

Harlin Announces 2021 Entry Dates for Photography Show Competition

The Harlin Museum would like to announce the entry dates for its upcoming 2021 Photography Show Competition, which will be Friday, April 30th, and Saturday, May 1st, 2021, from 12 pm to 4 pm (both days), and issue a Call to Artists/Photographers for their recent work in the field of photography. If you have any questions regarding entries for their annual Photography Show Competition, please email the museum at info@harlinmuseum.com or call the Museum Desk at (417) 256-7801. Guidelines for entry to the competition can be found below.

Entry Dates: Friday, April 30th & Saturday, May 1st, 2021 (12 pm - 4 pm) at the Harlin Museum's Hathcock Gallery, located at 405 Worcester Ave, West Plains, MO 65775

Entry Fee: 1 entry - \$25.00; 2 entries - \$35.00, 3 entries - \$40.00, 4 entries - \$50. Enter 4 pieces; get 5th entry FREE! Limit 5 entries per artist. Cash or check only; make checks payable to the Harlin Museum.

Categories: Entries must apply to one of 4 categories.

1) Color: Any color photograph(s). **2) Monochromatic:** Any black & white or tonal/neutral photo(s). **3) Altered:** Photo(s) that has been edited post-process w/ digital software or other means of photo manipulation to create an artificial image.

4) Collage: Any entry consisting of multiple photos arranged as a part of a larger piece to portray an overall theme, statement, or intent.

All entries will be evaluated on their individual application of technical skill (composition, lighting, exposure, focus), artistic approach, degree of difficulty, impact, and technique.

Guidelines: All photos must be original works of the artist entering. All work must not have previously been entered in a Harlin Museum Competition Show. Photographs must be no smaller than 8" x 8" and no larger than 24" x 30"; matted and framed under glass and ready with wire and eye-screws for hanging. **No Saw-tooth Hangers.** Basic editing (including color enhancement, the use of filters, and cropping of the photo) is acceptable, provided any such editing does not affect the authenticity and/or genuineness of the photo(s); entries that fall outside of this guideline will be considered an altered category entry. Photos that portray or otherwise include inappropriate and/or offensive content, including provocative nudity, violence, human rights and/or environmental violation are strictly prohibited and will be disqualified.

Competition pieces will be released for pickup at 3pm on **Sunday, May 30th, 2021** and must be picked up from the museum by the Sunday of the following week during regular hours of operation.

Sales: Entries may be offered for sale during the dates of the show; the museum receives commission from all sales made during this time (sales split—70% to artist/30% to museum)

Reception: Due to ongoing public health concerns regarding large crowds, there will not be an awards ceremony this year; winners will receive their prizes when they pick up their entries.



HARLIN MUSEUM'S 2021 PHOTOGRAPHY SHOW COMPETITION

May 7th - 30th

CASH PRIZES AWARDED

ADULT DIVISION (age 18 & over)

YOUTH DIVISION (age 17 & under)

ENTRY DATES:

April 30th & May 1st

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