

PHOTOGRAPHY GUIDELINES AND TIPS

SHOOT EARLY, SHOOT OFTEN

Take photos early on in an event, before people are too involved. That way, you won't interrupt the fun, and people will be much more willing to have their photo taken.

DON'T BE A VOYEUR (TOO OFTEN)

Candid photography has its place, but more often than not, people would prefer you ask them before taking a photo.

Tell them your name, why you are taking a picture, and where it will be used. As long as you're friendly, there's no way they can refuse!

THINK OUTSIDE THE BOX

You're capturing moments at a fun and exciting event, not taking class photos. Ditch the shoulder-to-shoulder center shots and do something different. Take a step to the side to add a feeling of depth, or throw in a Dutch angle. It'll make your photos much more interesting.

THE "PERFECT" SHOT

People tend to change their behavior when they know a camera is around. Once an event gets going, however, people tend to get used to the presence of cameras. That's when the best candid shots present themselves. Be ready for these moments.