

CULTURAL ARTS DEPARTMENT 400

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DIVISION 400 – JUDGED ART SHOW

Premiums for Best of Show: \$100
Premiums for Best of Class: 1st – \$100, 2nd – \$50, 3rd – \$25

Entry Fee: \$15.00 per entry
Contact: Ashley Leftwich, 615-512-4529 or finearts@williamsoncountyfair.org
Pre- Entry: Tuesday August 1 for submitting entry forms
Entry: Tuesday August 1 for entries.

Deliver selected entries to the Arts Pavilion
on the County Fair grounds between 3:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Pick-up Dates: Saturday August 12 after 9:00 p.m.
or Sunday August 13 11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. Residents of Williamson County and adjoining counties are eligible to enter the 2017 Williamson County Fair Judged Arts Competition. All accepted entries must be marked with the exhibitors name, address, and telephone number, along with the class in which the piece is to be judged, however, signed work will be accepted. Place all information on the artwork out of sight of the judges. All entries must have been completed within the last 3 years prior to the opening of the fair.

Completed entry forms must accompany all applicable fees at the entry time specified. Rules and entry forms are available on the 2017 fair website at www.williamsoncountyfair.org. An entry form is also included in this catalogue.

2. Submit up to 3 eligible works for each class described in this section. Entrants must select the class for each entry. Artwork must not exceed 72" in any dimension. The Williamson County Fair reserve the right to refuse entries violating the public art exhibit rules as defined by Williamson County and the State of Tennessee. Decisions of the judges in each competition are final.

Mail entry fees and forms to:

Williamson County Fair
Judged Art Show Entry
P.O. Box 329
Franklin, TN 37065

All work must be original and produced by the competing artist. COPY WORK

WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED. Art reproduced or rendered from works of masters, from advertisements, materials from published sources, or art produced from kits, or from widely circulated photographs is NOT considered original. The exhibition will remain intact with all works on view from August 4 through August 12, 2017.

Anyone participating in this contest by way of entry hereby agrees and consents to the use of any representation of contestant artwork in any or all publications, TV, publicity, brochure, internet, etc. used for future Williamson County Fair purposes. The artist will receive credit where possible.

Judging Criteria: Originality, Composition, Technique Control of Media

Protests: *Judges have been carefully selected.* Decisions made by the judges are final.

3. **ENTRY FEES:** A single non-refundable application fee of \$15.00 **per piece** for up to 3 entries per category, payable to the "Williamson County Fair Association".
4. **DEFINITIONS:** The **Professional Class** includes persons with significant art training and persons who regularly sell their work. The **Amateur Class** includes persons with limited art training or for whom art is primarily a hobby.
5. **AWARDS:** Best of Show, Best of Class, 2nd place, 3rd place, and Honorable Mention per class may be used.
6. **INSTALLATION:** Each entry must be prepared for display or framed and wired for hanging. No metal bracket hangers are allowed. All small entries, must be mounted to a display with entry tag securely attached. Stained glass entries over 10 pounds must include a display stand compatible with the show. Special care will be taken to prevent damage, but in no instance will the Williamson County Fair assume any responsibility for damage or loss that may occur. The Williamson County Fair assumes no responsibility for damage or loss, and all entries are entered at the owner's risk.

JUDGED ARTS CLASSES

PROFESSIONAL:

01. Painting (includes oil, acrylic, watercolor, 2 dimension mixed media)
02. Sculpture (includes metal, stone, clay wood, etc.)
03. Other fine art (fiber, stained glass, fused glass, silk screening, etc.)

AMATEUR:

04. Painting (includes oil, acrylic, watercolor, 2 dimension mixed media)
05. Sculpture (includes metal, stone, clay, wood, etc.)
06. Other fine art (includes fiber, stained glass, fused glass, silk screening, etc.)

DIVISION 410 – WILLIAMSON COUNTY FINE ARTS: STUDENT EXHIBITION

Entry Fee:	\$ 0.00		
Contact:	Ashley Leftwich, 615-512-4529 or finearts@williamsoncountyfair.org		
Pre-entry:	None		
Entry:	Tuesday	August 1	3:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Release:	Saturday	August 12	after 9:00 p.m.
	<u>or</u> Sunday	August 13	11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. The Fine Arts Student Exhibition is open to all Williamson County students, preschool through 12th grades and is all inclusive.
2. Each Exhibitor will receive a Participation Ribbon from the Williamson County Fair.
3. Artwork must be delivered to the Ag Expo Center between 3:00 p.m. and 6:00 p.m. Tuesday, August 1, 2017.
4. Artwork can ONLY be picked up by the exhibitor at the designated time and place.
5. All student artwork must be picked up between 11:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. on Sunday, August 13, 2017 or after 9:00 p.m. on Saturday, August 12.
6. To participate in the fair Fine Arts Student Exhibition, artwork must have been created during the 2016/2017 school year.
7. Artwork Specifications:
 - a. Artwork can be two or three dimensional and can be any medium available to the class. Flat pieces must not exceed 18" x 24", must be mounted on foam board or standard mount board and prepared for hanging or display.
 - b. The student's name, grade and school must be clearly written on the "BACK" of the artwork. On the front, lower, right hand corner there must be a tag identifying the school, and first name only.
 - c. Special care will be taken to prevent damage, but in no instance will the Williamson County Fair be held responsible for damage or loss that may occur. The Williamson County Fair assumes no responsibility for damage or loss.

DIVISIONS 420-422 - PHOTOGRAPHY

Premiums:	<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>
	\$10	\$8	\$6

\$75 for Best of Show (One award per section – Open, Amateur, Youth)

Entry Fee: Open and Amateur , \$2.00 per photograph; youth, \$0.00 (free)
Chair: Ronnie Leftwich, photography@williamsoncountyfair.org or 615.663.8739

Pre-Entry: None

Entry Dates: July 1–July 22, 2017

Pick-up Dates: Saturday August 12 after 9:00 p.m.
or Sunday August 13 11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. Competition is open to all residents of Williamson County and adjoining counties
2. Participants may drop off photos, entry forms, and entry fees at any Williamson County Parks & Recreation Center during normal business hours. Participants please see the front desk receptionist.

3. Each entry will be a minimum print size of 8" X 10" mounted on a white or black 11" X 14" standard mount board. On the back of each board include the title of the print, name of the participant, mailing address, section (open, amateur or youth) and class (as listed below in Rule 12). Framed photos are ineligible and will not be accepted. Photos MAY be matted, but mats are not required.
4. Each entry submitted with an 11x14 standard mount board, MUST FIT INTO THE PHOTOGRAPHY COMMITTEE'S SUPPLIED PLASTIC ENVELOPE, used to display photographs. Any photo entry larger or smaller than the 11x14 size mount board WILL NOT be eligible for the contest. Photos will be placed in the plastic envelopes by the Committee after mounted prints are submitted.
5. Each photo must be submitted with a completed ENTRY FORM found in the Williamson County Fair Catalogue or on-line at www.williamsoncountyfair.org. Photographs without entry forms will not be eligible for the contest. You may list multiple print entries from a single individual on a single entry form. Appropriate entry fees must be submitted with the entries; one check is sufficient for all entries.
6. A participant may enter as many as six (6) photographs total, but no more than three (3) in any one of the 12 classes.
7. Color prints and black and white prints will compete within a class; there will be BEST OF SHOW winners in each section, earning a \$75 cash prize.
8. Photographs of an abstract nature should be marked with a "this end up" arrow to avoid exhibiting the photo the wrong way on display panels.
9. A participant in the youth division will not have obtained age 16 as of January 1, 2017. An amateur is 16 or over and does not earn a livelihood from photography. Anyone may enter prints in the Open section.
10. All entries that achieve red, white, blue or honorable mention status will be exhibited from the opening of the fair until the close of the fair. As many entries beyond the prize winners as possible will also be displayed on a space-available basis. Entries on exhibit may not be removed until 8/12 at 9 PM. Williamson County Fair Association, Inc., and Williamson County Parks and Recreation shall not be held responsible for damage or loss that may occur and assume no responsibility for damage or loss. All prints are entered at the participant's own risk.
11. All entries shall either be picked up on August 13, 11 a.m.-2 p.m. or a self-addressed stamped envelope must be included with total entry. Include the number of mounted prints being entered on the back of the envelope. Envelope must be of a size and quality suitable for returning the total entry. All entries not picked up by the last release date will become the property of the Williamson County Fair Board after August 13, 2017.

PHOTOGRAPHY CLASSES

DIVISION 420 – OPEN

01. People
02. Scenic/Landscapes/Seascapes
03. Still Life*
04. Animals
05. Bird Life
06. Aquatic Life**
07. Flora

- 08. Sports/Action
- 09. Architecture
- 10. Cityscape***
- 11. Potpourri (Abstract/Special Effects)
- 12. Fair Theme - "Country Pride, County Wide"

DIVISION 421 – AMATEUR

- 13. People
- 14. Scenic/Landscapes/Seascapes
- 15. Still Life*
- 16. Animals
- 17. Bird Life
- 18. Aquatic Life**
- 19. Flora
- 20. Sports/Action
- 21. Architecture
- 22. Cityscape***
- 23. Potpourri (Abstract/Special Effects)
- 24. Fair Theme - "Country Pride, County Wide"

DIVISION 422 – YOUTH (UNDER 16)

- 25. People
- 26. Scenic/Landscapes/Seascapes
- 27. Still Life*
- 28. Animals
- 29. Bird Life
- 30. Aquatic Life**
- 31. Flora
- 32. Sports/Action
- 33. Architecture
- 34. Cityscape***
- 35. Potpourri (Abstract/Special Effects)
- 36. Fair Theme - "Country Pride, County Wide"

*Classic still life is a photograph of inanimate ("still") objects, often arranged but sometimes found.

**This is any sort of aquatic life: fish, frogs, alligators, porpoises, turtles, seaweed, etc.

*** Buildings in a city.