



Photography 2022

PRINT COMPETITION

1. Submission of **TWO** Prints taken with a **DSLR camera** and follow the criteria below.

Phone photos will be disqualified!

A. **Print Size:** 11x14

B. **Mounting:** Print **MUST** be mounted to a piece of **black** poster board

C. **Label Images:** (ContestantNumber)-Image(1 or 2): (Image Title)

Example: 1465-Image1: Nebraska Sunset & 1465-Image2: Self Portrait

Be sure these images reflect your BEST work and the style you enjoy capturing the most!

2. A typed, single page **Print Description** will be submitted with the above prints.

Include:

A. Contestant Number & First Name

B. A brief statement about your photographic experience & skills

C. List the equipment used for EACH print

D. Tell us a little about what type of photography inspires you

(Graded on Grammar, Punctuation, Presentation, Layout, and Descriptiveness)

TEST

Student must pass a multiple choice test of photographic knowledge with a 68% or higher. The test will include questions on Photographic history, lighting, camera parts & settings, lenses, and more.

FIELD COMPETITION

A field assignment will be given **ONLY** to those that pass the test described above. This assignment is an opportunity to showcase camera **and** photoshop skills, and will be due at 3:00pm for final judging.

1. *First Image will be submitted as a RAW format digital file.*

2. *Second Image will be submitted as a fully edited (per instructions given) jpeg digital file.*

Label each image CORRECTLY with contestants number:

Examples: 1465_Raw.CR2 and 1465_Final.jpg

CONTESTANT REQUIREMENTS

1. Pass a multiple choice test **without** assistance.
2. Receive field assignment from the event coordinator **AFTER** you pass the exam.
3. Use **Manual Mode** setting to capture a RAW image for the field competition. **(no auto settings allowed)**
4. Produce a creative composite image with photoshop manipulation per assignment specifications.
5. Contestants may **not** disturb any other event in progress, enter restricted areas, interrupt conference function, or participate in any behavior unbecoming to a national participant.

SUPPLIES NEEDED

- Laptop with **Adobe Photoshop** CS4+ or higher
- DSLR camera with compatible lens
- extra batteries and/or charger for laptop & camera
- an 8gb+ memory card
- a blank USB, card reader or camera cable
- 2 print competition images (*****SEE ABOVE*****)
- Single sheet Print Description File/Resume (*****SEE ABOVE*****)
- Dropbox & Internet Access