

PHOTO CONTEST

MANL is producing a new website & promotional banners & we need your help!

We invite all MANL members to submit photographs from your museum or heritage society. The top images will be printed on promotional banners developed to promote Newfoundland and Labrador's museums and heritage societies.

SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

WHO MAY ENTER:

The Photo Contest is open to photographers who are members of MANL (individual and institutional) and who are 18 years old or older. Museum volunteers, friends, and trustees of museums and heritage societies are eligible to participate.

WHAT TO ENTER:

The focus of the contest is Newfoundland and Labrador's museums, galleries, nature centers, and heritage societies, including its structures, objects, people, activities, and landscapes.

To be eligible for consideration, a photograph must have been taken in Newfoundland and Labrador and must feature your museum or heritage society, including its structures, artifacts and its activities. The contestant certifies that he/she is the sole creator and copyright owner of the submitted photograph.

Cropped photos are eligible for consideration. Minor adjustments, including the removal of scratches on scans of negatives, dodging and burning, sharpening, contrast, toning, and slight color adjustment and conversion to grayscale are acceptable. HDR or composite photos are acceptable if they have a realistic appearance.

For a photo in which a person is recognizable, you must be prepared to provide a model release from the subject or, in the case of a minor, the subject's parent or guardian, to MANL upon request. A release form is available from MANL upon request.

Photos that violate or infringe upon another person's rights, including but not limited to copyright, are not eligible.

HOW TO ENTER:

Please submit photographs with your full contact information via email at manl@nf.aibn.com.

Photographs must be submitted in .jpeg, .jpg or .gif format.

While there are no specific camera requirements, high-resolution photographs of at least 300 dpi at 3,000 pixels on the longest side are strongly preferred.

We do not accept photographs submitted through the mail. High-quality scans of non-digital photographs are acceptable. Digital photographs should be taken at the highest resolution possible.

You retain your rights to your photograph; however, by entering the contest, you grant MANL a royalty-free, non-exclusive license to publicly display, distribute, reproduce and create derivative works of the entries, in whole or in part, in any media now existing or later developed, for any purpose, including, but not limited to, advertising and promotion of MANL and its members. Any photograph reproduced will include a photographer credit where feasible. MANL will not be required to pay any additional consideration or seek any additional approval in connection with such uses.

JUDGING:

Photo entries will be judged based on creativity, quality, originality, appropriateness for the purpose of the contest, and overall impact.

MANL will select several winning photos which will appear on new promotional banners, as well as MANL's website. The winning photos will be announced this summer and will appear in MANL's newsletter. The winning photos may also appear on print or other promotional materials.

MANL will notify the winner or winners via the contact information provided at the time of entry.

PRIZES:

The purpose of this contest is to create new banners to promote museums and heritage institutions in Newfoundland and Labrador. No cash prizes will be awarded.

The winning photos will be featured on MANL's new promotional banners and will be acknowledged on MANL's webpage.

MANL'S ONLINE MEMBERSHIP LISTING:

MANL is also creating a new website to promote and serve its membership. Photos entered in the contest may used on the new site. MANL's online membership listing will also be updated, including images to accompany your listing. Members are encouraged to submit photographs to MANL which can be used on their website listing.

Museum Association of Newfoundland and Labrador