

2017 Baxter State Park Calendar

PHOTO SUBMISSION GUIDELINES



The annual Baxter State Park calendar is a collaborative effort of Friends of Baxter State Park and Baxter State Park. The calendar is an important outreach tool for the Park, and a wonderful opportunity to support the Park with your photography. Every year, Park staff and Friends members donate all photos for the calendar. **The deadline for submitting photos for the 2017 calendar is October 31, 2015.**

Entry Instructions:

Photos must be submitted in digital format. The best file format is DNG, or any “RAW” file format including NEF, CRW, CR2, or ORF. TIF format also works well. We are usually not able to use JPEG images for the large monthly photos because of the extremely high resolution printing process, but we will consider them for smaller inset photos. Each photographer may submit up to 10 images. Please number your photos from 1 – 10, and name each file using the following format: lastname_photo#_month.

Example: megquier_photo1_january.dng

All entries must be accompanied by a completed, signed photo submission form. A copy of the photo submission form is on the following page. Images may be submitted in two ways:

1. Mailing a CD, DVD, or SD card containing images to Friends of Baxter State Park at PO Box 322, Belfast, ME 04915. We will retain CDs and DVDs for our archives, but will gladly return SD cards by mail upon request.
2. Direct upload via Dropbox. Please contact Aaron at director@friendsofbaxter.org for a personalized link that will allow you to upload files without a Dropbox account.

Review process:

Preliminary photo selections are made in November by a review committee. The publisher reviews our selections in December and January, and selections are finalized by February. We typically notify photographers in March about the results of their submission. The calendars are printed between March and June, and are ready for distribution by early July. All photographers with a photo printed in the calendar will receive a complimentary copy of the calendar from Friends of Baxter State Park. The calendar is published by Maine Scene, a family-owned business located in Union, Maine. If you have any questions about photo submission or the review process, please contact Aaron Megquier at 207-975-3787 or director@friendsofbaxter.org.

PHOTOGRAPH SUBMISSION FORM

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Photographer Name: _____
Mailing Address: _____
Phone: _____ Email: _____

PHOTO 1

Description of subject: _____
Location: _____ Month the photo was taken: _____

PHOTO 2

Description of subject: _____
Location: _____ Month the photo was taken: _____

PHOTO 3

Description of subject: _____
Location: _____ Month the photo was taken: _____

PHOTO 4

Description of subject: _____
Location: _____ Month the photo was taken: _____

PHOTO 5

Description of subject: _____
Location: _____ Month the photo was taken: _____

PHOTO 6

Description of subject: _____
Location: _____ Month the photo was taken: _____

PHOTO 7

Description of subject: _____
Location: _____ Month the photo was taken: _____

PHOTO 8

Description of subject: _____
Location: _____ Month the photo was taken: _____

PHOTO 9

Description of subject: _____
Location: _____ Month the photo was taken: _____

PHOTO 10

Description of subject: _____
Location: _____ Month the photo was taken: _____

I, _____, photographer and copyright holder, grant Friends of Baxter State Park and the Baxter State Park Authority a non-exclusive, perpetual, irrevocable, royalty-free license to use, reproduce, modify, adapt, publish, create derivative works from, distribute, perform, and display my photographs (in whole or part) worldwide and/or to incorporate them in other works in any form, media, or technology now known or later developed. I understand that ownership and copyright of these photographs will remain with me, the photographer. I grant this license for all photographs submitted for the 2017 Baxter State Park Calendar.

Signature

Date

**Please return to: Friends of Baxter State Park, PO Box 322, Belfast, ME 04915
or submit a signed, scanned form digitally with your photos**