2024 Photography State Contest Information

Schedule

Monday, April 22nd, 2024

Tulsa Tech Owasso Campus, Owasso, OK 10800 N 137th E Ave, Owasso, OK 74055

Judges will give a theme to the contestants on the day of the contest, and students will follow the theme during the location shoot.

Students will arrive at the Owasso campus, and we will bus students to a nearby neutral site. Contestants will need to bring their own computers to edit their location shoot.

Contestants won't be printing out their day of contest theme image; they save that image to a provided USB flash drive to submit.

(**NEW FOR 2024**)

THEME FOR SUBMITTED IMAGE: Portrait

New for this year the submitted 8x10 printed image needs to be a portrait.

The contestants need to bring **ONE** printed 8x10 photo with them to be submitted and judged (contestant number on the back of them) (**these should not be mounted in any way**).

Points will be deducted if mounted in any way.

IMPORTANT as several students did not know how to do this in years past

Contestants need to know how to make an electronic contact sheet or sheet of thumbnails of their theme shoot to be submitted electronically to be judged for points.

Contestants need to bring a résumé.

EQUIPMENT and MATERIALS

Supplied by technical committee:

- Worktables with space for personal computers
- Chairs
- Multiple outlet surge protectors
- Electrical outlet
- Transportation for photoshoot

Supplied by the contestants:

- Résumé
- Digital Camera
- Computers/Laptops
- Related software
- 8x10 photo (theme is Portrait for 2024) for judging before the shoot
 (Do not mat or mount the photo)

The Photography written test and the PDP knowledge tests will be given online. Please contact your school's testing proctor for the times and dates.

Any questions can be directed to one of the contest chairs:

Contacts:

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Schedule:

8:30-9:00 am: Meet and greet in the Photography 1 classroom at Tulsa Tech campus.

(check-in at the front desk of Tulsa Tech first) Contest in Rm#2131

9:00-9:10 am: Reading of the contest rules and requirements and shooting theme announced.

9:30-11:30 am: Location photography shoot. Students will be taken on a bus from the Owasso

campus to a neutral site. (judges will judge the submitted image at this time)

11:30 am: Meet back at the and return to campus for editing.

11:45-1 pm: Contestants edit images

1:00-2:00 pm: Lunch on the Owasso campus. Food will be added to the registration cost when you sign students up.

(judges will judge theme image during this time)

2:00 pm: Meet and greet and Q&A with judges

2:30 pm: End of Contest

Point Breakdown

Total possible score 1000

Submitted image 500

(this is the 8x10 print portrait submitted image brought on day of contest)

Theme image 300

(live shoot on day of contest, the theme will be given by the judges on day of shoot)

Written test 100

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Contact sheet 100

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Resume -10

Students will submit their up-to-date résumé. If a résumé is not provided, there will be a 10-point penalty.