

Entry Form

This form must be submitted for participation in the 2018 SRM Photo Contest.

I hereby certify that the photo I am submitting is my original work and that I am the sole copyright owner. I am entering this photo as an honest and true effort of my personal creativity and unique artistic vision, and I understand that this photo may be published by the Museum on the Internet, in promotional materials, or in advertisements without compensation to me. I understand that the Museum retains the right to reject any entry for any reason, without comment or explanation.

Name (print) _____

Signature _____

Address _____

City, State, ZIP _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Date _____

Fee enclosed \$ _____

Photo Title _____

Category: Equipment | Exhibits | People |

For youth entries only: Parent/Guardian signature

Attach Model Release form if required

Delivery

Submit completed entries following the instructions inside to the gatehouse at the Museum or mail to:

Photo Contest
Southeastern Railway Museum
PO Box 1267
Duluth, GA 30096

All entries must be received by 5:00 pm on Saturday, February 24th.

FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY

Date received _____

Received by _____

Cash/ Credit/ Check \$ _____



Photo Contest



Participate in the annual Photography Contest at the Southeastern Railway Museum!

Share the photos you've taken throughout the year at the museum and meet others that have done the same. All proceeds go towards restoration & preservation efforts.



Southeastern Railway Museum
Georgia's Official Transportation History Museum
3595 Buford Hwy. Duluth, GA | 770-476-2013
southeasternrailwaymuseum.org

Photo Contest Guidelines

Photos entered into the Photo Contest must have been taken at the Southeastern Railway Museum.

The Southeastern Railway Museum reserves the right to exclude any entry for any reason.

Entries

Each photographer may submit up to 5 photos. Photos that have won prizes in prior Southeastern Railway Museum contests will not be accepted.

Entries will be accepted between February 1st and February 24th. All entries must be received by the museum by 5:00 on February 24th. No late entries will be considered.

Photos will be judged in three categories:

- Equipment (all railroad cars and locomotives)
- Exhibits (other than railroad equipment)
- People (staged or candid)

There will also be a popular vote by Museum guests to determine a People's Choice winner. Photographs will be exhibited at the museum for the month of March. During the 3 week display period prior to the award ceremony, guests will be encouraged to vote for the People's Choice category.



Submissions

Photographs must be submitted in both digital and print form. All submissions must include:

- A signed, completed copy of the entry form (this brochure or a legible copy)
- Emailed digital submission sent to photo@srmduluth.org
- The submitted image(s) in high quality JPG, PNG or TIFF format (at least 300 dpi/ppi)
- Filename should be the Photograph Title
- Photographer's name, phone number, and email address
- Entry Fee (paid at time of submission)
\$15 for 5 photos (\$10 with student ID)
- Glossy print of each image, mounted on 11"x14" matte board (white or off white), clearly labeled with the photographer's name and photograph title. Photos must be in one of the following sizes:
- 8"x8"; 8"x10"; 8"x12"

Any photograph obtained by or documenting the breaking of posted Museum safety rules will be disqualified. Any photograph taken in an area not open to the public will be disqualified.

The Museum takes no responsibility for entries lost or delayed in the mail. All digital submissions become the property of the Southeastern Railway Museum. By entering the Contest, photographer grants full and unlimited license to the Museum to use the image(s) as exhibits and for marketing, fundraising, or any other purpose, without compensation. Photographers will be credited where possible. Prints may be picked up within two (2) weeks of the end of the exhibit period. Prints left after that time may be used by the museum.

Personal Releases

Any photos containing images of identifiable people must be accompanied by signed releases from each person (unless Museum volunteer or staff). Releases from a parent/guardian are required for persons under 18 years of age.

Entrants may use a standard model release form or may pick up a simple release form from the Museum docent's desk during operating hours or download it from the Museum website.

Judging

All entries will be judged on technique, content and originality. Judging in all categories (except "People's Choice") will be performed by a panel of judges selected by the Museum. The judges' decisions are final. The judges will identify a single winner in each category. Additional prizes for merit may also be awarded at the judges' discretion.

During the display period prior to the award ceremony, Museum guests will be encouraged to vote for their favorite entry. The entry receiving the top number of votes will be named People's Choice.

Awards & Reception

An awards reception will be held on Saturday, April 7th. All entrants are invited to attend as guests of the Museum. Please bring your proof of submission (electronic or physical) for free entry for the day.

To enter, visit

<https://www.train-museum.org/event/photo-competition-2018>