

CAPTURING CHANGE - 2024 Summer Youth Photography Workshop

Are you ready to take your creativity and photography skills to another level? Do you want to learn how to use your creative voice to impact social change in your community?

Capturing Change is a summer youth photography workshop led by Sheree Rayford. This workshop introduces young creatives to artistic skills and concepts that inspire social change and aims to educate the community through visual storytelling. Students will present their artwork in a public art exhibition at the Solano Town Center Gallery in September 2024. Community leaders will be personally invited by the participants to attend a reception where each artist will share their artwork and the story behind it.

Participants will:

- Develop key entry-level skills to pursue a career in photography!
- Learn the art of visual storytelling!
- o Raise awareness for social justice issues & inspire change in your community!
- o Present your artwork in a gallery exhibition at the Solano Town Center Art Gallery!
- Build your own photography portfolio!
- o Receive a FREE entry-level professional DSLR camera!

To be considered for this opportunity, please send a one-page letter of interest to sheree@shereerayford.com that includes:

Name, age, and contact information
Why you are interested in photography
Your past or current art education experience
What does social justice mean to you? How does your art reflect your perspective on social justice?

Applications will be accepted beginning March 1, 2024 through March 31, 2024. Participants will be informed of their selection no later than April 30th, 2024.

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