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*Brukner Nature Center is a non-profit,  
privately funded organization promoting the  
appreciation and understanding of wildlife  
conservation through preservation, education,  
and wildlife rehabilitation.*



## Calling all Photographers...

### BRUKNER NATURE CENTER'S ANNUAL PHOTO CONTEST!

*"It's About Wildlife"*



**Entry Deadline is December 10, 2017**

**Winners will be announced December 21, at  
8:00pm following the Winter Solstice Program.  
A reception and prizes will be included!  
Photos remain on display until March 18th.**

*Underlying the beauty of the spectacle there is  
meaning and significance. It is the elusiveness of  
that meaning that haunts us, that sends us again  
and again into the natural world where the key to  
the riddle is hidden. - Rachel Carson*

## Adult Category

**Eligibility** - Works by both amateur and professionals 17 years or older are eligible for this is a juried event, but BNC reserves the right to reject any work that is considered to be inappropriate. All photographs must represent the categories of 'Wildlife', or 'Wild Places'.

**Entries and Fees** - The entry fee per piece is \$15 for BNC Members, \$20 for non-members. There is no limit on the number submitted. Awards will be given to overall "Best of Show" and then first place and honorable mention in each category.

**Presentation** - All pieces must be framed (canvas is also acceptable) and ready for secure hanging with a horizontal wire on the back with an apex 1" - 3" from the top of the frame. The minimum size is 11"X14", maximum 24"X36", outside dimensions. Please attach an information form (included on the middle panel of this brochure) to the back of each piece.

**Delivery of work** - Submit photographs between Nov. 15 and Dec. 10 at Brukner Nature Center, 5995 Horseshoe Bend Rd., Troy, Ohio.

**Sales and Commission** - All photographs displayed are for sale, but may not be picked up until March 19. A 25% commission on sales will benefit BNC's mission to promote wildlife conservation through environmental education.

**Pick up of work** - Entries should be picked up between March 19 and April 1, during regular business hours. After April 1, unclaimed artwork will be considered a donation to BNC.



## Annual Photo Contest and Exhibit Brukner Nature Center

Name (Please Print)		Age
Address		
City	State	Zip
Telephone - (H)		Cell
E-mail Address (please print legibly!)		

### Artist Release- REQUIRED!

I understand that while all reasonable and possible care will be taken, Brukner Nature Center cannot assume liability for my work. I further understand that Brukner Nature Center strongly recommends the purchase of temporary insurance and that it is my financial responsibility should I desire it. A commission of 25% will be assessed on all the sales of my work displayed. I understand that work left past the pickup deadline will be considered a donation to Brukner Nature Center. I have read all of the artist's guidelines.

Signed	Date
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*Please make a separate copy for each work submitted.*

INFORMATION TO AFFIX TO BACK OF ARTWORK  
(Please Print Clearly)

Artist	Age
Category	
Title	
Price	

## Youth Category

**Eligibility** - The Youth Category is designated for photographers age 16 and under and is broken down into 3 age groups (9 & under, 10-12, 13-16yrs old). This is a juried event, however BNC reserves the right to reject any work considered to be inappropriate. All photographs must represent the categories of 'Wildlife' or 'Wild Places'.

**Entries and Fees** - The entry fee per piece is only \$5 for BNC Members, \$10 for non-members. There is no limit to the number of photographs submitted. Awards will be given to overall "Best of Show" and then first place and honorable mention in each category/age group.

**Presentation** - All pieces must be framed with a matte only. The maximum entry size is 8"X10", outside dimensions. Please attach an information form (included on the middle panel of this brochure) to the back of each photograph submitted.

**Delivery of work** - Please drop off photographs from Nov. 15 - Dec. 10, 9:30am - 4:30pm at Brukner Nature Center, 5995 Horseshoe Bend Road, Troy, Ohio 45373. Please call 937-698-6493 for directions.

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