

Traverse Area Camera Club's 13th Annual Student Photography Competition

It continues to be a goal of the club to encourage student's awareness and appreciation of photography.

Over \$475 were distributed to students in awards with a chance for student photos to be on display at two venues last year. This year we are excited about several changes to the competition.

1. 4 categories for this year's competition are: Photographer's Choice - Landscape, Waterscape and Architecture - Family, Friends and Children - Creative Techniques. This includes the Family, Friends and Children category being displayed as part of Child and Family Services 75th anniversary celebration.
2. Prizes include First, Second, Third and Grand Prize.
3. 3 entries per student.
4. Digital entry. This year entries will be received digitally. This reduces costs for students and teachers. The club will pay for printing and display presentation. Student entries are to be emailed to taccstudent@gmail.com. Each email needs to include the student's name, category they wish to submit the photo into and an email contact.
5. **All photos are due by midnight on Saturday, February 4, 2012.** No late entries will be accepted.
6. Contest is open to high school students (grades 9, 10, 11 or 12) in the six county areas of Grand Traverse, Benzie, Leelanau, Antrim, Kalkaska and Wexford.
7. All students must have a release that is signed by a parent if they are under 18. **Releases must be received in the mail by February 7, 2012** or the entries will not be judged. Information on the release including, name and contact information must be legible. Releases are to be mailed to the address on the sheet.
8. Photos will be judged only in the category the student chooses.

We look forward to an exciting and wonderful contest. Over 500 photos were received and judged last year. We look forward to a similar response this year. As the contest moves forward this year and in years to come, we hope to continue to change and evolve with the world of photography.

If you have questions, please feel free to contact us by the email taccstudent@gmail.com

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