



CALL TO PHOTOGRAPHERS
Museum and Cultural Center at 5ive Points
200 Inman Street East | Cleveland, TN 37311

TELLING THE STORY OF THE OCOEE REGION:
PHOTOGRAPHY EXHIBITION AND CONTEST

The Museum and Cultural Center at 5ive Points is pleased to announce a photography exhibition and contest that showcases the talent of local photographers and celebrates the history and beauty of our region. Photographers of all ages and skill levels are invited to submit photos for the exhibition and contest. All submissions will be on display at the Museum and Cultural Center from October 24, 2022 through January 31, 2023. Submissions will be accepted Tuesday, October 4, 2022 through Saturday, October 15, 2022 from 10 AM to 3PM. Submissions must meet all guidelines detailed below.

THEME:

The exhibition and contest theme, *Telling the Story of the Ocoee Region*, celebrates our region's history and culture. Photographers are invited to capture images that they feel embody the history and culture of the Ocoee Region and its residents.

ELIGIBILITY:

The exhibition and contest is open to photographers of all ages and skill levels. Photographers must enter their work in one of the following divisions:

- Professional – Photographers who receive income from photography.
- Amateur – Beginning or amateur photographers at least 18 years of age or experienced photographers who do not receive income from photography.
- Youth – Photographers aged 17 or younger.

GUIDELINES (All submissions must meet the following criteria):

- Photographs must pertain to the theme of Telling the Story of the Ocoee Region.
- Photographs can be either film or digital images; however, the chosen media must be indicated on the application.
- Photographs must be matted.
- Size: Image size (without matte) must be a minimum of 8 inches (in any direction).
- Image sizes may not exceed 11”X14”. This size includes the matte.
- All submissions must be accompanied by a completed application form found at the end of this document.
- Photographers must note name, phone number and division on the back of their photo entry.

PRIZES:

Chattanooga native and Pulitzer Prize winning photographer Robin Hood will serve as the judge for the contest. First, Second, and Third Place prizes will be awarded to winning images in the following categories:

- Landscape
- Architecture
- Wildlife

There will be three grand prize winners – one from the professional division, one from the amateur division, and one from the youth division.

EXHIBITION:

Photos will be on exhibit at the Museum and Cultural Center from October 24, 2022 through January 31, 2023.

DEADLINES/TIMELINE:

- Photographs entered in the contest must be dropped off at the Museum and Cultural Center:
Tuesday through Saturday, October 4 – 15, 10AM – 3PM
- Photographs will be judged:
Week of October 17, 2022
- Photographs will be on exhibit at the Museum and Cultural Center:
October 24, 2022 – January 31, 2023

LEGAL CONDITIONS:

- Your entry to the contest constitutes your agreement to allow your photographs and your name, city and state of residence to be published as award winners.
- By entering, participants agree to have photos exhibited at the Museum and Cultural Center at Five Points from October 24, 2022 – January 31, 2023.
- By entering, participants warrant that his or her entry materials are original and do not infringe on any their party's rights.
- By entering, participants release and hold harmless the Museum and Cultural Center at Five Points and sponsors from any liability.
- All decisions by the photo contest judge will be final and binding.

Please contact Olivia Cawood, Curator of Programming and Collections, should you have any questions. She can be reached by phone at 423-339-5745 ex.106 or by email at ocawood@museumcenter.org.



Telling the Story of the Ocoee Region: A Photography Exhibition and Contest
Entry Form

Please complete the entry form and bring it with you when submitting your photo entry.

Photographer: _____

Street Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Category (circle one):

Media (circle one): Film Digital

Title of Photograph: _____

Location where the photo was taken: _____

Please provide a brief description of the photo:

Checklist:

- _____ Does your photo fit within the theme of Telling the Story of the Ocoee Region?
- _____ Does your photo meet this contest's size requirements? (A minimum of 8 inches and not to exceed 11"X14", including the matte.)
- _____ Did you note name, phone number, and category on the back of your photo?
- _____ Is your photo matted and ready to be displayed?

By signing below, I acknowledge that I have read, understand, and have followed the Telling the Story of the Ocoee Region contest guidelines and legal conditions:

Name: _____

Date: _____

Museum and Cultural Center Staff:

Staff Initials: _____ Photo Division: _____ Photo Intake Number: _____