

American Hemerocallis Society

Region 5 Dennis Calbreath Memorial Photography Contest

Policies and Rules

2020 Region Contest Chair:

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The policies and rules have been established to ensure a positive experience for our American Hemerocallis Society members and our other guest participants.

Eligibility:

1. A contestant will need to submit images in a .jpeg format (a 300 or higher DPI resolution).
2. Only photographs taken by an amateur photographer for the photographer's private use and for non-commercial purposes may be entered into the photography contest for judging.
3. Images that have won prizes in prior competitions or have been published will not be eligible.
4. A contestant may submit up to five photographs for each individual category.
5. Digital manipulation that distorts the reality of the images will not be allowed. Only basic enhancements such as sharpening, contrast adjustment, or simple cropping will be allowed.
6. The American Hemerocallis Society Region 5 reserves the right to reject images with incomplete entry documentation or those submitted past the contest deadline.

7. Participants are entirely responsible for all entry costs.
8. All contestants are required to sign the AHS photo release form in order to be eligible to win. By submitting an image for the competition, the participant will be regarded as granting the American Hemerocallis Society Region 5 the right to use the image in print, broadcast, and/or electronic media without any fee payment, for the purposes of promoting the competition or the American Hemerocallis Society in general.
9. Judging of the contest entries will be done by a panel of three. One member to be a professional photographer, the second to be a member of the Daylily Society of Greater Atlanta, and the third to be selected by the current chairman of the Region 5 Photography Contest. All decisions of the Judging Panel will be final.

Categories of Competition - All images must include a daylily in the image. Seedlings will be included as a part of the contest.

Class 1 Single Bloom image (If you are submitting a seedling, make sure you have a number assigned to it.)

Class 2 Multiple Bloom image (If you are submitting a seedling, make sure you have a number assigned to it.)

Class 3 Clump image (If you are submitting a seedling, make sure you have a number assigned to it.)

Class 4 Landscape image (If you are submitting a seedling, make sure you have a number assigned to it.)

Class 5 Daylily Blooms incorporating nature (rain, animals, etc.) (If you are submitting a seedling, make sure you have a number assigned to it.)

Prizes

The Daylily Society of Greater Atlanta will fund this award on an annual basis and a cash prize of \$25.00 will be awarded to the winners of each of the five categories of competition. A Grand Prize cash award of \$75.00 will also be awarded to the Best Overall Entry. This photograph will be selected from the winners of the five categories of competition.

(Effect January 1, 2019)

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“Examples” of Photography Contest Categories

Class 1 - Single Bloom image



Class 2 - Multiple Bloom image



Class 3 - Clump image



Class 4 - Landscape image



**Class 5 - Daylily blooms
incorporating nature
(rain, insects, animals, etc.)**

