

## Announcement: Grand Photos Competition for Fall 2018

Event	Date	Time	Place
“Print Turn-in”	Thursday, Nov. 15, 2018	1:00 to 3:00 PM	Photo Club Studio
“Show”	Monday, Dec.10, 2018	1:30 to 3:30 PM	Gila Room (Cimarron Center)

**(All digital entries must be made on line at the Grand Photos web site. The deadline for all digital entries is 11:59 PM on Nov.20, 2018.)**

### **Grand Photos Categories for “Spring 2018 ” are:**

<b>Print Categories:</b>	<b>Digital Categories:</b>
Open	Open
Nature	Nature
Vista	Creative
Monochrome	Rotating (“Humor”) The title will be read to the judges
	Monochrome

*Each participant may submit a maximum of 10 digital and 8 print images to the Grand Photos competition with a maximum of 2 in any category in each media having that category, Prints and/or Digital.*

**Categories:** Note that there are 4 categories in Prints and 5 in Digital. Print Categories are limited to prints and Digital categories are limited to digitals. The Rotating category (which usually precedes the ACCC use of that category by one season) is only in Digital and is “Humor” for the **Fall 2018**.

### **General Information about Grand Photos Competitions:**

This competition is only open to members of Grand Photos. It’s an excellent opportunity to learn techniques for improving and sharing images and to show off your work to your fellow Sun City Grand residents. We have 3 separately judged Divisions (1, 2, 3) to provide meaningful competition for all ranges of experience - from relative newcomers to more experienced competitors.

The competition process begins with the “Turn-in” at which Print entries are submitted. “Digital” image files (which are viewed and judged by projection onto a screen or TV using a computer) will be only submitted online. Print and Digital submissions are judged separately. Entries in each category and division are scored by a panel of three judges and awards are assigned. All entries and their awards are displayed at an exhibition “Show” – usually 2 to 5 weeks after the “turn-in.” The Fall the “Show” will be at our normal December meeting.

The “Competition Guidelines” specify how Print and Digital images are to be prepared and entered, and define the specific requirements for each category. A complete package of documents for use in this competition is posted on the Grand Photos website at: <http://www.grandphotos.org/> . Go to the “Competitions” tab and then the “Club Semi-Annual” tab to find the information for the upcoming competition. (The document titles may differ slightly from those listed below but will contain “Fall 2018” in the title.) **The complete package of documents relevant to the Fall 2018 are:**

- This Announcement: “Grand Photos Competition for **Fall 2018**”
- “Grand Photos Print Entry Form for **Fall 2018**”
- “Grand Photos Digital Entry Instructions for **Fall 2018**”
- “Grand Photos Competition Category Definitions for **Fall 2018**”
- “Grand Photos Competition Guidelines for **Fall 2018**”
- “GP Points and Divisions for **Fall 2018**”