

Photographic Section Salon Rules

Each member may submit up to four prints and four projected digital images (PDIs).

The rules on preparation of the images for the salon competition are the same as for a regular competition except that print mounts similar to those made by Modern Reproductions which accommodate wire for hanging may be used. Otherwise size and mounting rules for prints are the same as for regular competition. Size limits for projected images (PDIs) are the same but a category letter is to be included in the title of the PDIs.

The member must bring his prints to the regular club meeting before the day of the judging. Projected digital images (PDIs) are to be sent by email to the designated individual at least a week prior to the judging.

The entered images must not have been accepted in a previous salon.

The salon is separate from the regular competitions. Images are not excluded from the salon because they have been entered in regular competitions, have been accepted for the year end competition or have won awards in the regular competition.

Class A images and Class B images, both monochrome and color, are all considered as a single group in determining the awards.

All entered images in all categories are judged together as a single group and cash awards are given for first, second and third place in prints and in PDIs. Honorable mention certificates are also awarded.

Cash awards are provided by members for the best image in a particular category. Separate awards are given for prints and projected images.

An image may win a category award even though it has also won a place award (first, second or third) or an Honorable Mention.

There is no limit on the number of category awards an individual may receive.

The maker is to choose a single category in which to compete for each of his images. The general category is considered a category and images in that category are eligible for a category award.

For the PDIs, the maker chooses a category for his image by inserting a category letter in the title of his image. See the instructions on the club website for preparing PDI entries. For prints, the maker indicates the category by writing the category letter on the back of the print and on the printed entry form.

Approximately 60% of the entries are accepted in the salon based on point scores. At least one image from each group (prints or PDIs) each member enters will be included in the salon. In the unlikely event that an image which wins a category award would not have a point score high enough to qualify for salon acceptance, it will still be included in the salon.