



Department S - Photography
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CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

- A. Entries are limited to residents living or owning land in Lane County, Oregon. Management reserves the right to reject any exhibit offered, to limit entries according to space available and to eliminate classes if insufficient entries are received.
- B. Pre-registration is required and **will be accepted ONLINE through our Fair website** at www.atthefair.com or by mail. Entry deadline is July 31st, at midnight. Changes to any entry can be made on the day entries are actually accepted. Opportunities for assistance in entering entries will be made available at the Fairgrounds on July 30th, between 8:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. in the Auditorium.
- C. **Number of entries: Each person may enter up to 3 photographs.** All 3 may be in a single category, or each photo may be in a separate category, or any combination thereof within the limit of 3 total images per person.
- D. Bring your photographs to the southwest end of the Events Center at the Fairgrounds on **Saturday, August 14th, 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.**
- E. If you are unable to bring your entry on entry day, please make arrangements to have someone bring it for you. **We will NOT accept entries except on entry day.**
- F. Lane County Fair employees and/or their representatives are not responsible for lost, stolen or damaged items.
- G. Premiums will be paid out on Saturday, August 21st, between 11:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. If premiums are not picked up they will be mailed out by check no later than September 30th.
- H. All entries need to be picked up on Monday, August 23rd, between Noon and 6:00 p.m. Any entries left after 6:00 p.m. will become the Superintendent's responsibility for disposition. The superintendent will hold all unclaimed entries for thirty (30) days. Without immediate contact or prior arrangements unclaimed entries will be discarded.
- I. SECTIONS: Junior (12 years and younger) – **#440**, Intermediate (13 – 17) – **#441**, Adult (18 and up) – **#442**, Professional – **#443**.
- J. DISPLAY REQUIREMENTS: Minimum size: 5" x 7" mounted on 8" x 10" matte board. Maximum size: 16" x 20" mounted on 16" x 20" matte board. Use "double sticky foam tape" to attach window matte to the back matte. Mattes are recommended for protection and presentation. **NO FRAMES, NO GLASS.**
- K. Photographs (film or digital) must be taken by the exhibitor. Processing/printing may have been done by others.
- L. Color, black and white and sepia photographs will be judged together.
- M. **IMPORTANT: The photographer's name, phone number and address** is required on the **back** of each photo. Entries in the Lane County classes also require the location of where the shot was taken. All entries with signatures, advertising or printing (words of any kind) on the front will be disqualified by the Superintendent.
- N. **Previously entered pieces will not be accepted..**
- O. No nudes or near nudes please. No lettering of any kind on front of photo or mat (name, title etc.)
- P. Photography Superintendent may reclassify items. Call Justin C. Williams at 343-3195 if you have any questions.
- Q. **JUDGING:** The three judges are accomplished photographers with jurying and/or curatorial experience. The Superintendent selects one judge with expertise in each field of education, fine art, and commercial photography. The general judging criteria considers: 1) Composition/Appeal/Impact, 2) Technical Quality and 3) Presentation.
- R. All prints must be on display throughout the entire Fair. If you need to pick up a print before the Monday pickup time, then please make a prior arrangement to pick it up at 8 pm on Sunday at the Fair's closing.

PREMIUMS

| | <u>1st</u> | <u>2nd</u> | <u>3rd</u> |
|--------------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Sections 440 - 442 | \$5 | \$4 | \$3 |

SPECIAL AWARDS

These vary from \$200 cash to gift certificates and are made *in addition to* awards given by the Lane County Fair. Determination is made by the Donor or by the Superintendent.

PHOTOGRAPHY TIPS

- Take into consideration composition, technical mastery, and presentation.
- Impact inevitably plays a large role in high scoring prints. For example, dynamic composition, striking subject matter, and effective use of color and contrast are factors in overall impact.
- Prints should be properly color balanced and free of dust spots, scratches, or other surface blemishes.
- Prints show best if they are permanently attached to the mount board by means of mounting tape.
- Mats are appropriate, but not mandatory. If used, neutral colors work best. The mat should not distract from the photograph
- Flush mounting of prints is also an attractive method of presentation



SECTIONS:

- 440 Black & White, Color Prints
Juniors (12 years of age and younger)
- 441 Black & White, Color Prints
Intermediate (13-17 years of age)
- 442 Black & White, Color Prints
Adult (18 years of age and older)
- 443 Professional (professional photographers)
Ribbons Only, No Cash Awards

CLASS:

1. Landscapes/water-scapes located inside Lane County
2. Landscapes/water-scapes not in Lane County
3. Sunrise/sunset taken in Lane County
4. Sunrise/sunset not in Lane County
5. "Life in Lane County" people or activities
6. Flowers/Plants
7. Wildlife
8. Pets
9. Portraits (posed photo of individual or group)
10. People (non-posed images)
11. Industrial/Manufacturing/Construction/Agricultural
12. Architectural
13. Abstract/Altered Images
14. Humor
15. Photo Journalism (Photo tells a story)
16. Travel (out of state and/or country)
17. Close Up
18. Miscellaneous (photos that don't fit above categories)

2010 Fair Board Youth Photography Contest (Youth up to age 17)

- Take photos of the Fair, from Wednesday August 18th through Thursday the 19th.
- Turn in up to five of your best photos of the Fair by Friday, August 20th for potential use in next year's Fair advertising or publications.
- Photos will be displayed in the Photography Department Friday through Sunday during Fair.
- Winners will receive free admission passes Saturday and Sunday, plus a season pass for 2011.
- Photos can be of people, animals, carnival or anything that reflects fun at the Fair!
- Please put your name, age, address and phone number on the back of each photo.
- Deadline for receiving prints at the Fair Main Office at 796 W. 13th Avenue and Monroe Street, is 5:00 p.m., Friday, August 20th. Please call the Superintendent, Justin C. Williams, @ 343-3195 if you have any questions.



SPECIAL THANKS TO THE FOLLOWING DONORS:

Bruce Berg Photography

Junior Section: Best Portrait or People Photograph
Sitting and 5x7 Portrait - \$95 value
(Donor to award)
www.bruceberg.com

Bruce Bittle, Assistant Superintendent

“Captured the Moment”
\$100 cash award (Donor to Award)

The Burgess Award

\$50 cash award. (Donna Burgess to award)

Coyote Steel & Co.

Best Industrial/Manufacturing/Construction/Agricultural
1st Place \$200 Cash
2nd Place \$100 Cash
(Donor to award)
www.coyotesteel.com

The Creswell Family Dental Clinic

Dr Page: “Unique Smile” Award
\$100 Cash Award
(Donor to Award)
www.creswelldental.com

Darkroom Specialties, LCC

1— \$50 Gift Certificate
2— \$25 Gift Certificate
For E-6 slide processing or digital services
www.darkroomspecialtiesllc.com

Denis Hijman Award

State Farm Insurance
\$100 Cash Award
(Donor to Award)
www.denishijmaninsurance.com

Dot Dotson's Camera (Donor to Award)

Dotson's Best of Show \$100 Gift Certificate
Junior Section: Pets \$25 Gift Certificate
Intermediate: Portrait \$25 Gift Certificate
Adult: Sunrise \$25 Gift Certificate
Adult: Sunset \$25 Gift Certificate
www.dotdotsons.com

E & D Graphics

Computer/Altered/Abstract images
(3) Gift Certificates (\$50 each)
www.edsgraphics.com

Emerald Photographic Society

(2) Awards Gift One Year Membership
1st Place = \$30 Value
1nd Place = \$30 Value
www.emeraldphotographic.com

Eugene Cascades & Coast-Travel Lane County

3 Best Lane County Photographs
\$100 Cash Award each
(Donor to award)
www.travellanecounty.org

Eugene MAC Store

Best Abstract/Altered Photograph
iPod Shuffle (\$80 retail value) (Donor to Award)
www.eugenemacstore.com

Eugene Urgent Care

Adult: Best People (Non-Posed) \$100 cash award
Best “Life in Lane County” people or activities
\$100 cash award
(Donor to award)
www.eugeneurgentcare.net

Eugene Weekly

Best Photojournalism \$100 cash award
(Donor to award)
Best Adult Photojournalism \$50 cash award
Best Amateur Photojournalism \$50 cash award
www.eugeneweekly.com

Evergreen Film Service, Inc

Banner Award (displayed in Fair)
People's Choice Award \$100 Gift Certificate
www.evergreenfilm.com

Frame Tek

Best Portrait (Professional) \$50 Cash
www.frametek.com

The Marques Miller Award

Best Orchid Photograph (non-professional)
\$25.00 cash award
(Donor to award)

Michael Kish Photography

Adult Section: Best Sunrise or Sunset in Lane County
Oregon Coast Photography Workshop
(Donor to Award)
www.michaekish.com

The Kjaer Award

In appreciation of contributions by George Kjaer, Robert Nyquist, and Robert Routh
\$100 Cash Award
(Donor to award)

Lane County Board of Commissioners

(2) Best Lane County Photographs (Adult)
\$125 Cash Award Each
[Commissioner(s) to Award]
www.lanecounty.org



SPECIAL THANKS TO THE FOLLOWING DONORS(continued):

Lane County Fair Board

Best Photo of Fair —\$150 Cash Award
(Fair Staff to Award)
www.atthefair.com

The Northwest Exposures Photography Award

Intermediate Section: Best Unposed People
\$25 cash Award
(Donor to award)
www.northwestexposures.com

O'Brien Photo Imaging

Adult Section: \$50 Gift Certificate
(Donor to Award)
www.waltobrien.com

Oregon Gallery

Best Landscape \$25 Gift Certificate
(Donor to award)
www.oregongallery.com

Oregon Neurology Associates

Best Flower and Plants Photograph
\$100 Cash Award
(Donor to Award)
www.oregonneurology.com

Pacific Photo Lab

Junior Section \$50 Gift Certificate
www.pacificphotolab.com

Photo Magic

Adult Section \$50 Gift Certificate
www.photo-archives.com

Raven Frameworks

Junior Section: \$40 Gift Certificate
Intermediate Section: \$40 Gift Certificate
Adult Section: \$40 Gift Certificate
(Donor to Award)
www.ravenframeworks.com

Robert H. Stephenson, DDS

The "Best Smile" Photograph (non-professional)
\$100 Cash Award
(Donor to Award)
www.stephensondds.com

Sterling Editions

\$100 Gift Certificate (up to 18 x 24 print)
(Donor to award)
www.sterling-editions.com

Vistra Framing & Gallery

Junior Section: \$30 Gift Certificate
Intermediate Section: \$30 Gift Certificate
Adult Section: \$30 Gift Certificate
(Donor to Award)
www.webpictureframes.com

West Eugene Animal Hospital

Junior Section: Best Animal Photography
\$50 Cash Award
Intermediate Section: Best Animal Photography
\$50 Cash Award
(Donor to award)
www.westeugeneanimalhospital.com