HSCF PHOTOGRAPHY AWARDS ENTRY RULES

CATEGORIES

• Hunting
• Fishing
• Wildlife
• Adventure
• Landscape
• Indigenous People
• Best in Show
• Youth

RULES

• There will be a $10.00 fee per photo entered.
• All applicants must have been HSCF members when submitted photograph was taken.
• The photographer must enter the photograph, not the individual captured in the photograph. If selected as a winner in the contest, the award will be credited to the photographer and not the subject.
• The photo entered must have been taken between December 15th, 2018 and December 15th, 2019.
• Any photographs that have been previously entered into any HSCF awards competition may not be re-entered.
• All photographs must be originals.
• All entries must be completed and received in the HSCF office by December 15.
• No member judging the competition may have an entry in the category they are judging.
• Digital Photographs: (preferred)
  --One photograph entry per submission.
  --Save image as: Category, first name, last name and # of entry.
  --Photograph should be 1 MB or larger, 300 dpi preferred.
• Printed Photographs:
  --Each photograph must be marked on the back of the photo with the category, first name, last name and the number of entry. Do not use pen that will bleed through the photograph.
• Winners
  --Awards: The winners of each category will receive an award honoring their photographic achievement at the Friday night convention banquet.
  --Winning photographs will be published in Hunter’s Horn magazine and other HSCF media.
• Judging Criteria:
  --Composition
  --Originality
  --Creativity
  --Quality of photograph, not quality of the trophy
• One person may not win more than one (1) category each year, with the exception of an individual category and Best in Show.
- Hunting: any photo taken while hunting; may include hunter with animal taken
- Fishing: any photo taken while fishing; may include fisherman with catch
- Wildlife: live animals, fish, etc., in their natural habitat
- Adventure: outdoor adventure sports (mountain climbing, mountain biking, zip lining, etc.)
- Landscape: typically captures the presence of nature but can also focus on man-made features or disturbances of landscapes
- Indigenous People: individuals or groups, with historical ties (cultural, historical, etc.) to their geographic community
- Best in Show: the overall best photograph, chosen from any category
- Youth: photos taken by individuals, age 17 and younger, in any of the established categories

If submitting by mail, send to:
Houston Safari Club Foundation
Attention HSCF Photo Contest
9432 Katy Freeway, Suite 350
Houston, TX 77055.

**PHOTO RELEASE**
I hereby grant Houston Safari Club Foundation permission to use my likeness in a photograph in any and all of its publications and A/V presentations, including website entries, without payment or any other consideration. I understand and agree that these materials will become the property of Houston Safari Club Foundation and will not be returned. I hereby irrevocably authorize Houston Safari Club Foundation to edit, alter, copy, exhibit, publish or distribute this photo for purposes of publicizing Houston Safari Club Foundation's programs or for any other lawful purpose. In addition, I waive the right to inspect or approve the finished product, including written or electronic copy, wherein my likeness appears. Additionally, I waive any right to royalties or other compensation arising or related to the use of the photograph. I hereby hold harmless and release and forever discharge Houston Safari Club Foundation from all claims, demands and causes of action which I, my heirs, representatives, executors, administrators, or any other persons acting on my behalf or on behalf of my estate have or may have by reason of this authorization.

I am 21 years of age and am competent to contract in my own name. I have read this release before signing below and I fully understand the contents, meaning and impact of this release.

If the contest entrant is under twenty-one (21) years of age, there must be consent by a parent or guardian, as follows: I hereby certify that I am the parent/guardian of the contest entrant above, and do hereby give my consent without reservation to the foregoing on behalf of this person.

The entrant agrees to abide by all terms and conditions of this contest upon submission of photos.

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