

2021 BATH CANADA DAY 2021

AMATEUR PHOTO CONTEST RULES

**PHOTOGRAPH SUBJECT, FORMAT AND SIZE.**

* Photographs should follow the theme.

 **Celebrating Canada Day: History, Family, Friends**

* **Photograph to be taken anytime on July 1st 2021 within Loyalist Township**
* Photograph must be submitted in digital format either black and white or colour.
* Photograph can be manipulated but must start from an eligible original.
* File to be .jpg format and at least 1MB or larger in size.
* No names or descriptions to be attached to the photograph.
* All entries remain the property of the photographer but Loyalist Township is granted the right to freely use the image with appropriate credit.

**CONTEST CATEGORIES**

* There are three categories of entrants.
	+ GROUP 1. Under 12 years of age.
	+ GROUP 2. 12 to 17 years of age.
	+ GROUP 3. 18 years old and older.
* Entrants 17 and younger to submit parent/guardian authorization to enter.

**ELIGIBILITY TO ENTER CONTEST AND SUBMISSION DETAILS**

* Entrants to be amateur photographers only.
* Photograph must have been taken by entrant.
* **Photograph to be taken anytime on July 1st 2021 within Loyalist Township.**
* Entries submitted by email to [bathcanadadayphotocontest@gmail.com](file:///C%3A%5CUsers%5CJohn%5CDocuments%5CDocuments%20-%2019%20Jun%202020%5CBath%20Canada%20day%202021%5Cbathcanadadayphotocontest%40gmail.com)
* One photograph per person.
* **Submissions to be received by end of day 5th July/21**
* Entrants must residents of Loyalist Township.
* Entry must include name, age category, date of birth (if under 18), address & telephone number.
* Entrants 17 and younger must submit parent/guardian authorization to enter.

**JUDGING**

* An independent trio of anonymous judges from other regional photo clubs.
* Judging will be based on quality, composition, subject, originality,

**WINNERS AND PRIZES**

* Judges will select 1st, 2nd & 3rd winners in each of the age categories.
* Finalists to sign Loyalist Township standard release form before being confirmed.
* Submissions that do not meet the requirements posted on the BCD website will be disqualified.
* All winners will be notified by email.
* Winning photos will be posted on social media.
* Prizes will be in $225 worth of gift cards (3x$50, 3x$25 & 3x$10) from the local Bath merchants of winner’s choice.
* All decisions are final.

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