

## HIRA Photo Contest Spring 2016

Would you like to share some of your favourite Howe Island Landscape Photographs with others via [www.howeisland.org](http://www.howeisland.org) our official HIRA web site? Today we are announcing a photo contest which will provide you with this unique opportunity.

Each photograph entered must show some part of Howe Island. In the interest of privacy the photo should not identify individuals, addresses or licence plate numbers as they will be put on the first page of the [www.howeisland.org](http://www.howeisland.org) site which is open to the general public. This means that anyone anywhere in the world will be able to see the photographs. They may not be able to modify or change the photos on the site but they will be able to copy them.

There are pictures on the HIRA web site today as examples. Other ideas for the photos are : pictures of ferries, wildlife, barns ,agriculture , sunsets, sunrises , trees, gardens, marsh, and ice, just to name a few. The pictures must be delivered in a digital format to the following email address [jimhowe299@gmail.com](mailto:jimhowe299@gmail.com) and they should not be larger than 2 megabytes. Each Island family is limited to 2 pictures. The pictures should be in wide landscape mode but they may have to be cropped to use them on the HIRA site as they all have to be a similar aspect ratio.

Winners of the contest will be chosen by a panel of judges designated by the Board of HIRA. The pictures will be used over the next 12 months or longer as part of a welcome to the HIRA site.

There will be a prize of nominal value for each of the top 5 photos that are chosen however a total of 15 will be used on the HIRA site. The names of the winners will be announced and prizes awarded at the HIRA Annual General Meeting in August 2016.

## Photo contest rules

Entry to the competition is restricted to two pictures per Howe Island household please.

Automated entries, bulk entries or third party entries are not eligible.

Contest is open to Howe Island residents only. Please include your name, telephone number and address in the email you send with the pictures.

Winners will be contacted via email address sent with the pictures.

The Judges decision is final and no correspondence will be entered in to.

The competition will run from May 1 to July 31, 2016. Pictures may be placed on the site prior to the contest closing.

You must be the owner of the picture to submit it to the contest. HIRA takes no responsibility for the copyright in any picture.

