**Friends of the Milltown Public Library**

**Annual Photography Contest**

*Grab your cameras and capture the world around you! (at a safe distance from others, of course)*

Give us your best shot of anything in Milltown. *Submissions are sought from artists of all ages*

*First-place winners will receive prizes. All winners will have their photographs featured in the Friends 2021 fundraising calendar.*

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**Save the Date for the Awards Reception**

Thursday, August 20th at 6:30pm

Milltown Public Library, 20 West Church Street

Contingent on the library being open for public gatherings

*See entry requirements for rules and deadlines.*

The Friends of the Milltown Public Library is a non-profit 501(c)(3) organization. Questions? Email friendsofmilltownlibrary@gmail.com
PHOTOGRAPHY CONTEST ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

- Deadline for photo submission is: **Monday, July 6, 2020.**
- Limit two (2) photos per individual.
- **Only** a digital copy of each photo must be submitted. Print submissions are not needed as there will be no display of photo prints in the library this year.
  - **Digital submission:** JPEG file in a high definition format (at least 300 DPI) submitted via email to friendsofmilltownlibrary@gmail.com. Email submissions should have “Photography Contest 2020” as the subject line.
  - Please also include the following information in the body of any digital submission sent via email: full name, address, grade in Fall 2020 (youth only), phone number, and title of photo.
- The entry form and release at the bottom of this page (p.2) **must** accompany each submission. Photos without this information will be **disqualified.** Signed copies of this release can be mailed to the library (address below), or scanned and emailed with your corresponding digital submission.
- Please abide by social distancing guidelines when taking your photo. Photos that include identifiable individuals **must** be accompanied by a Photo Subject Release Form for each person depicted. Please use the release on p.3 of this entry form. A duplicate has been provided on p.4 for your convenience. Make additional copies as needed. Photos without appropriate releases will be **disqualified.** We recommend artists keep copies of all signed release forms.
- Selected photos may be displayed in a digital exhibition and winning photos will become part of a fundraising calendar. Artists submitting entries are agreeing that their images can be used in the 2021 Friends fundraising calendar and in all associated promotional vehicles such as the Milltown Library website, pamphlets, and/or on social media.
- Submitted photos should be suitable for viewing by all ages. The library has the final decision on the content and arrangement of any exhibition.

Completed release forms may be mailed to: Milltown Public Library, 20 West Church Street, Milltown, NJ 08850. Please email friendsofmilltownlibrary@gmail.com with any questions.

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**Friends of the Milltown Public Library Photography Contest Entry Form**

Name: _____________________________________ Grade (in Fall) __________ (leave blank if adult)

Address: _________________________________________________________________________

Phone Number: ________________________ Email (optional):_______________________________

I, (full name)________________________________________, give permission to the Milltown Public Library and the Friends to use my submitted photographs in a public exhibition, print the photographs in local media, post them on the library website and social media, or use them for library promotions. I release the Milltown Public Library and the Friends of any responsibility for loss, damage or destruction to the photographs. By submitting my photographs, I grant the Milltown Public Library and the Friends the right to use the photographs for a fundraising calendar and for publishing, illustration, promotion, advertising, trade or promotion and any other use in any medium for the benefit of the Library and the Friends. I release the Milltown Public Library and the Friends from any claims that may arise regarding such specified use of my photographic work, including any claims of defamation, invasion of privacy, or rights of publicity or copyright. I certify that if individuals are depicted in my submitted photographs, I have obtained proper releases from those individuals to grant use of the photographs as described herein.

Participant’s Signature ______________________________________ Date ___________

If a minor, parent or guardian’s signature: ______________________________________ Date ___________
PHOTO SUBJECT RELEASE FORM
(For use ONLY when photo includes an identifiable person;
Person in the photo is the “Releasor”; Photographer is the “Releasee”)

I, ____________________________ with a mailing address of
____________________________City of ______________________, State of
______________________(the “Releasor”) grant permission and consent to
______________________ (the “Releasee”) for the use of the following photograph
as identified below, wholly or in part, for publication (commercial or otherwise), public
display, and presentation under any legal condition, including but not limited to:
publicity, copyright purposes, illustration, advertising, and web content.

Photographs taken on ______________________________________(date)
at________________________________________________________(location)

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Describe Photo(s)

Initial all below:
☐ - I understand that there shall be no payment for this release.
☐ - I understand that no royalty, fee, or other compensation shall become payable to
me by reason of such use.
☐ - I understand that my authorization below regarding the photograph may never
be revoked.
☐ - I acknowledge that by signing this form, I give up all claims of ownership of the
photograph described above, and assign copyright to the photographer named
above.
☐ - Use and copyright of the photographs may be granted by the photographer to
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illustration, promotion, advertising, trade or promotion and any other use in any
medium for the benefit of the Library and the Friends.

We, the Releasor and Releasee, understand and agree to the aforementioned terms
and conditions.

Releasor’s Signature ____________________________ Date ______________

Releasee’s Signature ____________________________ Date ______________

If the subject in the photo is under 18 years of age, a parent or legal
guardian must sign:

Parent/Guardian Signature ____________________________ Date ______________
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