



## **Frequently Asked Questions**

**I don't know if my horse is a Thoroughbred. Can I submit a photo of him/her?**

*Horses featured in photo entries must be registered Thoroughbreds. If the identity of your horse cannot be confirmed via tattoo research or microchip, the entry will not be accepted.*

**My Thoroughbred was not rehomed by a TAA-accredited organization. Can I submit a photo of him/her?**

*No, only registered Thoroughbreds that are in residence at or were rehomed by a TAA-accredited organization may be featured in a photo entry.*

**How do I know if my Thoroughbred was rehomed by a TAA-accredited organization?**

*A list of organizations currently accredited by the TAA can be found on the TAA website at [www.thoroughbredaftercare.org/taa-accredited-organizations](http://www.thoroughbredaftercare.org/taa-accredited-organizations).*

**I don't have a computer; can I mail a CD/DVD/prints?**

*No. Only entries submitted in the manner outlined in the official rules will be accepted.*

**Can I submit my entry via text message?**

*No. Only entries submitted in the manner outlined in the official rules will be accepted.*

**Why is my email bouncing back to me?**

*You may be trying to send too much information in one email. Emails larger than 15-20 megabytes may be rejected by your email server. You can send one photo per email, or you may need to use software to slightly lower the resolution of your file before you send it.*

**My photos are too large to email, can I send a link to my online gallery?**

*No. Only photos directly emailed will be considered. Entries containing links to online galleries will be ignored.*

**How do I make my files 300 ppi?**

*You can confirm your photos are high-resolution using photo editing software, such as Photoshop. The photos must be 300 ppi at approximately 9x11 in size. The calendars will be printed with a full bleed (no border), so some cropping on the edges of your photo may occur.*

**My photo is a vertical, can I enter it?**

*No. All calendar images will be printed in landscape format.*

**I'm not sure my email with my entry went through, can I call or email to confirm?**

*You will receive an email confirmation of your entry submission. If you did not receive a confirmation email, you may reach out via email to [taasubmissions@gmail.com](mailto:taasubmissions@gmail.com).*

**Can more than one person from the same household enter?**

*Yes.*

**Is there an age requirement?**

*No.*

**Will I get photo credit in the calendar for my photo?**

*Yes, photo credit will be noted in the calendar.*

**Can I put my name or watermark on my photo?**

*No, you should not have any name, watermark, or copyright on the image itself. We will overlay photographer credit to maintain uniformity on all photos.*

**Can I submit digitally altered or manipulated photographs?**

*Yes you may, but any enhancements must maintain the original integrity of the image. For example, physical elements (such as moon, horse, person) may not be added. Please refrain from applying any border effects.*

**Can I suggest a month for my photo?**

*Yes, we welcome your input for the month your photo represents. We cannot guarantee your photo will be chosen for the month you suggest.*

**When and how will I be notified if I have a winning entry?**

*Winners will be notified via email in July.*

**How can I get a copy of the finished calendar?**

*Calendars will be available at the end of November. You are welcome to request a calendar by emailing [info@thoroughbredaftercare.org](mailto:info@thoroughbredaftercare.org). Supplies will be limited and disbursed on a first-come, first-serve basis to TAA-supporters.*