



2020 CALGARY STAMPEDE PHOTO COMPETITION – YOUTH CATEGORY **- RULES & REGULATIONS -**

The Calgary Stampede Photo Committee; (hereinafter called the Committee) showcases Western heritage through art photography. As a part of the Committee, we are presenting the Calgary Stampede Photo Competition (hereinafter called the Competition) for 2020. The Committee will select winning photographs through an independent judging process and invites photographers to submit images for this competition.

Additional information about the Calgary Stampede Photo Competition may be obtained by contacting cswesternphoto@gmail.com

Eligibility

The Youth Category Competition is open to young people between the ages of 12 and 17 years of age. By submitting an entry, each contestant agrees that they have read the rules and regulations of the Competition and the attached Parent/Legal Guardian Consent Form.

Volunteers of the committee and of the Calgary Stampede and their immediate families are not eligible to submit an entry or entries to the Competition.

General

The Committee and the Calgary Stampede reserve the right to reject any entry or image that does not conform to these rules and regulations or, in the opinion and at the discretion of the Committee and the Calgary Stampede, are not deemed to be appropriate for the intended viewing audience. The decision of the Committee and the Calgary Stampede is final.

Theme

The Committee and the Calgary Stampede are proud to promote and showcase Western heritage in keeping with the rich history of the West and the Calgary Stampede and want to encourage and support the next generation of skilled and passionate photographers.

Contestants are asked to submit images that reflect what the Calgary Stampede means to them and/or their family or greater community.



2020 CALGARY STAMPEDE PHOTO COMPETITION – YOUTH CATEGORY
- RULES & REGULATIONS -

SUBMISSION OF ENTRIES TO THE COMPETITION

Submission of Photographs

An entry fee of \$25.00 (Canadian Dollars) must accompany registration. Fee to be paid by **credit card only**. Each entrant may submit up to a **maximum** of five (5) images and are limited to **one entry**.

Entries must be received by 11:59 pm Mountain Standard Time on Monday January 7, 2020 to be eligible for the 2020 Competition. No entries will be accepted after that time.

All entries must be submitted in a digital format as outlined below:

- Images must be submitted in a **JPEG (JPG) format** only.
- Images should be in the best resolution (i.e. Photoshop quality set at 8+).
- Each image not to exceed 1400 pixels wide (if horizontal format) or 1050 pixels tall (if vertical format).
- Images that require special equipment for viewing (for example 3D images) will not be accepted.

Please note - If you are selected as a competition winner, you may be required to submit a higher resolution image for printing.

The photographer's signature or any identifying marks must not be visible on the digital images submitted for judging.

Digitally enhanced or modified images may be submitted to the Competition. Images or any part of the final image may be created and/or modified digitally, and any part of the final image may be originally in a traditional film or slide format and then scanned into a digital format.

Neither the Committee nor the Calgary Stampede is responsible for lost entries, misdirected entries, unreadable entries or entries that have digital artifacts or defects.

Images not adhering to the submission guidelines will not be accepted.

Judging

Entries will be juried by an independent judging panel on image quality, technical ability, composition and adherence to the Theme of this Category. Entries will be displayed and judged in the condition they are submitted. The judges will not be made aware of the identity of the artist as part of the judging process.

By entering the Competition, the entrant agrees and understands that photography is subjective. Due to that



2020 CALGARY STAMPEDE PHOTO COMPETITION – YOUTH CATEGORY **- RULES & REGULATIONS -**

subjectivity, winning entries will be determined by the judges and all decisions pertaining to the winning entries are final.

Notification of Winners

The winner will be notified by March 31, 2020 via email. The winner must submit a signed copy of the Parent/Legal Guardian Consent on or before April 14, 2020. Failure to submit the consent form will result in disqualification from the competition.

The winner will be required to submit a larger J/PEG image file size for the Photo Gallery and Competition display. Details will be forwarded directly to winner. Also, the winner's image will be posted on the website (www.westernshowcase.com)

Digital Slide Show

The winner's image will also be included in a digital slide show. This show will be on display during the Calgary Stampede from July 3 – 12, 2020 including Sneak-A-Peek on Thursday, Wednesday, July 2, 2020 and during Western Showcase Stir' Up (invitation only) on Wednesday, July 1, 2020 in the Calgary Stampede Photo Gallery and Competition display area of the Western Oasis located in the BMO Centre.

Printed Images

The Winner's image will be printed, in a format and style at the sole description of the Committee and displayed within the Calgary Stampede Photo Gallery and Competition display area of the Western Oasis.

The printed images become, and remains, the sole property of the Committee.

Legal Information Relating to the Calgary Stampede Photo Competition

By submitting an entry or entries implies that the entrant accepts all the conditions, rules and regulations of the Competition and Calgary Stampede.

The Committee and the Calgary Stampede reserve the right to reject any entry that does not conform to the rules and regulations outlined or, in the opinion and at the discretion of the Committee and the Calgary Stampede, are not deemed to be appropriate for the intended viewing audience. The decision of the Committee and Calgary Stampede is final. Neither the Committee nor the Calgary Stampede is responsible for lost entries, misdirected entries, unreadable entries or entries that have digital artifacts or defects.

The entrant warrants that the images submitted are the original work of the Photographer and that the Photographer holds copyright and must retain all rights as required by the Calgary Stampede. By submitting an entry or entries, the entrant accepts that his or her work can be reproduced with no further compensation in promotional media that is associated with the Competition and the Calgary Stampede. This includes, but is not exclusive to, being put on a website or in a brochure. All other rights remain with the entrant.



2020 CALGARY STAMPEDE PHOTO COMPETITION – YOUTH CATEGORY
- RULES & REGULATIONS -

The entrant is responsible for obtaining a model release, where necessary, from any identifiable person or persons featured in any entry. The model release should be made available on request to the Committee should the need arise. A signed model release gives consent from the identifiable person or persons to the photographer for public display and other uses. Any identifiable persons under 18 years of age must have a model release signed for them by a parent or legal guardian. Failure to make a model release available on request may result in the entrant's image or images being removed from the Competition.

The Committee and the Calgary Stampede take reasonable and responsible steps to ensure that the information, links, images, and text on this website are accurate. The Committee and the Calgary Stampede make no representations or warranties as to the completeness or accuracy of the information and accept no liability for any errors or omissions in the content of this site.

Privacy of information

Personal and demographic information provided will not be used for the purpose other than those related to Calgary Stampede operated programs or business purposes. Your information will be handled with respect and will not be sold, given away, or provided to parties outside the Calgary Stampede without your consent, unless the law requires that it be shared. By entering, the entrant agrees that pictures of his/her entry may be used by the Calgary Stampede in promotional material.



2020 CALGARY STAMPEDE PHOTO COMPETITION – YOUTH CATEGORY
- RULES & REGULATIONS -

[Application May Be Completed Here](#)

Parent/Legal Guardian Consent Form

I am the parent or legal guardian of the young person whose signature appears below. I give my consent for (name of youth) _____ to enter the 2020 Calgary Stampede Photo Competition in the Youth Category. I have read and accept the Rules and Regulations attached to this form on behalf of (name of youth) _____ and myself as parent/legal guardian. I understand that any photo submitted by the named youth that is judged as the ultimate winner will not be included in the display on Stampede Park without this Form having been signed and returned.

Date	Parent or Legal Name	Parent or Legal Signature
------	----------------------	---------------------------

Date	Youth Name	Youth Signature
------	------------	-----------------

PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN INFORMATION:

NAME:
ADDRESS:
EMAIL ADDRESS:
PHONE NUMBER:

YOUNG PERSON'S INFORMATION:

NAME:
ADDRESS:
EMAIL ADDRESS:
PHONE NUMBER: