



Visitor's Guide

Photo Contest

Rules & Entry Form

Take part in Alpena's 2015 Visitors Guide Photo Contest! This is a photo contest sponsored by the Alpena Area Convention & Visitors Bureau (AACVB) to showcase the variety of activities our region has to offer visitors and residents alike. Amateur and professional photographers are welcome. Priority will be given to photos demonstrating people in action enjoying local activities and outdoor adventure; landscape photos will also be considered.

Contest Rules:

1. Anyone is eligible to enter the contest however, the photos must have been taken in Alpena or the surrounding area during the past 12 months.
2. Photos must not feature the intellectual property of others (i.e. registered trademark) and must be in good taste.
3. Deadline for entries is Friday, September 26, 2014.
4. Limit 3 photos per person.
5. Please submit high quality digital jpeg images in color via email to mstutzman@alpenacvb.com.
6. Each photo must be clearly labeled with the submitting photographer's name.
7. A description of each photo, along with the identification of people pictured, must accompany the photo in the body of the email.
8. Permission for use of likeness must be granted by all those pictured.
9. Contest entrants agree to all the rules and regulations set forth and by the decisions made by the judges. Judges decisions are final.

If you were a visitor, where would you go? Be a tourist in your own backyard, and share the moments for our visitors to see. All photographers will be given printed credit for their submissions if selected for the guide. The grand prize winner will be featured as the cover photo for the guide. The Visitors Guide is seen by people across the globe and is viewable online at alpenacvb.com; as well as via distribution of 35,000+ printed copies across the United States.

Entry Form:

Description of photo #1: _____

Description of photo #2: _____

Description of photo #3: _____

Your Name: _____ Contact phone # (for CVB office use only): _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

*By signing this form I guarantee that the information included is accurate to the best of my knowledge. I also give my permission to the Alpena Area Convention & Visitors Bureau to utilize the photos I provide for publicity purposes and pledge that all individuals pictured have also given their permission as such. I hereby release the Alpena Area Convention & Visitors Bureau from any liability related to entry in this contest.

Please return this form (via email or regular mail) to:

Alpena Area Convention & Visitors Bureau

235 W. Chisholm St., Alpena, MI 49707

Contact us if you have any questions:

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