

DAVID SHEPHERD WILDLIFE FOUNDATION  
**WILDLIFE ARTIST** OF THE **YEAR 2025**

## POSTAL ENTRY FORM

If you are entering by post, please complete all information on this form and send it with your entry fee and image of your artwork to the following address:

**DSWF (Wildlife Artist of the Year)**  
**Saba House, 7 Kings Road**  
**Shalford**  
**Guildford**  
**UK**  
**GU4 8JU**

### GENERAL

**Before entering please read the Wildlife Artist of the Year 2025 [Terms and Conditions](#) and [FAQs](#) which are available on our website.** These explain the rules of the competition, the entry categories and the commitments required from artists entering the competition and from those who are shortlisted.

There is no limit on the number of entries. For multiple entries please complete a separate entry form for each submission.

### ARTWORK SUBMISSION

**Please do not send your original artwork with your entry.**

Your artwork may be sent to us as a jpeg digital image on a CD (pc format only), or as a colour photograph, or emailed to [way@davidshepherd.org](mailto:way@davidshepherd.org).

Jpeg digital image files must be clearly labelled as artist name/artwork title (with no unusual characters) – we accept no responsibility for confusion over jpeg digital files not labelled correctly.

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Photographs will be scanned on receipt which could affect the quality of the reproduction.

Your artwork can only be judged on the quality of the image provided.

- Use still images only, not video.
- Crop the image to just show the artwork (no frame or mount).
- Ensure the file is a minimum of 2200 pixels and no larger than 6MB.
- For 3D artworks and sculptures, please include up to a maximum of 3 extra images per entry to show the different angles of your piece for the judges.

### **PAYMENT OF ENTRY FEES**

The cost (per entry) to enter all categories (apart from the Youth Exclusive category for young people) is £25 each for the first two entries and £15 per entry for any subsequent entries.

For artists entering the Youth Exclusive category (all artists aged 15 – 19 at closing date of 27 March 2025) the cost per entry is £15.

Payment can be made by cheque, bank transfer to DSWF (details below) or card payment over the phone.

**Cheque** - please make cheques payable to David Shepherd Wildlife Foundation and enclose with your entry form.

**Bank transfer** – payment can be made by transfer to the following bank account:

David Shepherd Wildlife Foundation  
Royal Bank of Scotland

**Account number** 11999399  
**Sort code** 16 00 11  
**IBAN code** GB20RBOS16001111999399  
**BIC code** RBOSGB2L

**Please reference your payment 'WAY 25 – Artist name'**

**Card payment** – please phone DSWF on (44) (0) 1483 272323 to pay by card over the phone.

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## COMPLETION OF ENTRY FORM

Wildlife Artist of the Year 2025 is open to all artists aged 15 years or over on the closing date of the competition (27 March 2025). Artists aged between 15 – 19 years old at the closing date will be entered into the Youth Exclusive category.

ARTIST DETAILS	
Artist First Name:	
Artist Last Name:	
Artist Contact Email:	
Artist Contact Phone:	
Artist Contact Address Line 1:	
Artist Contact Address Line 2:	
Artist Contact Address Town/City:	
Artist Contact Address County/State:	
Artist Contact Address Postcode / Zip:	
Artist Contact Address Country:	
How did you hear about Wildlife Artist of the Year? (delete as applicable)	Word of mouth Social media DSWF newsletter DSWF Wildlife Matters magazine DSWF website BBC Wildlife Artist & Illustrator magazine

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	The Artist magazine Leisure Painter magazine I am a previous entrant Other – please specify
Are you a first time entrant and so eligible for the Newcomer Award? (delete as applicable)	YES / NO
For those entering the Youth Exclusive category (all artists aged between 15 and 19 years old at 27 March 2025) please confirm your date of birth	(day/month/year)

<b>ARTWORK DETAILS</b>	
Title of Artwork:	
Entry Category: <i>(tick one from below)</i>	
➤ Abstract World	
➤ Animal Behaviour	
➤ Earth's Wild Beauty	
➤ Environmental Artivism	
➤ Facing Extinction	
➤ Into the Blue	
➤ Wings	
➤ Youth Exclusive (all entrants aged 15 -19 years)	
Artwork Medium: <i>(tick one from below)</i>	
➤ Painting	
➤ Drawing	
➤ Mixed media	
➤ Original print (see Terms and Conditions for definition)	
➤ Sculpture/3D	
➤ Other (please give details)	
Brief description of artwork subject: (maximum 50 words)	

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Please describe your artwork to help the judges. What was your inspiration? What is the message?	
Dimensions (unframed):	
➤ Width (cm):	
➤ Height (cm):	
➤ Depth – for sculptures/3D (cm):	
➤ Weight – for sculptures/3D (kg):	
Estimated sales value of artwork	£
How many artworks are you entering into Wildlife Artist of the Year 2025?	
What number artwork is this, of your entries into Wildlife Artist of the Year 2025:	
I agree to the Terms and Conditions of entry as available on the website <a href="http://www.davidshepherd.org">www.davidshepherd.org</a> If you would like us to send you a copy of the Terms and Conditions please email us at way@davidshepherd.org	YES / NO

<b>ENTRY PAYMENT</b>	
Total payment made for entry/ies:	£
Payment method (specify as applicable):	Cheque (enclosed) Bank transfer: date transfer made _____ Card payment over phone: date payment made _____
Is someone other than the artist making payment? If so please provide name, address and email for payer.	

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**Please note that your entry/ies will not be processed until full payment is received.**

### **STAY IN TOUCH!**

We would love to keep you up to date with how your support is making a difference, as well as news and events. Please let us know how you would like to hear from us below;

Please tick the boxes to indicate your preferences below:

- Yes, I would like to hear from you by email
- Yes, I would like to hear from you by text message
- No, I do not want to hear from you by postal mail
- No, I do not want to hear from you by phone

We promise to keep your details safe and never sell or swap them with anyone, and you can opt out at any time. If you would like to change how we contact you, email us at [dswf@davidsshepherd.org](mailto:dswf@davidsshepherd.org) or calling us on 01483 272323. For details of how we use your data, see the Privacy Policy on our website. If you cannot access the website and would like a copy of this policy please contact us.

### **SIGNATURE**

Signed: ..... Date: .....

### **CHECKLIST FOR ENTRY SUBMISSION**

- One entry form per artwork submitted
- Artwork by jpeg digital file on a pc compatible cd or photograph– clearly labelled as artist name/artwork title
- Cheque payment enclosed or payment made by other payment method and specified
- Terms and Conditions of entry read and agreed

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