

# 2008 Florida Strawberry Festival®

## PHOTOGRAPHY CONTEST

Sponsored by: Spivey Concessions

**Chairperson:** Jim Black, (813) 416-0398  
**Contest open to:** Hillsborough, Polk, & Pasco County residents and Winter visitors  
**Applications Available:** At Festival Office (2202 W. Reynolds St. Plant City) or at  
[www.flstrawberryfestival.com](http://www.flstrawberryfestival.com)

### AMATEURS ONLY

**Deadline: Photos accepted January 14 - January 25, 2008 by 3:00 p.m. only.**

Note: All photographs must be entered at the Festival office  
**THE FLORIDA STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL® RESERVES THE RIGHT  
TO REPRODUCE ANY PHOTOGRAPHY CONTEST ENTRY.**

### RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. Open to all Hillsborough County residents, Hillsborough County winter visitors, Polk County residents and winter visitors, Pasco County residents & Pasco County winter visitors (professional photographers not eligible).
2. Photographs entered must be the work of the exhibitor and must have been taken within the last twelve (12) months.
3. Entry fee is \$3.00 per entry **with a limit of one (1) entry in each class.**
4. All photographs MUST BE 8" X 10" AND MUST BE MOUNTED ON STANDARD 11" X 14" MOUNTING BOARD. Each exhibitor shall print full name, address, and class on the back of each entry.
5. DEADLINE FOR ENTRY: Photos will be accepted from January 15 - January 26, 2008 by 3:00 p.m. at the Festival Office (2202 WEST REYNOLDS STREET, PLANT CITY).
6. **Photos must be submitted in a self-addressed, self-stamped mailer. If they are not submitted as requested, photos will be discarded after the festival. Pickup is not an option.**
7. All reasonable care will be taken of entries to protect them from damage or loss while in the possession of the Festival Committee. However, no responsibility will be assumed for any such loss or damage of unclaimed exhibits at the close of the Festival, or of any such loss or damage prior to or during the Festival.
8. JUDGING: Judging is on Visual Impact, Composition, Quality, and Appeal. All Judges will be professionally qualified. DECISION OF THE JUDGES WILL BE FINAL. Entries will be displayed at the Festival as space permits.
9. An amateur photographer is one who earns less than 5% of their income from photography.

10. Place no titles on front of photograph.
11. The Florida Strawberry Festival® Management reserves the right to eliminate any picture submitted for competition that is not considered appropriate.
12. Photographer assumes responsibility for providing model releases for photographic entries of people if requested by the photographic committee.
13. **Anyone participating in this contest by way of entry, hereby agrees and consents to the use of any picture of contestant in any or all publications, TV, publicity brochure, internet, etc., that he Florida Strawberry Festival® may desire.**

**AWARDS:** Best in Show (Overall) for all Classes - \$100 & Rosette  
1<sup>st</sup> Place in each Class - \$35 and Rosette  
2<sup>nd</sup> Place in each Class - \$25 and Rosette  
3<sup>rd</sup> Place in each Class - \$15 and Rosette  
Two Merit Awards in each Class - \$10 and Rosette

**Limit 1 entry in each class.**

**CLASSES (ADULTS) 19 & up**

ANIMALS - Animal, insects, birds, fish, etc.

BLACK & WHITE

HUMAN - People present in photo

MISCELLANEOUS - Photos that do not meet the previous class criteria.

PLACES - Landscapes, Architecture, etc.

PLANTS - Trees, plants, flowers, etc.

THEME - Photo must relate to the Florida Strawberry Festival® theme  
“Lights, Camera, Action”

**\*NEW:**

**AWARDS:** 1<sup>st</sup> Place for each age group - \$35 and Rosette  
2<sup>nd</sup> Place for each age group - \$25 and Rosette  
3<sup>rd</sup> Place for each age group - \$15 and Rosette  
Two Merit Awards for each age group - \$10 and Rosette

**Limit 1 entry on any one of the subjects below.**

**CLASSES (YOUTH) Two age groups: 14 and under & 15 – 18 yrs.**

ANIMALS - Animal, insects, birds, fish, etc.

BLACK & WHITE

HUMAN - People present in photo

MISCELLANEOUS - Photos that do not meet the previous class criteria.

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