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## 2015 STILLWATER SUMMER PHOTO CONTEST

*Stillwater, MN* – The Stillwater/Oak Park Heights Convention & Visitors Bureau invites photographers or people with a love for capturing great shots to submit their best Stillwater images by August 31, 2015 for the chance to win up to \$300 or a Stillwater Getaway Package valued at over \$700. There will be 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> place cash prizes and a Popular Vote category determined by Facebook voting which wins the grand prize of the Stillwater Getaway Package including a 2-night stay at The Rivertown Inn, wine-tasting for two at Northern Vineyards, a complimentary ticket for a Savor the Flavors of Stillwater culinary tour from Foodies on Foot, \$100 for Kari's Create & Paint Studio, and a \$50 restaurant gift certificate for Marx Fusion Bistro.

Winners will all also receive recognition on the DiscoverStillwater.com website, showcase in the 2016 Official Stillwater Visitors Guide, and on social media. Images are encouraged from all four seasons and must be taken in the Stillwater area. Ideas include people and/or places that portray Stillwater's history, people having fun, events, landmarks, scenery, attractions, dining, lodging, river activities, weddings, culinary travel, art scene, families, nature, adventure, boutiques, architecture, and more. Photographers are encouraged to find what inspires you about historic Stillwater. Up to five images can be submitted with a preferred minimum resolution of 300dpi.

Official contest rules, past winners, and entry page link is available at <http://www.DiscoverStillwater.com/photo-contest>. Popular vote winners will be determined by an online voting tool on Facebook during first two weeks of September and cash prize winners will be determined by a panel of judges from Stillwater CVB Board members. Social media submissions are preferred and email submissions to [info@discoverstillwater.com](mailto:info@discoverstillwater.com) will be accepted for the cash prize categories only. Winners will be notified in October via email.

Stillwater is a popular tourist destination located just minutes from the Twin Cities of Minneapolis and St. Paul, on the scenic St. Croix River, and is considered the Birthplace of Minnesota.

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