



## Photography Competition - «FEELINGS» Youth Makerspace Larnaka - Youth Board of Cyprus

## THEMATIC FRAMEWORK

The Photography Competition aims to highlight the participation of young amateurs photographers from Cyprus and seeks to provide them with the opportunity to express and capture through the camera lens the power of emotions – from joy and happiness to melancholy and contemplation, thus showcasing the uniqueness of the human experience, challenges, and moments of hope. The competition is held in memory of Thrasivoulos Thrasivoulou, Executive Secretary of the Youth Board of Cyprus, and is part of the Youth Board's of Cyprus Mental Health campaign for 2025.

The competition will last until May 4, 2025, 23:59.

## **COMPETITION TERMS**

- The participant must be the intellectual creator of the work they submit.
- The competition is open to young people aged 12-35, residing in Cyprus.
- Professional photographers are not eligible to participate.
- Participants may submit both color and black-and-white photographs.
- Participants may submit both underwater and aerial (drone) photographs.
- Each participant can submit up to three (3) photographs, with only one (1) photograph eligible for an award.
- The photographs must be sent as attachments in high resolution and clarity, with dimensions of A2 size 42X60 cm, to the email address photocontest@onek.org.cy.
- Along with the photograph, the participants must include their name, phone number (Cypriot number), date of birth, and the title of the photograph in the email body. The subject of the email should be "Photography Competition – EMOTIONS". Submissions missing these details will be invalid.
- Photographs should not have been edited using any editing software like Adobe Cloud, Canvas, etc.
- In the case of a portrait or close-up, the photographer must have written consent from the person depicted in the photograph, in accordance with the personal data law. This written consent should be sent along with the photograph.
- Participants should be aware that by submitting their entries to the competition, they consent to the potential use of their photographs by the Youth Board of



Cyprus and/or the Youth Makerspace Larnaka program for exhibitions, websites, catalogs, or posters.

- Photographs that have been awarded or displayed in previous national or other competitions will not be accepted in this competition.
- The photographs will be judged by a three-member committee appointed by the Youth Board of Cyprus.
- The results of the competition will be posted on the Youth Makerspace Larnaka website <a href="https://makerspace.onek.org.cy/">https://makerspace.onek.org.cy/</a> and the Youth Board of Cyprus website <a href="https://onek.org.cy/">https://onek.org.cy/</a>.
- After the competition, there will be a photography exhibition at the Makers Fair 2025, where the selected photographs will be presented. The exhibition's date will be announced at a later stage.

## **AWARDS**

- 1st = €400
- 2<sup>nd</sup> = €300
- 3<sup>rd</sup> = €200
- Special award of family Thrasivoulou = €200
- 3 x credits = €100 έκαστος