

NATURE IN PHOTOGRAPHS

is LGNC's fifth juried photography exhibition.

Awards will be given in four categories:

- **Lehigh Gap Nature Center**
- **Black and White**
- **Water**
- **Youth (in any of the above categories)**



2018 Calendar

Exhibition dates: March 9-18, 2018

Deadline for email entry: January 19, 2018

Notification of acceptance: February 9, 2018

Delivery of accepted photographs:

March 8, 2018

Drop off display photographs from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. at LGNC's Osprey House located at 8844 Paint Mill Road, Slatington, PA 18080. For directions see: <http://lgnc.org/how-to-get-here/>

Photographer's Reception: March 18, 2018 from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m.

Pick up photographs*: After reception

*Works in show must be picked up at time stated and may not be removed from the show until then.

Entry Procedures

- Judging of entries will be done from an electronic high resolution file of at least 240 dpi delivered via email (not more than 20 MB file). See back panel for entry instructions.
- Submit up to three (3) entries.

Entry Criteria

Entries must be original works of the photographer taken in the past five years. Photographs must have been taken in PA or surrounding states. Images should be standard color or black-and-white toned. High Dynamic Range (HDR) photos are acceptable, but otherwise, no digitally enhanced/manipulated (unnatural) photos, composites, etc. will be accepted. Photographs may not feature captive or baited wildlife. Up to ninety (90) photographs will be accepted in the show. Entries from those 16 years old or under will be judged in "Youth" category.

Accepted Entries

- There is a \$5 entry fee for each accepted photograph.
- Photographs must be printed, mounted, and wired for hanging using secure attachments for framed or canvas wrapped images, or with velcro hook for foam core mounts.
- Prints must be high-resolution (i.e., no pixelation), or they will not be accepted.
- Maximum dimensions, **including framing:** max height 30 inches, max width 34 inches



Crystal Balls by Rhiannah Funk,
2017 People's Choice winner

SALES are encouraged and promoted. Although photographers may choose to give more, at least a 15% commission is to be donated to LGNC by April 14, 2018. Mounted photographs sold during the show must remain on display until the end of the show. Prints of photographs may be sold separately by the photographer.

RELEASE Although photographers retain copyrights to their photographs, by entering this exhibition, please understand that LGNC may use your image(s) on its website, social media, or other publications for educational and promotional purposes (with credit to the photographer whenever possible). **If you wish to refuse the publication of such images**, please indicate as such when submitting entries via email.

Liability

Lehigh Gap Nature Center (LGNC) or anyone helping with the exhibition is not responsible for damage or loss during delivery, handling and pickup, or exhibition. Utmost care will be taken to protect photos. By entering this exhibition you acknowledge that you agree to this release clause and will not hold LGNC responsible for damage or loss of work on display, or of work not picked up at the designated time at the close of the exhibition.

All reasonable care and security measures (alarm system, on site caretaker) will be taken in handling and displaying works.

2018 Jurors: Phil Campbell, Paul Laincz, and Cheryl Novak

Entry Instructions

To enter, please do the following:

- 1) Fill out entry form at bit.ly/LGNC_Photo_Show.
- 2) Email high-resolution files with your name to submissions@lgnc.org, clearly labeling the following:
 - Photographer's name
 - Title
 - Category
 - Dimensions
 - Price
- 3) Please bring one \$5 entry fee per accepted entry, along with this form, on the delivery day.

Photographer Entry Information

Name _____

Street _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Email _____

Phone _____

LGNC Contact Information
phone: 610-760-8889
email: lgnc@ptd.net
web site: <http://lgnc.org>

Entrant Agreement

I, the undersigned photographer, hereby declare my intention to exhibit my work, as described in my entry form, at Lehigh Gap Nature Center (LGNC), Slatington, PA, 18080, on March 7 or 8, 2018, and leave it until removal on March 18, 2018. In consideration of the display of my work, I hereby represent that I am the owner of the work being submitted by me both as to the work's physical manifestation and the copyright of my work. I accept full responsibility for any and all damage, loss, theft, and/or any other casualty of any kind to my work in transit to and from LGNC. I hereby waive any and all claims I may have against LGNC, its employees, officers, directors, or committee personnel. I understand that my work may not be hung if it fails to meet minimum professional presentation standards or arrives damaged.

I agree to provide LGNC with a digital image of my work for possible use on the website and for reproduction of my work in any media for publicity purposes. By entering LGNC's Nature in Photographs exhibition, I understand and agree to all conditions set forth in the prospectus.

Artist Signature: _____

Date: _____

Lehigh Gap Nature Center

Lehigh Gap Nature Center is a 501(c)(3) non-profit conservation and environmental education organization with our headquarters at the Osprey House, just north of Slatington, PA. LGNC is one of a kind — the only Superfund toxic waste site in the nation that has been transformed into a nature center. LGNC strives to reach out to all members of our region with diverse programs using various methods, including the arts, to engage people of all colors, backgrounds and interests in conservation.

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