



Call for Amateur Photography

Event Date: April 26th, 2019

Submission Deadline: April 9th, 2019

4th Fridays is a juried art exhibit that has been held nine months of the year for six years at the gorgeous Starline Factory in Harvard, Illinois. The show features the work of regional artists and also includes an amateur photography contest. Works will be on display and for sale during the event night from 6-10 pm.

Amateur photographers are invited to submit 3 pieces for \$25.

The suggested theme for the event is: ***Outdoors, Nature or Scenic*** but all genre of art will be honored (open to subjective or literal interpretation)

The on-line submission form can be found here <https://starlinefactory.com/starline-4th-fridays-amateur-photography-form/>

We are unable to accept paper submissions at this time. Please follow the guidelines carefully. Guidelines were developed over several years to help the jury process run smoothly, and to be fair to all artists. (it is suggested that you keep a copy of your application for future reference) Please note drop-off and pick-up times below before applying.

Awards:

Best of Show: \$50 and complimentary submission to a future 4th Friday Event.
Honorable Mention: \$25 and complimentary submission to future 4th Friday Event.
People's Choice: \$25 and complimentary submission to future 4th Friday Event.

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Location: Starline Factory, 300 W Front Street, Harvard, IL 60033

Art Submission deadline: Midnight, April 9th.

Application fee: \$25 for up to 3 pieces. Fee is Non-refundable. **Please email questions to:** starline4thfridays@starlinefactory.com

Formatting Image files for submission:

1. jpgs in standard format, with the longest side at exactly 1200 pixels
2. Jpgs must be labeled: yourlastname_firstname_arttitle_price.jpg (add a number at the end if you are submitting more than one "Untitled" piece)

On-line Submissions

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Acceptance Notification: Email notification will be sent no later than 4/12/19.

Accepted Work Drop-off: Work must be dropped off on **Saturday 4/20 between 1-4pm** or **Monday 4/22 between 1-6pm at 400 W. Front St.**

Work pick-up: Unsold work must be taken home at **10 pm** at the end of the Event. If photographer is unable to take work at that time, he or she must make arrangements for someone else to take – or store – their work.

Eligibility and Conditions

Original works executed by the photographer that have not been displayed previously in a 4th Friday Art Show are eligible. The contest is open to amateur photographers only. An amateur is considered someone who earns less than \$2,000 a year on his or her photography work.

Incomplete entries will not be considered. Accepted works must be hand-delivered. Shipments cannot be accepted.

Acceptance in the Exhibit is not guaranteed.

Photographer Guidelines:

- All photos must be presented in an 11x14 simple black frame with a white or off-white mat. Photos can be any size within the mat. **Work must be wired to hang (no saw tooth hangers) with a label attached to the back with the photographer's name, title of work and sale price & contact info.**
- All accepted work must be for sale and will be subject to a 20% commission if sold. Checks will be issued from our accounting department within three weeks of the event.
- Work must remain hanging through the event.
- At 10pm, please take any unsold photos home through the 400 door check-out process.
- If you are unable to take your work at that time, please make arrangements for someone else to take or store your work.
- Uncollected work becomes the property of Starline Factory 7 days after the event.

Starline Factory acts as agent for the artists to submit, exhibit and sell artwork. Sales tax is collected and paid on each sale. Artists are responsible for compliance with income tax filing requirements related to the sale of their artwork.

Copyright: Artists are responsible for understanding and following any copyright laws and international trade laws that may apply to their work. Starline Factory assumes no responsibility for checking copyright permission.