

2010 Corporate Games Photo Contest

The City of Ventura invites all 2010 Corporate Games participants to participate in the first annual Corporate Games Photo Contest! Entries will receive 25 points (per company) toward the JD Probasco Spirit Award. Take a picture of your favorite event, team, Opening and/or Closing Ceremonies, the Community Service Projects, or anything that represents the spirit and competition of Corporate Games.

Pictures will be judged in 4 categories: **Best Group Photo, Best Action Photo, Best Sportsmanship Photo and Best Overall Photo**. Winners for each category will be selected by an elite group of judges made up of professional photographers, Brooks Photography students and City of Ventura Cultural Affairs employees. The photos will be judged based upon color, quality, clarity and illustration of the essence of the Corporate Games.

2010 Photo Contest Timeline: The contest begins on March 31, 2010 and ends on May 10, 2010. Photos taken after May 10th will be eligible for next year's photo contest. We will announce the photo contest winners at Closing Ceremonies on May 15, 2010. (Unfortunately the contest must end prior to the Closing Ceremonies to allow the judges time to meet and choose the winners. Any pictures taken after the May 10th deadline can be submitted during the 2011 Corporate Games photo contest.)

Photo Contest Rules & Guidelines – Please read the guidelines below; the guidelines are different than the information in the brochure:

- By submitting photos, the contestant acknowledges and agrees to the terms of the contest.
- The contest is open to all Corporate Games participants. Your company must participate in Corporate Games to be eligible.
- Photos must be of Corporate Games events, and/or participants.
- **Photos must be submitted by e-mail by the COMPANY COORDINATOR to ljohnson@cityofventura.net. Please submit one photo at a time. Each company is limited to submitting a TOTAL OF 10 IMAGES - not 10 images per category – 10 images in TOTAL. The company must decide on the BEST 10 photos taken by their employees.**

Remember that the images that are chosen by the company should be e-mailed one at a time by the COMPANY COORDINATOR to ljohnson@cityofventura.net.

- Location and date of photo must be provided. Also name of photographer, company and phone number must accompany each photo.
- Please write the category that you would like the picture to be entered into, in the subject line of your e-mail. You must include your name, company and phone number with each submission.
- Photos must be of sufficient resolution to print a 8" X 10" without loss of quality with:
 - 4 megapixels minimum
 - Either a JPEG or PNG file format saved at the highest possible quality
 - Maximum file to upload is 10 megabytes
- All entries may be used by the City of Ventura in print or electronic media
- All entries must be received by May 10, 2010

For information contact: Laura Johnson at ljohnson@cityofventura.net

Example of photo submittal e-mail:

TO: ljohnson@cityofventura.net

FROM: Corporate Games Company Coordinator

SUBJECT: Corporate Games Best Overall Photo

(attach photo)

Photo taken at Opening Ceremonies on April 7, 2010.

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(You may also title your photo. For example: "Start of the 5K Run")