

# IA PF ART COUNCIL

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## PHEASANTS FOREVER PRINT OF THE YEAR ART CONTEST INFORMATION AND RULES

1. The contest coordinator shall be the IA Pheasants Forever Art Council.
2. The contest shall be held on **Saturday, January 27, 2017 at the Starlight Village in Ames**. The Art Contest will be held during the IA PF State Convention.
3. **ENTRY DEADLINE:** Entries will be considered official when registered and ready at the judging site no later than **8:30 am Saturday January 27**. The contest will run from 9 am to 4 pm with the winner being announced after voting closes at 4 pm. Entries can also be dropped off at the State Council booth on Friday evening.
4. The **ARTIST** shall be responsible to deliver (or have delivered) their entry to the contest (the actual judging site where it must be registered as being present and on display).
5. All artwork must be removed immediately following the competition on Saturday either by the artist or a designated person.
6. All contestants are hereby notified of the advisability of obtaining adequate property coverage for their respective entries. The Pheasant Forever Art Committee/Council will not/does not insure the entries, and will not be responsible for any damages including, but not limited to those incurred by shipping, fire, vandalism, theft or by any mishandling.
7. The contest shall be open to all interested **Iowa artists**, 18 years of age or older.
8. Artist may submit a maximum of two entries to the contest.
9. **Image Size:** All entries, regardless of media used, shall be no smaller than 18" x 24", and no larger than 24" x 36".
10. Artists must not sign the painting. Any painting that is signed on the front will be removed from the contest.
11. Ownership of all original artwork will be retained by the artist. Reprints of the winning entry are at the sole discretion of the art committee.
12. **Subject matter:** The main subject matter of the print is open.

13. A painting may be only entered for competition twice. This includes past entries.
14. The design must be the entrant's own original creation and may not be copied or duplicated from previously published works.
15. You entries **MUST NOT** be framed. You will be allowed to use a 2-3 inch white matting on the outside, but no frame. No other form of enhancement is required or allowed.
16. The judging of your State Print will be done by those attending the IA PF State Convention. The winner will be determined by popular vote.
17. The winning artist shall make the winning entry available to the IA PF Art Committee immediately following the contest.
18. The awards for the winners will be as follows:
  - a. Winner – Plaque, ribbon, \$1,500 upon completion and delivery of print, 5 canvas prints, 75 regular edition paper prints and 25 artist proof paper prints.
  - b. 1<sup>st</sup> Runner-up - \$200, ribbon
  - c. 2<sup>nd</sup> Runner-up - \$150, ribbon
  - d. 3<sup>rd</sup> Runner-up - \$100, ribbon
  - e. 4<sup>th</sup> Runner-up - \$50, ribbon
19. The Print of the Year will consist of 90 signed/numbered canvas prints; 25 signed/numbered artist proof paper prints; 325 signed/numbered paper edition prints; and bio card of the artist and print image.
20. AFTER the prints and bio cards have been produced, signed, numbered and delivered (along with the print over-runs) to the print committee, the artist will then receive the 25 AP's, 75 regular edition prints and 5 canvas prints for their personal use along with the award check of \$1,500.00.

\*\*Additional contest rules, entry forms, and agreement copies can be obtained from the IA PF Print Committee at: 1458 300<sup>th</sup> Ave., Osceola, IA 50213. Phone number is 641-342-7152 or email is [whitedk@iowatelecom.net](mailto:whitedk@iowatelecom.net), ATTN: Kim White.