

Grape Expectations!

Albemarle Garden Club
Photography Show
May 9, 2018
at the home of Pati Cunningham



AGC Annual Meeting 2018 and Club Photography Show May 9, 2018

~This is a club show, not a GCA sanctioned show~

“Grape Expectations”

Albemarle and surrounding counties are home to over thirty-three vineyards that adorn the landscape and bring richness and beauty in the production of exquisite wines. With 3000 acres committed to growing predominately vitas vinefera, Virginia is the 5th largest growing area in the U.S.

Class 1: Vine Landscapes

November- March is the more dormant season for our vineyards, but the shedding of leaves reveals the elegant form and structure of the vines in the landscape.

A black and white photograph emphasizing shape and form in the landscape.

4 Entries

Class 2: A Closer Look: Bud Break

In March -April the essential bud break occurs yielding the first signs of the vine’s growing season.

A color photograph using creative techniques to capture the first signs of growth for the vine or any other indigenous plant to Albemarle County.

4 Entries

Class 3: Viva la Vitas!

Grapes are among one of the most popular fruits used in still life paintings. Their varying shapes, colors and translucency make them attractive for painters and photographers alike.

Create your own (color photograph) version of a “Still Life” table setting with grapes as the main focal point.

4 Entries

PHOTOGRAPHY GUIDELINES:

1. The photography division is open to all AGC Members (all categories of membership).
2. An exhibitor may make only one entry in a class but may enter as many as two classes. Advance registration is required. Please register online by clicking [HERE](#) Registration will open **March 12th** and remain open until either all classes are filled or **April 12th**. Exhibitors will be notified if accepted or not, at the time of registration.
3. If forced to withdraw, an exhibitor must notify Tori Macmillan, Photography Chair, as soon as possible.
4. Each photograph must be the work of the exhibitor, under whose name it is registered. Mounting and printing may be done professionally.
5. Any editing at any stage must be the work of the exhibitor. This includes enhancement for color or clarity, removal of a part of the image, combining images, or distorting the original subject.
6. Photographs must be flush mounted on foam core and may not be matted. The photograph is meant to be the same size as the foam core with no border. Overall dimension of entry **must not exceed 50" in total perimeter measurement**. Glass, framing and over-matting are not permitted.
7. Each entry must have the entry form affixed to the back of the photograph mounting with the exhibitor's name, garden club, email, address, phone number and class entered. The top of the photograph must be indicated.
8. An optional title or brief statement of intent is encouraged and should be included on the entry form and the entry card itself. If more room is needed, please use a plain index card.
9. Photos will be hung against a black background.
10. Photographs must be received no later than **May 1st**. Drop off photographs to:
Tori Macmillan
32 Old Farm Road
Charlottesville, VA 22903

11. All photographs will be passed by the photography committee to verify that class specifications have been met. If a photograph is not passed, the exhibitor will be notified and allowed, if time permits, to send a replacement photograph.

12. Only the photography committee may reclassify an entry, but only with the permission of the exhibitor.

13. While all care will be taken to exercise due caution in safeguarding exhibits, the committee does not take responsibility for damage or loss will not be assumed by AGC.

14. If you are unable to pick up your photograph, Tori Macmillan will bring it to her house after the meeting. Please arrange to retrieve it as soon as possible.

Thank you for entering ASAP as we expect this will be a very popular show!
Please contact Tori Macmillan at torimac27@comcast.net with any questions~

Instructions for entering:
Click [here](#) for online registration

PHOTOGRAPHY ENTRY FORM

Copy this page and affix this form to back of your photograph when entry is mailed or submitted. **Photograph Submission deadline is May 1, 2018**

Send or drop off photograph to:

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Class Entered:

Exhibitor Name:

Address:

E-mail:

Telephone:

Identifiable plant material:

Title or brief statement of intent (optional but encouraged):