

PANHANDLE DISTRICT 1 4-H

To: County Extension Agents – ANR, FCH, 4-H

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Contest Superintendent District 4-H Specialist

Subject: **2024 District 1 Photography Contest**

Registration: Deadline July 22, 2024 on 4-H Online
Entries Judged July 25-July 30

Age Categories: 3rd - 5th grade – Junior
6th – 8th grade – Intermediate
9th – 12th grade – Senior

Enclosed are the guidelines for the 2024 District 1 4-H Photography Contest. Please read all guidelines carefully. The District 1 Photography Contest is not a State Roundup qualifying contest. This contest is open to all 4-H members except for Clover Kids. The District 1 Photography Contest will adhere to 2023 - 2024 State 4-H Roundup Contest rules and guidelines. The District 1 Photography Contest does differ from the State Contest as to:

1. Photos may be submitted only one time and in only one category. Photos may not have been entered in any other photography contest including 2024 State Roundup 4-H Photography Contest.
2. Each youth may only enter up to 3 pictures. This cannot be the same picture manipulated and entered into 3 categories. **The 3 pictures must be of 3 different subjects.**
3. Entry fee is \$15.00 for the 1st photo, \$5.00 for the 2nd photo and \$5.00 for the 3rd photo for a total up to \$25.00.
4. Quality Awards; Blue, Red, White and Green Participation will be given to entries based on the scoring. One Best of Show Award will be presented to one photo in each category per age division. Best of Show photos will be displayed on the District 1 website.
5. **One member per age division will win a new camera!**

2023 – 2024 Contest Categories include:

1. Animals – Domestic
2. Animals – Wildlife (includes aquatic and marine animals)
3. Catch-All (this category should not be used to enter photos that clearly align to another one of the categories). It is designed for misc. photos which do not clearly fit into another category.
4. Details & Macro
5. Elements of Design
6. Enhanced – (single photo that has been technically manipulated to be an abstract, panoramic, stitched or composite image, see guidelines for more)
7. Food
8. Landscape & Nature (Non-animal)
9. Leading Line
10. Long Exposure
11. Motion/Action – photo capturing movement within a single photo
12. People
13. Plant/Flora
14. Shadow/Silhouette
15. The 2023-2024 theme is "Abandoned". Photographs capturing the essence of forgotten or neglected places, things, or structures; emphasizing its worn and forsaken nature. **Please take all necessary precautions around abandoned buildings/structures.**

State photography contest guidelines, additional information and resources can be found at:

https://texas4-h.tamu.edu/wp-content/uploads/photography_state_rules_2023_2024.pdf