

GFWC MEMBERSHIP PHOTOGRAPHY CONTEST RULES

The GFWC Photography Contests encourage artistic expression, while recognizing achievement in photography. GFWC offers three opportunities to participate in the Photography Contests:

THE WORLD IN PICTURES CONTEST

These photographs and images capture the beauty of the world and people around us in three categories:

- **Living Things** – adults, animals, children, domestic birds, fish, flowers, insects, reptiles, wildlife
- **Scenes** – city, landscapes, rural, skies, sunrise, sunset, waterscapes, weather
- **Still Life** – abstract (any assemblage of objects either in an arranged or natural setting), buildings, monuments

GFWC VOLUNTEERS IN ACTION provides members with the opportunity to demonstrate their volunteer activities through photography.

A YEAR IN PICTURES – also known as the GFWC Calendar Contest – features photographs depicting the twelve months of the year, providing members the opportunity to showcase their talents while supporting GFWC through the fundraising calendar.

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THE WORLD IN PICTURES PHOTOGRAPHY CONTEST RULES

- Photos must be vertical/portrait or horizontal/landscape
- All entries must be submitted to State Chairman to be eligible
- The same image may be submitted to multiple photo contests, but separate photos must be submitted into each contest
- All photographers must be dues paying members of an active GFWC Club
- Photos must be taken during the contest year (January 1-December 31).
- Contestants must be an amateur photographer – earnings from photography may not exceed \$500.00 annually.
- Photographs must be the original work or the member submitting the photo.
- Each submission must be an 8x10 inch print. Digital submission alone will not be considered, but a high resolution digital copy of the submission is encouraged.

- All photos must be mounted on a rigid 8x10 inch mounted board and overall thickness may not exceed 3/8 inch. NO mattes, frames or hangers.
- Judges look at overall creativity of subject and quality of photograph.
- Photos may be taken using film or with digital cameras and may be color or black & white.
- Photos will NOT be returned.
- Each photo must have a label affixed to its back with the following information:
 - Contest name
 - Photographer's name, email address, mailing address & phone number
 - Name and State of sponsoring club
 - Title and brief caption giving location, date, and other notes about the photo
 - Arrow indicating top of photo

DEADLINES FOR THE WORLD IN PICTURES CONTEST

State Level: Individuals must send entry paperwork to the State Photography Chairman: Beverly Campbell 2700 Summit Drive Cheyenne, WY 82009 (307)634-4483
Entry deadline is April 15, 2017.

National Level: One winner from each State federation for each category, class and division will be submitted to the National GFWC World in Pictures Contest. **GFWC Creative Arts Waiver is required for eligibility.**

GFWC MEMBER CATEGORIES:

Living Things		Scenes		Still Life	
First Place	\$100.00	First Place	\$100.00	First Place	\$100.00
Second Place	\$ 75.00	Second Place	\$ 75.00	Second Place	\$ 75.00
Third Place	\$ 50.00	Third Place	\$ 50.00	Third Place	\$ 50.00

GFWC VOLUNTEERS IN ACTION PHOTOGRAPHY CONTEST

These pictures should capture GFWC members in action as they engage in volunteer activities

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AWARDS FOR GFWC VOLUNTEERS IN ACTION PHOTOGRAPHY CONTEST

The following awards will be presented at the GFWC Annual Convention to the top three national entries:

First Place	\$100.00
Second Place	\$ 75.00
Third Place	\$ 50.00

A YEAR IN PICTURES CONTEST

Also known as the GFWC Calendar Contest – features photographs depicting the 12 months of the year, providing members the opportunity to showcase their talents while supporting GFWC through the fundraising calendar.

CONTEST RULES

- Photos may be horizontal/landscape to fit a standard 8.5x11" calendar design
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DEADLINES FOR A YEAR IN PICTURES CONTEST

Each GFWC club will submit one photograph, along with accompanying signed GFWC Creative Arts Waiver.

AWARD FOR A YEAR IN PICTURES CONTEST

The 12 winning photographs will appear in the GFWC a Year in Pictures calendar and the September-October issue of the GFWC Clubwoman Magazine. A GFWC certificate will be presented to each winner at the GFWC Annual Convention.

DISCLAIMER

By submitting your photographs to the GFWC for the GFWC Photography Contests on the national level, you are providing GFWC with a royalty-free perpetual license to use, reproduce, post, display, create derivative works, sell, license or sub-license the work in any media known or later invented without limitation for commercial or noncommercial purposes.

For further information, contact State Photography Chairman:

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