

Bristol Township Announces a Photo Contest for Residents

Get your camera out and start snapping shots of Bristol. The Bristol Township Council is pleased to announce a photo competition for residents of the township.

Both amateur and professional photographers are invited to capture Bristol Township's beautiful environment, architecture and vibrant community life.

The free contest is open to Bristol Township residents of all ages, and residents can submit up to five photos.

Win Great Prizes....The photo competition is being sponsored by the Township's solicitor, Randy Flager and the Law Offices of Randall C. Flager & Associates, PC who has generously donated gift card prizes of \$250 for 1st Place, \$100 for 2nd Place, and several \$50 prizes for honorable mention.

Photographs must be received by 5 p.m. on June 9, 2017.

Photo Contest Rules:

There are several ways to submit (by email or by dropping them off at the municipal building) your photos, but the Township will NOT accept printed copies.

1. SUBMIT YOUR ELECTRONIC PHOTO IMAGES BY EMAIL: Photographs can be submitted by email to jfox@bristoltownship.org (file must be greater than 3MP); important: Attach only ONE image file per email, maximum of five. For each email the contestant MUST supply all the following information:

A. On the email subject line: Photo contest entry by [your name]

B. In the message area enter:

First and last name of contestant:

Contact phone number:

Email address:

Description of where photo was taken, Date and location where photo was taken:

Or SUBMIT a USB flash drive/CD ROM Disk containing the electronic images (up to five) may be dropped off at the front desk of the Municipal Building from 8:30am-5:00PM M-F. A submission form (identifying your first and last name, contact phone number, email address and full description of photo) must accompany the photograph. Forms are also available on the Township web site or at the front desk of the Bristol Township Municipal Building. Please note, CD Rom disks and/or flash drives will NOT be returned.

Photo entries which also meet the contest rules may be displayed on the Township's website and Facebook site.

ALL digital images and/or CD Rom disks/flash drives submitted (both winners and non-winners) will become the property of Bristol Township and will NOT be returned.

IMAGE REQUIREMENTS: Eligible images from a digital camera set at no less than 3 mega pixels high resolution or digitally scanned if from a non-digital camera must be in JPG digital format at a file size of between 3 megabytes (minimum) and 10 megabytes (maximum) at 300 dpi (dots per inch) of sufficient resolution to print at 8 by 10 inch size without a loss of quality.

2. Winner Requirements: Prize Winner entries will be awarded on a first, second and third place basis in accordance with how many 'Likes' they have received on Facebook regarding their photo post during the contest period. If a potential winner fails to comply with these official rules, that potential winner will be disqualified.

By submitting entries, the contestant acknowledges and agrees to the terms of the contest ENTRY AGREEMENT (read terms below).

ENTRY AGREEMENT:

In submitting the attached photo(s) (PHOTO) to Bristol Township (Township), I (we), (CONTESTANT), hereby warrant and agree, to the following:

CONTESTANT warrants to Township that he/she has lawful ownership rights to the PHOTO and acknowledges that once submitted, the PHOTO becomes the property of the Township.

The PHOTO is the result of CONTESTANT'S sole artistic efforts unless otherwise stated above as a collaboration.

Except as otherwise disclosed in writing to Township in this submittal form, the PHOTO is unique and original and does not infringe upon any copyright or patent.

The PHOTO is free and clear of any lien. Except for title and possession, pursuant to the Copyright Act of 1976 (17 U.S.C. §101 et seq.), CONTESTANT will retain the copyright and all other rights in and to the PHOTO. The CONTESTANT grants to Township an irrevocable and non-exclusive worldwide license to reproduce, to distribute, and/or to display two- or three-dimensional reproductions of the PHOTO in any manner whatsoever relating to any Township publication or event, including, without limitation:

Public display as well as reproduction on Township items, such as print ads, postcards, posters, brochures, applications, television programs and the Township website.

The Township may alter images of the PHOTO as necessary to fit into reduced or enlarged format sizes.

The Township may use the PHOTO on Township merchandise and commercial items which may be sold for fundraising purposes.

HOLD HARMLESS

CONTESTANT agrees to release TOWNSHIP, its agents, officials, employees, and volunteers from and against all liability, including copyright or patent infringement claims or causes of action, arising out of this Agreement and claims arising from CONTESTANT'S participation in the TOWNSHIP of BRISTOL Photo Contest. CONTESTANT agrees to defend (with counsel satisfactory to TOWNSHIP), indemnify and hold TOWNSHIP harmless and free from all liability, whether caused by passive negligence or otherwise, arising out of CONTESTANT'S participation or association with the TOWNSHIP of BRISTOL Photo Contest. CONTESTANT agrees to pay all costs incident to any claim, including, without limitation, attorneys' fees. I agree that the above information is correct. I further agree that this agreement is intended to be as broad and inclusive as is permitted by the law of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

The Township reserves the right not to award prizes if a suitable photograph has not been entered.

Contact Jessica Fox at 215-785-0500 x2933 or email jfox@bristoltownship.org for additional information.