

# I Love CHQ County! Photo Contest

## Give Big CHQ

Hosted by Chautauqua Region and  
Northern Chautauqua Community Foundations

### Official Rules:

- The official sponsor and administrator of the I Love CHQ County! Photo Contest (Contest) is the Chautauqua Region Community Foundation (CRCF) and Northern Chautauqua Community Foundation (NCCF).
- Official photo entries will be accepted online at <https://forms.gle/RtXfCP96bYBkuaPH8> beginning January 15, 2020, at 8:00 a.m. and ending January 31, 2020, at 5:00 p.m.
- The Contest is subject to all applicable federal, state and local laws and regulations; void where prohibited by law.
- The Contest is in no way sponsored, endorsed or administered by, or associated with Facebook.
- Employees and board members of CRCF and NCCF are **not** eligible to participate.
- Individuals may submit up to two (2) photos.
- Any attempt by an entrant to obtain more than the stated number of entries by using multiple/different email addresses, identities, logins or other methods will void that entrant's entries and disqualify the entrant.
- By submitting a photo, the entrant acknowledges they have permission for a photo release of any individuals and children under the age of 18. CRCF and NCCF are not responsible for photos submitted without consent.
- In the case that an entry is found to be incomplete, an attempt will be made to contact the entrant via the email address provided.
- CRCF and NCCF shall have no liability for an entrant's failure to receive such notices due to spam or other security settings or their provision of incorrect contact information.
- CRCF and NCCF assume no responsibility for any technical or human errors, which may occur in the processing of submissions in the Contest. Including technical errors or delays which could affect submission, including whether such submission is ultimately received and may arise from, among other things, high volumes of internet traffic, failures in the nominee's internet service, unauthorized intervention by third parties, or other technological problems.
- CRCF and NCCF reserve the right to disqualify any entrant at their sole discretion.
- All submissions will be reviewed and, potentially, narrowed down, from all valid entries received throughout the Submission Period (Jan. 15-Jan. 31).
- The public is encouraged to vote by "liking" their favorite photo.

- The three photos with the most “likes” at the end of the voting period will be declared the winners.
- Winners will be publicly announced on Friday, February 14, 2020, on the Give Big CHQ Facebook Page [www.facebook.com/givebigchq](http://www.facebook.com/givebigchq) and website [www.givebigchq.org](http://www.givebigchq.org).
- Selected winners (individual entrants) will receive no personal or monetary benefit as a result of the Contest, their designated charity will be the recipient of a charitable grant award.
- Each winner’s designated charity will be awarded up to \$500 to be used exclusively for charitable purposes and the grant will be awarded on or before February 28, 2020.
- The grant award is nontransferable. No substitution of award or transfer/assignment of the award to others by winners or designated charities is permitted.
- The charities selected by the winners may be required to sign and submit an affidavit of eligibility, applicable tax forms, liability releases and other relevant paperwork.
- If, for any reason, the Contest is not capable of running as planned, including infection by computer virus, tampering, unauthorized intervention, fraud, technical failures, or any other causes beyond the control of CRCF and NCCF which corrupt or affect the administration to conduct the Contest, then CRCF and NCCF reserves the right in its sole discretion to cancel, terminate, modify or suspend the Contest.

**Permission for use of submitted photos:**

- All submitted photos collected in connection with the Contest may be used by Give Big CHQ and both CRCF and NCCF at their discretion for any and all marketing purposes.

*\*By entering, participants release and hold harmless CRCF and NCCF, anyone acting on behalf of CRCF, as well as any directors, officers or employees of these organizations from any and all liability for any injuries, loss or damage of any kind arising from or in connection with the Contest.*

*\*By participating in the Contest, each entrant unconditionally accepts and agrees to comply with and abide by the Official Rules and the decisions of the official sponsors of the Contest, CRCF and NCCF.*

**Contact Information:**

Any questions regarding the Contest can be directed to the official sponsors,

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#716-366-4892 or [ilord@nccfoundation.org](mailto:ilord@nccfoundation.org)