

Attention all Shutterbugs!



present the

2010 Images of Osceola Photography Show & Community Photo Contest

Opening Reception will be held on **Tuesday, March 2, 2010**, from 6-8pm,
Submissions deadline **February 19, 2010** at 5pm. at the Osceola Center for the Arts.

\$5.00 per submission to be paid by February 19, 2010.

Applicants will be notified of acceptance by February 22nd and accepted works delivered on the 24th.

Qualifications: Only works submitted in accordance to these guidelines will be considered.

1. Entries are open to the public. Works must be photographic in nature, and taken in Osceola County by residents of Osceola County. Traditional, Digital, B/W, and Color photos will all be judged as one category. Judging is based on Composition, Presentation and Subject Matter.
2. Multiple images can be submitted. **Works will hang in the exhibit at the Osceola Center for the Arts until March 24th, please pick up photos no later than March 29th** (photos left for more than 60 days after this date are subject to become property of the Osceola Center for the Arts).
3. Size restrictions – Prints must be made no smaller than 8”x10” and no larger than 30”x30”. Prints must be either framed or mounted and ready for hanging. Prints that are not framed or mounted will not be accepted. **Wire hanging method is preferred as space may be limited for saw tooth frame hangers.**
4. **Along with prints, each work must be submitted in digital form on a CD. Digital files must be in High Quality JPEG format with minimal file compression. Files must be 300dpi with a physical size of at least 8”x10”.** In addition to the digital image, each CD must contain a text document containing artist identification and contact information, as well as a description of the image and, where necessary, identification of all recognizable persons appearing in the photograph. If more than one image is submitted, multiple photos can be put onto one CD.
5. Persons appearing in photos must be properly identified. No images that contain nudity or sexually explicit material will be considered. No images containing violence or subject matter deemed disturbing will be considered. No professional or copyrighted material will be considered.
6. Prizes:
1st Place – \$150 plus the winning image will be featured in The News-Gazette.
2nd Place – \$100 and the winning image will be featured in The News-Gazette.
3rd Place – \$75 and the winning image will be featured in The News-Gazette.

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7. By contributing photographs and accompanying text, you grant to Sun Publications an irrevocable, royalty-free, non-exclusive (this means Sun Publications has the right to use your image, but you do not give up your right to use your image as you please), and universal right and license to use and display the photograph and accompanying text in conjunction with Sun Publications web sites and publications without compensation to you.

You also grant that you have the necessary rights or ownership to grant permission to display the image.

Sun Publications and The Osceola Center for the Arts reserves the right to refuse or remove a submission for any reason. Any content that does not meet editorial approval will not be included on the website, in print, or for display in the exhibition. Any offensive content will be rejected before it appears in the show, on the web, or in print in the Osceola News-Gazette. Sun Publications takes no responsibility for checking the veracity of information, claims and copyright status of entries submitted. Although we do not check for copyright violation, any content reported as infringing copyright by authorized representatives of the copyright owner will be removed immediately.

Contest Checklist:

- Completed entry form filled out completely and legibly
- Digital image on CD minimum 300dpi JPEG and associated documentation
- Submission Deadline Wednesday, February 19, 2010 at 5pm.
- Accepted works must be delivered on Wednesday, February 24, 2010 by 5pm
- Photo(s) properly framed and ready to hang in exhibit space
- Thoroughly read guidelines and restrictions for submission process

Images of Osceola Community Photo Contest Entry Form

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____ City/State _____ Zip _____

Email _____

Entry Fee: **\$5.00 per submission**

of Submissions _____ Total fee: \$ _____

Name of Photo(s)/ Brief description:

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

**The Osceola Center for the Arts located one mile east of the Florida Turnpike on Hwy 192 at
2411 E. Irlo Bronson Hwy, Kissimmee, FL 34744 / 407-846-6257 x4 for more information**