



About us

The Candace Freeland Photography of Merit Award honors the legacy of photographer Candace Freeland, who gave the founding gift for this heartfelt outreach to youth and young adults.

Photography for All

Participants capture photos based on the theme: **Food and Family** in color or black-and-white, using their **smartphone camera**.



Categories

- Youth ages 8-15 | Color or B&W
- Young Adults 16-22 | Color or B&W

Deadline: Sept 01, 2026

Awards

- Color - Youth: \$500 | Young Adults: \$750
- B&W - Youth: \$500 | Young Adults: \$750
- Runners-Up: \$250 | Each Category
- People's Choice: \$250 | Each Category

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