The Westchester County Amateur Photo Contest
hosted by
The Greenburgh Public Library Foundation

Agreement Form and Contest Rules and Regulations

The contest is open to amateurs only. A professional is defined as one whose primary source of income (50%) or more results from his/her photographic work.

Only Westchester County residents are eligible to enter the contest. No Greenburgh Public Library employee or immediate family member, no member of the Greenburgh Public Library Board of Trustees, member of the Greenburgh Library Guild, member of the Board of Directors of the Friends of the Greenburgh Library, or member of the Howard & Ruth Jacobs family are eligible to enter the contest.

Submissions will be accepted via e-mail from March 15, 2019 through March 31, 2019. This is an open competition. Limit one (1) submission per person. Submissions of more than one photograph per person will be disqualified. There will be two categories, an adult category and a high school student category. Contestants must indicate which category they are entering when they e-mail in their submission. Please include your name and phone number. Submissions should be e-mailed to photocontest@greenburghlibrary.org and must be submitted in JPEG format.

Selected photographs will be displayed in the Library’s Howard and Ruth Jacobs Family Gallery from May 2, 2019 through June 13, 2019. Contest winners will be announced at a reception on Saturday, May 18, 2019.

Photographs selected for the contest will be judged from between May 2, 2019 through May 17, 2019. The judges’ decisions are final.

Prizes will be awarded as follows:

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Honorable mentions will be awarded.

Each selected photo must have the contestant’s name, address, and phone number clearly printed directly on the back of each submission. Selected contestants must submit a signed entry form when dropping off their photograph.

The minimum size of the photographs will be 11” X 14”. The maximum size of the submission including the outer frame is to be 30” X 24”. Only original photos taken by the artist in 2018 or 2019 will be accepted. All photos must be framed in glass, acrylic or clear plastic with wire on the back. Submissions must have either a black or white matte, and a simple black frame, maximum frame width of 1”. WOODEN FRAMES ARE NOT PERMITTED. Photographs must be suitable to a family environment.
Photos where another piece of artwork is the main focus of the photo will not be accepted.

All images must be submitted by the original contestant. By submitting an image, the contestant represents and warrants that:

a. The contestant is the sole and exclusive owner of the image and has the right to license such image as provided herein.

b. To the best of the contestant’s knowledge the image does not infringe any copyright, trademark right, or right of privacy or publicity, and does not defame any third party.

It is the responsibility of the contestant to obtain written or verbal release for public use of any submitted photo from all persons in the photograph submitted. The photographer accepts all liability from the use of a photo where this release has not been obtained. The Greenburgh Public Library, the Greenburgh Library Guild and the Town of Greenburgh (heretofore know as The Parties) are not responsible or liable for legal implications resulting in the publication of any submitted photo. The Parties are not responsible for any damage or theft to any entry.

Contest winners will be asked to grant to the Parties for their photograph and their name to be used for promotional purposes online, in print, and all other media for editorial, advertising, and promotional purposes in connection with the contest without payment or additional compensation unless prohibited by law. By giving permission, you grant to the Parties a non-exclusive, perpetual, irrevocable license to use your photograph exclusively limited to promoting the photography contest in the current year, as well as in the future. Also by entering the contest, you agree to release and hold harmless the Parties from any and all liability for any injuries, loss, claim, action, demand, or damage of any kind arising from or in connection with the contest or contest prize.

The Parties reserve the right at their sole discretion to cancel, terminate, modify, or suspend the contest.

Once the exhibit has been taken down photos must be picked up at the Library by Saturday, July 27, 2019 (photographers will be notified when specific pickup dates are announced). The Parties retain the right to discard any submission not picked up by the set date.

I have read and understand the contest rules and regulations. The submission of my photograph, along with my signature below, indicates my acceptance of all rules, regulations, and releases associated with the contest.

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Printed Name                                      Date

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Signature