

Art Appreciation Visit to The Collection, 16<sup>th</sup> August 2021

Six of us gathered at The Collection to see the Wildlife Photographer of the Year exhibition, held there over the summer. This consisted of one hundred prints, chosen from 49,162 entries from all over the world, covering not only wildlife in its habitat, but also a section on the abuse of animals and the wider environment.

We spent an enjoyable hour studying all the stunning photographs, including some in a 'ten years and under' category. The winner was Sergey Gorshkov of Russia with 'The Embrace' showing a tiger marking his territory on a jungle tree; the Young Photographer winner was Liina Heibleinen of Finland with the self explanatory 'The Fox that got the Goose'.

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