



TREES, FLOWERS, LIGHT

DRAWINGS, PHOTOS, STORIES

**THE 2019 INTERNATIONAL COMPETITION OF
THE GREEN BRIDGE ASSOCIATION AND
KISKUNHALAS MUNICIPAL COUNCIL**

for the residents of Kiskunhalas and its twin towns

**to mark the 40th Kiskunhalas Harvest Festival and the 20th anniversary of
the twinning between Kiskunhalas and Kronach.**

Aims of the Competition

- To stress the importance of the environment, to strengthen the bonds between the twin towns, and to develop foreign-language skills.

Topic and Categories

1. Topic:

- trees, flowers, light (only one of them or in combination)

2. Categories:

▪ **Drawings:**

- media: any materials may be used, but the surface must be paper
- size: A4 only (landscape or portrait orientation)
- submission: a scan of the drawing must be mailed in an attachment to zold.kiskunhalas.rajz2019@gmail.com
- details to include in your email: name, age, institution, town, country, teacher

▪ **Stories:**

- language: stories must be written in the entrant's mother tongue and be submitted together with an English-language translation
- style: stories should be written with the style and length of the fables of Phaedrus (for examples, see <http://www.longlongtimeago.com/once-upon-a-time/fables/the-fables-of-phaedrus/>)
- topic: stories must be written about trees, flowers and/or light, e.g. “The Mole and the Light”, “The Lion and the Oak Tree”, “The Squirrel and the Snowdrop”...
- format: 2.5 cm margins, 12 point Times New Roman font, 1.5 spacing, converted to PDF
- submission: a single PDF document containing both the original story and its English translation must be mailed in an attachment to zold.kiskunhalas.mese2019@gmail.com
- details to include in your email: name, age, institution, town, country, teacher

▪ **Photos:**

- format, resolution: no watermarks, JPEG, best image quality, minimum 1500 pixels on shortest side
- submission: the image must be mailed in an attachment to zold.kiskunhalas.foto2019@gmail.com

- details to include in your email: name, age, institution, town, country, teacher

Age groups

1. Children

- ages: 5–7 years
- category: drawing
- entries: each entrant may send one drawing only

2. Students

- section 1: 8–13 years
- categories: drawing, story
- section 2: 14–18 years
- categories: drawing, story, photo
- entries: entrants may submit works in more than one category (according to their age), but in each category only one work is allowed

3. Adults

- age: 19 years upwards
- categories: drawing, story, photo
- entries: entrants may submit works for more than one category, but in each category only one work is allowed

Schedule

1. Competition announcement:

- May 10, 2019 – the Day of Birds and Trees in Hungary

2. Deadline for entries:

- June 21, 2019 – the Summer Solstice

3. Awards ceremony and exhibition:

- September 7, 2019 at the 40th Kiskunhalas Harvest Festival

Prizes

1. Drawings

- four age groups: kindergarten (5–7 years), primary school (8–13 years), secondary school (14–18 years), adults (19 years upwards)
- prizes: 1st to 3rd place and special mention(s) from the Kiskunhalas Municipal Council and the Green Bridge Association; audience award

2. Stories

- two age groups: students (13–18 years), adults (19 years upwards)
- prizes: 1st to 3rd place and special mention(s) from the Kiskunhalas Municipal Council and the Green Bridge Association; audience award

3. Photos

- two age groups: students (13–18 years), adults (19 years upwards)
- prizes: 1st to 3rd place and special mention(s) from the Kiskunhalas Municipal Council and the Green Bridge Association; audience award

Additional information

1. Exhibition and publication

- Entrants awarded first, second, and third places (and special mentions) will receive a prize and a certificate.
- Prize winning drawings, photos, and stories will have the chance to feature in the Competition Exhibition during the 2019 Kiskunhalas Harvest Festival.
- Students from the Áron Szilády Calvinist Grammar School will perform at the exhibition opening ceremony.
- The winning drawings and photos will appear on a 2020 wall calendar.

- Entries in all three categories will be posted on the websites of the Kiskunhalas Municipal Council and the Green Bridge Association.

2. Copyright and personality rights

- Entrants acknowledge (those under the age of 18 must be informed by their teachers) that the organizers of the competition have the right to make their entries public in the manner specified in the competition announcement and that no royalties will be paid.
- Entrants (in the case of those under the age of 18, their teachers) acknowledge that the responsibility for any violations of personality rights and copyright committed during the preparation of their entries or the exhibition and publication of their works will be borne by the entrants (in the case of those under the age of 18, their teachers).

3. Supplementary information regarding the photography category of the competition

- Pictures must not be ethically objectionable (only photographs taken without harming the natural world may be submitted); they must not be produced using methods that present a false image of reality; they must not violate public morality or rights connected to human dignity.
- During image processing, the following digital adjustments are permitted: levels, curves, colour balance, hue/saturation and brightness/contrast, shadow/highlight.
- The removal or addition of elements to the photo is not permitted, however the following technical problems occurring during the taking of the original image may be removed: scratches, chemical stains, dust on the light sensor.

- The cropping of images, the trimming of disturbing elements, and the changing of the orientation of the image are all permitted.
- The conversion of colour images to black and white, and in the case of analogue photographs the removal of scanning/digitizing errors (scratches, dust) is permitted.
- If the jury has reason to believe that an entry breaks any of the above rules, the photograph in question will be eliminated from the competition.

4. Jury

- Entries to each category will be judged by a separate jury of experts.

5. Contacts

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