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Heritage Village hosting photo contest

WOODVILLE, Texas – As part of its linchpin event, the Harvest Festival, Heritage Village is hosting a photography contest and exhibition.

The contest consists of two divisions: adult and junior, and there are different categories for each division. Participants in the adult division can enter photographs of people; animals; scenery; flowers/plants; black and white images; harvest time/fall or Heritage Village-specific images and a miscellaneous category. The last category includes architectural photography and special effects and/or computer manipulated images.

The junior division, which is for photographers who are seniors in high school and younger can enter images of people, animals or scenery/Heritage Village. The contest rules state that junior entrants may also place entries in the flowers/plants; black and white or the miscellaneous category within the adult division.

There are ribbons and prizes awarded to the first, second and third places in each category and an honorable mention, as well. A cash prize of \$25 will be awarded to the Best of Show in both divisions, while ribbons will be given to the first through honorable mentions in each category.

All of the entries will be on display during the Harvest Festival, which will take place at the Village from Oct. 17 to 19, and the deadline for all entries is Oct. 7.

The contest organizers are encouraging all amateur shutterbugs to participate and have asked that participants not enter any professional studio-generated entries.

There is an entry fee of \$3 per photo, and the sizes for entries must be either 8"x10" or 8"x12" and either matted or flush-mounted. Framed photos will not be accepted.

Contestants can pick up entry forms at Heritage Village or call 409-283-2272 with any questions. The entries can be mailed to the Village or delivered in person. All of the entries can be picked up beginning Oct. 19.

The organizers have stated to participants that the greatest care will be taken in handling every entry, however the Village is not responsible for any damage or loss that might occur with the entries.

Heritage Village Museum is located on US Highway 190 West near Woodville. You can call the Museum for further information at 409-283-2272 or toll-free at 800-323-2194 or email hvillagemuseum@att.net to arrange a tour, or for any other information.

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