

# Refuge Photo Contest



Photo by Roger Windemuth

**Contest Deadline: September 15, 2007**

Drop off entry packet at either  
**Ridgefield National Wildlife Refuge Headquarters**

OR  
**Pro Photo Supply**  
1112 NW 19<sup>th</sup> Ave.  
Portland, Oregon

Or mail to:  
**Friends of Ridgefield National Wildlife Refuge**  
P.O. Box 1022  
Ridgefield, WA 98642

## Submission Requirements:

- Photos must have been taken within the boundaries of Ridgefield National Wildlife Refuge in public accessible areas.
- Any refuge scene whether wildlife, plants, or scenic landscape are eligible.
- All entries must be submitted in digital format on disk as a 72 dpi JPEG file, no larger than 11x14 (1008x792 pixels) & no smaller than 8x10 (720x576 pixels). **All winning entries will need to be resubmitted** in a 300 dpi JPEG format no smaller than 5x7 inches (1500x2100 pixels).
- Color and/or black & white prints may be used but must be scanned in digital form BEFORE submission.
- Photographs will be accepted only from the original photographer who must be the sole author and the owner of the copyright for photos submitted.
- A photographer may submit up to 5 digital images.
- A separate application form must accompany EACH digital image. Application forms may be copied.
- Limited image modifications are allowed: Watermarks, Signatures, or Copyright Notices should be removed prior to submission; Elements or objects not in original scene should not be added; Images may be cropped or resized as long as aspect ratio is maintained; Add-on lenses, filters, and scopes are permitted without restriction.
- Contest is open to amateur photographers only.

## Terms and Conditions on Use of Submitted Images:

- Photographers retain ownership of all copyrights. However, by submitting an image for entry in this contest, you automatically give Friends of Ridgefield NWR a non-exclusive, non-transferable, irrevocable license without charge to reproduce and display the image in any electronic, optical, physical, or other medium; to modify its size and resolution; and to use your name as the photographer, without notification or compensation.
- Any one photographer may have more than one winning entry. Twelve winning entries will be selected. All winning entries will be published on the Friends web site, [www.RidgefieldFriends.org](http://www.RidgefieldFriends.org), as calendar features, posted on the web site's Wildlife Gallery, and displayed at Pro Photo Supply.

## Contest Judging:

- Judging will determine First, Second, and Third Place with nine Honorable Mentions. All winning entries will receive gift cards from Pro Photo in the amounts of \$20 to \$120 depending on the prize won.
- Winners will be announced at Bird Fest, October 13, 2007
- Questions?? Contact the Friends Office at 360-887-9495

### Submission Form

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Street \_\_\_\_\_ e-mail \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Where and when was the photo taken? \_\_\_\_\_

Equipment used/File name \_\_\_\_\_

Photo Title \_\_\_\_\_

Story behind photo (use separate sheet if necessary)