



2015 Farm City Week Photo Contest

Sponsored by the Farm City Week Coalition

and the Florida Thoroughbred Breeders' & Owners' Association (FTBOA)

Call for photographers: Florida photographers of all ages are encouraged to enter.

Free Entry! Deadline to enter is Nov. 1.

Submit your striking images that celebrate Farm City week and what it represents. Your images should highlight the diversity of life in Marion County, Florida/Central Florida

SUBJECTS

1. Farm/City/Agriculture scenes and people engaged in farm life.
2. Animals and livestock.
3. Plants and crops.
4. Nature, weather, natural landscapes.

HOW TO ENTER

FTBOA OFFICES: Drop-off or mail to FTBOA, 801 SW 60th Ave., Ocala, FL 34474

FACEBOOK: Upload to our Facebook page at www.facebook.com/thefloridahorse.

EMAIL: Send to info@ftboa.com.

TEXT: Send photo attachment to 352-598-6832.

Note for Facebook, email or text submittals: We are not responsible for photos that are not received by this method or are removed from communication when transmitted, so be sure to receive a confirmation of receipt.

PROVIDE WITH ENTRY

Name of the photographer(s)

Where photo was taken

Title or history of photo

Names or people (with permission)

Has this photo appeared in print? When? Where?

If under 18, please have parent sign permission to provide information above.

Contact number

Subject of the image (from category above)

Names of animals (if known)

Has the photo appeared on social media?

Do you have permission from people in the photo?

Photos with people must have a release that can be provided upon request.

Entries can be printed (no larger than 11"x14") and mounted, or unframed, stretch framed or framed. If an emailed or uploaded photo is chosen as a finalist, a request for a printed version may be made for public display.

Farm City Week Photo Contest - Rules

Digitally altered photos are acceptable such as Instagram photos. "High Dynamic Range" images are acceptable.

Photos that will not be accepted include: Photos of pets (such as dogs, cats, hamsters); images of captive animals or animals in zoos; offensive photos; photos displaying damage to the environment, individuals or animals; and photos that infringe on the rights of any other photographers or persons.

Previously published material for which non-exclusive rights were granted may be entered as long as you still maintain the right to grant us to use the photo in publications.

Photo release - If your photograph is selected as a winner, you grant the Farm City Week coalition and the Florida Thoroughbred Breeders' & Owners' Association a royalty-free, nonexclusive right, in perpetuity, to:

Display the photo in the Gallery, at Farm City events and online in support of Farm City Week.

Use the photograph in non-commercial communications.

Provide your photograph to other individuals and organizations for non-commercial use, news stories, newsletters, reports, slide shows, displays, web pages, and the like.

Use, in connection with the Photo Contest, your name, city, county, state in promotions and other publications.

Keep the files provided, and to archive the images on CD or in other electronic forms, so that your photos can be used and be properly credited. Photographer will be given credit with the photographer's last name when the photo is published. The photo contest partners are in no way responsible if the photographer's last name is inadvertently left out in publication.

JUDGING - Images will be judged on originality, technical excellence, composition, overall impact and artistic merit in the category they were submitted. The Farm City Week Coalition shall determine winner eligibility in its sole and absolute discretion. The judging panel will select three finalists in each category and honorable mentions as necessary. All decisions made by the judging panel are final. The general public will select the Grand Prize Winner by popular vote from a pool of finalists determined by the judging panel. There is a limit of one vote per person.

DEADLINE* - Entries can be uploaded starting 12:01 a.m. EST on Oct. 1, 2015. Deadline for submitting entries is Noon EST on Nov. 1, 2015. Public voting for the grand-prize winner from the finalists in each category from Nov. 7-Dec. 30. Public voting will be at various locations in Marion County. Only one vote per person, regardless of number of locations. One such voting location, the FTBOA Museum and Gallery, is open Monday-Friday from 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. and closed daily from noon-1 p.m. with the exception of holidays. Finalists may be on display at Farm City Festival at the Ocala 4-H Farm on Nov. 15 and during the Agricultural Hall of Fame banquet on Nov. 19. The Grand Prize winner will be announced during the first week of January

2016 pending the collection of votes from all sites throughout the county.

**The Farm City Week Coalition reserves the right to adjust any date(s) as the result of causes beyond its immediate control.*



PRIZES

- Finalists will be on display in
- Finalists and the Grand Prize in print in Florida Equine *Florida Horse*, *Wire to Wire* or media pages. Images will also year. Additional prizes may be
- No cash prizes.

the FTBOA Museum and Gallery.

winner published at www.ftboa.com and Communications publications (*The Horse Capital Digest*) and on social be featured throughout the calendar added.

Photos by previous winners