

Club contests are open to members who have paid dues for the current club year.

NOTE: Regarding the use of Artificial Intelligence (AI) in photography. The Planning Committee has decided that the components of your final image should be produced by your camera. We are interested in your work as a photographer. If your image includes a second photo (or just a portion such as replacing a sky), these additions must also come from your camera. The only exceptions are frames &/or textures (which are not images) can be down-loaded. Common place post-processing actions (adjusting exposure, contrast, etc.), as well as program-based generative AI actions (eg. Lightroom's cloning option, Photoshop photo-enhancing filters), are acceptable.

UPLOAD DEADLINE: Upload before 5:00 PM the Saturday preceding the contest. If you are late uploading and miss the deadline your images may or may not show up for the contest. **UPLOAD:** Click on Member Log In (not the drop down). Then enter your User Name (UN) and Password (PW). If you don't remember your UN, contact Dianne Rose (diannerose@verizon.net). If you don't remember your PW, you can enter your UN and use the provided link to change your PW (make note of it somewhere). When done please remember to LOG OUT If you have difficulty with your upload or wish to replace an image, please contact Janet Hickey (janet.l.hickey@gmail.com) or Dianne Rose (diannerose@verizon.net). We reserve the right to remove image(s) if they are not properly labeled or sized.

IMAGES: Typically members may submit up to four (4) images) in club contests but this can change for specific contests; please see the instructions for each contest. Choose two (2) max in any one category. (Ex. Max two (2) in the THEME category and two (2) in OPEN). **READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS** below **BEFORE** saving your image and uploading.

NAMING: Type in the name of the theme category first. Continue by using first name then your last name initial, then show the number of the image (01, 02) and briefly describe what we are seeing. Example: Duality_DianneR_01 (description). Then save your format as a .jpg image. Example: "Duality_DianneR_01 church missile.jpg". The second image would be "02". If you are entering 1 or 2 additional images in the OPEN category: The example would be the same, but using OPEN first rather than the theme name. **SIZE:** Horizontal/wide 1600 px OR for a vertical/tall or your 'square-ish' image use 1200 px.

IMPORTANT TIP: Make sure that the total image size is not over 2MP. The uploader may have difficulty with larger images and will probably fail to upload. If this occurs, resize your image by adjusting the jpg "QUALITY" slider. Watch that the total MP of the image does NOT exceed 2MP. Save your image and try **UPLOAD** again.

FORMAT: .jpg or .jpeg

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