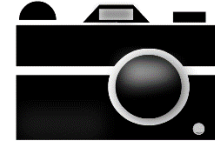


**Fostoria Area Visitors Bureau**

# **“Picture Your Fostoria” Photo Contest**



**Photo submission  
deadline May 1, 2018.**

## **Contest Information**

Enter your photos now in the “**Picture Your Fostoria**” Photo Contest, sponsored by the Fostoria Area Visitors Bureau. Entries will be used to showcase Fostoria in various materials that are designed to help attract visitors to town. We’re looking for photos that represent all four seasons and might include: unique Fostoria architecture, attractions, events, landmarks, nature, outdoor activities, and scenic landscapes.

## **Contest Rules**

1. Both amateur and professional photographers are eligible to enter the contest. You must have taken and be the sole copyright holder of the photo.
2. **The photos must be taken in Fostoria.** We’re seeking images with striking original color and creativity. Photos will be judged on originality, subject matter and visual appeal.
3. Watermarks, copyright notices or signatures are not permitted on photo entries.
4. Entries should be submitted in .jpg format at 300 dpi.
5. All entries become the property of the Fostoria Area Visitors Bureau (FAVB). By entering the contest, you’re giving us permission to use the photos for publicity and promotion of Fostoria. This may include use on websites or social media pages, exhibits, displays, brochures or publications, or for other marketing and promotional uses by the Fostoria Area Visitors Bureau as well as the Fostoria Area Chamber of Commerce and the Fostoria Economic Development Corporation.
6. Photographers must sign a release form granting the FAVB permission to use entries in publications. The FAVB will have unlimited *but not exclusive* use of all photographs submitted. When possible, the FAVB may credit the photographer in publications.
7. Photographers agree that they have obtained permission from subjects in their photos to have material submitted for this contest and used for future promotional purposes, including social media. Neither the contest nor the FAVB are liable for any model fees or waivers thereof.
8. The FAVB reserves the right to suspend, cancel or extend this contest without notice.

## **Cash Prizes**

A panel of independent judges will review all entries received by the May 1, 2018 deadline. Cash prizes will be awarded as follows: First Place - \$50, Second Place - \$25, and Third Place - \$15.

# **“Picture Your Fostoria” Photo Contest Submission Form**

Please complete and submit ***one form*** for each photo you are submitting.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Please provide photo details as applicable (e.g. location/address of photo, name(s) of people in photo, date taken, etc.):

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- By checking this box, the applicant acknowledges that they have read the Contest Rules and hereby agrees that the FAVB reserves the non-exclusive, royalty-free right to use any photograph in publications for promotional purposes. The applicant also acknowledges that any person appearing in submitted photograph has given the applicant and the FAVB consent for reproduction and promotional use.

**Your photo entry will not be considered eligible unless this box is checked.**

## **SUBMISSION DETAILS**

Complete **one** entry form per photo and email it along with your digital photo entry with “**PHOTO CONTEST**” in the subject line to:

[development@fostoriachamber.com](mailto:development@fostoriachamber.com).