

2024 NCCA-Artsplace Statewide Photography Competition

ELECTRONIC SERVICE REQUESTED

2024

THE NEWAYGO COUNTY
Artsplace
COUNCIL FOR THE ARTS
NCCA-Artsplace
Statewide
Photography
Competition



Open to Michigan residents 18 and older. Accepted entries exhibited at NCCA-Artsplace, Jansma Gallery. Cash prizes and ribbons awarded. Open to all photographic processes.

Entry Deadline: May 25
Exhibit: June 12 - July 20
Reception & Awards June 15

NCCA-ARTSPLACE MEMBERSHIP FORM

*Become a member and save on entry fees and classes now!
Please check one of the membership types listed below.*

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Individual \$25 | <input type="checkbox"/> Family/Household \$30 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sustaining \$50-\$99 | <input type="checkbox"/> Friend \$100-\$249 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Benefactor \$250-\$499 | <input type="checkbox"/> Donor \$500 or More |
| <input type="checkbox"/> I would like to make a contribution in the amount of \$_____ | |

Fremont Area Community Foundation will match 50% of your membership contribution. Thank You!

Please fill out name, address and contact information on reverse side of this form.

Photo Competition Entry Fee:

☐ \$25 Member

☐ \$30 Non-Member

+ Optional Membership Fee _____

= _____

Make checks payable to
NCCA-Artsplace
13 E. Main Street
Fremont, Michigan 49412



TIMELINE

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Acceptance Notification: June 7

Exhibit Opens: June 12

Reception and Awards: June 15, 10:00 a.m. - Noon

Exhibit Closes: July 20

Pick-up All Work by August 3

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\$25 Member Entry fee - \$30 Non-Member Entry Fee

Submit entry form with up to two photographs. Entry fee covers one or two entries.

Name	
Street Address	
City	Zip
Ph.	Email
Entry A Title	\$ or NFS
Process	Staff Use A / D
Entry B Title	\$ or NFS
Process	Staff Use A / D

ENTRY A LABEL

Name	
Process	Staff Use A / D
Entry A. Title	
Phone Number	\$ or NFS

ENTRY B LABEL

Name	
Process	Staff Use A / D
Entry B. Title	
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**PHOTOGRAPHY
COMPETITION**

Our goal is to exhibit and acknowledge the finest photographers in the State of Michigan and encourage greater growth and achievement in the photographic community. This is a juried competition. Selected works will be exhibited and among them will be the honor of 1st, 2nd, 3rd place and honorable mentions receiving ribbons and cash awards.

**JUROR:
Randy Nyhof**

I have been involved in photography for over 50 years. In regards to the technical aspects of photography I am self-taught. I learned the aesthetic values from my art experience, and looking at what was considered good photography. To a great extent my approach to fine art photography has been influenced by my education in college, majoring in studio art. I have been influenced by many artists and photographers too numerous to mention. At first I used 35mm & medium format film cameras, but now all my images are captured with various digital cameras. I owned and operated a photography business for over 40 years engaging in wedding photography, senior portraits, family portraits, underclass school day portraits, yearbook publications and commercial product photography. More recently, I have become involved in producing photographic fine art images. In addition to participating in local art shows and competitions within the last 20 years, I have had images published in Popular Photography Magazine, Canada's PhotoLife Magazine, B&W Magazine, Focus Magazine, Austria's Trierenberg Super Circuit Publications, Photographer's Forum Best of Photography Annuals, Black River Calendar Publishing and local publications. I have also licensed photographs for several book covers, music CD covers, including one for an Australian Blues Band, even a background screen for a British Rock Group. I have also licensed a number of my images to be sold on products at the Hobby Lobby Stores and on fabric with Northcott Silk. Now, in my supposedly retirement, I keep busy with steady fine art photography online sales on several shop sites, and am involved in local art & photography organizations, most notably with Grand Valley Artists.



ENTRY GUIDELINES

- Must be Michigan resident, 18 or older, to submit work.
- Work must be framed and ready to display or finished appropriately.
- All photographic processes are accepted.
- NCCA reserves the right to decline artwork for any reason.
- Accepted work may be placed for sale during the exhibit.
- A 30% commission is charged on all sales during exhibit.
- Each eligible photographer may submit up to two photographs.
- Entry labels must be firmly affixed to the back of the entries.
- Please indicate the photographic process in your description. For example, 35 mm, digital, medium format, silver gelatin, sepia tone, etc.
- Do not submit prints that have been previously exhibited at NCCA-Artsplace.
- NCCA will take every precaution to ensure protection of artwork, however, we will not be responsible for any loss, damage or theft.
- Any artwork left after August 3 may become property of NCCA unless other arrangements have been made.
- Send or drop off completed entry form, framed work and include a payment made to NCCA for the non-refundable entry fee of \$25 Member or \$30 Non-Member, to:

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