

CAPTURE THE FUN! PHOTO SAFARI

AT THE CAJUN HEARTLAND STATE FAIR!



The Cajun Heartland State Fair is looking for talented photographers to spend the day documenting the exciting activities at this year's Fair.

Why Compete?

- ✓ FREE to Enter
- ✓ Win cash prizes
- ✓ Have your images posted on the CAJUNDOME & Cajun Heartland State Fair website, Facebook and Instagram
- ✓ Contest images may be used in CAJUNDOME & Cajun Heartland State Fair marketing materials in the future
- ✓ FREE Fair admission ticket to all contestants

Who Can Enter?

- ✓ All Louisiana residents, ages 18 and older.
- ✓ Open to professional, semi-professional and amateur status photographers.
- ✓ Contest is limited to 50 participants

Contest Timeline

MAY 22, 2019	Entry Form Due by 12Noon
MAY 23 – JUNE 2, 2019	Photo Safari photography shoot days
JUNE 5, 2019	All images must be uploaded to designated Contest Flickr Page
JUNE 12, 2019	Winners will be announced

Categories

	Awards in each category	
A. Food (still life or people)	1 st Place	\$50
B. Midway Rides/Attractions	2 nd Place	\$35
C. The Fair at Night	3 rd place	\$20
D. Fairscape, General, Other		

Spirit of the Fair Award \$100

The photo that most exemplifies the traditions and spirit of the Cajun Heartland State Fair.

Questions? Contact Erica at ericaw@cajundome.com

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Entry Rules

1. No Entry Fee!
2. Contestants must submit an entry form by MAY 22nd, 2019.
3. The first 50 photographers to send in their entry forms can participate. All others will be waitlisted.
4. The registered photographer must have taken images during the dates of MAY 23- JUNE 2, 2019. So please make sure that your camera time is set correctly. We will be checking the file's META data.
5. A maximum of 20 images can be submitted for jurying, distributed by category in any way they choose. No category limits.
6. Judges reserve the right to reassign photos to another, more appropriate, category if deemed necessary.
7. The Cajun Heartland State Fair may use any submitted images in future marketing materials.

How it all works

If you are one of the first 50 to submit an entry form, you will be sent an email letting you know that you are in the contest. We will have ONE (1) fair admission ticket waiting for you at the CAJUNDOME Box Office Will Call for the day of your choosing and parking is free at Cajun Field. You are welcome to participate more than one day of the fair, however you must pay the admission fee for entry on the other days.

Frequently Asked Questions

Do I have to be a professional photographer to participate? No, all levels and experience are welcome.

What kind of Camera do I need? You can use any camera as long as you can provide a digital file for uploading to our Flickr page.

How old do you need to be to participate? At least 18 years of age or older.

Can I submit other images I have from prior years? No. You can only submit images that were taken with the contest dates of MAY 23-JUNE 2, 2019.

Do I get paid for my work? No... Photographers are not paid for the images that the CAJUNDOME or Cajun Heartland State Fair may decide to use in their marketing materials. However, you will receive credit for those images that the CAJUNDOME & Cajun Heartland State Fair uses.

Will I retain the right to use my photos for other purposes? The photographer retains the right to use all submitted images for other purposes. The Cajun Heartland State Fair may choose to utilize images to promote the Fair in the future. The Cajun Heartland State Fair will not sell or make money from your photographs. You have the sole right to sell and use your photographs in any way, subject to the Cajun Heartland State Fair's right to utilize the photographs, as described in this paragraph.

Can we manipulate our photographs in Photoshop and Lightroom? We don't want images that are heavily manipulated, so please avoid using filters, over sharpening or any heavy-handed processing. You can crop image, color correct and do basic editing.

Do I have to get model releases? The Cajun Heartland State Fair is not requiring model releases.

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Entry Forms must be received by Wednesday, May 22, 2019. Please print legibly.

Name (First, Last)		
Mailing Address		
City	State	ZIP
Cell Phone		
Email		
Flickr Screen Name		

Agreement

I hereby certify that I have read the Cajun Heartland State Fair Rules for the Capture the Fun! Photo Safari. I also agree that the Cajun Heartland State Fair may use my name, likeness, or photograph (including, but not limited to the photographic images I submit for jurying or photographic images I uploaded to Instagram), for use in marketing materials, free of charge and without further notice or consultation.

Signature of Contestant

Date

Scan/Email form to: ericaw@cajundome.com

OFFICE USE ONLY	
Date Received _____	
<input type="checkbox"/> Contest Participant Number _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Waitlisted Number _____