



2016 Utah Lake Photography Contest

The Utah Lake Commission is pleased to announce the 6th annual Utah Lake Photography Contest. The contest is sponsored by Allen's Camera. Contestants may submit one photo in each of the following categories:

Utah Lake Scenery: Photos of the lake in all seasons (ice, sunsets, reflections, etc.)

Utah Lake Fun: Photos of people enjoying the lake.

Utah Lake Animal Life: Photos of wildlife at Utah Lake.

ENTRY: Complete the following steps:

1. Complete the entry form, available at utahlake.gov. Complete the form once for each submission (up to one in each of the three categories).
2. Print and mount the photo. Allen's Camera will offer a 50 percent printing and mounting discount on photos for this contest. The printed photos may be no larger than 16" by 24". Bring the printed, mounted photograph to any Allen's Camera location by May 28th, 2016. Photos can also be brought to the Utah Lake Commission Office, but please call beforehand to make sure that someone will be there to help you. Make sure that your name and entry title are legibly written on the back.
3. Email a digital .jpeg file of the photo to utahlakephotocontest@gmail.com by May 28, 2016. It must be at least 8MP (3264 x 2448). If you prefer, you may deliver your submission to the Utah Lake Commission or to any Allen's Camera location during business hours by May 28, 2016 on a USB flash/thumb drive or CD.

Important: Photographs that have been submitted in previous Utah Lake Photography Contests are ineligible for the 2016 contest.

Utah Lake Commission Office:

51 South University Ave. Suite 109
Provo, Utah 84601
801-851-2900

Allen’s Camera Locations:

Provo: 36 North University Ave. Provo, UT 84601 (801) 373-4440	Orem: 626 North State Street Orem, UT 84057 (801) 224-0006	Salt Lake City: 6311 S. Highland, Dr. Salt Lake City, UT 8412 (801) 278-0281	Layton: (The Imaging Depot) 589 N Main St Layton, UT 84044 (801) 544-1182
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JUDGING & PRIZES: Winners will be selected by a panel of judges from Allen’s Camera using the following criteria:

- 40% Quality (focus, lighting, depth of view)
- 40% Composition (creativity, arrangement)
- 20% Originality (think beyond just a sunset at the lake)

Winners of the photography contest will be notified by email and on the Utah Lake Commission Facebook Page on June 3, 2016. All entries will be on display at the Utah Lake Festival on June 4, 2016 at Utah Lake State Park.

Winning entries will also be displayed at the Utah Lake Commission office, Utah Lake Commission Governing Board Meetings, and at the annual Utah Lake legislative event in October. All entries may be used in marketing campaigns, social media sites, and the Utah Lake Commission website. The prizes for winning entries will be gift cards to Allen’s Camera. Prize amounts:

Category	1 st Place	2 nd Place	3 rd Place
Utah Lake Scenery	\$175 Gift Card	\$125 Gift Card	\$100 Gift Card
Utah Lake Fun	\$175 Gift Card	\$125 Gift Card	\$100 Gift Card
Utah Lake Animal Life	\$175 Gift Card	\$125 Gift Card	\$100 Gift Card

Prints for winning entries become the property of the Utah Lake Commission as they will be displayed throughout the year at various events. Winners may reprint their photographs at Allen’s Camera at a 50 percent discount because the Utah Lake Commission will be keeping their original prints. Non-winning prints can be picked up between Monday, June 6th and Friday, June 17th at the Provo Allen’s Camera location. Any prints not picked up by June 17th become property of Allen’s Camera.

GENERAL CONDITIONS AND INDEMNIFICATION: By participating in this contest and/or by accepting any prize that you may be awarded, you agree that the Utah Lake Commission, Facebook, and their respective parents, subsidiaries and affiliated companies, units and divisions; and Sponsor's advertising and promotional agencies and prize suppliers; each of their respective officers, directors, agents, representatives and employees; and their respective successors, representatives and assigns (collectively, the "Indemnified Parties") shall not be liable for any and all actions, claims, including any injuries, losses or damages of any kind caused by your participation in this Contest or resulting from acceptance, possession or use of a prize. By participating in the Contest and/or accepting any prize, you agree to fully indemnify each Indemnified Party from any and all such claims by third parties. Apart from administering the Contest, the Utah Lake Commission is not obligated to use any of the above mentioned information, Submissions, but may do so, and may edit such information or materials, in the Utah Lake Commission's sole discretion, without further obligation or compensation. The Indemnified Parties shall not be liable for: (i) late, lost, delayed, stolen, misdirected, incomplete, unreadable, inaccurate, garbled or unintelligible entries, communications or submissions; (ii) technical or computer malfunctions, or transmission errors; (iii) data corruption, theft, destruction, unauthorized access to or alteration of entry or other materials; (iv) claims based on publicity rights, defamation, or invasion of privacy; or (v) any printing, typographical, administrative or technological errors in any materials associated with the Contest. The Utah Lake Commission may prohibit participation in the Contest if, in its sole discretion, it determines a user is attempting to undermine the legitimate operation of the Contest by cheating, hacking, deception, or any other unfair playing practices of intending to annoy, abuse, threaten or harass any other participants or Utah Lake Commission employees. Submissions will not be returned or acknowledged. Any attempt at a form of entry other than as expressly specified in these rules (including but not limited to automated, copied, third-party or mechanically reproduced entries) is strictly prohibited and will result in disqualification. In the event of a dispute as to any Submission, the authorized account holder of the email address used to register will be deemed to be the entrant and must comply with these Official Rules. The "authorized account holder" is the natural person assigned an email address by an Internet access provider, online service provider or other organization responsible for assigning email addresses for the domain associated with the submitted address. Each entrant may be required to show proof of being an authorized account holder. If the Utah Lake Commission receives a request from a third party copyright holder to remove a Submission from the judging phase, the Submission will be removed from the Contest. The Utah Lake Commission is not responsible for errors, omissions, inaccurate transmission of or failure to receive an entry. The Utah Lake Commission is also not responsible for any injury or damage to any entrant's or any other person's computer related to or resulting from participating in promotion, entries that are late, misdirected or incomplete. The Utah Lake Commission reserves the right to cancel, suspend and/or modify the Contest, or any part of it, if any fraud, technical failures or any other factor impairs the integrity or proper functioning of the Contest, as determined by The Utah Lake Commission in its sole discretion. If terminated The Utah Lake Commission may, in its sole discretion, determine the winner from among all non-suspect, eligible Submissions received up to time of such action using the judging procedure outlined above. If a potential winner is disqualified for any reason, the applicable prize may be awarded to a runner-up, if any, in The Utah Lake Commission's sole discretion. The Utah Lake Commission reserves the right to disqualify any entry if there is evidence that an entry isn't the original work of the participant.

USE OF LIKENESS: By accepting prize, winner consents to use of their name, photograph and/or likeness for advertising/publicity purposes without additional compensation, except where prohibited by law. Entries must sign an Affidavit of Eligibility & Liability and Publicity Release (“Affidavit/Release”), which must be received by the Utah Lake Commission during Entry Period.

RELEASE: By entering, entrants agree to: (1) release the Utah Lake Commission and its agents from all liability, injuries, loss and/or damage of any kind arising from their participation in the Contest and the acceptance and use/misuse of any prize; (2) agree to be bound by the Official Rules and the decisions of the judges.

Entrants authorize the Utah Lake Commission to use their name, photo, hometown, Submission, entry materials and likeness for advertising and promotional purposes, in programming or promotional material, worldwide in perpetuity, or on a winner's list, if applicable, without further compensation unless prohibited by law.

Entry constitutes entrant’s consent to give the Utah Lake Commission a royalty-free, irrevocable, perpetual, non-exclusive license to use, reproduce, modify, publish, create derivative works from, and display any photo submission, in whole or in part, on a worldwide basis, and to incorporate it into other works, in any form, media or technology now known or later developed, including for promotional or marketing purposes. If requested, entrant will sign any documentation that may be required for the Utah Lake Commission to make use of the non-exclusive rights entrant is granting to use the Submission.