

PROFESSIONALS

You are a professional if:

- You currently sell or have sold your photography services or photos.
- You refer to yourself as "a Photographer".
You actively barter your photography skills or photos for other services (i.e. use your skills as a form of currency).
- You work in any capacity in a photography establishment, or assist a Professional Photographer.
- You work professionally with Photoshop or any other photo imaging software.

Any and all employment within the Photography/editing field categorizes you as a "Professional".

Who may enter

You must be a current member of the Islip Horsemen's Association to enter.

ENTRY CATEGORIES:

Horses only
Horses and their people

Rules:

Photos will be judged on:

- Creativity
- Skillful execution/composition

Only minor burning, dodging and/or color correction is acceptable, as is minor cropping.

No watermarks allowed

All watermarked or photos edited beyond what is allowed will be disqualified

Photos must be of IHA Members and their Horses

Photos must be taken in 2019

The Islip Horsemen's Association reserves the right to use submitted photos on our social media, website and newsletter; as well as feature them in our end of year video. IHA does not assume ownership of entered photos, that remains with the Photographer.

PRIZES

One first place, two runners up. **Prizes TBA**

This category will be judged by a panel of Professional Photographers who are currently working in the media. Their names will be released at a later date

AMATEUR PHOTOGRAPHERS

You are an Amateur if:

- You do not sell your photographs.
- You do not work in the capacity of a Photographer or edit photographs for money.
- You do not work for a photographer or in a photography establishment.

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***If you hired a photographer to take photos of you/your kids and your horse, such photos constitute a Pro category entry.**

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CUTEST PHOTO OF THE YEAR (Amateur and Professional)

This category is open to everyone who is a current member of IHA!

Give us your best/cutest/funniest pix!

Extra points for photobombs!

Extra points for creativity!

Super extra points for being in the right place at the right time!

ENTRY CATEGORIES:

Horses only

Horses and their people

Rules:

- **No humiliating photos of others without their consent.**
- **RATED G only.**
- **Nothing which could remotely constitute "controversy".**
- **There must be something horse related or a horse in the photo.**
- **Photos must be of IHA members only.**
- **Photos must be taken in 2019.**
- **No watermarks**

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PRIZE:

One winner. The prize will be based on your photo! Be prepared!