



Call for Entries

Monson Arts Council
Hosts

Robert Floyd Photo Gallery

“Nature in New England” photo contest/exhibit
at the Monson House of Art, Monson, MA

Deadline for Entries:

October 6, 2017

Entries will be Exhibited:

Saturday, **OCT 7**, 3:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Sunday, **OCT 8**, 1:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Friday, **OCT 13**, 5:00 pm - 7:30 pm

Saturday, **OCT 14**, 1:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Sunday, **OCT 15**, 1:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Receptions every day!

Awards presentations, Sunday, **OCT 08, 3:00 pm**

Enter it, it will be shown. Multiple entries are encouraged!

The Robert Floyd Photo Gallery celebrates 16 successful years by inviting e-v-e-r-y-o-n-e to exhibit at the Monson House of Art. The exhibit/sale raises awareness of our precious, fragile nature in light of the current aggressive political change in the force. Cash and merchant awards will be plentiful.

About the competition: This is an opportunity for you to exhibit your images now. It's The Gallery's 1st Annual “Nature in New England” Photo

Competition. This is an awesome happening to have your images on exhibit in a famous location. Winning images will be invited to exhibit at The Robert Floyd Photo Gallery after Monson thru Thanksgiving. **Every entry will be exhibited at the Monson House of Art in Monson from October 7 - 15. Winning images will be announced on October 8 when cash and other prizes will be awarded at a special 3:00 pm reception.**

Eligibility:

- From traditional to digital, all photographic techniques and approaches to capturing the beauty and diversity of Nature in New England are welcome and eligible for this competition with no limitation as to subject matter or technique.
- The competition is open to all photographers age 18 years old or older, who are residents of the United States, excluding instructors at The Robert Floyd Photo Learning Center.

Entry Guidelines:

- All images, black & white or color, must be captured in New England within the last three years.
- Your images will capture the beauty and diversity of nature in New England in four categories:

1 Land/WaterScapes

2 Wildlife

3 Birds

4 Textures (Close-ups)

- You will enter one of two divisions: Novice or Intermediate/Advanced.

Framed Artwork Entries:

- You may enter up to 4 framed Nature in New England images, wired, ready to hang for any of four categories (total of 16 maximum.) Any image is eligible to receive one of many prizes.
- Label the back of each framed artwork with title, retail price, and your name and phone number.

- Picture frame backing clips are not acceptable. This exhibit will appeal to the general public. Frames need to be sturdy.
- Aluminum prints are acceptable.
- No work larger than 30" X 30" will be accepted. Minimum print size is 10" X 14".
- Your images must not be obtained by harassment of wildlife or damage to the environment by you nor infringe on the rights of any person.
- **Don't delay, start work on your entries now.**

Digital File Entries:

- a fee of \$30 covers five digital file images. You may submit a maximum of ten digital file images for \$50.
- Your digital entries must have a resolution around 1 megapixel. Images that do not meet this standard may or may not be judged at the judge's sole discretion.
- Rename you digital files with your last name, first initial, image name, and number of entry (1-10)
- Email your digital jpegs to floyd@robertfloydphoto.com
- Any image is eligible to receive one of many prizes.

Framed Artwork Entries will be accepted

...at The Robert Floyd Photo Gallery, 2 East Street @ College Highway, Southampton, MA on:

Tuesday, **SEP 26**, 2:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Wednesday, **SEP 27**, 2:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Thursday, **SEP 28**, 2:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Sunday, **OCT 01**, 1:00 pm - 2:30 pm

Tuesday, **OCT 03**, 2:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Wednesday, **OCT 04**, 2:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Thursday, **OCT 05** 2:00 pm - 5:00 pm

- Presentation fees for The Gallery delivery are only \$20 per artwork. Make checks payable to **Robert Floyd Photography**

OR

...at The House of Art, 200 Main Street, Monson, MA on:
Friday, **OCT 06**, 3:00 pm - 7:00 pm

- Presentation fees for delivery to The House of Art are only \$10 per artwork. Make checks payable to **Robert Floyd Photography**

OR

...call 413-529-2635 to arrange for delivery of framed art.

Sales: Sales are encouraged. 40% commission will be assessed. The Gallery donates 20% of all sales to Monson Arts Council.

Liability: Every reasonable care will be taken with all artwork. Photographers are fully responsible for insuring their artwork.

Photographer's Rights: You retain all rights to any image you submit other than those rights licensed in the next sentence. By entering The Robert Floyd Photo Gallery's "Nature in New England" photo contest, you hereby grant to Robert Floyd Photo Gallery rights for promotional purposes, (with photo credit) both online and in print.

Juror: Marc St. Onge, photojournalist and a Robert Floyd Photo Learning Center instructor, from Westfield, will judge all the entries on originality, technical excellence, composition, overall impact, and artistic merit.

Questions? Please email Robert Floyd, Gallery Owner, floyd@robertfloydphoto.com or call at 413-529-2635.

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