossop. The Sett Valley car park is situated to the West of the A624 only 50 metres from the church.