

To help capture images of the community in our Newburgh calendar, Historic Newburgh, Inc. invites photographers from all levels of expertise to enter the 2019 Historic Newburgh, Inc. Calendar Photography Contest (“Contest”). Winning images have the opportunity to be published in the 2019 Historic Newburgh, Inc. calendar as well as being displayed as a part of an exhibition throughout Newburgh in the fall of 2018.

Please read the following rules carefully! Photo’s due by September 30, 2018.

WHO: The competition is open to ALL photographers at least 15 years of age. Your entry to the contest constitutes your agreement to allow your photographs – and your name, city and state of residence – to be published as selected award winners in the 2019 Historic Newburgh calendar; exhibited at the visitors center and other public venues; published or used on websites owned or operated by Historic Newburgh, Inc. as award winners; and used for promotions of Newburgh including, but not limited to, a photo contest calendar, a compilation book or electronic collection of winners, online photo features and contests, and web pages providing information, updates, rules and photography tips. Historic Newburgh, Inc. shall have the right to verify, in its sole judgment, winner eligibility.

WHAT: We are looking for striking images of community events, buildings, nature, creatures on land and life beneath the water’s surface, or other depictions of our Historic Downtown Newburgh Community. These images may show animal behavior, portraits of wildlife in natural habitat, plant life, natural landscapes, weather, people interacting with nature, community events, landmarks, structures, etc. Images will be judged on originality, technical excellence, composition, overall impact and artistic merit. Decisions made by the judges are final. Entrants must not infringe on the rights of any other photographer or person or submit images that involve the willful harassment of wildlife or damage to the environment by the photographer. All photographs should accurately reflect the subject matter and the scene as it appeared. Photos that have been digitally altered beyond standard optimization (removal of dust, cropping, adjustments to color and contrast, etc.) will be disqualified.

WHEN: Photos may be submitted beginning on March 1, 2018. Deadline for submitting entries is September 30, 2018. Receipt of entries cannot be acknowledged. Winners will be announced in October of 2018. To enter the contest the photo must be posted to the Historic Newburgh, Inc. Facebook or Instagram page. Should participant not have social media access photos may be emailed to: info@historicnewburgh.org.

WHY: A selection of winning photos may appear in the 2019 Newburgh calendar and possibly in an exhibition through Newburgh merchants and the Historic Newburgh, Inc. web site. A public online vote may be utilized to help determine the winners. Twelve winning photos will be selected to appear in the calendar. Additional winners may be

selected as Honorable Mention Winners. Historic Newburgh, Inc. reserves right to limit winning photographs to one per person.

HOW: A total of up to 4 photographs may be submitted per month by entrant. Please note that landscape orientation of photos is best. To enter a photo must be posted to the Historic Newburgh, Inc. Facebook page or Instagram social media pages. Tagging Historic Newburgh, Inc. on the photo to place on the Historic Newburgh timeline will also account for an entry.

Electronic Entries: Should participant not have social media accounts, electronic entries may be submitted by sending photo to info@historicnewburgh.org – subject line should be month of year/calendar entry. Electronic submissions must be in either JPEG format. Original files of camera-made digital photos must be three (3) mega pixels or larger. Electronic entries may also be dropped off on a *compact disk to: Historic Newburgh, Inc., 517 W. Main Street, Newburgh, IN 47630.*

Identifying Information: Each Social Media entry must identify the photographer's name and Historic Newburgh must be able to reply to the social media account. In addition to photographers name, a brief description of where, when and how the photograph was taken must be included. Entries failing to provide this information are subject to disqualification. Historic Newburgh, Inc. cannot be responsible for lost, damaged, late or misdirected entries, or for uploading connections, garbled transmissions, unauthorized intervention or technical malfunctions.

LEGAL DISCLAIMERS: By entering, participants release and hold harmless Historic Newburgh, Inc., its Board of Directors, Employees, Volunteers and Sponsors from any and all liability for any injuries, loss, claim, action, demand or damage of any kind arising from or in connection with the calendar photo contest. Outside of the twelve prizes awarded to the winning calendar photo entries, there will be no additional fees paid by the Historic Newburgh, Inc. to participants for use of their photographs. Winning participants will be required to sign an additional agreement and waiver form prior to receiving their prize. Should a winning participant be younger than 18 years of age a signature from authorized parent / adult will be required. Participant agrees that any and all disputes that cannot be resolved with Historic Newburgh, Inc., and causes of action arising out of or connected with the Historic Newburgh, Inc., shall be resolved individually, without resort to any form of class action, before a court of competent jurisdiction located in Warrick County, Indiana which court shall apply the laws of the State of Indiana without regard for rules of conflicts of law. In any such dispute, participant shall, under no circumstances, be entitled to claim punitive, incidental or consequential damages, or any other damages, including attorneys' fees, other than participant's actual out-of-pocket expenses (if any) associated with participating in the photo contest. Participant hereby waives all rights to have damages multiplied or increased.

Historic Newburgh, Inc. is not responsible for any incorrect or inaccurate information, whether caused by users or by any equipment or programming associated with or utilized by Historic Newburgh, Inc., or by any technical or human error that may occur in

the processing of submissions to Historic Newburgh, Inc., including but not limited to any misprints or typographical errors. Historic Newburgh, Inc. assumes no responsibility for any error, omission, interruption, deletion, defect, delay in operation or transmission, communications line failure, theft or destruction or unauthorized access to, or alteration of, entries. Historic Newburgh, Inc. is not responsible for any problems or technical malfunction of any telephone network or lines, computer equipment, servers, providers, computer on-line systems, software, or failure of email on account of technical problems or traffic congestion on the Internet or at any website, including injury or damage to participant's or to any other person's computer related to or resulting from participating or uploading images or information.

If, for any reason, Historic Newburgh, Inc. is not capable of contest completion as planned, Historic Newburgh, Inc. reserves the right at its sole discretion to cancel, terminate, modify or suspend the contest. Historic Newburgh, Inc. reserves the right to use photographs not submitted as a part of this contest in its 2019 calendar.

In no event will Historic Newburgh, Inc., directors, officers, employees, attorneys, agents and representatives be responsible or liable for any damages or losses of any kind as a result of this contest.

No purchase or account is required to enter to win.