



2026 Scenic Photo Contest Official Rules

Contest Dates: The contest is open as of May 11, 2026. The deadline for receipt of entries is close of business on June 5, 2026. Entries received after this date will not be considered.

Age Requirements: All individuals who enter must be at least 18 years of age to participate. No purchase necessary to enter.

Photograph Limits: Number of entries limited to four per person, one for each season. Holiday photos can also be represented. **No more than four entries will be accepted.** All entries may be included in one submission.

Photograph Requirements: All entries must be scenic photographs taken in Maine or New Hampshire (no people in photographs please) and must be original work(s) not previously published. Both landscape and close-up shots are acceptable. Location must be identified with each entry.

Photograph Formats:

- **Only digital color photographs or high-quality scans of non-digital photographs are acceptable.** Digital photographs should be taken at the highest resolution possible.
- Photographs should be submitted in JPEG (.jpg), TIFF (.tif) or high resolution-300 dpi or higher format. Files submitted may not be larger than 10MB.
- Permitted digital enhancement of the images is limited to cropping, resizing, spot editing, toning using controls such as levels, curves, brightness and contrast and use of filters to sharpen. Alterations NOT permitted include adding elements, and removing or replacing elements that are not present in the scene. AI generated photos will not be accepted.

Photographs Submissions:

- Email to: photocontest@norwaysavingsbank.com. All entries may be included in one email. Email size may not exceed 10MB.
- Include your **name, address, phone, email address, and location of photo(s)** in the correspondence.
- Photos submitted should include the photographer's last name and location of photo as part of the file name for each entry.
- Entries must be submitted by the original photographer who is the sole owner of the copyright of the image.

Release Form: Each contestant must complete and sign a Release Form (located on next page or at www.norwaysavings.bank). By signing the Release Form the contestant grants Norway Savings Bank permission to reproduce and display the photographs, including but not limited to, future lobby displays, advertisements, social media and Norway Savings Bank's website. The contestant is also acknowledging that no compensation is expected and that none has been promised.

- Return the signed Release Form to: Photo Contest, Attn: Marketing, Norway Savings Bank, PO Box 347, Norway, ME 04268-0347.
- Release Form must be postmarked by June 5, 2026.

Revision of Official Rules: Norway Savings Bank reserves the right to cancel the contest or modify these rules at its discretion. Decisions of Norway Savings Bank will be final.

JUDGING & PRIZE DRAWING

- Photos will be screened by a panel of Norway Savings Bank employees.
- The judges' decisions are final.
- Winning photographs will be published in the 2027 Norway Savings Bank calendar and published in various other media by Norway Savings Bank.
- Up to twenty photographs will be selected and those photographers will be notified by June 26, 2026.
- Selected photographer's names will be entered into a drawing to win \$250. (Subject to 1099 MISC IRS reporting.)
- If more than one photograph is selected by the same photographer, the photographer's name will only be entered into the drawing once.
- Odds of winning: 1 in up to 20 chances (depending on the number of photographer finalists).
- Employees of Norway Savings Bank and their immediate families (parents, spouses, children, or siblings living in the same household) may have their photos chosen, but are not eligible for the \$250 prize.

If you have any questions about the contest, please contact Nate Dubois at 207.743.3532 or 1.888.725.2207 x1069.



Release Form

Please complete, sign and return to:

Photo Contest, Attn: Marketing, Norway Savings Bank, PO Box 347, Norway, ME 04268-0347.

RELEASE/PERMISSION TO USE PHOTO AND OTHER INFORMATION IN MEDIA

I, _____ give Norway Savings Bank (the "Bank") permission to use my photo(s), image and likeness in Media Promotions. Media Promotions includes, but is not limited to newspaper, radio and television ads, promotional brochures, social media, website and any other means by which the Bank chooses to promote or advertise the Bank generally or particular bank products or programs.

It is recognized that the Bank is relying on this release in committing to prepare Media Promotions which will be costly to produce and that the Bank will be detrimentally impacted if this release were retracted. It is therefore agreed that this release will be irrevocable for a period of ten years. It is acknowledged that no compensation is expected by the undersigned and that none has been promised.

Date: _____

Name: _____
(Please Print Clearly)

Mailing Address: _____
(Please Print Clearly)

Phone: H: _____ C: _____

Email: _____

Signature: _____