### What Do You See Photo Challenge 2025



A photo challenge for Niagara photographers who are interested in the opportunity to see through the lens of fellow photographers as a source of inspiration.

- This year we have 6 locations spread across Niagara!
- Visit each of the 6 locations below and take photos.
- You can do them all in one day or different days, time etc. Please stay as close to the designated spot or area as possible when taking your shots or it will defeat the purpose. Don't be afraid to get creative with your photos. Remember this is the "what do you see" photo challenge, so make us "see what you see".
- When you have shot all the locations, pick your <u>one</u> best photo from each location and process the 6 images to your liking, anything goes.
- Resize your 6 images to maximum 1920 pixels wide x 1080 pixels high in JPG format.
- Rename each jpg image file starting with the number of the location and then your name. As an example an image from location 3 will be called "3 Joe Smith".
- Email them to me **dropdcreighton@gmail.com** to complete your submission.
- Deadline for submissions is October 8th 2025.

#### Here's the best part;

Your images will be assembled into a slideshow with the other participants and shown in the order of locations. That way all of us can draw on the inspiration in seeing what other photographers see with different interpretations of the same locations. It is a great way to expand what you see and photograph, as well as a great excuse to go out and shoot!

The slideshow will premiere at a Welland Photography Club meeting on October 22rd 2025. After that evening it will be uploaded to YouTube for all of us to enjoy. See <a href="https://wellandphotographyclub.com/">https://wellandphotographyclub.com/</a> for location & time.

#### Check out these past challenges:

The 2014 CHallenge can be seen here <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=15bCzKiIL7w&t=296s">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=15bCzKiIL7w&t=296s</a> <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oq6sWQIt788&t=26s">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oq6sWQIt788&t=26s</a>

#### FAQ's

Is there a cost to participate?

There is no cost. The challenge is free.

Do I have to be a member of a Camera or Photography Club?

No, you don't need to be a member of any club. All are welcome to participate. You are also welcome to come see the premiere at the Welland Photography Club in October.

What if I dont shoot all the locations?

Shooting all 6 locations is recommended but if you miss some that's ok too. Submit what you have so you can join the fun

Is this a competition?

It's not a competition, just a creative exercise for us all.

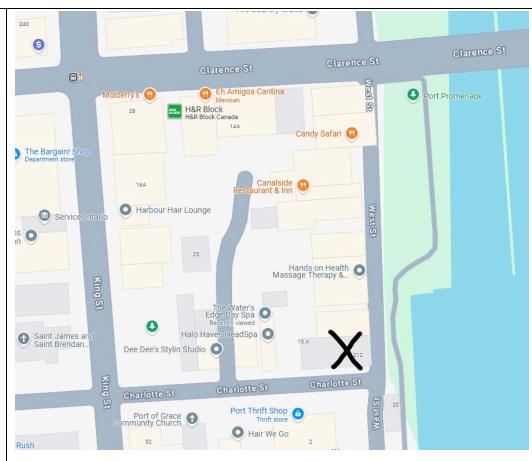
Will my Photos be used for anything else?

Absolutely not, your photos will be in a slideshow posted on YouTube for the purposes of this challenge only.

Have Fun! Darren Creighton

### #1 Former Imperial Bank of Canada Building

At the Corner of West & Charlotte Street in Port Colborne is a cool old building that was the former imperial bank of Canada. This spot could make for some interesting photos. It will also be the site of a rooftop concert for this year's Canal Days Festival.



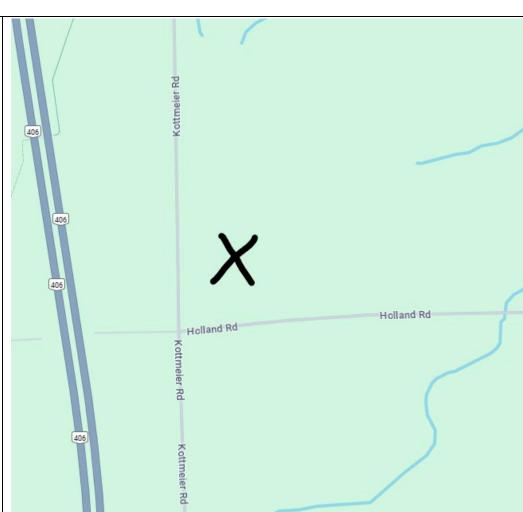
## #2 Carpool Parking Lot

This parking lot that is for carpooling is just east on the 406 at the end of Woodlawn Road. There is not much there but just remember, restrictions can breed creativity, and this is a challenge:)



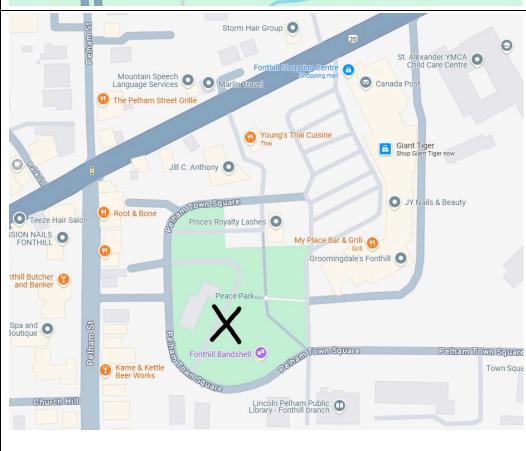
#### #3 Tree(s) in the Field

At the corner of Kottmeier & Holland Road. If you look to the northeast, there is a beautiful tree in the field. Also other trees in the distance. This spot reminds me of the first challenge spot picked in 2014. Enjoy!



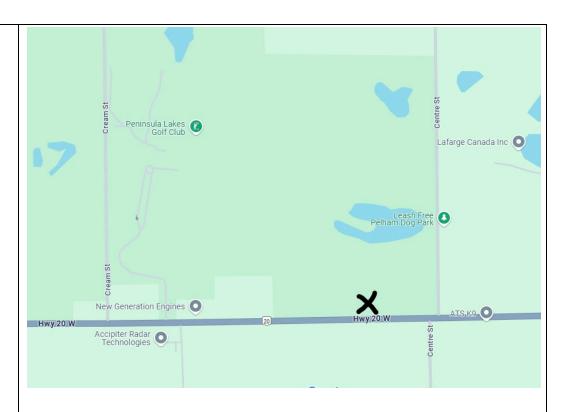
### #4 Peace Park in Fonthill

A little park nestled in the middle of Fonthill. A good spot to take photographs and home of the Fonthill Bandshell, where you can see musical acts throughout the summer.



# **#5 Golf Course** Vantage Point

Along the north side of highway 20 just west of Creme Street you can pull over and get a great vantage point looking northwest over the golf course. Could be an excellent location for the end of the day or sunset.



## #6 Street Photography Queen & St Paul

Corner of Queen & St Paul Streets in St Catharines will offer all kinds of photo opportunities for "Street Style Photography"

