

Digital Photography Award Guidelines

Region 14 is sponsoring Photography Awards in two divisions: Youth and Adult.

Images will be accepted until June 30th of each year. Please email as attachments or put them on a Jump drive and mail to *The Dixie Daylily* Editor. Do not reduce the size of images. They need to be sent large enough, preferably 1 MB to 6 MB, for our editor to be able to print them in our regional newsletter. Images sent at less than 500 KB cannot be accepted. The chairperson, judges and their immediate families are not eligible to enter the contest.

Rules and guidelines:

There are two divisions: Youth (under 21) and Adult.

There are five categories. Photographers may submit up to five entries in each category:

- (1) Single bloom (the photograph may be of any registered cultivar)
- (2) Multi-bloom or cultivar clump (must be of a registered daylily)
- (3) Daylilies with companion plants
- (4) Daylilies in the landscape
- (5) Artistic image

In the category of single bloom, the photographer must identify the cultivar, its hybridizer, its year of registration, and the garden in which the photo was taken.

The same applies for the multi-bloom or cultivar clump, the latter of which should show the foliage, the scapes, and the flowers to give a total picture.

In the daylilies with companion plants category, the photographer must identify the most prominent daylilies in the picture, as well as the most prominent companion plants. The photographer must also identify the garden in which the photo was taken.

In the landscape category, the photographer may if he or she wishes, identify some of the daylilies, but must identify the garden in which the photo was taken. No people should appear in the photo.

The artistic category should stress uniqueness in subject and composition.

The photographer must be an ADS Region 14 member.

A panel of three judges will evaluate all entries in respect to focus, color, and composition.

Region 14 will present a certificate plus a cash award of \$25 in each of the five categories, and the winning entries will be published in Fall issue of *The Dixie Daylily*. An awards presentation will be held at the Region 14 Fall Meeting.

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