# **DEPARTMENT 35- PHOTOGRAPHY**

PRE-ENTRY REGISTRATION: Deadline is July 17, 2024 ENTRY DAY: Saturday, July 20, 2024 10:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.

#### BRING ENTRIES TO THE AUNE HALL / 4-H BUILDING

Entries open to any Resident of Minnesota.

Limit of one (1) entry per lot.

RELEASE DATE: Sunday, July 28, 2024 4:00 -6:00 pm

ENTRIES ARE TO BE MADE ON-LINE. GO TO OUR WEBSITE, <u>www.olmstedcountyfair.com</u> FOR INSTRUCTIONS

#### **RULES OF COMPETITION**

- 1. There is a limit of one (1) entry per lot.
- 2. Entries will NOT be accepted after 7:00 pm on July 24, 2024
- 3. All photographs must contain the entrant's name, address, phone number, title and class/lot on the back **lower right corner**
- 4. Photographs plus mount size must not exceed 11"x14" or be smaller than 8"x10". The actual photograph should not be smaller than 5"x7".
- 5. All photographs must be on a suitable backing (foamboard, poster board, tag board, matt) A clear plastic hanger tab must be mounted in the center of the photo mount, preferably the type with 1 hole. The only exception to this rule will be a Landscape picture that are at least 14" on their long side. NO framed pieces will be accepted. Do not use string as a hanger, or spray adhesive to attach the hanger. These usually do not stay together and could result in your photo being damaged. If it falls apart, it will not be judged. The superintendent reserves the right to remove entries that fall apart during the fair.
- 6. Photographs may not be over two years old.
- 7. Entries must clearly fit in each lot. The judges reserve the right to reclassify photographs into appropriate lots.
- 8. Computer images must be the sole work of the exhibitor and may not contain copyrighted materials other than that of the exhibitor. A brief description of how the image was produced should be included on the back of the photograph.
- 9. Photographs not meeting rule requirements will not be judged or displayed
- 10. Judges reserve the right to award prizes as quantity and quality of photographs dictate. Judges' decisions are final.
- 11. Photographs will be released and can be picked up at the display area after 4:00 pm until 6:00 pm on the final night of the fair, Sunday, July 28<sup>th</sup>.
- 12. The Olmsted County Agricultural Association is not responsible for the lost or damaged entries
- 13. Subject matter must be appropriate to all audiences

Entries are judged on Presentation, Creativity, Composition, Lighting and Focus.

# Class 109 – Child Photography

10 Years Old or Under as of July 24, 2024

#### Lot No.

- 1 Black and White Print People
- 2 Black and White Any Subject, Except People
- *3 Color People*
- 4 Color Any Subject, Except People

#### Class 110- Youth Photography

11 to 18 Years Old as of July 24, 2024 See Lot No. Below

#### Class 111 – Amateur Photography

19 Years Old and Older

Does not earn any money through selling or taking photographs

See Lot No. Below

Class 112 – Senior – 65 and older
See Lot no. Below

# Class 113- Professional Photography

Exhibitor earns money from taking or selling photographs
See Lot no. Below

## Lot No. - For Class 110, 111, 112 & 113

- 1 Black and White Print People
- 2 Black and White Any Subject, Except People
- 3 Color People candid or multiple persons in photo
- 4 Color Portrait
- 5 Color Flowers
- 6 Color Animals includes pets and wildlife
- 7 Color Birds
- 8 Color Insects and other small organisms
- 9 Color Scenic Landscape
- 10 Color Scenic Waterscape
- 11 Color Architecture
- 12 Color Food
- 13 Color Still Life
- 14 Color- Macro
- 15 Color- Computer Manipulated
- 16 Color Holidays
- 17 Open Does not fit into any other lot.

### Premiums:

1st - \$6.00 2nd - \$4.00 3rd - \$2.00

# **Open Class Photography – Department 43 Pre-Entry Form** 2024 Olmsted County Fair (Exhibitor Number - Office Use Only) Deadline for Pre-Entries: 5:00 pm, July 17, 2024 Entry Time: Saturday, July 20, 2024, 11:00am-7:00 pm Bring your entries to the exhibit area in the 4-H Building Please completely fill in your name and mailing address. This information is used to prepare the Premium Check. This form may be filled in on screen. Prior to exiting the screen, print it out, as it will not be saved. If more space is needed, complete a second form and number the pages. Each individual exhibitor must complete a separate form. The person named here will receive the check. This form is for mail-in entries: print and send to the Fair Office Address: Olmsted County Fair Entries 1403 3rd Ave. SE Rochester, MN 55904 Exhibitor Name Street Address\_\_\_\_\_ City, State, Zip

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CLASS	LOT	DESCRIPTION	TITLE

Exhibits MUST be picked up on Sunday, July 28, 2024 from 4:00 to 6:00 pm. You will need the claim check you received on Entry Day to receive your exhibits and prizes.

Thank you for participating in our 2024 Photography Competition