

OREGON GOOD SAM PHOTO CONTEST 2017

THEME: "Night at the Library". Did you know that the library is bulging with any idea we can come up with? Ideas for stories, pictures, skits, music, art – you name it. And I bet you didn't know what actually goes on in a library at night.....Every idea comes alive!!! The photos should portray an image that is associated with a library, a book or anything that is found in a book. Let your creative juices run.

WHO CAN ENTER: Open to all photographers 12 years of age and older who are members of a family who is an Oregon Good Sam Chapter member in good standing..

If you have an RV, love to camp, live in Oregon but are not a member of Good Sam Club or member of an OGS Oregon Chapter, contact Karen Wells (503-910-2329) and she will share how you can become a member. She can give free one-year memberships to anyone who has never been a GS member before.

DIRECTIONS: The pictures must be taken in 2016/17 on any digital camera, phone or i-pad. They are to be printed in color or black/white on 8.5x11 size or smaller photo paper. Matting is encouraged: no framed photos will be accepted. The photo must be the original work of the entrant and an accurate reflection of the subject matter and scene as it appeared, without alteration (other than standard optimization, including removal of dust, dropping, adjustments to color and contrast, etc.) Digital images that are sent via mail or email will not be accepted. Up to 5 photographs may be submitted per person. All entries must be accompanied by a completed OGS Photo Contest Form that can be found on the OGS website, www.oregongoodsam.com or requested at oregongoodsamfamily@gmail.com.

DATE DUE: All entries must be turned in at the Oregon Good Sam Club Rally's Hospitality Suite in the Floral Building at the Douglas County Fairgrounds on either Wednesday or Thursday, June 21 -22, 2017.

PHOTO DISPLAY: All photos entered will be displayed in the Hospitality Suite (Floral Building) throughout the 2017 Oregon Good Sam RV Rally, June 21-24, 2017.

JUDGING: The winners will be chosen by ballot. There will be two ballots in every registration packet handed out to everyone who pays the registration fee. The ballots are to be returned to the ballot box in the Hospitality Suite by 10 am on Friday, June 23, 2017. The winner will be announced on Friday evening at the Chapter Recognition Event.

We will encourage the voters to judge the photos on originality, technical excellence, composition, overall impact, and artistic merit. The decision made by the voters will be final.

PRIZE: The First Prize winning entry will receive a Camping World Gift Certificate worth \$50 (Fifty Dollars). Second and Third Prize winners will receive a Camping World Gift Certificate worth \$25 (Twenty Five Dollars). The winning photos may be used by OGS in printed publications, their website and may be copied and displayed. Entrant will retain ownership and all other rights to future use of their photograph.

COPYRIGHT: By entering, you retain copyright and remain the owner of your image and may also continue to use them in any manner you choose. You agree that the image you submit may be used in printed publications, OGS website, in a slideshow and screensaver, may be uploaded on OGS social media channels or in any other media and may be copied and displayed in any country provided that you are afforded appropriate attribution as the photographer.

For questions regarding this 2017 photo contest, please contact Karen Wells, OGS State Director, at 503-910-2329 or oregongoodsamfamily@gmail.com.