



PHOTOGRAPHY EXHIBIT INVITATION TO PARTICIPATE

THEME: Showcasing Wisconsin's Farm Life and Agricultural Diversity

- An official **Entry Form** is required and must be securely attached to the back of the submitted photo. An entry form is available at http://www.wifarmtechnologydays.com/eau_claire. Submissions without an entry form will be rejected.
- Submitted photos must relate to the stated theme above.
- High quality, creative photographs with good composition are preferred and strongly encouraged.
- Entries will be accepted from youth, adults, amateurs, professionals and Farm Technology Days staff/volunteers.
- Entries submitted by a minor (under the age of 18 at the time of submission) or which include the visible face of a minor require parental signature on the entry form.
- Entries can be black and white, color, or sepia and may be digitally manipulated.
- Photos must be taken in 2018, 2019 or 2020 and taken by the individual submitting the entry.
- Photos must be printed, matted or framed, and not exceed a total overall size of 11" x 14".
- Each participant may submit one (1) photo.
- A photo title is encouraged for labelling and display purposes at the show (include on entry form).
- Entries will be accepted from **Monday June 1, 2020 through Friday, June 26, 2020** at the UW Extension Office located at 227 1st Street, Altoona, WI 54720. Entries can be mailed or dropped off during business hours. **Clearly label package with "FTD photo exhibit"**.
- Up to 50 photos will be displayed at the 2020 Eau Claire County Farm Technology Days show in the Rural Event Center (REC) tent from July 21-23, 2020. Additional photos may be displayed if space is available.
- **SHARP PHOTO and PORTRAIT** is the official sponsor of the photo exhibit.
 - One (1) "People's Choice Award" will be granted based on the highest number of votes an individual photo receives on site during the 3-day Farm Technology Days event. The winner will receive a certificate for one (1) stretched canvas print (approximately 20" x 24") of a photo of their choice. Estimated value \$80.
 - Three (3) "Participation Awards" will be given based on a random drawing from all entries displayed. Each winner will receive a \$25 Sharp Photo and Portrait gift card.
- The Family Living Committee reserves the right to accept or reject any entry and will coordinate a pre-selection process to determine which submissions will be selected for display at the event.
- Following the 2020 Farm Technology Days show, selected donated photos may be displayed at other yet to be determined venues, locally or statewide or included on the organization's website.

Questions regarding submissions may be directed to: familyftd2020@gmail.com, (use "Photo Show" in the subject line).

2020 FARM TECHNOLOGY DAYS - PHOTOGRAPHY EXHIBIT ENTRY FORM

Complete and securely attach form to the back of the submitted photo

Before completing this form, please refer to the Photography Exhibit - Invitation to Participate information sheet for additional important details, available at http://www.wifarmtechnologydays.com/eau_claire.

Check (✓) your photo dispersal option:

I voluntarily **donate** this photo to the Eau Claire County Farm Technology Days Committee (photo will not be returned to entrant). Photo may be displayed at other locations or venues at the discretion of the Farm Technology Days staff or discarded.

I will **pick up** this photo between **July 27 - August 7, 2020** during business hours at the UW Extension Office, located at 227 1st Street, Altoona, WI 54720. (Note: photos also may be picked up after 3:00 p.m. on the last day of the show – July 23, 2020).

I request **return** of the photo and have included a **self-addressed envelope with ADEQUATE postage affixed**.

Official Use Only Entry # _____

NOTE: Unclaimed photos, those with no option checked above or with inadequate return postage will be discarded.

Photo Title (optional)

Year Photo Taken

Two to three sentence narrative about the photo (optional)

Entrant's Printed Name (will be included with the photo display)

Entrant's Signature

Parent/Guardian Signature:

REQUIRED for entrants under 18 years of age at time of submission and/or a minor's face is visible in the photograph.

Entrant's Mailing Address

Entrant's Phone Number

Entrant's Email Address