

Volleyball Festival “Wish You Were Here!” Photo Contest Rules and Deadlines

What's this contest all about? “Wish You Were Here!” is a free photography contest held by the Volleyball Festival. To win, submit the best photos you have taken of your teammates, friends, family, loved ones—anyone—enjoying their Festival experience, and we will pick a winning image to use on our webpage and in upcoming Festival ads and marketing material. Photos taken during play at the Phoenix Convention Center, Opening Ceremonies at Chase Field, the Championship Finals at US Airways Center, or while enjoying the sites in the Phoenix area are all eligible.

Email submission of entries is free and open to all contestants from **Saturday, June 26, 2010** through **Friday morning, July 2, 2010**. Submissions are limited to 3 images per photographer. The Festival staff will pick the winning photograph and up to 4 runners-up.

The winner will receive:

- A \$100.00 cash prize.
- 20 post cards to send home with the winning image imprinted.
- His or her photograph on Volleyball-Festival.com and other advertising placement(s).

Runners-up will receive:

- A \$10.00 Coldstone gift card.
- His or her photograph on Volleyball-Festival.com and other advertising placement(s).

How do I enter? Email up to 3 photos to volleyball.festival.photos@gmail.com by Noon, Friday July 2, 2010. Be sure to include to below information in your email. Winners will be announced at the 8PM 18s Championship Finals at US Airways Center Friday, July 2.

- Name, Mailing Address and Contact Phone Number
- Age, Team Name and Club Name
- Any creative titles you want for your photos

Helpful Tips

- Use the highest resolution for your image that you can— we'll need a good image to use in our advertising campaign.
- Make sure to read and follow all Volleyball Festival photography contest rules. If you don't follow the rules, we can't consider your photo for the contest, so please read carefully.

Volleyball Festival Photography Contest Rules

By participating in this contest, by emailing photos to volleyball.festival.photos@gmail.com, you, the participant, agree to abide by the following rules and eligibility requirements:

- (1) Photo entries will be accepted between June 25, 2010 and Noon PT on July 2, 2010. No photos emailed after July 2, 2010, will be considered for the contest.
- (2) Each participant is limited to submission of a total of 3 (three) photos.

- (3) Submitted photos must be the participant's original work, and each participant must own all rights to reproduce and distribute photos submitted.
- (4) The VOLLEYBALL FESTIVAL is not responsible for expenses of any kind associated with a photographer or subject's participation in the contest. All taxes due on contest prizes are the sole responsibility of the winning participants.
- (5) By submitting a photo in the VOLLEYBALL FESTIVAL's "Wish You Were Here!" photography contest, you are authorizing the VOLLEYBALL FESTIVAL to do the following: (i) reproduce the photo for the life of its copyright and any renewals or extensions thereof, in any media now known or not yet invented, (ii) exhibit, display, and otherwise use copies of the photo throughout the world, for VOLLEYBALL FESTIVAL purposes, including in informational materials related to the VOLLEYBALL FESTIVAL's programs and events; in publicity, promotional, and advertising materials about the VOLLEYBALL FESTIVAL (including, without limitation, press releases, advertisements -- online, television, print, etc. -- , website and online advertisements and information, registration solicitations, and third-party social media websites) and in materials related to current and future VOLLEYBALL FESTIVAL advertising campaigns, (iii) crop, alter, manipulate, or otherwise modify the photo when determined necessary by the VOLLEYBALL FESTIVAL, and (iv) use your name and image in connection with the photography contest, and identify you as the creator of the photo.
- (6) Employees of the VOLLEYBALL FESTIVAL, and their immediate family members, are ineligible to be named the contest winner or a runner-up, but may submit photos in the contest.

How will I know if I am a finalist, runner-up, or winner? A group of finalists will be chosen by VOLLEYBALL FESTIVAL staff from all submitted photographs, based upon the number of submissions. From the group of finalists, the contest-winning photograph and up to 4 runners-up will be selected. The winning photograph and runners-up will be announced at the 8pm 18s Championship Finals at US Airways Center **Friday, July 2, 2010**. The photos will then be posted on the VOLLEYBALL FESTIVAL's website. All decisions are final, and the determination of all finalists and prize winners is within the sole discretion of the VOLLEYBALL FESTIVAL. The winning photograph will be selected based on quality and relevance to the "Wish You Were Here!" theme, not by chance or lottery.

What should I do if I am selected as the contest winner or a runner-up? If your photo is chosen as the contest winner or a runner-up, congratulations! Make sure to attend the 8pm 18s Championship Finals at US Airways Center Friday, July 2 to immediately collect your prize. If you are unable to attend, VOLLEYBALL FESTIVAL will contact you at the email address used to submit the photos. **You will then have five (5) days to respond** to the VOLLEYBALL FESTIVAL by email at volleyball.festival.photos@gmail.com to confirm your mailing address for prize delivery. If you do not contact the VOLLEYBALL FESTIVAL within five (5) days from the date we email you, an alternate runner-up and/or winner will be selected.

Who can I call or email to learn more? Feel free to contact the VOLLEYBALL FESTIVAL with any questions that you might have about the "Wish You Were Here!" photography contest, volleyball.festival.photos@gmail.com.