

The Animal Kingdom - A PHOTOGRAPHY EXHIBIT

The 2017 Ojai Art Center Photography Annual Exhibit

CALL FOR ARTISTS (Amateur & Professional)
A THEMED JURIED EXHIBIT

JUNE 3 TO JUNE 29, 2017 - RECEPTION SATURDAY, JUNE 3 FROM 1 TO 3 P.M.

THEME: Animal Kingdom - This year we are welcoming submissions showing animals & creatures of all kinds. Humans can be included if they show a relationship between the animal and the human. Submissions can be pure photographic images or those that have been digitally altered. From ferocious to cute is what we are looking for.

Animals share the planet with us and this years theme encourages the artist to show that in their entries. This can include pets, animals in the wild and captive. All submitted art can be in color or black and white.

AWARDS: Cash awards will be given for first, second and third place winners in the amounts of \$150, \$100 and \$75. Student entries will be juried and awarded separately, with cash prizes in the amounts of \$75, \$50 and \$25.

ENTRY FEES: \$15 each or 3 for \$40 with a maximum of 3 entries per artist. Non-refundable. No entry fees for students - grades 7-12

ENTRY DATES: Entries, entry forms and fees must be submitted at the Art Center on Thursday, June 1 from 4:00 to 7:00 p.m. or Friday, June 2 from 8:00 to 10:00 a.m. Non-selected work must be picked up Friday, June 2 from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m.

USE RIGHTS: Each artist retains all copyrights to their own images. Artist's recognition is provided with any use. By submission for jurying, artists whose submissions are chosen for the exhibition grant The Ojai Art Center the right to use their images for the purpose of promoting the artist, promoting The Ojai Art Center's programs, promoting exhibitions and subsequent display on the Center's website of current and past exhibitions. Promotions and images may also be placed on social networks for The Ojai Art Center with artist credit. Artists grant the use of their image(s) as stated without further contact or compensation from The Ojai Art Center.

SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS: Art Center membership is required to have work exhibited. A temporary one-month membership is available for \$10. Must be in grades 7 through 12 to enter the student category. The Art Center will handle all sales, including sales tax. A 30% commission will be charged based on sale prices.

SUBMISSION CRITERIA: Images cannot have been previously exhibited in the Ojai Art Center. All work must meet professional presentation standards and be securely wired for hanging. To accommodate exhibition constraints, frame width must be at least 12 inches and no greater than 36 inches. Metal, Glass or Plexiglass infused prints can be submitted without frame but must have a professional rigid back frame with either wire or keyhole hanger. No sawtooth hangers are allowed. Works previously shown in the Art Center Galleries will not be accepted.

Submissions will not be accepted if:

- Glass is not clean.
- The image in a frame does not have a mat.
- The image is not flat or contain ripples or bubbles.
- The wire hanger is not made of stranded wire.

TAKE DOWN: Artists must pick up work Thursday, June 30 from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m.

Liability: Every precaution will be taken in handling the artwork; however, no liability for damages or loss can be assumed by The Art Center, Photography Branch or its volunteers. If artists wish to insure their work they must provide that insurance.

Contact: David Baker (805) 558-6460 (call or text) or email david@ojaiimages.com, for more information regarding this exhibit.

Entry Form: (Mount on back of Entry)

Name _____

Address _____

Phone/Cell _____

Email _____

Title of Work _____

Medium _____

Price of Work _____

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