

Warrenville Community Photography Competition “Picturing Warrenville”

In 2020, the Warrenville Historical Society launched a new community photography competition in honor of the late Maurice Weiser, a beloved Warrenville photographer. As our second annual competition launches at the one year mark of the COVID-19 shutdown, we invite all Warrenville residents and Warrenville lovers to share scenes you have captured over the past year.

Whether you are a serious photographer or someone who casually takes pictures as a hobby for Instagram, we invite you to participate in this contest. You must review the following rules, terms and conditions before submitting any pictures.

Photographs of Warrenville can be submitted from March 12, 2021 through March 31, 2021.

RULES, TERMS AND CONDITIONS

The Warrenville Historical Society’s Community photo contest "Picturing Warrenville" is open to everyone regardless of age or skill level. Photographers under 18 years of age may participate in the "Picturing Warrenville" photo contest with written permission from a parent or legal guardian (see form). The contest is open to all participants regardless of residence or citizenship, as long as the photograph was taken within Warrenville city limits.

FORMS

Please submit entries through the following online forms at <https://form.jotform.com/200317740145041> or by mail at Warrenville Historical Museum & Art Gallery, PO Box 311, Warrenville, IL. If people are used in your photos please include the adult and/or minor release forms.

1. [Entry Form](#) (online version, Print version)
2. [Release Form](#)

HOW TO ENTER

Participants can submit up to three photographs. An entry form must be submitted to participate, whether online or in person. A photo category needs to be selected for your picture(s): elementary student, middle school student, high school/college student, adult.

ALL ENTRIES MUST BE RECEIVED BY March 31, 2021.

JUDGES

Entries will be judged based on creativity, photographic quality, and uniqueness in picturing the community of Warrenville. A judging panel will be selected to judge the entries. All contest decisions are final. Entries that do not comply with the official rules will be disqualified.

WINNERS

Judges will select the first place and honorable mention photographs from the under 18 years of age and adult age groups. A People’s Choice Award will also be chosen by the general public through voting on Facebook. All selected winners and a select number of photographs will be applicable to take part in an exhibition at the Warrenville Historical Museum & Art Gallery.

PHOTOGRAPHER/COPYRIGHT

Entries must be submitted by the original photographer. Do not submit a photo taken by someone other than yourself. Participants must be the sole owner of any copyright image submitted. Your photo submission and entry form is your guarantee that you are the author and copyright holder of the photo.

PHOTO CONTEST LEGAL CONDITIONS

By entering this contest, you agree to all of the terms and conditions relating to this contest and you are responsible for understanding your rights.

INDEMNIFICATION

By submitting an entry into the "Picturing Warrentville" photo contest, you represent that your submission is an original work of authorship and that you own all right, title and interest in the entry as of the date of submission and that the submission does not infringe on the intellectual property rights of any third party, including but not limited to, copyrights or trademarks owned by others.

By submitting an entry into the "Picturing Warrentville" photo contest, you also represent that your submission does not violate any privacy right of any other person. If you choose to include people in your submission, you are responsible for obtaining the necessary releases from the individuals depicted, in the case of a minor, from the minor's parent or legal guardian, and must be able to provide copies of those releases to the Warrentville Historical Society upon request.

You agree to defend, indemnify and hold harmless the Warrentville Historical Society and its officers, agents, employees and volunteers (the "Indemnified Parties") from and against all claims, damages, losses and expenses arising in connection with your participation in the contest and acceptance or use of a prize, including, without limitation any claims, damages, losses and expenses related to third-party claims of intellectual property infringement or violations of any personal privacy and/or publicity right. The Indemnified Parties are not liable for any costs, damages, injuries, or other claims incurred as a result of your participation in the contest or any winner's acceptance and usage of a prize. The Indemnified Parties are not responsible for incomplete or misdirected entries, technical or network malfunctions or failures, or causes beyond their control. You are solely responsible for your entries. You may not submit material that introduce software viruses, worms or other programs designed to damage software, hardware or telecommunications equipment of are off-topic, partisan-political, contain advertising, nudity, personal attacks or expletives, or are otherwise abusive, threatening, unlawful, harassing, discriminatory, libelous, obscene, false, sexually explicit or that infringe on the rights of any third party.

PROMOTIONAL RELEASE

By submitting an entry and participating in the "Picturing Warrentville" photography contest, the entrant irrevocably transfers, grants, and assigns the Warrentville Historical Society the right worldwide and in perpetuity to use the name, likeness, image and photographs, including any reproductions of same, in any and all media including, without limitation, use on the Warrentville Historical Society's website and social media pages in connection with the contest and other promotions, for any advertising or promotional purposes without additional compensation, and releases the Warrentville Historical Society from any liability with respect thereto.

QUESTIONS

Contact Sara Phalen, Museum Director at (630)393-4215 or info@warrentvillehistorical.org.