



# Photo Contest

Show us how you GROW in Hermiston!



- What:** Picture Contest
- When:** Submit pictures by July 31, 2013
- How:** Email pictures to [city@hermiston.or.us](mailto:city@hermiston.or.us)
- Why:** Support efforts to promote Hermiston and get a chance to win up to \$200
- Info:** [www.hermiston.or.us/photocontest](http://www.hermiston.or.us/photocontest)



## Categories

### Recreation

Send us your best shots of you and your family enjoying any of the recreational opportunities in the Hermiston area. Whatever "recreation" means to you, if you do it within 30 minutes of Hermiston, we want to see why Hermiston's a great place to grow up enjoying the outdoors.

### Agriculture

Send us your best shots that represent agriculture in our area. Tractors harvesting a crop, sprinklers watering a field, kids enjoying our world famous watermelon, or even your blue-ribbon winning Sun Flowers. If it grows in the ground, or makes it onto a plate, we want to see it.

### Culture/Education

What is Hermiston's culture? Show us. Kids with sparklers at the Butte for 4<sup>th</sup> of July, dancing horses on Main Street for Cinco de Mayo, or kids showing sheep at the fair, if you think your picture represents the culture of Hermiston, send it in. How would you visually represent our outstanding schools? Let's see your pictures that show why we're so proud of all of the schools present in Hermiston (K-12, BMCC, EOU, and OSU Extension).



## Purpose

The Hermiston Futures Task Force has pulled together a broad group of people from the community representing media, government, tourism, economic development, education, and private industry to help define what Hermiston is. This group has worked for the past year to gather the quantitative data and qualitative background information to help tell Hermiston's story and use that story to develop an identity.

The Futures Task Force has refined an identity, but now needs your help to give that identity a face when it's shared with the world during the week of the 2013 Umatilla County Fair.



## Criteria/Rules

The community will get a chance to vote on the winners once a set of finalists for each category is chosen. Preference for finalists will be given based on technical picture quality and consistency with the theme of "growth." There is no limit to the number of submissions per person. The same person is eligible to win multiple prizes if multiple entries are made. This is a voluntary contest. The City of Hermiston will not be liable to reimburse any costs associated with providing submissions, and will become the owner of all material submitted.

