

LPA Portfolio Rules

To clear up any confusion and to ensure a level playing field, by entering the LPA Print Portfolio, members agree to abide by the following conditions:~

Entries not compliant with these conditions may be rejected by the organisers.

There is currently no charge to enter this competition.

The deadline for entries will be displayed on the LPA website.

There is an entry form on the LPA website, if you are unable to print the form, please supply the same information as requested on the form(Clearly printed) on a sheet of plain paper.

All LPA affiliated club members are able to enter up to a maximum of 3 colour prints and 3 mono prints. Colour popped prints and selectively toned prints are classed as colour, NOT mono, however, prints with an overall tone can be classed as mono.

Prints, or parts thereof, (or those that are so similar there could be confusion) can only be entered once in any format ~ i.e. colour or mono, but not both.

Print mount size in 16" x 20" or 400mm x 500mm. Smaller mounts are not acceptable as they can move during transit and cause damage to other prints.

The authors name, print title and club they are entering with should be clearly printed on the rear of the mount. There should be no information printed on the front of the mount.

Prints must be securely fixed to the mount in such a way that there is no possibility of adhesive damaging any other prints. Mounts must be backed with a thin backing card or strong paper to protect prints. Please do not use 2 x card mounts as weight and thickness impact on how many prints can be fitted into a case ~ Insulating tape and masking tape are not acceptable for the purpose of securing the backing card.

Members can only enter prints as belonging to 1 club.

Members who belong to more than one club may only vote once, preferably with the club with which they have entered prints.

Clubs are not to vote on their own clubs' print entries. Entries from that club should not be presented for voting, but may of course be viewed separately.

If a club submits entries from their members, they also need to vote. (This could potentially lead to some prints being voted on by an extra club)

Completed voting slips must be posted back to the organiser as soon as possible, (even if you choose to also email the results) It is important to place your choices in the correct order on the voting slip in order for points to be awarded.

As the schedule has already been announced, (and is also on the LPA website) individual club competition organisers should familiarize themselves with the club before and after them and should liaise with them to organise and confirm transportation of the prints to ensure they arrive at each club for their allotted deadlines.

Please contact the organisers at the earliest opportunity if there are any issues ~ contact details are in the paperwork pack.