

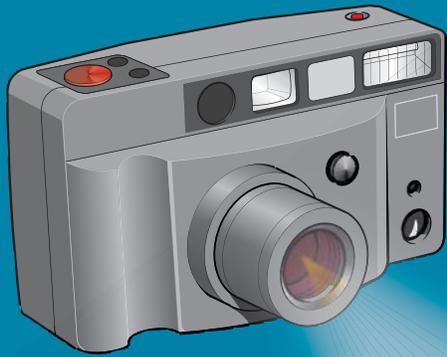
Keep Montgomery County Beautiful!



22nd Annual Montgomery County, Maryland

2013 AMATEUR PHOTO CONTEST

APPLICATION



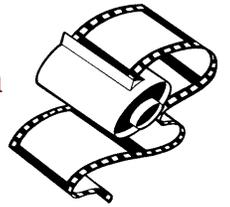
A Chance to Show Off Your Photographic Skills
and the Beauty of Montgomery County!

Entries Due June 21, 2013!



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**The Montgomery County Department of Transportation
IN COOPERATION WITH THE
Keep Montgomery County Beautiful Task Force**



WELCOME TO THE 22nd ANNUAL AMATEUR PHOTOGRAPHY CONTEST, MONTGOMERY COUNTY 2011! The purpose of this contest is to provide the residents of Montgomery County with an opportunity to capture the beauty of our county through photography.

AMATEUR PHOTO CONTEST ENTRY FORM

NAME: _____
(Please include the pronunciation of your name)

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE: _____ (Daytime) _____ (Evening)

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

TITLE OF PHOTO: _____
(Please limit to 5 words or less)

LOCATION: _____
(Photos must be taken within Montgomery County)

WHEN PHOTO WAS TAKEN: *(Must be after July 1, 2010)* _____
(Month) (Year)

WHICH CATEGORY: Employees At Work By Night Landmarks Her People
 By Day Youth (Optional) (Check this box if you are 18 or younger & want to compete only w/ other youths)

HOW DID YOU HEAR ABOUT THIS CONTEST? _____

The entry form must be **COMPLETE** and received by **June 21, 2013**. There is no entry fee for participating.

Mail your application and photo entry by June 21, 2013 to:

2013 KMCB Amateur Photo Contest
MCDOT
101 Monroe Street, 10th Floor
Rockville, Maryland 20850-2540

CATEGORIES FOR MONTGOMERY COUNTY PHOTOGRAPHY CONTEST

MONTGOMERY COUNTY BY DAY	MONTGOMERY COUNTY BY NIGHT
Any photo taken outdoors that depicts something fun, beautiful or exciting during daylight hours.	Any photo taken outdoors that depicts something fun, beautiful or exciting during nighttime hours.
MONTGOMERY COUNTY LANDMARKS	MONTGOMERY COUNTY, HER PEOPLE
Any photo taken outdoors of a natural or manmade commonly recognized landmark or scene. A prominent and identifying feature of a landscape; A historically significant event, building or site.	Any photo taken of one or more persons involved in County activities, close-up or distant, showing leisure activity, productivity, or community service.
MONTGOMERY COUNTY AT WORK	OPTIONAL YOUTH CATEGORY
Any photo taken of one or more persons at work, contributing to the livability and splendor of our County.	This category will allow only those under the age of 18 to participate and compete against each other

CONTEST RULES

1. All photographs must be taken in Montgomery County by a Montgomery County resident and submitted by the person who took the photo.
2. Photographs up to 8 x 10 inches will be accepted. The entrant's name, address, telephone number, and the location in Montgomery County where the photo was taken must be written clearly on the back of the photo. **All photographs must be dry mounted on mat board, foam core or similar hard surface no larger than 12 x 14 inches.**
3. **Photos will NOT be returned and may be used by the contest sponsors in future promotions.**
4. Only **ONE** entry per person will be accepted.
5. Photos will be judged by the Keep Montgomery County Beautiful Task Force members or accomplished photographers. Judging will be based on originality, interest of subject matter, visual appeal, and consistency with the chosen categorical theme. The decision of the judges will be final.
6. Members of the Keep Montgomery County Beautiful Task Force and their families are not eligible.
7. You must have a signed release from anyone who is recognizable in your photo affirming that it is permissible to use their photo in the contest and in print. If under the age of 21, it must be signed by their parent or guardian. Enclose the signed release with the photo. Contact us at the number/email below to request a release form.
8. Keep Montgomery County Beautiful assumes no responsibility for the photographs.
9. Photos considered lewd or unsuitable for public display will be rejected. Photographs that are late, mutilated, or previously entered or published are not eligible and will not be considered. The sponsor's determination regarding the above will be final.
10. Photo winners will be announced at the beautification ceremony scheduled in October, 2011. All entrants will receive a certificate of recognition and photographs will be displayed throughout the year at various County libraries and facilities.

QUESTIONS? Call 240.777.7155 or write to mcdot.outreach@montgomerycountymd.gov.