

2018 Calendar Photo Contest Rules

Eligibility

- All photos must have been taken by amateur photographers
- **Previous winning photos are not eligible*
- **Bay Banks of Virginia, Inc. employees, directors and their immediate families within the household are not eligible to enter.*

Photo Criteria

- Number of entries limited to **4 per person** and they must be for **different seasons**.
- All entries must be of **outdoor themes** (landscapes and close-up shots are acceptable). Photographs with people or household pets, as the primary subject will not be considered.
- All entries must be scenes in Essex, Lancaster, Middlesex, Northumberland, Richmond or Westmoreland counties of Virginia.
- Only **horizontal** pictures will be considered. Photos must fit the 8 ½" x 11" calendar format. Selected photos will be cropped for that format.
- Each entry **must** be the work of the person submitting the photo.
- All photos must be high-resolution images. Digital images must be taken from a 5MP (megapixels) camera or larger. Prints from film cameras must be enlarged from the original negative or slide.
- Pictures taken from your mobile device, iPad, etc., will be accepted.

Entrant Must Submit:

- One completed and signed entry form is required for each contestant. Entrants under the age of 18 must have a parent or guardian signature.
- A print of each photo entered (Preferred size of 8x10 inches, will also accept 5x7 and 4x6).
- Attach a note to the back of each print with the photographer's name, location of the scene and season. (It is best to tape a small piece of paper to the back of the print instead of writing on the print itself)
- A CD with the jpeg file(s) if taken with a digital camera or the original negative(s) if taken with a film camera for each image submitted. If you don't want to submit your original negative(s), there are photography labs that will scan a negative and generate a high-resolution jpeg file that can be saved to a CD.

The judges are comprised of local business people who specialize in photography. Entries will be evaluated based on appeal, content and photographic skill. The judges will select one grand prize winner, twelve winners, and eight honorable mentions. The decision of the judges is final. Bank of Lancaster retains the right to use all winning photos in any advertising and/or promotion it deems suitable.

Entrants providing a self-addressed, stamped envelope will have their photos returned a few weeks after the final selection, or may pick them up at a local Bank of Lancaster office. Winning entries will be held until the publication of the calendar. Winners will be notified after September 29, 2017.

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Please Print Clearly

Name: _____			
Address: _____			
City: _____	State: _____	Zip: _____	
Phone No.: _____	Email Address: _____		
Number of Photos: _____	Format: (Circle One)	Film	or Digital
(4 Maximum)			

How would you like your prints and film/CD returned?

(Please Select One)

___ I have enclosed a pre-addressed stamped envelope.

___ I will pick them up at Bank of Lancaster _____ Branch.
 (Specify Branch Location)

By signing this form, I agree that I am an amateur photographer over the age of 18, or under the age of 18 with a parent or guardian's signature. I have read the contest rules and affirm that this entry is in compliance with them. I understand that the Bank of Lancaster assumes no responsibility for the photographs submitted. Selected images are used on a non-exclusive basis. Bank of Lancaster retains the right to use winning photos in any advertising and/or promotion it deems suitable.

Signature of Entrant: _____ **Date:** _____

If under 18, Parent or Guardian's Signature: _____

**Hand deliver to any Bank of Lancaster office
 OR**

Mail to: Kylie Bransford, Marketing Officer, Bank of Lancaster, P.O. Box 1869, Kilmarnock, VA 22482