

PPNC Aspiring Photographer's Competition Rules

- **Eligibility:**

Any child or grandchild of a member who is 17 years old or younger on the day of the competition is eligible to enter. The parent or grandparent must be a paid member in good standing.

- **Image Creation:**

Each image entered must be created solely by the person who is entering. Limited instruction may be given by a parent, grandparent or mentor but the image must be created by the child. This includes exposure, focus, cropping, lighting, computer manipulation, etc.

- **Age Division:**

There are three age divisions – Children (8 & under), Junior (9-12) & Teen (13-17)

- **Categories:**

There will be 1 category: Open, which may include portraits (this includes weddings), illustrative (still life), or electronic imaging.

- **Image Preparation:**

Each image should be a maximum of 8 inches by 10 inches and a minimum of 4 inches by 6 inches. Each print should be mounted on an 11 inch by 14 inch mat board.

The back of the entry should contain the following information in the upper left hand corner

- **Maker's Name**
- **Maker's age (on the date of the competition)**
- **Title of the print**

There shall be no name or title on the front of the entry.

- **Awards:**

Awards will be given to the winner of each category, in each age division. Based on the number of entries and the discretion of the judges, other awards will be determined. (2nd Place, 3rd Place, etc.)

- **Judging:**

Judging will be held at our annual print competition and will be open to the public.

- **Entry:**

Each entrant may enter a maximum of (4) prints. Prints should be turned in at the same place and time at PPNC entries (see Print Competition Rules for location and time). Prints should be placed in an appropriate sized box. Any type of box is acceptable. There is no entry fee.

Title of print:

Maker's Name: _____

Maker's Age: _____

Related PPNC Member: _____