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NAIL COMPETITIONS

RULES & REGULATIONS



LOCATION
EXHIBIT HALL E

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 16

Turn In Entries:

3-D Nail Art –
ON THE FARM

Hand-Painted –
**THINGS THAT GO BUMP
IN THE NIGHT**

BLING!

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 17

Gel Polish Manicure
Salon French w/Art Accent
Artistic French

MONDAY, OCTOBER 18

Embellish It!
Fantasy Complete Look
Awards Ceremony
Awards ceremony to be held
in Hall E competition stage

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NAIL COMPETITIONS

General Rules

1. For the divisional categories a Novice competitor is defined as someone that has never placed first in an international, in person competition. (NailPro, Nailympia, INJA, etc). If you have competed in the past at the veteran level you must enter veteran. Manufacturers educators may enter novice, provided they have not placed first in previous competitions. If you are not sure if a competition you entered in the past applies please contact Guin Deadman at nailsbyguin@gmail.com for verification. A veteran competitor knowingly entering novice category will result in disqualification.
2. Art and enhancement categories are separate for divisional consideration. (you may be novice in art and veteran in enhancements, etc)
3. For onsite competitions, only chairs, table and one power outlet will be provided, it is the competitors responsibility to bring all necessary supplies. (except the Embellished competition when supplies are provided.)
4. All competitors must follow instructions of floor judges during competitions and judging.
5. Judges will not know which entries are veteran and novice, overall high point winner can be from either division.
6. To be eligible for Overall high point winner competitors must enter at least five categories and will be decided from total of five highest scores.
7. Models must make sure they are seen by all judges and have nails photographed before leaving judging area, identification number will be removed from model when they are finished.
8. Identification numbers will be applied to models during briefing and to turn-in art upon turn-in. Each category will have different numbers.
9. Competitors and models must be present for briefing and rules prior to each competition start (see daily schedule) Late arrivals will not be allowed.
10. All turn in art must be picked up after awards ceremony, Guin Deadman and Premiere Orlando will have no responsibility for entries left behind.
11. Score sheets will be handed out to all competitors after awards ceremony, or can be emailed, if competitor is not present. Awards will be mailed to competitors if they are not able to be present at awards ceremony.
12. There will be a limit of 25 competitors per competition.
13. Premiere Orlando and the Sponsors reserve the right to cancel the competition if a minimum of 10 competitors is not met.

Liability

Premiere Orlando Show, Guin Deadman, Kupa, Light Elegace Nail Products, LeChat, the Orange County Convention Center and all other competition sponsors shall not be responsible or liable for models or any damages arising out of work performed on model(s).

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Electrical Equipment

Each participant will be provided with one (1) electrical outlet on the competition floor.

TURN IN: 3-D NAIL ART | THEME: ON THE FARM

Competition Location

Exhibit Hall E

Turn In Entry Location

Attendee Registration (Lobby D2)

Competition Fees

Veteran

\$100 - On or Before October 16

\$125 - Day of Show

Novice

\$85 - On or Before October 16

\$100 - Day of Show

Non-Divisional

\$50 - On or Before October 16

\$75 - Day of Show

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Prizes

Veteran

1st \$300 & Trophy

2nd \$200 & Medal

3rd \$100 & Medal

Novice

1st Trophy & Goodie Bag

2nd Medal

3rd Medal

Non-Divisional

1st \$125 & Trophy

2nd \$100 & Medal

3rd \$75 & Medal

Overall High Point Winner

\$500 & Trophy

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Schedule

Saturday, October 16	
2:00 - 7:00p	Competitors Turn-In Entries Due at Attendee Registration in Lobby D2

Monday, October 18	
3:30 - 4:30p	Awards Ceremony to be held on competition stage in Exhibit Hall E

Competition Rules for Turn In: 3-D Nail Art (Theme: On the Farm) (Veteran & Novice) 5 Tips Turn In

1. Competitors may submit more than one entry, but must pay a registration fee for each entry
 2. Entries may be turned in by the competitor or the competitor may have someone else turn it in. Entries may be mailed in. You do not need to be present to enter this competition. All Competitors are responsible to make arrangements to pick-up or have entries mailed back to them.
 3. All work must be completed prior to the competition. This is a turn-in competition.
 4. 3-D Nail Art entry must consist of 5 full size individual manufacturer tips. Tips must be graduated in size, maximum of 2" in length. Original tip color does NOT matter.
 5. All nail art must be made from professional nail products and embellishments (colored acrylic, light-cured gel, polish, etc.) no polymer clay. All art must be made by hand, no pre made, store bought molds may be used to create art.
 6. Embellishments, i. e. Rhinestones, metal pieces, beads, etc, may be used, but must NOT exceed 25% of the overall design.
 7. Top coat, UV gel or traditional may be used.
 8. NO COPYRIGHT designs, (manufactures logos or designs) violation will result in 15 point deduction.
 9. Designs may not extend more than 1 inch from tip surface, in any direction, but must remain individual and not be attached to each other. If tips do not meet the requirements, the design may be disqualified or receive a point deduction.
 10. Display: Five tips must be SECURELY fastened to a PLAIN, ONE COLOR, flat surface no larger than 6"x 8"x 1/2" thick for the judging process. Any entry that does not meet this requirement may receive point deduction.
 11. All entries must be new and can not have been entered in any competition previously.
 12. Entries cannot be posted on social media sites prior to judging.
 13. Competitors must prepare and submit a written statement in two parts:
 1. List of types of products used to create art (do NOT name specific brands or manufacturers)
 2. Explain your interpretation of the theme.
- Failure to provide this information will result in a 5 point deduction. DO NOT INCLUDE YOUR NAME on write ups.

Judging Criteria: Total possible 100pts

1. Originality 5pts : The design is unique and different from other entries
2. Visual Interest 10pts: Does the design capture your attention and keep it
3. Overall Impression 10pts: The design has a great overall impression and follows all rules.
4. Workmanship 10pts: Quality work, shows artistic skills and is neat and clean
5. Complexity 10pts: Design is challenging and showcases multiple skills and techniques
6. Theme Interpretation 5pts: Design portrays the theme well and creatively
7. Design and Detail 10pts: The design is well planned and the detail is clean and precise
8. Color 10pts: The colors complement and are cohesive to the design
9. Dimension 10pts: The dimension is noticeable and complementary to the design, and within rules 1" in any direction from surface of the tip
10. Presentation 10pts: Entry is within rules and presented according to rules. Presentation is neat and clean.
11. Balance 5 pts: The design is balanced across all tips
12. Tip Length 5pts: Tips must be no longer than 2" in length

TURN IN: HAND-PAINTED | THEME: THINGS THAT GO BUMP IN THE NIGHT

Competition Location

Exhibit Hall E

Turn In Entry Location

Attendee Registration (Lobby D2)

Competition Fees

Veteran

\$100 - On or Before October 16

\$125 - Day of Show

Novice

\$85 - On or Before October 16

\$100 - Day of Show

Non-Divisional

\$50 - On or Before October 16

\$75 - Day of Show

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Prizes

Veteran

1st \$300 & Trophy

2nd \$200 & Medal

3rd \$100 & Medal

Novice

1st Trophy & Goodie Bag

2nd Medal

3rd Medal

Non-Divisional

1st \$125 & Trophy

2nd \$100 & Medal

3rd \$75 & Medal

Overall High Point Winner

\$500 & Trophy

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Competition Rules for Hand-Painted (Veteran & Novice)

10 Tips Turn In; Theme: Things that Go Bump in the Night

1. Competitors may submit more than one entry, but must pay a registration fee for each entry submitted.
2. Entries may be turned in by competitor or the competitor may have someone else turn it in. Entries may be mailed in. You do not need to be present to enter this competition. All Competitors are responsible to make arrangements to pick-up or have entries mailed back to them.
3. All work must be completed prior to competition, this is a turn in competition only.
4. Hand painted nail art entry must consist of 10 full size individual, manufacturer tips. Tips must be graduated in sizes and a maximum of 2" in length. Original tip color does NOT matter.
5. Competitors may use acrylic paints, gel paint, gel polish, nail polish or watercolor(aquarelle) paints. Extra points will be awarded for use of different mediums (+1 point for each additional medium used (maximum of 4 bonus points), must be at least 10% of design for extra points, describe usage in story)
6. Surface must be smooth and flush, absolutely no raised surfaces. Glitter may be used but must remain smooth and cannot be more than 10% of design.
7. Traditional or gel top coat may be used, but does not count toward multiple medium points.
8. NO COPYRIGHT designs, (manufactures logos or designs). Violation will result in 15 point deduction.
9. Display: Ten tips must be SECURELY fastened to a PLAIN, ONE COLOR, flat surface no larger than 6"x 8"x 1/2" thick for the judging process. Any entry that does not meet this requirement may receive a point deduction.
10. Tips must be securely fastened to the required base but must remain individual and not be attached to each other. If tips are attached to each other entry will receive a 5 point deduction
11. Entries cannot be posted on social media sites prior to judging.
12. Entries must be new and never entered in any competition previously.
13. Competitors must prepare and submit a written statement in two parts.
 1. List of types of products used to create art, please specify usage of multiple mediums (do NOT name specific brands or manufacturers)
 2. Explain your interpretation of the theme. Failure to provide this information will result in a 5 point deduction. DO NOT INCLUDE YOUR NAME on write ups.

Judging Criteria: Total possible 104pts

1. Originality 5pts: The design is unique and different from other entries
2. Visual Interest 10pts: Does the design capture your attention and keep it
3. Overall Impression 10pts: The design has a great overall impression and follows all rules.
4. Workmanship 10pts: Quality work, shows artistic skills and is neat and clean
5. Complexity 10pts: Design is challenging and showcases multiple skills and techniques
6. Theme Interpretation 5pts: Design portrays the theme well and creatively
7. Design and Detail 10pts: The design is well planned and the detail is clean and precise
8. Color 10pts: The colors complement and are cohesive to the design
9. Dimension 10pts: Techniques were used to create depth and dimension to design
10. Presentation 10pts: Entry is within rules and presented according to rules. Presentation is neat and clean.
11. Balance 5 pts: The design is balanced across all tips
12. Tip Length 5pts: Tips must be no longer than 2" in length
13. Multi medium bonus possible 4pts: +1 point for each additional medium used, must be used for at least 10% of design and described in write up

TURN IN: BLING!

Competition Location

Exhibit Hall E

Turn In Entry Location

Attendee Registration (Lobby D2)

Competition Fees

Veteran

\$100 - On or Before October 16

\$125 - Day of Show

Novice

\$85 - On or Before October 16

\$100 - Day of Show

Non-Divisional

\$50 - On or Before October 16

\$75 - Day of Show

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Prizes

Veteran

1st \$300 & Trophy

2nd \$200 & Medal

3rd \$100 & Medal

Novice

1st Trophy & Goodie Bag

2nd Medal

3rd Medal

Non-Divisional

1st \$125 & Trophy

2nd \$100 & Medal

3rd \$75 & Medal

Overall High Point Winner

\$500 & Trophy

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Competition Rules for Turn In: Bling! (Non-Divisional)

5 Tips Turn In; Open Theme

1. Competitors may submit more than one entry, but must pay a registration fee for each entry
2. Entries may be turned in by the competitor or the competitor may have someone else turn it in. Entries may be mailed in. You do not need to be present to enter this competition. All Competitors are responsible to make arrangements to pick-up or have entries mailed back to them.
3. All work must be completed prior to the competition. This is a turn-in competition.
4. Bling!!! entries must consist of 5 nail tips various sizes, maximum 4" minimum 2" in length.
5. No store bought jewelry pieces or gem clusters, everything must be created from loose stones.
6. Metal studs, spikes, chains, & wire etc are allowed but can be no more than 50% of the design.
7. Background color may be ombré, or solid color. Chrome and glitter are allowed, (but sometimes distract from the bling.)
8. No Handpainting designs allowed on background.
9. Acrylic and gel is to be used for attaching stones and elements only not for design purposes.
10. Nothing can extend more than 1" in any direction from tip surfaces.
11. There is no theme, but all nails should be cohesive together. They do not need to form one design, just feel like part of a set.
12. NO COPYRIGHT designs, (manufactures logos or designs)violation will result in 15 point deduction.
13. All stones and creations must be secure to the nail tips. (Dangles are allowed as long as they're anchored well, and not longer than 1" from tip)
14. Display: Five tips must be SECURELY fastened to a PLAIN, ONE COLOR, flat surface no larger than 6"x 8"x 1/2" thick for the judging process. Any entry that does not meet this requirement may receive point deduction.
15. All entries must be new and can not have been entered in any competition previously.
16. Entries cannot be posted on social media sites prior to judging.

Judging Criteria: Total possible 100pts

1. Originality 5pts: The design is unique and different from other entries
2. Visual Interest 10pts: Does the design capture your attention and keep it
3. Overall Impression 10pts: The design has a great overall impression and follows all rules.
4. Workmanship 10pts: Quality work, shows artistic skills and is neat and clean
5. Complexity 10pts: Design is challenging and showcases multiple skills and techniques
Amount of Quality Bling 10pts: The bling is shiny and appears to be high quality and is sufficient amount for design created
6. Design and Detail 10pts: The design is well planned and the detail is clean and precise
7. Use of Color 10pts: The colors complement and are cohesive to the design
8. Dimension 10pts: Techniques were used to create depth and dimension to design
9. Presentation 5pts: Entry is within rules and presented according to rules. Presentation is neat and clean.
10. Balance 5 pts: The design is balanced across all tips
11. Tip Length 5pts: Tips must be no longer than 4" in length and no shorter than 2" in length

FANTASY - COMPLETE LOOK

Competition Location

Exhibit Hall E

Turn In Entry Location

Attendee Registration (Lobby D2)

Competition Fees

Veteran

\$100 - On or Before October 16

\$125 - Day of Show

Novice

\$85 - On or Before October 16

\$100 - Day of Show

Non-Divisional

\$50 - On or Before October 16

\$75 - Day of Show

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Prizes

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3rd \$100 & Medal

Novice

1st Trophy & Goodie Bag

2nd Medal

3rd Medal

Non-Divisional

1st \$125 & Trophy

2nd \$100 & Medal

3rd \$75 & Medal

Overall High Point Winner

\$500 & Trophy

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Schedule

Monday, October 18	
11:00 - 11:30a	Competitors Report
11:30 - 11:40a	Rules Briefing
11:40a - 12:30p	Assembly
12:30 - 1:30p	Final Judging
1:30 - 2:30p	Presentation
3:30 - 4:30p	Awards Ceremony to be held on competition stage in Exhibit Hall E

Competition Rules for Fantasy - Complete Look (Veteran & Novice) Completed Ahead, Assembled Onsite; Open Theme

1. Competitors may use previously created and entered in other competition art, but it is encouraged to add to the entry to make improvements. This will be an exhibition competition, judging will take place and trophies awarded, but there will be no cash prizes for this category this year.
2. Fantasy entries must consist of 10 nails applied to each individual nail of model. Nails may be connected by art pieces.
3. Model must have full look, hair, makeup, costume, as well as nails.
4. There is no size limit on fantasy nail art, but model must be able to move freely and nails must stay adhered to the models nails for the duration of judging and presentation.
5. Tips or sculpted base nails are allowed, and will be judged as part of the design.
6. All nail art must be created by competitor only. Assistance may be used in dressing model and applying nails to model onsite, (especially if competitor is to be their own model) but majority of hair and make-up of look needs to be applied by competitor.
7. All nail art must be created from professional nail products (colored acrylic, light-cured gel, polish, acrylic, etc) no craft products allowed (molding clays, etc)
8. Embellishments (items built with molds, feathers, rhinestones, beads, etc) are allowed but can be no more than 25% of design
9. Lights and power moving parts are allowed as long as wires and mechanisms are hidden/incorporated into the design.
10. NO COPYRIGHT designs, (manufactures logos, designs, etc) violation will result in 15 point deduction.
11. Competitors will have 50 minutes for assembly, model MUST be finished and lined up, ready for judging at required time, not being ready will result in point deduction or possible disqualification. (see daily schedule) Competitors must be present for rules briefing prior to assembly. (see daily schedule)
12. Entries cannot be posted on social media sites prior to judging.
13. Competitors must prepare and submit a written statement explaining their theme. (failure to provide this will result in 5 point deduction) DO NOT INCLUDE YOUR NAME.

Judging Criteria: Total possible 100pts

1. Originality 5pts : The design is unique and different from other entries
2. Visual Interest 10pts: Does the design capture your attention and keep it
3. Overall Look 10pts: The total look has a great overall impression and follows all rules. Complete look follows the theme, costume, hair and make-up enhance theme created on nails.
4. Workmanship 10pts: Quality work, shows artistic skills and is neat and clean
5. Complexity 10pts: Design is challenging and showcases multiple skills and techniques
6. Theme Interpretation 5pts: Design portrays the theme well and creatively
7. Design and Detail 10pts: The design is well planned and the detail is clean and precise
8. Costume 10pts: The costume adds too and completes the design, extra consideration will be given for handmade or creatively embellished costumes.
9. Presentation 10pts: Entry is within rules and presented according to rules. Presentation is neat and clean.
10. Balance 10pts: The design is balanced across all tips
11. Dimension 10pts: Is the design created with techniques that showcase dimension.

GEL POLISH MANICURE

Competition Location

Exhibit Hall E

Turn In Entry Location

Attendee Registration (Lobby D2)

Competition Fees

Veteran

\$100 - On or Before October 16

\$125 - Day of Show

Novice

\$85 - On or Before October 16

\$100 - Day of Show

Non-Divisional

\$50 - On or Before October 16

\$75 - Day of Show

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Prizes

Veteran

1st \$300 & Trophy

2nd \$200 & Medal

3rd \$100 & Medal

Novice

1st Trophy & Goodie Bag

2nd Medal

3rd Medal

Non-Divisional

1st \$125 & Trophy

2nd \$100 & Medal

3rd \$75 & Medal

Overall High Point Winner

\$500 & Trophy

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Schedule

Sunday, October 17	
9:00 - 9:30a	Competitors Report
9:00 - 9:50a	Station Prep
9:50 - 10:00a	Rules Briefing
10:00 - 10:30a	Competition
10:30 - 11:00a	Final Judging

Monday, October 18	
3:30 - 4:30p	Awards Ceremony to be held on competition stage in Exhibit Hall E

Competition Rules for Gel Polish Manicure (Non-Divisional)

:30 two hands

- Competitors will have 30 minutes to complete gel polish application on two hands on a model. Natural nails only, no enhancements allowed on nails.
- Only table, two chairs and power outlet will be provided, competitors must bring everything they need to compete.
- Competitors may not begin until told to start by floor judge. Competitors must stop all work when time is called. Failure to do so will result in automatic disqualification.
- One hand will be pink and white french style, transparent or cover pink may be used (no glitter or shimmer allowed). Hair line tip of nails must be painted with white.
- One hand will be painted full cover with black creme gel polish (no shimmer or glitter allowed), hairline tip must be painted with black.
- Any type of UV/LED cured, soak off gel products may be used, bottle or pot.
- Base gel may be used but is not required.
- Nails should be prepped prior to competition start, but must be completely free from product.
- All nail surfaces must be completely smooth and shiny, no design or art allowed.
- Cuticle oil is allowed but points will be deducted for excess oil.
- All nails must be same length measured from cuticle to free edge on both hands. All nails must be natural nail only no products may be used to add length.
- Files may be used to perfect nails after application, but nails must be free from dust and debris.

Judging Criteria: Total Possible 100pts

- Smile Lines 10pts: Smile lines are crisp and consistent and symmetrical on all nails. Points are even and sharp, and white is same length on all nails.
- French application 10pts: Pink is smooth with no marbling or shadows, white is solid with no shadows and hair line tip is painted white. Pink should be very close to cuticle without touching skin. There should be no lip or ridge of product at cuticle or sidewall area. There is no product seepage underneath the nail.
- Black color application 10pts: Black coverage is even and solid with no shadows or thin areas, hairline tip is painted with black. Black should be very close to cuticle without touching skin. There should be no lip or ridge of product at cuticle or sidewall area There is no product seepage underneath the nail.
- Length 10pts: the length on all ten nails is the same measured from deepest point of cuticle to longest point of free edge.
- Shape 10pts: All ten nails are consistent in shape.
- Cuticle area 10pts: Cuticle skin is well manicured and free from product and cuts or abrasions or excess oil.
- Product Control 10pts: there is no bubbles, marbling, pooling or wrinkles in product on both hands.
- Surface structure 10pts: nail surfaces are smooth and contoured with no dips or ripples or excess thickness on sides, ends, or cuticle area.
- Finish 10pts: Surface is shiny and free from pits or bubbles or sticky residue.
- Overall Impression 10pts: Nails make a great overall impression, and are clean and free from dust or debris.

SALON FRENCH WITH ART ACCENT

Competition Location

Exhibit Hall E

Turn In Entry Location

Attendee Registration (Lobby D2)

Competition Fees

Veteran

\$100 - On or Before October 16

\$125 - Day of Show

Novice

\$85 - On or Before October 16

\$100 - Day of Show

Non-Divisional

\$50 - On or Before October 16

\$75 - Day of Show

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Prizes

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Novice

1st Trophy & Goodie Bag

2nd Medal

3rd Medal

Non-Divisional

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2nd \$100 & Medal

3rd \$75 & Medal

Overall High Point Winner

\$500 & Trophy

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Schedule

Sunday, October 17	
10:45 - 11:00a	Competitors Report
11:00 - 11:50a	Station Prep
11:50a - 12:00p	Rules Briefing
12:00 - 1:15p	Competition
1:15 - 2:15p	Final Judging

Monday, October 18	
3:30 - 4:30p	Awards Ceremony to be held on competition stage in Exhibit Hall E

Competition Rules for Salon French with Art Accent

(Veteran & Novice) 1:15 One Hand

1. Competitors will have one hour and fifteen minutes to complete five nails on a model, four nails must be salon style pink and white french, one nail (competitors choice) will be decorated as an artistic accent nail (smile is not required on accent nail). (may use self as model, two competitors may share one model)
2. Competitors may not begin until told to start by floor judge. Competitors must stop all work when time is called. Failure to do so will result in automatic disqualification.
3. Only table, two chairs and power outlet will be provided, competitors must bring everything they need to compete.
4. Nails may be constructed from acrylic(liquid & powder), gel, acrygel(poly gel) type products, any combination of these products may be used.
5. Paint on white gel or art gel may NOT be used on french nails.
6. Forms (paper or metal) or tips(clear or natural) are allowed and can be tailored prior to competition start.
7. Reverse forms, molds, and white tips are NOT allowed.
8. French style nails must have smile lines, no tools or cutters maybe used to create smile lines but hand or e-files are allowed to perfect smiles.
9. French nails must be created with clear, or transparent pink, or cover pink and white sculpting products, no other color or glitter allowed.
10. One nail only, (competitors choice) is to be an artistic accent nail.
11. No prework allowed for art nail.
12. No decals, stamps, stickers, design foils, etc.
13. Handpainted, 3d, rhinestones, embedded and/or surface designs are allowed
14. All types of colored products are allowed for designs, gel, acrylic, paint, glitter, etc.
15. Any shape is allowed but all 5 nails (including art nail) must be same shape
16. Length should be salon suitable and all 5 nails (including art nail) must measure exact same length from cuticle free edge.
17. Nails must be finished to a high shine with hand buffing or uv gel top coat (matte top coat is allowed only on accent nail if suitable to design)
18. Hand and e-files are allowed. All files, buffers, sanding bands, etc must be new and unused.
19. Water, soap, lotions and oil may all be used, but points will be deducted for excessive oil.

Judging Criteria: Total Possible 100pts

1. Smile 10pts: Smile line is consistent and symmetric from side to side on each nail and same on each nail, points are sharp and end in same place on both sides of nails and not filed off (smile is not required on art accent nail) (there is no required ratio for nail bed to free edge but must be consistent and flattering)
2. C-curve 5pts: C-curve is consistent 30-40% on all nails.
3. Free edge thickness 5pts: free edge is the same thickness side to side on all nails and is no thicker than a credit card.
4. Cuticle area 5pts: product is perfectly blended with no visible lip or shelf. Product is not filed off at cuticle area. There are no cuts or abrasions to skin, no concessions will be given for pre-existing damage.
5. Arch placement 5pts: arch placement is consistent nail to nail and properly placed for length created, not too far back or forward.

SALON FRENCH WITH ART ACCENT (CONT.)

Competition Location

Exhibit Hall E

Turn In Entry Location

Attendee Registration (Lobby D2)

Competition Fees

Veteran

\$100 - On or Before October 16

\$125 - Day of Show

Novice

\$85 - On or Before October 16

\$100 - Day of Show

Non-Divisional

\$50 - On or Before October 16

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1st \$125 & Trophy

2nd \$100 & Medal

3rd \$75 & Medal

Overall High Point Winner

\$500 & Trophy

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6. Lower edge/underside 5pts: Lower edge is finished and smooth and comes straight out from lateral fold without dropping downward, for almond shape nails the curve begins at same point on all nails. Underside is clean and smooth with no sign of product seepage.
7. Lateral 5pts: nail extends straight out from sidewalls or tapers at same rate on both sides.
8. Surface structure 5pts: Nail structure is consistent side to side along top surface looking from tip and cuticle, one side is not heavier than other.
9. Shape 5pts: all 5 nails are consistent in shape.
10. Length 5pts: length is exactly same on all 5 nails measured from deepest point of cuticle to longest point of free edge and should be suitable for salon application.
11. Product control 10pts: there are no bubbles or marbling in the product as well as no areas where product has been filed off. Product control is also demonstrated in accent nail.
12. Finish 5pts: surface of all nails is completely smooth and shiny with no visible scratches or bubbles, (if matte top coat is used on accent nail surface must be perfectly smooth) (excepting surface designs on accent nail) Nails are clean and free of all dust and debris.
13. Originality of design 5pts: design is unique and original and creative.
14. Workmanship of design 10pts: design is executed with precision and detail.

ARTISTIC FRENCH

Competition Location

Exhibit Hall E

Turn In Entry Location

Attendee Registration (Lobby D2)

Competition Fees

Veteran

\$100 - On or Before October 16

\$125 - Day of Show

Novice

\$85 - On or Before October 16

\$100 - Day of Show

Non-Divisional

\$50 - On or Before October 16

\$75 - Day of Show

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Prizes

Veteran

1st \$300 & Trophy

2nd \$200 & Medal

3rd \$100 & Medal

Novice

1st Trophy & Goodie Bag

2nd Medal

3rd Medal

Non-Divisional

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2nd \$100 & Medal

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Schedule

Sunday, October 17	
1:30 - 1:45p	Competitors Report
1:45 - 2:20p	Station Prep
2:20 - 2:30p	Rules Briefing
2:30 - 4:30p	Competition
4:30 - 5:30p	Final Judging

Monday, October 18	
3:30 - 4:30p	Awards Ceremony to be held on competition stage in Exhibit Hall E

Competition Rules for Artistic French (Veteran & Novice)

2:00 One Hand

- Competitors will have two hours to complete five artistic french style nails on a model(may use self as model, two competitors may share one model)
- Competitors may not begin until told to start by floor judge. Competitors must stop all work when time is called. Failure to do so will result in automatic disqualification.
- Only table, two chairs and power outlet will be provided, competitors must bring everything they need to compete.
- Nails may be constructed from acrylic(liquid & powder), gel, acrygel(poly gel) type products, any combination of these products may be used.
- Forms (paper or metal) only are allowed and can be tailored prior to competition start. NO tips allowed.
- Reverse forms, or molds are NOT allowed.
- Design may be in any part of the nail, but "smile" line must be distinguished and identifiable, and sculpted into the nail, not painted on the surface.
- Artistic "smile" lines are allowed but must be sculpted into the nail, not painted on the surface, brush or tools may be used to create "smiles", "smiles" may be perfected with hand or e-file.
- Design may be different on each nail but length and shape must be same for all nails.
- Nails may be any length but must be same length from cuticle to free edge.
- Nails may be any shape but must be the same shape on all five nails.
- Colors must fall within standard french palette, no glitter, shimmer, metallic, or opalescent colors allowed. (clear, transparent pink, soft and bright white, ivory, nude, cover pink, beige) If in doubt, don't use it.
- Design may be created using any combination of acrylic, gel, gel polish, or acrygel products.
- Design may be embedded or on surface of nail or both, surface design cannot hide or correct "smile" line.
- 3D design is allowed but must be created onsite, nothing pre-made allowed.
- Tip: Surface design is allowed but must not cover up structural judging criteria, points cannot be given for areas that can't be seen.
- No glitter, foil, rhinestones, bullion, mylar, etc allowed.
- Hand and e-files are allowed. All files, buffers, sanding bands, etc must be new and unused.
- Nails must be finished smooth, (except surface art, if present) and high shine buffing, Uv gel, regular or matte top coat maybe used.
- Water, soap, lotions and oil may all be used, but points will be deducted for excessive oil.

Judging Criteria: Total Possible 100pts

- "Smile" 10pts: "Smile" lines are sculpted into the nail and are distinct and identifiable and enhance the design of the nails ("smile" lines may be artistic and different on each nail) all "smiles" are clean and deliberate. No obvious attempt has been made to hide or fix flaws in "smile" with surface decoration. (there is no required ratio for nail bed to free edge, but it should enhance the design)
- C-curve 5pts: C-curve is consistent to shape of nails and same on all nails and supports structure of the nails.
- Free edge thickness 5pts: free edge is the same thickness side to side on all nails and is no thicker than a credit card.
- Cuticle area 5pts: product is perfectly blended with no visible lip or shelf. Product is not filed off at cuticle area. There are no cuts or abrasions to skin, no concessions will be given for pre-existing damage.

ARTISTIC FRENCH (CONT.)

Competition Location

Exhibit Hall E

Turn In Entry Location

Attendee Registration (Lobby D2)

Competition Fees

Veteran

\$100 - On or Before October 16

\$125 - Day of Show

Novice

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\$100 - Day of Show

Non-Divisional

\$50 - On or Before October 16

\$75 - Day of Show

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5. Arch placement 5pts: arch placement is consistent nail to nail and properly placed for length created, not too far back or forward. Nails must be structurally sound.
6. Lower edge/underside 5pts: Lower edge is finished and smooth and consistent on all nails. Sides extend out consistently on all nails. (asymmetric shapes are allowed but must be consistent) Underside is clean and smooth with no sign of product seepage.
7. Lateral 5pts: nail extends straight out from sidewalls or tapers at same rate on both sides (asymmetric shapes are allowed but must be consistent)
8. Surface structure 5pts: Nail structure is consistent side to side along top surface looking from tip and cuticle, one side is not thicker than other.
9. Shape 5pts: all 5 nails are consistent in shape (asymmetric shapes are allowed but must be consistent)
10. Length 5pts: length is exactly same on all 5 nails measured from deepest point of cuticle to longest point of free edge.
11. Product control 5pts: there are no bubbles or marbling in the product as well as no areas where product has been filed off. Product control is demonstrated in design.
12. Finish 5pts: surface of all nails is completely smooth and shiny or matte with no visible scratches or bubbles, (excepting surface designs) Nails are clean and free of all dust and debris.
13. Originality of design 10pts: design is unique, original and creative.
14. Workmanship of design 10pts: design is executed with precision and detail.
15. Complexity of design 5pts: design is created with multiple products and techniques.
16. Overall Impression 10pts: Nails make a great overall impression. No rules were violated.

EMBELLISH IT!

Competition Location

Exhibit Hall E2

Turn In Entry Location

Attendee Registration (Lobby D2)

Competition Fees

Veteran

\$100 - On or Before October 16

\$125 - Day of Show

Novice

\$85 - On or Before October 16

\$100 - Day of Show

Non-Divisional

\$50 - On or Before October 16

\$75 - Day of Show

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1st Trophy & Goodie Bag

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Non-Divisional

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2nd \$100 & Medal

3rd \$75 & Medal

Overall High Point Winner

\$500 & Trophy

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Schedule

Monday, October 18

9:00 - 9:45a	Competitors Report
9:45 - 9:50a	Bags Out
9:50 - 10:00a	Rules Briefing
10:00 - 10:45a	Competition
10:45 - 11:45a	Final Judging
3:30 - 4:30p	Awards Ceremony to be held on competition stage in Exhibit Hall E

Competition Rules for Embellish It! (Non-Divisional)

:45, 3 tips, all materials provided

1. Competitors will have 45 minutes to complete creative designs on 3 tips provided using only materials included in bags handed out 5 minutes prior to competition briefing start time.
2. Competitors may only use tips and products provided in bags.
3. Each competitor will receive an identical (colors may vary) assortment of "embellishments" to use during the competition. No additional embellishments are allowed. No products other than those included in bag may be used for designs, all art must be done with products provided only.
4. Each tip can have different designs or all three can be part of a singular design.
5. Feel free to be as creative as you like, nails do not need to be salon wearable.
6. Competitors are NOT allowed to bring any additional items or products.
7. Sharing or trading color products IS allowed.
8. A plain card with double sided tape will be provided for mounting tips for judging. Competitors number will be on card.
9. Each bag will contain tools and products to attach embellishments as well as nail polish.
10. This competition will be strictly limited to 30 entrants, entrants will keep all contents of their bag.
11. Bags will contain all manner of traditional and non-traditional nail art decoration items.
12. There will be a nail file included to shape tips if desired.
13. 4 tips will be included in each bag, but only 3 need to be turned in for judging, no extra point will be given for extras.
14. The goal of this competition is to inspire and encourage creativity.

Judging Criteria: Total possible 50pts

1. Originality 10pts: Design is unique and original
2. Creativity 10pts: doing the best with what you've got.
3. Cleanliness of Application 5pts: application is clean and precise
4. Finish 5pts: Nails are finished and design appears complete.
5. Balance 10pts: Design is balanced on all 3 tips, it appears similar time was spent for each nail.
6. Overall Impression 10pts: Nails make a great overall impression