

CLEVELAND BOTANICAL GARDEN
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Presented in conjunction with Cleveland Botanical Garden Flower Show – “The Garden Goes to the Movies” – the Photography Show, held from May 8 to June 7, 2009, is a collection of the area’s finest nature photography. A juried exhibition with entries ranging from representational imagery of gardens and landscapes to flora and fauna to abstractions and digital breakthroughs, this show is held in the Eleanor Squire Library. The show opens to the public with a Preview Party on Thursday, May 7 from 6 – 8 p.m.

All classes are open to all including professional photographers. In keeping with the theme of Flower Show, each class takes its name/theme from various movie titles, e.g. *On Golden Pond*, *From Here to Eternity*, *Close Encounters of the Third Kind*.

Please visit www.cb garden.org for details regarding registration. Online registration and entry are required by April 24, 2009.

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Photography Rules

1. This is a juried show.
2. Classes are open to all including professional photographers.
3. Photographs must be the work of the exhibitor, except for matting, mounting and commercial printing.
4. An exhibitor may enter only one photograph in each class and may enter a maximum of three classes.
5. A photograph that has won a blue ribbon in a flower show may not be entered in this competition.
6. Plant material must be dominant in all photographs.
7. All photographs must be securely matted in white and mounted on foam core. There should be more than 1" of mat on all sides. Although permitted, colored bevels should be used with artistic discretion. Frame, glass or other covering is not permitted. An attachment for hanging may be added to the back by the committee.
8. Photographs must be 4"x 4" minimum to 12" x 18" maximum.
9. Matted dimensions must be 8" x 8" minimum to 16" x 22" maximum.
10. Photographs may be color or monochrome (includes black and white), matte or glossy finish.
11. Manipulation, either at the time of exposure, in the darkroom or by computer, or in the printing process is allowed in all classes and must be the work of the exhibitor. This includes cropping of an image, enhancement for color or clarity or removal of part of an image only.
12. Extreme manipulation in Class 5 is accepted including, but not limited to removing a portion of the image, combining images, distorting, cutting, tearing or chemically changing the image.
13. The name of the exhibitor must not be visible on the front of the photograph or mat.
14. A maximum of 100 photographs will be accepted into the show.
15. Accepted photographs must remain for the duration of the photography exhibit that closes Sunday, June 7, 2009.

Entry Information

16. **Online registration and pre-entry are preferred.**
It is important to have your name, address, telephone number, garden club affiliation(s), classes, etc. in the data base to expedite the entry process.
 - On-line entry: go to www.cb garden.org/FlowerShow2009.html and follow instructions.
 - An acknowledgement via email will be sent to you that includes your **exhibitor's number**. This number must be included on your entry cards.

Entry Cards

17. Each entry must be accompanied by **two (2)** white 4"x 6" cards. One card must be attached to the back of the entry. The other card will be delivered to the data entry room where a computer generated card will be printed and placed with your entry following the judging.
 - Use waterproof black ink or pencil.
 - On each card, clearly print your exhibitor's number, class number, name, address, home and cell phone numbers and email. You may use pre-printed labels if they are easy to read and the form of your name is consistent.

EXAMPLE:

Exhibitor's number	
Class number/name	
Name	
Address	
City/State/Zip	
Phone (Home)	Phone (Cell)
Email	

- Attach the label to the center of the back of the photo and mark the top of the photo with an arrow.

Passing/Judging

18. All photographs will be passed by the Photography Committee to verify that all class specifications have been met.
19. Judges may divide classes or reclassify entries where appropriate.
20. Entries will be judged on the following criteria: composition, technical merit, interpretation of theme, distinction and conformance to the schedule.
21. Exhibitors will be notified by phone or e-mail should their work not be accepted for the show and should be picked up at the appropriate time. See Entry/Removal Schedule for dates and times.
22. Entries submitted will not be for sale. Exhibitor will be responsible for all liability. Cleveland Botanical Garden will not be responsible for any loss or damage.

Entry/Judging/Show/Removal Schedule

Online registration and entry are required.
(www.cb garden.org/FlowerShow2009.html)
The deadline is Friday, April 24, 2009.

- Mail-in entries are due by Monday, April 27, 2009. Send to:
Cleveland Botanical Garden
11030 East Boulevard
Cleveland, OH 44106
Attn: Julie Anderson

Note: If an entry is to be returned by mail, a self-addressed prepaid envelope and appropriate wrapping material must be submitted with the exhibit.

- Drop-off entry times at Cleveland Botanical Garden
 - Friday, May 1 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
 - Saturday, May 2 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
- Pick-up unaccepted work at Cleveland Botanical Garden
 - Tuesday, May 5 12:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.
 - Saturday, May 9 12:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Judging

Judging of all accepted works Thursday, May 7, 2009

Photography Show Preview Party

Thursday, May 7 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

Photography Show Open to Public

Friday, May 8, 2009 to Sunday, June 7, 2009

Pick up accepted photographs at Cleveland Botanical Garden

Tuesday, June 9 12:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.
Wednesday, June 10 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.
Saturday, June 13 12:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Note: Photographs NOT picked up by the deadline of June 13, 2009 become the property of Cleveland Botanical Garden.

Photography Division Classes "Best Picture"

Consultants for all classes: Laurie Jacobs: 440-423-0400 and Ryn Clarke: rynnner@aol.com

CLASS P01: FROM HERE TO ETERNITY

A color photograph of a garden or landscape.

CLASS P02: BLOW UP

A color macro view or close-up of plant material.

CLASS P03: ON GOLDEN POND

A color photograph of plant material in or around water.

CLASS P04: THE WILD BUNCH

A color photograph that includes fruits and/or vegetables.

CLASS P05: CLOSE ENCOUNTERS OF THE THIRD KIND

An extremely manipulated color image of nature.

CLASS P06: IT HAPPENED ONE NIGHT

A black and white or monochrome image depicting one of the above five themes.