

2022 QUAIL CREEK BANK HOMETOWN HEROES

OFFICIAL RULES (KWTW)

1. The Contest is open to all U.S. citizens and legal U.S. residents, at least 18 years of age, who reside in NEWS 9 Designated Market Area, as defined by Nielsen Media Research, Inc. ("DMA") except as otherwise provided in these or specific contest rules. For a copy of the DMA Map, visit www.News9.com/contests or [click here](#). Employees of NEWS 9 and its affiliated parent and subsidiary companies, affiliated stations or companies, advertising and promotion agencies, sponsors, entities furnishing prizes or otherwise connected with the conduct of this Contest ("Contest Entities") and their respective officers, directors, representatives and agents, their immediate families and members of their households, are all ineligible and may not register or participate in the Contest.

2. Only one (1) prize may be awarded per household for the duration of this contest. Winners from any other contest hosted or conducted by NEWS 9, must wait 30-days from their most recent win-date before winner is eligible to win again. The 30-day ineligible period begins the day winner is contacted and notified of their winning status. Additionally, any winner of this contest will not be eligible to win a prize from any other contest hosted or conducted by NEWS 9 for 30 days immediately following the date winner is notified of their winning status.

3. The Contest is void where prohibited by law.

4. No purchase, registration fee or donation of money is required to register or win.

5. By participating in this Contest, all entrants agree (a) to abide by these and any additional specific official rules and the decisions of the Contest Entities and contest officials designated by NEWS 9, which will be binding and final in all respects; (b) to the use of information by the Contest Entities for marketing and advertising purposes as allowed by applicable privacy policies and law; (c) to indemnify, defend, and hold harmless the Contest Entities and their officers, directors, employees and agents from any and all liability, claims, lawsuits, costs, expenses, fees, injuries (including death), losses, and damages resulting or alleged to result from participation in the Contest, acceptance or use of any prize, and/or from entrants fraudulent or otherwise wrongful acts or omissions; (d) not to sue the Contest Entities for any damages alleged to arise from winner's acceptance of or use of the prize(s); and (e) to the use of the entrants, name, voice, biography, and likeness by Contest Entities without further notice or compensation for promotion, advertising, filing, and dissemination purposes, except where otherwise prohibited by law.

6. "Contest Officials" designated by the management of NEWS 9 shall be responsible for interpretation and enforcement of the contest rules.

7. Contest Officials shall have the sole right to disqualify any participant for violation of these rules or any other published rules applicable to a specific contest, and to resolve all disputes in their sole discretion. Contest Entities (a) make no warranty, guaranty or representation of any kind concerning any prize; (b) disclaim any implied warranty and (c) are not liable for injuries, losses or damages arising or alleged to arise out of any persons participation in the Contest. All disputes will be resolved under applicable Oklahoma laws.

8. Contest Entities are not responsible for lost, late, damaged, misdirected, undelivered, undeliverable, incomplete or unreadable entries. Contest Entities are not responsible for lost entries due to telephonic or electronic malfunctions. Contest Officials may prohibit an entrant from participating in the Contest or winning a prize if, in their sole discretion, it determines that said entrant is attempting to undermine the legitimate operation of the Contest by cheating, deception, or other unfair playing practices or intending to annoy, abuse, threaten, or harass any other entrants or Contest Entities representatives. If for any reason this Contest is not capable of running as planned as a result of any causes beyond the reasonable control of Contest Entities including but not limited to tampering, unauthorized intervention or fraud which corrupt or affect the administration, security, fairness, integrity, or proper conduct of the Contest, then, Contest Officials reserve the right at their sole discretion to cancel, terminate, modify, or suspend the Contest. The rules can be modified at any time without notice.

9. NEWS 9 reserves the right, in its sole discretion, to alter, change, cancel or suspend this Contest, for any reason whatsoever, without prior notification.

10. How to Win: Starting March 14, 2022, NEWS 9 will encourage viewers to nominate someone they consider to be a "Hometown Hero" and who they believe should be recognized for the positive impact they have contributed to their local community. Each month, one (1) winner will be selected, and will receive \$500. Prize will be awarded to prize winners in the form of a check from Quail Creek Bank. Nomination forms can be completed at www.News9.com/hero. Winners are selected by contest officials based on the explanations given in the nomination form.

11. Promotional Period is defined as follows: March 14, 2022, through March 30, 2023. One (1) winner will be selected each month, by random generator, from entries received as follows:

Winner #1: One (1) winner will be selected, by random generator, for March, 2022 and will be selected from all valid entries received starting March 14, 2022 through the date this winner is announced.

Winner #2: One (1) winner will be selected, by random generator, for April, 2022 and will be selected from all valid entries received starting March 14, 2022 through the date this winner is announced.

Winner #3: One (1) winner will be selected, by random generator, for May, 2022 and will be selected from all valid entries received starting March 14, 2022 through the date this winner is announced.

Winner #4: One (1) winner will be selected, by random generator, for June, 2022 and will be selected from all valid entries received starting March 14, 2022 through the date this winner is announced.

Winner #5: One (1) winner will be selected, by random generator, for July, 2022 and will be selected from all valid entries received starting March 14, 2022 through the date this winner is announced.

Winner #6: One (1) winner will be selected, by random generator, for August, 2022 and will be selected from all valid entries received starting March 14, 2022 through the date this winner is announced.

Winner #7: One (1) winner will be selected, by random generator, for September, 2022 and will be selected from all valid entries received starting March 14, 2022 through the date this winner is announced.

Winner #8: One (1) winner will be selected, by random generator, for October, 2022 and will be selected from all valid entries received starting March 14, 2022 through the date this winner is announced.

Winner #9: One (1) winner will be selected, by random generator, for November, 2022 and will be selected from all valid entries received starting March 14, 2022 through the date this winner is announced.

Winner #10: One (1) winner will be selected, by random generator, for December, 2022 and will be selected from all valid entries received starting March 14, 2022 through the date this winner is announced.

Winner #11: One (1) winner will be selected, by random generator, for January, 2023 and will be selected from all valid entries received starting March 14, 2022 through the date this winner is announced.

Winner #12: One (1) winner will be selected, by random generator, for February, 2023 and will be selected from all valid entries received starting March 14, 2022 through the date this winner is announced.

All entries not chosen as a monthly winner, will continue to be included in the prizewinner selection each month for the duration of this giveaway. Therefore, participant does not need to submit additional nomination forms each month.

12. How to nominate: To nominate someone who should be honored and recognized as a Hometown Hero, participants must (1) visit www.News9.com/hero, (2) complete the online form in its entirety.

13. Alternate Form of Entry: To enter using the Alternate Form of Entry, participants may submit a completed Entry Form via email at contest@News9.net with "NEWS 9: 2022-2023 HOMETOWN HERO" in the subject line or by mail to News 9, addressed as follows: "NEWS 9: 2022-2023 HOMETOWN HERO", 7401 N. Kelley Ave., Oklahoma City, OK 73111." All Alternate Forms of Entry must be legible and must be completed, in its entirety, including, but not limited to, the following:

- A. Your name;
- B. Your phone number;
- C. Your email;
- D. Person you are nominating as a Hometown Hero;
- E. Hero's phone number;

F. Brief explanation of why this person should be recognized as a Hometown Hero.

In the event an Alternate Form of Entry, is not complete or is not legible, such entry will be deemed null and void, and participant who submitted the form will not be notified. At the end of promotional period, all entries received, including the online entry forms and the alternate entry forms, will be combined, and one (1) winner will be selected by Contest Officials, based on responses from Entry Forms. Deadline to enter before each month will vary and will be determined by the date a winner is selected. Therefore, all entries received from the start of this giveaway until the winner is selection will be included. All entries received after a winner is selected will remain in the pool of entries and will be included in all future winner selections until the entry is selected as a winner or until the end of promotional period. All submissions that are not selected as a winner each month, will remain in the pool of entries for the duration of the contest or until that entry has been selected as a winner. Final deadline to submit an Alternate Form of Entry is February 12, 2023 @ 11:59pm (CST).

14. In the event of any of the following, the prize(s) will be awarded to an alternate winner:

- a. Prizewinner cannot be reached within twenty-four (24) hours of winner selection;
- b. NEWS 9 is unable to leave a voicemail due to a full voicemail box or because the mailbox is not properly set-up;
- c. Prizewinner does not return a phone call within forty-eight (48) hours of a message left by NEWS 9;
- d. Prizewinner does not timely return the signed Statement of Prizewinner;
- e. Prizewinner is determined not to be an eligible winner; or
- f. Any other reasons set forth in these rules.

15. No transfer, substitution, or cash equivalent for prizes will be allowed except at the Contest Entities' sole discretion due to prize unavailability. All federal, state, or other tax liabilities (including income taxes), and subsequent or related expenses such as, but not limited to, gasoline, insurance, and maintenance arising from the award of a prize from this Contest will be the sole responsibility of each prize winner. Any prize awarded in this Contest must be claimed within ten (10) working days of winner's notification by NEWS 9 or sooner, depending upon the specific prize or contest.

16. Prize: Each month during promotional period, as defined above, one (1) winner will be selected as that month's Hometown Hero and will receive \$500 from Quail Creek Bank. Total prize value: \$500. A Hometown Hero winner will be selected for each month starting March, 2022 through February, 2023; therefore, a total of twelve (12) monthly winners will be selected.

17. Winner(s) will be notified by telephone or email. Winner(s) must sign and return a Statement of Prizewinner provided by NEWS 9. The signed Statement of Prizewinner must be received by NEWS 9 within ten (10) days of the winner's notification. Winner(s) must show photo identification to claim prizes. NEWS 9 reserves the right to require additional identification and may choose to deny awarding the prize based on falsification of identification or fraud.

18. Odds of winning depend on the number of contest entries received.

19. This promotion is in no way sponsored, endorsed or administered by, or associated with Facebook.

20. Complete rules are available at NEWS 9 Monday through Friday during normal business hours or at www.News9.com.

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