2021 Rendezvous PHOTO CONTEST

Entry Rules

- Photos must be nature-themed, be your original work created in 2020 or 2021 in Louisiana and clearly suit one of the following categories: Naturalist, Wildlife, Habitat, Nature in Close-up, and Artistic. Minor post-production enhancement (HDR, sharpening, saturation, levels, etc.) is allowed in all categories, in the Artistic category you can alter the image very heavily if you wish. Only one entry per photographer per category is allowed, please. Please identify yourself as professional or amateur in the caption as separate awards will be made to the winning amateur and winning professional in each category.
- Submitting photos will grant LMNA and its chapters in perpetuity, non-exclusive
 right to use them free to further our mission and they will be shared far and wide on
 the Internet and possibly in print, with or without credit and caption, possibly in
 altered form in instances like banners, merchandise etc. NB. They can only be
 shared after the contest winners have been decided to avoid people mis-voting
 elsewhere.
- Upload a digital copy as a JPEG under 2 MB in size, with: "For 2021 Photo Contest (category name), your name, professional or amateur class, image title and short caption to the folders on our <u>LMNA Facebook Group</u> and send them also by email to <u>contest@thewebcat.biz</u>. Please remove the GPS location data from the image properties if you don't wish the location to be published along with the picture.

Prize Certificates

 Winners will receive bragging rights and a certificate, have their image/s and names published on the LMNA website, Chapter Newsletter if applicable, Wildopeneye Blog, social media and possibly local media.

Voting Rules

Voting for images will take place only in the contest folders on the <u>Rendezvous</u> <u>2021 Group Page</u> April 10th-20th. Choose only one image in each category to 'Love'. You can (please) like as many as you want. The winning image (pro and amateur) in each category will have the greatest number of love hearts. In case of a tie, the number of likes recorded on our Facebook page by C. Paxton 8 pm April 20th will be declared the winner.



For clarification email questions to contest@thewebcat.biz Happy Shooting and Good Luck!