

Lethbridge County 2022 Ag & Garden Photo Contest Rules and Regulations

Lethbridge County is a proud agricultural community, and we want to see what you're growing this summer! We invite you to submit photos of your field, garden, or greenhouse this summer for our 2022 Ag & Garden Photo Contest.

ABOUT:

- Contest opens Tuesday, May 24, 2022 and closes Sunday, July 31, 2022 at 11:59 p.m. Mountain Standard Time. All entries must be received by the Deadline to be eligible to win the prize.
- Entries must be submitted online at https://lethcounty.ca/p/photo-contest
- Photos will be published on Lethbridge County's website, social media, and What's Happening Lethbridge
 County website. Photographer credit will accompany each photo. Photos may also be used in other
 Lethbridge County publications or digital media.
- Offer void where prohibited or restricted by law.

ELIGIBILITY:

- Contest is open to photographers of all ages. Photo release forms must be signed by a parent/legal guardian of minors under the age of 18.
- County elected officials and employees (collectively, the "Participating Entities"), and immediate families of each are not eligible to win any prizes.
- Individuals may submit up to three (3) photos to be entered for the contest. Additional submitted photos are welcome and will be shared but will not be eligible for prize entries. The first three (3) photos submitted by an individual will be eligible for the prize.

PHOTO SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS:

- Photos must be taken within the municipal boundaries of Lethbridge County.
- Photos must depict the photographer's field, crop, greenhouse, or garden.
- Photos must not be heavily retouched or altered, or have watermark overlays.
- Photos must be original to the entrant.
- Photos should be high-resolution (at least 300 dpi) and in landscape (wide) format.
- Entries must be submitted electronically and be accompanied by the Photo Release Form. Entries must also have the photographer's name, phone number, e-mail address, and location of where the photo was taken. A brief description (1-3 sentences) of the photo is encouraged.

LETHBRIDGE COUNTY OWNERSHIP OF ENTRIES:

All entries and materials submitted to Lethbridge County in connection with the Contest (collectively, "Entry Materials"), along with all copyright, trademark and other proprietary rights associated therewith, become the property of Lethbridge County upon submission, and Entry Materials will not be returned to any entrant. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, you acknowledge that Lethbridge County will own all rights to use, modify, reproduce, publish, perform, display, distribute, make derivative works of and otherwise commercially and non-commercially exploit the Entry Materials in perpetuity and throughout the universe, in any manner or medium now existing or hereafter developed, without separate compensation to you or any other person or entity.

DISCLAIMER:

The Participating Entities will not be responsible for:

any late, lost, misrouted, distorted or damaged transmissions or entries;



- telephone, electronic, hardware, software, network, Internet, or other computer- or communications-related malfunctions or failures;
- any Contest disruptions, injuries, losses, or damages caused by events beyond the control of Lethbridge County; or
- any printing or typographical errors in any materials associated with the Contest.

WINNERS/PRIZES:

- One (1) winner will be selected by Lethbridge County.
- Winner will receive a gift basket valued at approximately \$250 and will be recognized on the Lethbridge County website, social media, and What's Happening Lethbridge County website.
- Prize is not transferable. No substitutions or exchanges (including for cash) of will be permitted, except
 that Lethbridge County reserves the right to substitute a prize of equal value. The prizes is awarded "AS
 IS" and WITHOUT WARRANTY OF ANY KIND, express or implied, (including, without limitation, any implied
 warranty of merchantability or fitness for a particular purpose).
- Except where prohibited by law, entry into the Contest constitutes permission to use winners' name, address, likeness and/or prize information, without limitation, for promotional purposes without further permission or compensation. As a condition of being awarded any prize, except where prohibited by law, winners may be required to execute and deliver to Sponsor a consent to the use of their name, address, likeness and/or prize information, without limitation, for promotional purposes without further permission or compensation.

QUESTIONS?

Call 403-328-5525 for questions.



Lethbridge County 2022 Ag & Garden Photo Contest Terms of Use & Photo Release Form

I hereby give Lethbridge County a royalty-free, world-wide, perpetual, non-exclusive licence to publicly display, distribute, reproduce, and create derivative works of the photograph entry I have submitted, including my photo(s), in whole or in part, in any media now existing or later developed, for any purpose, including but not limited to advertising and promotion in any media.

I confirm to Lethbridge County that:

- I own all rights to the submitted photograph and such photograph is an original work of authorship on my
 part and has not been copied, in whole or in part, from any other work and does not violate,
 misappropriate or infringe any copyright, trademark or other proprietary right of any other person or
 entity.
- I have obtained appropriate releases from any and all identifiable individuals appearing in the photograph and from any individuals who have provided any content for the photograph.
- The photograph I have submitted was taken within Lethbridge County municipal boundaries.
- The photograph does not violate any law, statute, ordinance, or regulation.
- I will not receive any compensation for the use of my photograph by Lethbridge County.

I understand that I will retain ownership of the photograph, but agree that:

- Lethbridge County does not guarantee any confidentiality with respect to the photograph and is not
 obligated to prevent nor does it have any liability for unauthorized copying, displaying, publishing, or any
 other use.
- My name will appear as a contributor of the photograph, and where applicable, for the disclosure and use
 of such information in connection with the promotional activities of Lethbridge County.

I understand that signing this release does not require Lethbridge County to publish my photograph if it does not meet the contest rules and regulations.

I hereby declare that I am 18 years of age of older. If under the age of 18, a parent or legal guardian must sign this form giving permission to the above.

By entering the Contest, I release Lethbridge County, County elected officials, and employees from any liability whatsoever, and waive any and all causes of action, related to any claims, costs, injuries, losses, or damages of any kind arising out of or in connection with the Contest or delivery, misdelivery, acceptance, possession, use of or inability to use any prize (including, without limitation, claims, costs, injuries, losses and damages related to personal injuries, death, damage to or destruction of property, rights of publicity or privacy, defamation or portrayal in a false light, whether intentional or unintentional), whether under a theory of contract, tort (including negligence), warranty or other theory.

The information on this form is collected under Section 33(c) of the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (FOIP) and is used solely for purposes relating to Lethbridge County. If you have any questions, please contact the FOIP Coordinator for Lethbridge County at 100 – 905 – 4th Avenue South, Lethbridge, AB T1J 4E4 or call (403)328-5525.