

Bass Lake Park & Retreat Center, The Town of Holly Springs, and The Bass Lake Photo Club
present the

Bass Lake Photography Contest



Photo by Sabrina Thompson

Bass Lake Park and Retreat Center, The Town of Holly Springs and the Bass Lake Photo Club are pleased to announce the first Bass Lake Photography Contest. This will be an annual contest is for amateur photographers of all ages. Kids, teens, and adults will compete in three categories: Flora & Fauna, Landscapes, and People.

A show and reception for participants will be held on Friday, April 30, 2010 from 6:30-8:30 p.m. at the Bass Lake Park Retreat Center.

- All photos must be taken at Bass Lake Park & Retreat Center, Holly Springs, NC.
- Deadline for entries is midnight March 31, 2010.
- Only digital entries are accepted.
- Awards and prizes awarded to top three entries in each age group and category.

Please see official rules on next page for more details.
Contact Stacy Gray at (919) 557-2496 or stacy.gray@hollyspringsnc.us
with questions or for more information.



Official Contest Rules

Age Groups

12 & under
13-17
18 & over

Categories

Flora & Fauna
Landscape Scenes
People

Rules for Entry

1. All photos must be taken at Bass Lake Park & Retreat Center in Holly Springs, NC.
2. All entries must original photos, taken by the entrant.
3. Maximum two entries per person per category.
4. Color and black & white photos will be accepted and judged together.
5. Photos must be in digital JPG or TIF format. File size must be less than 2MB.
6. Entries must be received on or before March 31, 2010.
7. The Town of Holly Springs and Bass Lake Park & Retreat Center may reproduce photos for publicity purposes. Photographer will be credited.
8. Photographs will be judged based on current age of entrant.

How to Enter

Send entries to basslake@hollyspringsnc.us

Use "**PHOTO CONTEST ENTRY**" as subject of email.

Include the following with each entry (one entry per email):

Name

Phone #

Age

Category

Date of Photograph

Photography File Name

Photo Description (50 word maximum)

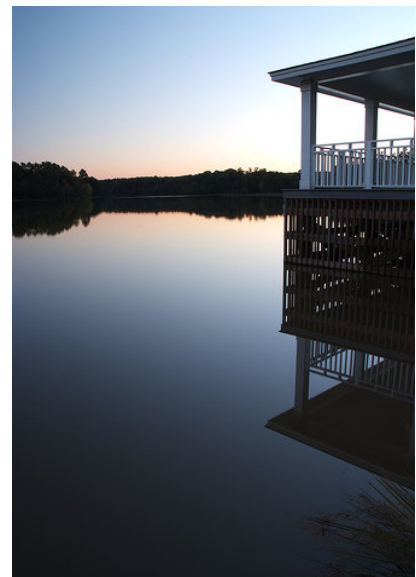


Photo by Susan Campbell

Winning Entries

- Park staff will choose 3 judges from our community who work professionally or have experience in photography or art. Each entry will receive a numerical score from each judge. Scores will be combined for a final score.
- First, second, and third place will be awarded in each category in each age group. Honorable mentions will be awarded at the discretion of the judges.
- Contest winners will be notified by April 7th, 2010.
- Winners will be asked to submit a matted copy of their photo for display in the Bass Lake Park Retreat Center.
- Winning entries will be displayed in the Bass Lake Park Retreat Center for one year.