

DEPARTMENT 19B

PHOTOGRAPHY

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Themes:

Shapes (when you start looking, you'll see them everywhere)

Music or sound (instruments, concerts, conceptual photos that invoke thoughts of music or sound)

Divisions:

Adult, color or black and white categories

Youth, color or black and white categories

Professional, color or black and white categories

Contest rules:

1. One entry per person per category (\$3 per entry). Please note a new division for professional entries. If you have ever been paid for your photography work, submit your entries in this division.
2. All work must be an original by the exhibitor.
3. Each photo must be framed (behind glass) and equipped with screw eyes and wire for hanging. Troy Fair will not be liable for damage to photographs or frames if exhibits are not properly prepared.
4. Prints must be at least 8x10" in size, not to exceed 36" outside frame size in any direction.
5. Ribbons and prize money will be awarded to the best entries by a judge. The judge will not award prizes to an unworthy exhibit. In the absence of competition in any category, the premium award will be on merit of exhibit.
6. Photographs will be judged by the following criteria: impact, theme, creativity, composition, presentation, technical ability, and mounting/framing. Work deemed inappropriate in subject matter will not be shown.
7. Photographs and entry fee should be brought to Exhibit Hall 1 (by Gate 3) between 9:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. on Saturday, July 22, 2017. Entries must be picked up on Sunday, July 30, 2017, between 9:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. Any photos not claimed during the pickup time will become property of the Troy Fair.
8. Prizes will be awarded in three divisions: adults, youth 12 and under, and professionals. Premiums are listed below:
 - a. Best of show: \$35.00
 - b. First place: \$25.00
 - c. Second place: \$15.00
 - d. Third place: \$10.00
 - e. People's choice

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