TAMIL WIKI MEDIA CONTEST

knowledge beyond text

November 15, 2011 - February 29, 2012

Files that will be eligible for prizes

- Photos of places where Tamils live, Photos of Tamils and people related to Tamil studies
- Photos of Tamil heritage symbols, Tamil institutions, Species (plants and animals) in Tamil livingspaces
- Photos of Tamil heritage places, temples, places of worship, buildings etc
- Educational resources in Tamil; Files that can be used for teaching in Tamil - Maps, graphs, illustrations, diagrams, charts, audio and video files that contain explanation in Tamil
- Pronunciation files for Tamil words and phrases. Audio recordings of Tamil literary works
- Audio and Video recordings of Tamil cultural practices, arts, dances, sports

OBJECTIVES

To increase the quality media content related to Tamil and Tamilians in Wikimedia projects, to attract non-text contributors like photographers, graphic artists, animators, map makers and videographers to Tamil wiki projects & to create a model precedent for cooperation with WMF in organising projects.

File Formats that can be uploaded

Images	-- .jpg, .png, .svg, .xcf, .TIFF
Video	-- .ogg theora (.ogv)
Animation	-- .gif
Audio	-- ogg vorbis (.ogg), .midi

Prizes

FIRST PRIZE
200 US$

- First Prize: 200 US$
- Second Prize: 100 US$
- Third Prize: 50 US$
- Consolation Prize: 25 X 2 = 50 US$
- Continuous contribution prizes : 100 X 3 = 300 US$
- Special Prize: 150 US$ For an image/video/audio/map/graph related to Crafts and technologies of Tamils

➤ Prize winners will also be awarded certificates. Prize winning entries will be displayed in main pages of Tamil Wiki projects

➤ A contestant can win only one of the general category

➤ (First-Second-Third-Consolation) prizes. A winner among these four can also win in the continuous contribution and special prize categories. But a single entry can win only one prize. A prize winning entry in the general categories will not be considered for prizes in the continuous contribution and special prize categories.

Further details: **http://ta.wikipedia.org/wiki/contest**