

PHOTOGRAPHY GUIDE – COMPETITION WINNERS

We are asking for a photo of the winning team(s) of a competition to be provided. The following are some useful points to bear in mind when taking the winners' photo.

- Find a well-lit space to take the photo.
- Make sure that a source of light (e.g. a window or a lamp) is never behind the team facing you. The source of light should be facing the team.
- Find a background that's not too distracting. Ideally, you want to either find a neutral blank wall, take the photo on the ice, or find a backdrop branded with the hosting rink. You do not want it to be busy.
- Make sure to take the photo in a landscape format. Do not use a portrait format.
- Always face the team straight on – do not stand at an angled position to them. Make sure everyone is looking at your camera (this can be an issue if multiple people are taking photos at the same time)
- Make sure your camera is focused and the photo isn't blurry.
- You may choose if you wish to take a full-body photo or just an upper-body one, and if you want the subjects to be standing or sitting, depending on what works best. Either way, make sure no one's head is cut off.
- Double check the photo to ensure no one has their eyes closed.

Please see some example photos below.

Please email the photo(s) to competitions@scottishcurling.org as well as marketing@scottishcurling.org as soon as possible, at the latest on the morning after the competition final. These will accompany the competition report that will be produced by Scottish Curling.

