



DEPARTMENT D – PHOTOGRAPHY
Cash awards offered \$2,125.00

SPECIAL RULES FOR PHOTOGRAPHY (Read all rules carefully, including General Rules and Information that apply to all exhibitors.)

1. Photographs will be received in Exhibit Building No. 1 (Farm & Home) from 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. on Saturday, September 13, and from 2 p.m. - 5 p.m. on Sunday, September 14, 2008.
2. Entries must have been photographed by the exhibitor.
3. Each exhibitor is permitted to enter one photo per class, per section.
4. Each print submitted must be no smaller than 8" x 10" and no larger than 16" x 20". All prints must be mounted vertically on A 20" high x 16" wide firm mount MAT board. (NO FOAM CORE BOARD ALLOWED). Dry mount is preferred, but other means of mounting are acceptable as long as the mount will hold up the entire week of the fair. If prints fall off their mount boards, they will not be shown or judged—they will be disqualified. Take care when mounting your prints; to be safe, take your prints to a local print and frame shop to have them professionally mounted.
5. The name and address of the exhibitor, exhibitor number, section number, and class number must appear on the back of each photograph mount. All information must be legible or photograph will be disqualified.
6. The Best of Show award will be chosen from all photographs exhibited in the Advance category only.
7. Exhibitor must include a 3" x 5" print of the original photo explaining on the back of the photo what manipulation was done.
8. All decisions by the superintendent concerning a photography exhibit are final.
9. Judges and management of the North Alabama State Fair reserve the right to display only photographs in keeping with the wholesome, community event promoted by NASF. Suggestive or inappropriate pictures will not be accepted for judging.

ADVANCED

Cash awards for Advanced: 1st \$40; 2nd \$20; 3rd \$15

SECTION 50 - Color Prints

1. Portraits (people)
2. Animals
3. Animals & people
4. Still Life, Abstract, Pattern
5. Scenic (landscape, seascape, etc.)
6. Architecture (buildings, bridges, etc.)
7. Vehicles (cars, trains, boats, etc.)
8. Altered Photos using Photoshop (See rule 7 above)
9. Miscellaneous (unclassified)

SECTION 51 - Black & White or Toned Prints

10. Portraits (people)
11. Animals
12. Animals & people
13. Still Life, Abstract, Pattern
14. Scenic (landscape, seascape, etc.)
15. Architecture (buildings, bridges, etc.)
16. Vehicles (cars, trains, boats, etc.)
17. Altered Photos using Photoshop (See rule 7 above)
18. Miscellaneous (unclassified)

SECTION 53 – BEST OF SHOW

See rule 6 above.

19. Best of Show Photography \$100.00 & Rosette

NOVICE

This category is for the first time exhibitor. An exhibitor who qualifies for the Novice category, but who believes his photograph to be of Advanced quality, may enter the print in the Advanced category.

However, the print can only be entered in ONE category (Novice or Advanced).

Cash awards for Novice: 1st \$20; 2nd \$15; 3rd \$10

(One section only for Novice)

SECTION 55 – Color Prints

20. Portraits (people)
21. Animals
22. Animals & people
23. Still Life, Abstract, Pattern
24. Scenic (landscape, seascape, etc.)
25. Architecture (buildings, bridges, etc.)
26. Vehicles (cars, trains, boats, etc.)
27. Altered Photos using Photoshop (See rule 7 above)
28. Miscellaneous (unclassified)

YOUTH Children age 12 and under.

Cash awards for Youth: 1st \$15.00; 2nd \$10.00; 3rd \$5.00

(One section only for Youth)

SECTION 60 – Color Prints

29. Portraits (people)
30. Animals
31. Animals & people
32. Still Life, Abstract, Pattern
33. Scenic (landscape, seascape, etc.)
34. Architecture (buildings, bridges, etc.)
35. Vehicles (cars, trains, boats, etc.)
36. Altered Photos using Photoshop (See rule 7 above)
37. Miscellaneous (unclassified)