

Capture the Image – Preserve the Story 2021

The Amana Colonies Land Use District's Second Annual Photography Contest

Entry Rules:

1. The contest is now open. To be eligible for any category, a photograph must have been shot by the entrant no earlier than September 15, 2019. The contestant certifies that he/she/they is/are the sole creator and copyright owner of the submitted photograph.
2. Photographs must be taken within the Amana Colonies.
3. Under the penalty of being disqualified, by entering I certify that the photos being entered were taken by me and not by another person. I also certify that I have not submitted any additional photos under an assumed name.
4. Cropped photos are eligible in all categories. The addition and subtraction of objects is not permitted. Stitched panoramas are allowed in the Then and Now category.
5. Photographers must use their own ideas and concepts when creating their photos.
6. Each photographer may enter either the Experienced or Amateur division. Entering photographs in more than one division is grounds for immediate disqualification.
7. Categories are: Sense of Place; Historic Architecture; and Then and Now. Each photographer may enter one photo per category, a total of three (3) photo entries.
8. All photos must be mounted on foam core or Gatorfoam board. Matting is optional.
9. All photos must be unframed. There should be no hooks or wires attached to the back of entries. Do not cover entry with cellophane, acetate, or glass. There should be no spray adhesive or self-stick adhesive exposed that could damage another person's photo.
10. Photos may be of any size but must be mounted on no smaller than 11"x14" foam core or Gatorfoam board.
11. Photographer's name, photo title, date of photo and any other text must not appear on the front of the entry.
12. You retain the rights to your photograph; however, by entering the contest, you grant the Amana Colonies Land Use District a royalty-free, world-wide, perpetual, non-exclusive license to publicly display, distribute, reproduce and create derivative works of the entries, in whole or in part, in any media now existing or later developed, for any purpose, including, but not limited to, advertising and promotion of the Land Use District and its website and publications.
13. You are invited to submit a jpg of your entry. If display and voting for People's Choice must occur online, your submitted jpg will be used. Otherwise, the ACLUD Administrator will take a photo of your entry to use online.
14. Entries should display the official entry form on their reverse side.
15. Entries should be submitted at the Land Use District office on Friday, August 6, 2021 from 9:00 a.m. – noon, or at an earlier time arranged with the Administrator.
16. Runners-up and winning entries will be displayed at the Land Use District office through October 29, 2021. Other entries will be available for pick up starting September 9, 2021.
17. Photographers should contact the Land Use District Administrator to arrange pick up of their entries.
18. Prizes total \$1,150. In each Division, there will be 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place prizes in each Category. Prizes are as follows: 1st place: \$100, 2nd place: \$50, 3rd place: \$25. People's Choice winner: \$100.

Judging:

1. Photo entries will be judged based on creativity, quality, originality, responsiveness to the prompt, and overall impact.
2. The Amana Colonies Land Use District will appoint a panel of judges. Judges will select finalists for each category and a winner for each category. Winners will be announced at the August 2021 meeting of the Historic Preservation Commission.
3. The current plan is to display photographs on September 4, 2021 for People's Choice voting. If the in-person event is cancelled, display and voting will occur online only.

Official Entry Form
“Capture the Image – Preserve the Story”

Name _____

Address _____

Phone Number _____

Email address _____

Division: (circle one)

EXPERIENCED

AMATEUR

Category: (circle one)

Sense of Place Historic Architecture Then and Now

Title: _____

Please read and then sign below:

- A. The contestant certifies that he/she/they is/are the sole creator and copyright owner of the submitted photograph.
- B. Under the penalty of being disqualified, by entering I certify that the photos being entered were taken by me and not by another person. I also certify that I have not submitted any additional photos under an assumed name.

Signature

Date