

2025: Basket Bliss in Georgia

Jury Guidelines

Teachers may submit their baskets for jurying using photographs.

PHOTO REQUIREMENTS:

Background:

Use a solid white background when photographing your basket (poster board taped together works well) and avoid basket shadows on the background. Since we do not have your basket on hand for jurying, multiple angles would be helpful.

Format: Save photo in **JPEG** format, using the finest quality setting on your camera and **do not reduce the size or crop** the photo.

Place a standard 12 oz soft drink can next to the basket to show the student the relative size. For miniatures, please use a quarter alongside your basket. All photos must have white backgrounds.

Keep in mind that one of the photographs you submit will be one that is featured in the convention booklet, should your submission be selected by the jury.

SUBMITTING APPLICATIONS AND PHOTOS--OPTIONS:

TO SUBMIT VIA EMAIL:

You may download a form available on our website www.georgiabasketry.com in the GBA 2025 Convention section. You will be able to type your information into the document, save it, and then send the completed form to Michele Payne at Dragonfly4620@comcast.net **Please indicate GBA proposal in the subject line.**

Instructions for completing the submission form:

1. Go to the website www.georgiabasketry.com, and click on the link GBA 2025 Convention.
2. Click on the link that says "Teacher Application".
3. You will then be prompted to either open or save a Microsoft Word file. Save a copy of the form.
4. Open the form and you will be able to type your information in the appropriate places.
5. Save the form as Your Name_Submission Name.doc. For example, Pattie Bagley_ Market Basket.doc.

Submitting Completed Forms:

1. Open your email, and compose a new message addressed to Dragonfly4620@comcast.net– indicate GBA proposal in subject line.
2. Attach the completed Microsoft Word document, your bio and whatever photographs you want to submit to your email. **Please send only one basket submission per email.**
3. Send the email to wait for a confirmation that your files were received successfully. If you have not gotten confirmation within 48 hours, please send your files again.

Experience Level:

- Beginner - Have little or no weaving experience with materials being used. For example, you have woven with flat reed and the class you wish to take is round reed for which you have not tried.
- Intermediate -Skilled at basic techniques with material being used. Weaver has no trouble setting up bases, twining, over-under weave and rims using the material of the class offered.
- Advanced - Have mastered all basic skills and ready to try new techniques, fibers, shaping, and creative methods.
- All Levels Class - suitable for all level of weavers.

Please include separate teacher bio with submission

Questions? Please contact Patti Patterson, Teacher Liaison

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Deadline for submission: Monday, July 15, 2024