Premier Portraits is committed to quality

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Premier Portraits Studio was founded by DiCosimo in 1997. He began his interest in photography in high school during the 1970s. After working for a couple of photography businesses he decided to go solo.

The company is run by Jeff and his daughter, Candace DiCosimo-Byrne. “Her role right now is overseeing most of the business; she’s handling all my computer work and getting things into production through things like Photoshop work and a lot of software management work,” Jeff said. “She’s also a photographer; she goes out in the field and shoots with the rest of us.”

The office houses all the equipment necessary to take, edit and produce the portraits, like backdrops, curtains and props. “We can fit families as big as 15 in the studio,” Jeff said. “Anything more we can go outside or I can meet them at their house, or any off-site location.”

They also have industrial inkjet printers, three of which can print 300 8x10 portraits an hour. There’s a larger printer that can print anywhere from 44 inches wide by up to 10 feet long or however big a customer needs it to be, along with wall murals. They can also print the traditional 40x60 portraits.

Despite the disruption the pandemic caused over the past year Premier Portraits Studio kept their commitment to quality photos and customer service.

“Business right now is starting to pick up as we’re getting vaccinated more people are starting to book for pictures and we’re getting more family sessions,” Jeff said. “We abide by all the covid restrictions, rules and regulations. We’d like to see as many people come in as possible for family portraits or if they have any event that will be coming up in the late summer when restrictions loosen more we are definitely in the market for that in foreseeable future.”

Jeff has spread his influence all around the country as the photographer for the international competition Odyssey of the Mind. He’s a member of the Professional Photographers Association and Associated Professional School Photographers. He has also been the Plainville Chamber of Commerce president for four years.

Find the studio at ctpremierphotos.com or call 860-410-4303.