

Prescott Camera Club Competition Criteria

Things to consider when entering an image for competition or when voting for an image.

Impact

- “Wow” factor
- Does it evoke emotion, mood, feeling
- Captures and keeps your interest
- Would I hang it at home
- Does it tell a story/send a message
- Uniqueness

Composition

- Framed/cropped appropriately
- Leading curves and lines
- Clear subject
- Balance and Symmetry

Technical

- Focus and sharpness
- Appropriate depth of field
- Color, tone saturation
- Exposure appropriate for situation
- Use of light
- Brightness and contrast
- Artifacts, noise, dust
- Level horizon
- Print quality