

FRIENDSHIP FORCE MIDWEST REGIONAL CONFERENCE

PHOTOGRAPHY CONTEST AND WORKSHOP

What better way to tell the story of our Friendship Force experiences than through the photographic medium. We are modeling the popular photography contest that was held at the 2010 World Conference in Washington, D.C.

Members of our local clubs are encouraged to sort through their photo files from past exchanges to find creative and entertaining photos for our Midwest Region photo contest. All submitted photos will be reviewed and critiqued during a special break-out session which will be held Saturday afternoon, April 16, as part of our Regional Conference. Awards for outstanding photos will be presented as part of the conference closing dinner on April 16. Winning entries do not need to be present to accept an award.

The judge and workshop leader will be John Nollendorfs, a Lincoln native and well-recognized mid-America photographer.

CONTEST RULES AND REGULATIONS: We will identify the same three categories in the contest that were used for the world conference:

- ✓ **Explore:** Exploring new cultures
- ✓ **Understand:** Gaining understanding by making friends across the barriers that separate people
- ✓ **Serve:** Putting friendship in action by connecting with the local community

Each photo should depict scenes, people or events that clearly reflect or define one of the three themes in action.

TO ENTER:

Select several digital, high-quality photos that were taken during an official Friendship Force activity

Select the category which best fits the photographs

Attach your photos to an e-mail that explains in which category your photo is being entered. Send the email and the photo attachment to the following email address rkrohn@neb.rr.com

All photos should be submitted no later than April 8. By submitting photos you agree that your photos may be publicized by Friendship Force with your name credited.