



**Gruppo Fotografico**  
**"LA GIOCONDA"**  
**Paderno Ponchielli**

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Fifteenth  
National Photographic Competition  
Fifth  
International Photographic Competition

# PORTFOLIO

**PADERNO PONCHIELLI**  
**17<sup>th</sup> – 24<sup>th</sup> May 2015**

**Deadline for works submission 18<sup>th</sup> April 2015**

## Calendar of the Event

Delivery of works by hand .....	from 27 <sup>th</sup> March 2015
Deadline for works submission .....	18 <sup>th</sup> April 2015
Meeting of the Jury .....	19 <sup>th</sup> April 2015
Communication of results .....	from 20 <sup>th</sup> April 2015
Opening of the exhibition .....	17 <sup>th</sup> May 2015 – 10 am.
Ceremony of prize-giving .....	17 <sup>th</sup> May 2015 – 5 pm.
End of the exhibition .....	24 <sup>th</sup> May 2015
Return of works by hand .....	29 <sup>th</sup> May 2015
Return of works by mail .....	delivery by 30 <sup>th</sup> June 2015

## Schedule

**Visiting hours:** week days 9pm.-11pm.; Sundays and holidays: 10am.-12am. and 3pm.-7pm.

**Delivery and return of works by hand:** at photo group offices: from 9pm. to 11pm. on 4<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, 17<sup>th</sup> April and 29<sup>th</sup> May, or by appointment.

**Unaccepted works** will also be available for pick up during the exhibition.

## Prizes

**First :** Gift card € 500,00

**Second :** Gift card € 250,00

**Third :** Gift card € 150,00

**To distinguished works:** subscription to photographic magazines

**To all eligible works:** photo book of the thirty-year anniversary of the Photo Group “La Gioconda”

## Jury

### **PIERGIORGIO ARDIGO’**

President Photo Group “La Gioconda”

### **BEPPE ARENA**

Art director, theater and film actor and director

### **TIZIANO BELLINI**

President Photo Group “Immaginarte”

### **PIERLUIGI MONTALI**

President Photo Group “Color’s Light” (Colorno)

### **FULVIA FARASSINO PEDRONI**

Professional Photographer.

## Secretary

**PAOLO CALZA** - G.F. La Gioconda Councilor

**ERNESTO SEVERGNINI** - G.F. La Gioconda Councilor

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# R U L E S

1) The G.F. "La Gioconda" - Oratorio di Paderno Ponchielli organizes the Fifteenth National Photographic Competition, Fifth International

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for non-professional photographers only. The aim of the competition is to reward the continuity in the works of the candidates. For this reason **eight prints** are required, indifferently in black and white and/or colour.

The decision of the Jury will be based **on the entire submitted work**, with particular regard to:

- style and technique;
- coherence of subjects;
- originality of the works.

**Therefore the entire portfolio may or not be accepted;** the portfolios that will have gained the highest evaluations will have access to prizes and notes.

2) Prints, unframed, must measure between 30 and 40 centimeters on the long side, and 30 centimeters at the most on the short side. Smaller prints also might be sent, as long as they are applied on a piece of **thin pasteboard** of those dimensions. **Prints will be framed under glass, therefore such measures are compulsory.** On the back of the prints the following information must be readable: **progressive number; title of the work; full name and address of the Author; club name, if member.**

**3) Works that will be sent in without the entrance fee, or in any other way not in conformity with this regulations, will neither be judged nor sent back .**

4) The promoters, although assuring the best care for the submitted works, decline any responsibility for theft, damage or else, during both transport and permanence in Paderno Ponchielli.

5) Each Author is responsible for the subject matter presented in the submitted works. The promoters are enabled to use images and data in self-edited publications, if not strictly forbidden by a written request of the Author of the images himself.

6) The members of G.F. "La Gioconda" will not be participating to the competition.

7) The judgment of the jury is not open to appeal. The participation to the competition requires the total acceptance of the resent regulations.

**8) ACCEPTED WORKS WILL BE SHOWN IN SAN ROCCO CHURCH IN PADERNO PONCHIELLI.**

## WORKS AND FEE SENDING

**Prints**, carefully packed and with a cover reusable for returning, and the entry form (Modulo per invio STAMPE.doc), filled in and signed, must be sent post free to:

**GRUPPO FOTOGRAFICO "LA GIOCONDA"**  
**c/o MARCO ANTONIOLI**  
**Via Podestà 17**  
**26011 CASALBUTTANO (Cr) ITALY**

**DIGITAL FILES - Digital file images will also be admitted: the G.F. "LA GIOCONDA" will provide for the printing at a trusted workshop before the judgment of the Jury.**

The prints edited with this procedure will be 30cm on the major side: for this reason it is recommended that the major side of the file image is at least 3.000 pixels. Smaller prints might be edited only on Author's specific request.

To avoid any misunderstanding with the Author, files will be normally printed without any revision by technicians. Small corrections (e.g. bright or color cast) must be previously approved by the Author.

**The cost of each print is € 2,50**

The prints can be sent to the participants, upon request, at the end of the exposition. **In case this service is not requested, the entrance fee will be € 15,00** (instead of € 18,00).

**Files** may be sent:

- ✓ on CD-rom (which will not be returned) to the above address;
- ✓ by e-mail to [info@gflagioconda.it](mailto:info@gflagioconda.it). It is not allowed to send file images from more Authors in one e-mail

**ENTRANCE FEE** - The entry form, filled out and signed, must be sent to the same address. For digital files, the entry form can be downloaded at <http://www.gflagioconda.it> (Modulo per invio DIGITALE.doc).

The **entrance fee of € 18,00** (or € 15.00, in case the delivery service of printed digital files is not requested) and the refund for the digital file printing also must be sent to the same address. Please note that, according to Italian postal regulations, it is forbidden to send cash via regular mail. Participants who do not deliver their works by hand can pay the entrance fee by

- ✓ cash,
- ✓ postal order,
- ✓ cashier's check,
- ✓ PayPal (email: [info@gflagioconda.it](mailto:info@gflagioconda.it) , add € 0,90 to the fee for the charge)

through bank transfer (code IBAN IT 48 N 08454 56710 000000035241, holder Gruppo Fotografico "La Gioconda" at Banca Cremonese – Credito cooperativo – Agenzia di Casalbuttano

It is necessary to write the full name of the candidate in the description.

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ENTRY FORM N°	Works arrival	Entrance fee arrival	Delivery of results	Return of works

Surname .....

Name .....

Address .....

Zip code..... City .....

Telephone.....ANAF card n° .....

e-mail.....

Club .....

Entrance and printing fee. ....

Sent by: .....

Signature .....

PORTFOLIO TITLE.....

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