

2018 Photo Contest/Competition and Sale

49th Annual Migration Festival

October 18-21, 2018

Rules and Regulations

Please carefully read over the following document before submitting a registration form.

Original Works

- All entries must be the registrant's **original work**
- Pieces must be a true photograph not computer enhanced or manipulated.
- It is prohibited to submit a piece that is copied or duplicated from previously published photos or images protected by copyright, in any format, published on the internet, computer generated image or mechanical output devices whether from the entrant or any other person or entity ~ **Plagiarism is an offence.**
- Suspected copied works, whether entirely or partially, will be disqualified without refund.
- All entries must be flat 2-dimensional work.

Technical Requirements

- 2018 theme: Wild & Wonderful Nature
- Entries must be 8x10, finished photo size. Matting and frame is in addition.
- Presentations can be landscape, portrait or diagonal.
- Entries must be framed, matted and ready to hang with wire.
- Your photo identification data label, along with a photograph of the work (computer scan is acceptable), must be placed in an unsealed envelope on the back of each entry.
- You **MUST** supply your own floor or table easels for each piece you enter.

Dates to Remember (2018)

- Friday, October 6 – Deadline to enter the Photography Contest/Competition and Sale (For inquiries after this date please contact Nancy directly at 226-346-1977)
- Delivery of entries to the Jack Miner Sanctuary during the following hours:
 - 10am-4pm on Tuesday, October 16
 - 10am-4pm on Wednesday, October 17

- Saturday, October 20 – Judging occurs from 8-10am (subject to change).
- Saturday, October 20 – People’s Choice Award competition open
- **Sat & Sun October 20 & 21** – entries on public display and sale at the Jack Miner Sanctuary, 11am-4pm
- Sunday, October 21st, Entries to be picked up between 4-5pm at the Sanctuary. **NO EARLIER. *Anyone that removes entries prior to the pick-up time will not be allowed to participate next year.***

Fees and Payment

Fees:

- Each entry requires a non-refundable entry fee of \$10.00 (Four-piece entry maximum. One entry does not encompass a series.)

Registrations submitted after Friday, October 6th will increase to \$15.00 per entry.

Payments:

- Payments made by cheque may be mailed or hand delivered to the Kingsville Arena (see *dates to remember*) with “MigFest (Photo)” on the memo line. You are only guaranteed to be in the show if your cheque has been cashed.
- **Cash payments must be hand delivered** during the Kingsville Arena office hours only.
- All NSF cheques will be subject to set banking charges. Be advised that if you have NSF charges they are with [The Town of Kingsville](#). NSF cheques will result in subsequent registrations to be paid by money order or certified cheque.

After printing the registration form, please mail or hand deliver it along with your payment to (see *Dates to Remember*):

The Town of Kingsville
MigFest (Photo)
2021 Division Rd., North
Kingsville, ON N9Y 2Y9

Make fees payable to “**Town of Kingsville**”. Cheques and money orders must name the registrant and include “MigFest (Photo)” the on the memo line. *POST-DATED CHEQUES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.*

Prize structure

First	\$300.00	Second	\$200.00	Third	\$100.00
People’s Choice Awards	\$50				
NEW YOUTH CATEGORY (ages 15 & under)	\$75each for the top 3 entries				

Additional Important Information

- After judging is complete, photographers are encouraged to display a biography and business card with their work.
- Register early as the competition and sale continues to grow each year. Display space is limited.
- The Jack Miner Sanctuary has monitored security systems in place.
- No food or beverage is permitted during the period of the show and/or judging.
- Children MUST be accompanied and monitored by an adult.
- You enter the competition at your own risk.
- A number assigned by the Migration Festival Committee will identify works for judging (to be provided when your piece is delivered). Please cover your name if it is on the photograph. Visible names will result in disqualification.
- Judging occurs on Friday, October 19, 2018. Winners will be announced after the Migration Festival Parade, at the Jack Miner Sanctuary.
- All monetary transactions from sales are between you and the client. Migration Festival Committee Volunteers will assist clients in contacting you but will not handle sales transactions.
- Photographers will receive an email confirmation when registration is considered complete by the Photo Show Coordinator and/or the Migration Festival Committee. Please allow 5-7 business days from the date your payment is processed for the Photo Show Coordinator to contact you.
- Any questions can be directed to the Photo Show coordinator Nancy Hickmott at 226-346-1977 or n.hickmott@gmail.com