



Adore Orinda PHOTO CONTEST

The City of Orinda is preparing to launch a new website and we want **YOU** to be a part of it. We would like members of the Orinda community to share their exceptional photos with us. Photos that are submitted during the contest will be used on the new website that is scheduled to launch early next year.

Not only will the new website have added functionality, but we also want it to capture why you *ADORE ORINDA*. We are looking for your perspective on life in Orinda and encourage images that depict the vibrancy, vitality, and viability of our City. If you have a great photo that captures why you *ADORE ORINDA*, we invite you to be a part of the contest.

Entries must be suitable for display on a public website. The City reserves the right to reject any entry deemed not suitable for consideration due to objectionable content such as the use of profanity, nudity, drug, alcohol, or tobacco use, or cruelty to persons or animals.

Entry submission constitutes permission for the City of Orinda to take and use any photograph for web and/or print. Photographs that are used will credit the photographer. The photographers retain the copyright to his or her work.

Entries are due by 5:00 p.m. on Friday, November 4, 2016.

SUBJECT CATEGORIES

Parks and Open Space | any park and open space within City limits

Built Environment | ex: downtown scenes, streetscapes, neighborhoods, hillsides, etc.

Community Life | ex: arts & culture, City events, night life, and recreation programs

Digitally Altered | must fit within one of the three categories listed

ELIGIBILITY

The contest is open to photographers of all ages and skill levels. Entrants will be separated into two divisions, Youth (17 years & younger) and Adult (18 years & older). Age is determined at the time of submission. Entrants under the age of 18 must have permission from a parent or legal guardian. Entrants may submit an entry in all four categories but may only submit one entry per category.

HOW TO ENTER

- Entrants must submit the *Entry Form*, *Submission Agreement*, and *Photo Release* (if necessary). Download the forms (here).
- You must provide a Photo Release for each identifiable person in the photograph. Download the Photo Release here. You must provide permission from a parent or guardian for each identifiable person in the photography under 18 years old on the Photo Release form.
- Electronic file name must include entrant's first initial, last name, category and division; Example: SMinerParksandOpenSpaceAdultForm.jpg
- Submit electronic files on DVD, CD, USB drive to:

City of Orinda Photo Contest
28 Orinda Way, Orinda, CA 94563
or via email to orindaparksrec@cityoforinda.org
submissions through a Dropbox account will be accepted

SUBMISSION RULES

- Entries must be photographed within Orinda city limits, not previously published and deemed suitable for publishing by the City. All entries must be original work of the entrant and never been the subject of a copyright infringement or previously published.
- Entries may be in either color or black and white.
- City reserves the right to reassign entry to alternate category or reject entries based on criteria.
- No print entries accepted. Only electronic files.

IMAGE QUALITY

- Photographs should be high resolution, minimum file size is 2MB and maximum file size is 10MB. If unsure of image quality, set camera to the highest quality available.
- With the exception of the Digitally Altered category, photos cannot be altered in any way utilizing Photoshop or comparable programs.
- Preferred digital format is jpg or jpeg. No gif, png, or bmp.

PRIZES

Winning entries will be used in the unveiling of the new City of Orinda website, receive recognition at a City Council Meeting, be featured on the City's social media platforms, and featured in the City's Orinda Way Newsletter, Orinda Outlook and Activity Guide. The winners will be selected by representatives of Orinda.

All entrants will be notified the week of January 30, 2017.

QUESTIONS?

Contact Sheena Wellman-Miner, Recreation Supervisor at sminer@cityoforinda.org or (925) 253-4207



Adore Orinda PHOTO CONTEST 2016

ENTRY FORM

Photographer Name: _____ Age Division: _____

Mailing Address: _____ Email Address: _____

Phone: _____

Parent/Guardian Information (if photographer is under the age of 18):

Name: _____

Email Address: _____

Phone: _____

Photo Category: _____

Photo Title: _____

Photo Location & Description: _____

Photo Category: _____

Photo Title: _____

Photo Location & Description: _____

Photo Category: _____

Photo Title: _____

Photo Location & Description: _____

Photo Category: _____

Photo Title: _____

Photo Location & Description: _____

Entries are due by 5:00 p.m. on Friday, November 4, 2016.



Adore Orinda PHOTO CONTEST 2016

SUBMISSION AGREEMENT

I, the undersigned, agree to all conditions, dates, and eligibility requirements of the 2016 Adore Orinda Photo Contest. Permission is granted to the City of Orinda to use images of my photographs to promote the City and for publicity purposes.

I, the undersigned, (PHOTOGRAPHER) declare and affirm that I am the person who took the submitted photograph (WORK) and the entry was photographed within Orinda city limits; own all intellectual property rights to the photograph and the content therein, and am legally authorized to submit the photograph. Each person(s) who is/are recognizable in the photograph has/have given his/her written consent to be included, and for the photograph to be displayed by the City of Orinda (CITY) on their websites or reproduced in publications without any fee or other form of compensation.

The CITY reserves the right to, without the payment of further compensation to PHOTOGRAPHER, to reproduce the WORK for non-commercial educational, promotional or publicity purposes. All reproductions will credit the PHOTOGRAPHER, who shall retain the copyright to the WORK.

Photographer's name (printed)

Photographer's signature

Date

Parent/Guardian signature (if photographer is under 18 years old)

Date



Adore Orinda PHOTO CONTEST 2016

PHOTO RELEASE

Photo File Name: _____

Name of Photographer: _____

I hereby give the City of Orinda and _____ (PHOTOGRAPHER) permission and the unqualified right to submit and use or reproduce photo(s) containing my image, in any form or medium, for use in promoting the City on the City's website and any other promotional, educational or non-commercial materials as the City of Orinda may select. I acknowledge and agree that I do not claim and am not entitled to any fee or other form of compensation for the use or reproduction of the photo(s).

Subject's name (printed)

Subject's signature

Date

Parent's signature (if subject is under 18 years old)

Date