

**“Mountain Spirit”**  
**Mountain Arts Photographic Society**  
**2016 Photo Contest**

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## Entry Form

Mail to: *MAPS Photo Contest*  
*C/O Mountain Arts Network*  
*PO Box 1275*  
*Lake Arrowhead, CA 92352*

Entry Forms must be postmarked by **June 15, 2016**  
*Accompanied by a \$10.00 per person entry fee*  
*(5.00 for MAPS/MAN members).*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
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City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ (Day)

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ (required)

**Maximum of 5 images allowed**

Please, only submit images which illustrate the theme, “Mountain Spirit” here in our San Bernardino National Forest and San Bernardino Mountains Communities. This can include landscape or wildlife views, local sports activities like skiing, boating, fishing, hiking, etc., as well as local community activities, events and local historic sites.

*Only digital files that comply with the technical specifications in “Contest Details and Rules” will be included in the contest.*

*Images that are sexual, violent or prejudiced in nature will be rejected.*

Entries will be judged based on adherence to the contest theme "Celebrating Life in our San Bernardino Mountains", content, artistic interest, and overall technical quality.

***IMAGES THAT DO NOT DEPICT THE THEME WILL NOT BE INCLUDED IN THE JUDGING.***

Closed judging will be held between July 1, 2016 and July 10, 2016. Winners will be announced at a reception to be held at the Mountain Arts Network Gallery at a date to be announced. Those not able to attend will be notified by mail.

I have read the “Contest Details and Rules” on the back of this form and I accept them and affirm that my entry or entries will be in compliance with them. I understand that the Mountain Arts Photographic Society and the Mountain Arts Network assume no responsibility for the photos submitted.

If one or more of my entries is selected as a winner, I agree to the Mountain Arts Network’s and/or Mountain Arts Photographic Society’s use of the selected entries for display, publication & promotion related only to the annual MAPS Photography Contest unless I give written permission for other uses. I understand that I retain full rights to all the images I submit. I verify that I am 18 years of age or over unless noted below.

Signature of Contestant: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

If under the age of 18, Parent's or Guardian's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

(Photocopies and facsimiles of this form are acceptable for submission)

## CONTEST DETAILS AND RULES

Before images can be submitted the entrant must obtain and submit an entry form with a check or money order for the appropriate fee. Entry forms can be obtained at the Mountain Arts Network Galley in the Lake Arrowhead Village, (next to the Belgian Waffle), the Lake Arrowhead Chamber of Commerce, by sending an email request to John Hummel at MAPSPhotoContest@gmail.com or by sending a written request to the address below.

**All entry forms must be postmarked by midnight June 15, 2016 and should be accompanied by a check or money order for the entry fee of \$10.00 (\$5.00 for Mountain Arts Photographic Society or Mountain Arts Network members) Please make checks or money orders payable to the “Mountain Arts Network”.**

All images must be received by July 1, 2016. Entrants are invited to submit images on the theme of “Mountain Spirit” in our San Bernardino National Forest and in our San Bernardino Mountain Communities. Subject matter can include but is not limited to landscape views, wildlife, recreational activities such as skiing, hiking, fishing, boating etc., historic sites and local events. All entries must have been captured here in the San Bernardino Mountains or in our San Bernardino Mountains Communities.

Each entrant will be allowed to submit up to 5 images. Submissions must be in digital form. The images must be in jpeg (.jpg) format and a minimum of 1200 pixels and a maximum of 3600 pixels on the longest side. File sizes should not exceed 5 mb. Please name each image with your first initial, last name and image number from 1 to 5 (eg. “JSmith1.jpg”). Paper prints cannot be accepted. **Failure to follow these guidelines will result in disqualification from the contest.**

Upon receipt of the entry form and payment. MAPS will send the entrant a link and password to a “Dropbox” folder that the user can deposit his/her images into during the course of the contest. The entrant will be able to add and remove images during the period from March 15th to July 1st. If an entrant cannot use the “Dropbox”, he/she can mail the files on a CD/DVD to the Mountain Arts Network at the address below. Contact us at MAPSPhotoContest@gmail.com if you have problems with submission.

Each image must be the work of the person submitting the image, and a signed entry form is required. Entrants under 18 years of age must submit a release from a parent or guardian.

Winners will be selected by a panel of judges based on adherence to the contest theme, *“Mountain Spirit”*, artistic interest, and photographic skill.

MAPS and MAN, assumes no responsibility for submissions. All entries will be held until after the awards presentation and then will be deleted. **Selected images can be used on a non-exclusive basis and only with the permission of the photographer.** Winning entrants agree that MAPS and MAN have the right to use, without further compensation, their photographs for news articles related to the “Mountain Spirit” photography contest. *All images submitted remain the property of the photographer.*

**Entrants are required to pay the entry fee**, regardless of the number of images submitted. The entry fee is per photographer, not per image. **Make checks or money orders payable to “Mountain Arts Network” We can not accept credit cards.**

**Mail Entry forms and/or file disk submissions to:  
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**FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT:  
John Hummel, by email at MAPSPhotoContest@gmail.com**