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YRE International Competition – Photo Examples

Below are examples for each of the 3 photo categories according to the new criteria. Please note that the submissions have been slightly edited to serve as examples.

Single Reportage Photo



[TITLE, MAX. 140 CHARACTERS]

The "Red Lake" Near Dobro Selo In B&H

[DESCRIPTION, MAX. 100 WORDS]

This is "Red Lake", a problem of Herzegovina and the entire region that is desperate for rehabilitation. A reminder of a failed factory and its forgotten landfill. Red sludge is toxic due to high alkalinity and heavy metal content. There are scientific papers on the topic of sludge and waste lye remediation. **It can be used to produce a gelatinous coagulant which is a means of purifying industrial wastewater.** There are other ways to successfully rehabilitate the sludge, but question remains whether the regional authorities want to deal with it and try to obtain funds, which are obviously a problem.

[CAPTION, MAX. 20 WORDS]

A threatening ecological bomb to the Neretva Valley and the Adriatic.

[TITLE, MAX. 140 CHARACTERS]

DEADLY DEMAND

[DESCRIPTION, MAX. 100 WORDS]

Each of these horns belongs to a critically endangered saiga antelope. Such large stockpiles are a common sight in Singapore's Chinatown area where they are sold for around 130SGD. Singapore is one of the world's largest markets for the horn and around 19% of Chinese Singaporeans actively use antelope horn products. Called 'lin yang', it is more often sold in the form of a cooling drink to cure fevers and sore throats. Funnily enough, the horns are made of keratin, the same material that make up your fingernails and have no medicinal properties. Awareness needs to be raised to promote available alternatives to this product and save the saiga antelope from extinction.



Single Environmental Campaign Photo

[TITLE, MAX. 140 CHARACTERS]

It's Time To Solve This Puzzle!



[DESCRIPTION (OPTIONAL), MAX. 100 WORDS]

Challenges arise over time to rethink and reflect on society and the planet. The situation we are going through is one of those moments that we should take advantage of to put the missing pieces together. We must put the broken pieces together and rebuild a more sustainable planet, preserving the environment and solving part of the problems of which we are guilty.

[TITLE, MAX. 140 CHARACTERS]

CONGRATULATIONS HUMANITY!

[DESCRIPTION (OPTIONAL), MAX. 100 WORDS]

Having cake is a simple pleasure, but it's not really good for us. Here is my cake that is dedicated to humanity.



Photo Story (3-5 Photos)

[TITLE, MAX. 140 CHARACTERS]

Kilometers Eaten

[DESCRIPTION, MAX. 100 WORDS]

There are increasingly more products imported from abroad on supermarket shelves, travelling thousands of miles. In contrast, an elderly couple from Spišská Nová Ves demonstrates how an entire lunch can be prepared locally, and directly from the garden. During the corona crisis we are once again discovering the magic of self-sufficiency.



[CAPTION, MAX. 20 WORDS]

In their backyard, they breed laying hens, thanks to which they do not have to buy eggs from the store.



[CAPTION, MAX. 20 WORDS]

In the greenhouse they grow tomatoes, cucumbers, lettuce and pumpkins, which make up part of their daily meals.



[CAPTION, MAX. 20 WORDS]

Their garden also includes one of the healthiest and most versatile types of garden vegetables, garlic.



[CAPTION, MAX. 20 WORDS]

They buy raw materials that they cannot grow on their own from local dealers. For example, flour is procured from the Spišská Nová Ves mill.



[CAPTION, MAX. 20 WORDS]

To create such delicacies, they only had to look into the freezer and the pantry, and walk around the garden.