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Entry Fees: \$1 per entry / NO ONSITE ENTRY
Online Deadline: March 31, 2017 at 11:59pm
Office Deadline: March 31, 2017 at 5:00pm
Receiving: Friday, April 7, 2017 10:00am to 3:00pm, Saturday April 8, 2016 8:00am to 4:00pm
Use McDowell & 17th Avenue entrance.
Location: Commercial Exhibits Building (yellow building)
Release: Monday, April 17, 2017, 8:00am - 3:00pm
Credential Policy: Refer to 2017 Credentials Policy for Fair Pass information.

ENTRY INTO THIS DEPARTMENT USE: FORM – MP

Rules: Exhibitors entering this department must abide by the following:
General Rules and Regulations, Department Rules.
Please read and understand all rules before entering this department

Department Rules

ENTRIES: All entry forms must be received in the Fair Office no later than March 31, 2017. Mail entries with check (payable to Maricopa County Fair) or enter online at www.maricopacountyfair.org

Maricopa County Fair
1826 W. McDowell Rd
Phoenix, AZ 85007

JUDGING: All works will be juried by competent, noncompeting artists, or qualified experts selected by the Maricopa County Fair Photography Department. Artists whose works are not accepted will be notified by phone and may arrange art pick up at that time. Decisions of the judges are final.

AWARDS:

1. First place through third place and Honorable Mentions will receive ribbons.
2. Best of Class, Best of Show and The People's Choice Award will receive a Rosette.
3. The People's Choice Award - selected by fairgoers - will be announced the final day of fair.
4. **Premiums will be mailed to the address on the entry form after the Fair.**

Premiums: **First \$3.00 Second \$2.00 Third \$1.00 Best of Show for Youth and Adult \$3.00**
Premiums are limited to the 2 highest placings per class per exhibitor

PHOTOGRAPHY EXHIBITORS PLEASE NOTE:

If exhibitor is less than 18 years of age, include your age and your parent signature where indicated. Failure to comply with these rules may result in disqualification of the entry.

Read instructions carefully:

1. Entries must be original photographs taken by exhibitor. Prints do not have to be printed by the exhibitor
2. Previously entered works are not acceptable.
3. Photos with artist's signature on the front of the work will not be accepted.
4. **Photograph Mounting Instructions.** *MUST be mounted on a 1/16" thick black or white mat board for display with 1" border. Photo must be 8"x10" in size. *Photo should be mounted directly onto mat board. *No foam core board. *No over mat or frame mat allowed.
5. Mounted prints must have a 3"x5" information card attached to the back of the mount-board showing the exhibitor's name - home address - phone number - title of the print plus Division/ Class number.
6. Nude, obscene, or violent entries will not be accepted. Management and judges reserve the right to remove entries which are considered obscene or harmful to minors as defined in the Arizona Criminal Code.
7. A class must have a minimum of 5 entries for judging. Classes with less than 5 entries may be combined with another class for judging. This is a juried show; some items entered may not be accepted into the show. Decisions of the judges are final.
8. All accepted artwork will be exhibited and may not be removed until art release day after the fair.

- DIVISION 2500: Professional - Adult 18 and Older** - Photographers who are compensated for their work.
DIVISION 2501: Amateur - Adult 18 + - Hobbyists who are not usually paid professionally for their work.
DIVISION 2502: Preparatory - High School Level - Photographers at High School level.
DIVISION 2503: Apprentice - Elementary School Age - Photographers in Elementary School.
DIVISION 2504: Person(s) with Disabilities – Adult 18+ - Any individual with documented development delays

CLASS DESCRIPTION

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| 100 | Abstract - experimental - Black & White |
| 101 | Abstract - experimental - Color |
| 102 | Scenic - landscapes - Black & White |
| 103 | Scenic - landscapes - Color |
| 104 | Portraits - Black & White |
| 105 | Portraits - Color |
| 106 | Still Life - Black & White |
| 107 | Still Life - Color |
| 108 | Animals - Black & White |
| 109 | Animals - Color |
| 110 | Close - up - Black & White |
| 111 | Close - up - Color |
| 112 | Buildings - Black & White |
| 113 | Buildings - Color |
| 114 | Open Division - Black & White |
| 115 | Open Division - Color |
| 116 | Arizona - Black & White |
| 117 | Arizona - Color |