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December 2024 Edition of FIAP News

Completion and publication of the December edition of FIAP News has been delayed and will miss the December FIAP Mail. It is hoped that this edition will be finalised soon whereby it will be published on the FIAP website as normal and publicised via FIAP's social media channels.

FIAP News Magazine in 2025

The normal quarterly timetable for FIAP News will resume in 2025 with four editions per year, in February, May, August and November. The details for submitting articles are routinely located at the rear of the magazine in every edition and can also be found in the documents located on the FIAP News Service page. The publishing schedule, together with the relevant closing dates are shown on that page. This has been updated to show the 2025 schedule.

The first edition for 2025 is in February and the closing date for this edition is listed as the last day of December. As the information about the closing dates is going out late, the closing date for submitting items for the February 2025 edition has been extended by a week to the 7th January. With the modified timetable in 2024, the February edition is now very close. It would be great to receive articles from our FIAP Exhibition Centres and Operational Members about their activities in 2024 for this first edition in 2025.

There will be some changes to the sections we have in the magazine in 2025. The section for Articles won't be resuming. The commercial magazines cover this type of content well. Instead, we have the introduction of our Youth Photographers Gallery Section which commences in the December 2024 edition. This celebrates the photography of our younger photographers. With the growing number of FIAP Exhibition Centres, it is also anticipated that this section of the magazine will grow, sharing some of the photos shown in the exhibitions held in these galleries. It is hoped that every FIAP Exhibition Centre will send an article about their activities at least once a year. It is also anticipated that the FIAP Events section will likely increase in size as new initiatives such as FIAP Photo Days and other events increase in number.

The Affiliates Section is predominantly for FIAP's Operational Members to write the story of their special activities each year and share photos taken by their members at these events. It is inspiring to share ideas and see the activities conducted in other countries. It would be great to have an article from each of our Operational Members for this section every one to two years. Whilst articles from ILFIAP's and organisers of events held under FIAP Auspices will also be considered for this section, these will only be published at the discretion of FIAP News, where deemed of special significance and interest for our FIAP Community. No more than one article per year will be published from one organiser or ILFIAP in this section (FIAP Exhibitions Centres are not limited by this and have their own section in FIAP news).

The Recommendations section will resume as a place for FIAP Photographers to recommend places and events for photography, sharing their personal insights as a photographer into the best location and best times for photographers to be in these places. Any photographer can send articles for this section as per the information in the "Submitting Articles" page at the rear of the magazine.

I would ask contributors to the magazine to submit their articles as early as possible to avoid the last minute rush near the closing dates. As always, the FIAP News team will work with authors to ensure the article is presented in excellent English. Many articles start as texts translated using internet translators which are a great tool and a good base from which the FIAP News team are able to make amendments to present the articles well. So, publishing articles from people who speak a language other than English is not a problem, just part of the FIAP News team's routine processing of articles. Don't let a language difference prevent you from being involved in FIAP's magazine!

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