

# SECOND ANNUAL DISTRICT FOUR PHOTOGRAPHY CONTEST



Photographer's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

School \_\_\_\_\_

Description \_\_\_\_\_

## Release by the Photographer

I certify that I ("Photographer") am the person who took the photograph submitted herewith, and I have not assigned any of my rights associated with the Photograph to any third party and have sole, complete and unrestricted authority to enter into the Release and to grant the rights described in this release.

I release the City of San José and the San José Parks Foundation from any liability whatsoever that arises from their use of the photograph except for uses that violate the terms and conditions of this release.

I hereby grant the City of San José and the San José Parks Foundation the royalty-free and non-exclusive right to distribute, publish and use the photograph in publications to promote the City of San José and the San José Parks Foundation or to use as they see fit.

Print (full name) \_\_\_\_\_

Photograph File name \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**THIS FORM MUST BE SUBMITTED WITH YOUR SUBMISSION.**



# Pride of District 4 Photography Contest 2012

## Model Release

I, \_\_\_\_\_ (Photographer), do hereby give the City of San José and the San José Parks Foundation, their assigns, licensees, and legal representatives, the irrevocable right to use my picture, or photograph in all forms, media and manners, without restriction as to changes or alterations, for advertising, trade, promotion, exhibition, or any other lawful purposes that they see fit.

I do hereby waive any right to inspect or approve the photographs or electronic matter that may be used in conjunction with them now or in the future, whether that use known to me or unknown, and I waive any right to royalties or other compensation arising from or related to the use of the photographs.

I am 18 years of age (or parent/guardian of subject) and am competent to sign this release. I have read this release and waiver and am fully familiar with its contents.

Name of Person in Photo \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name of Person in Photo or Parent/Guardian (if applicable):

\_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Person in Photo or Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Questions regarding release? Please contact:  
Council District 4, City of San José  
district4@sanjoseca.gov  
(408) 535-4904

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## Pride of District 4 Photo Contest 2012 Rules

Sixth to twelfth grade students are invited to participate by submitting photographs depicting the Pride of District 4 and include images that express what the neighborhood means to them, what they are proud of, what inspires them in the neighborhoods of Alviso, Berryessa, and North San José, and how they appreciate the environment in District 4.

### Entry Requirements & Restrictions

- Contestants must submit their photographs by email at [CSJPhotoContest@gmail.com](mailto:CSJPhotoContest@gmail.com). (No prints)
- A completed Contest Entry Form and photo release signed by the photographer must accompany any photographs to be considered for the contest.
- Minor digital enhancement for cropping, red-eye removal, filters, and corrective functions are permitted, but images that have been judged to be altered in any significant manner will be disqualified. Contestants are not permitted to place borders, frames or backgrounds around their images or to place watermarks, dates, signatures or copyright images on photos.
- Model/Portrait Release: Photographs of people (when recognizable in the photo) must have a written and signed consent before the photo will be accepted into the contest and displayed. The Model Release consent form shall also be submitted at the time of photo submittal.
- Minimum resolution of 1024x768 (or higher) pixels and in .jpg format.
- Photographs must be taken within District 4 boundaries in the City of San José (please check on <http://www.sanjoseca.gov/district4/map.asp> for District 4 boundary information).
- Entries that fail to comply with the Contest Rules will be disqualified.

### Judging

Entries are reviewed by a team of judges from the San José Parks Foundation. Photos will be critiqued on originality and technical aspects. Winners will be announced by Friday, May 18, 2012 on the District 4 website at [www.sanjoseca.gov/district4](http://www.sanjoseca.gov/district4) & the San José Parks Foundation website at [www.sanjoseparks.org/](http://www.sanjoseparks.org/).

### Photo Rights of Ownership

All photography submitted will become property of the City of San José and the San José Parks Foundation and may be used in departmental publications promoting the City of San José and San José Parks Foundation, such as on its website, in brochures, newspapers, magazines, activity guides, and other similar marketing and promotional uses. Whenever possible, the photographer will receive credit for photography. The City of San José and the San José Parks Foundation reserves the right to crop registered photographs for display purposes.

In the event that ownership of any photograph submitted is contested in any manner, the City of San José and the San José Parks Foundation reserves the right to discontinue use of said photograph and disqualify the photograph from the contest.

### Deadlines

Entries must be received by 5:00PM on Friday, May 4, 2012 and shall be submitted via email to [CSJPhotoContest@gmail.com](mailto:CSJPhotoContest@gmail.com).

The City of San José reserves the right to change the Contest Rules as necessary.