

The Nature of Orange Photography Contest
Theme: “Parks, Farms and Trails in Orange County”



Department of Environment,
Agriculture, Parks & Recreation

All Entries Due by 5:00 pm on April 30, 2023

Orange County DEAPR, 1020 US HWY 70 W, PO Box 8181, Hillsborough, NC
27278 phone 919-245-2510

CONTEST ENTRY FORM

(A separate Entry Form is required for each photograph entered)

Name: _____ Age: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Division: Youth (18 & under) _____ Adult _____ (please check one)

*Photographs should feature: Orange County wildlife, natural resources, landscapes, or people within our parks and trails (maximum of five entries per person.)

PHOTO AGREEMENT AND RELEASE

Signature below affirms review and agreement with all contest rules and photo release. This agreement will apply to all photographs and other submissions supplied to DEAPR for the “Nature of Orange” Photography Contest and will remain in full force and effect until cancelled in writing by either party. Note: Signature of parent/guardian required for all entrants under the age of 18.

I, _____ hereby grant Orange County DEAPR the right to use my likeness, name, and/or images I have photographed in any and all publications, including websites without compensation. In addition, the photographer retains all rights for any other use. I hereby authorize Orange County DEAPR to edit, alter, copy, exhibit, publish or distribute all photos submitted herein to this contest and I waive the right to inspect or approve the finished product.

I affirm that my entry materials are original, do not infringe on any third party’s rights, and that any necessary permissions from any third party have been obtained (if a third party appears in the photograph).

Name of Photographer: _____

Signature of Photographer: _____ Date: _____

Signature of parent/legal guardian (if photographer is under 18): _____
Printed name of parent/legal guardian: _____ Date: _____

PHOTO DESCRIPTION

(Required for each photograph entered)

Photographer's Name: _____

Photo Title: _____ File Name or Image #: _____

Division: Youth (18 & under) _____ Adult _____ (please check one)

Name of Plant / Animal (e.g., River Birch / Barn Owl): _____

Location (where photo was taken): _____

Brief paragraph explaining photograph: _____

CONTEST RULES

1. Photographs should feature Orange County wildlife, natural resources, landscapes, or people within our farms, parks and trails.
2. All photos must be taken in a natural setting (no staged photos.)
3. All photos must be taken in Orange County, NC.
4. Orange County employees are eligible with the exception of DEAPR staff, contest judges are ineligible.
5. Entries per person: Maximum of five (5) total photos.
6. Complete and submit one Contest Entry Form for each photo entered.
7. Each photo must be submitted in an electronic version by email. (Please contact Kalani Allen at 919-245-2510 for alternate methods of submissions.) Limit file formats to high resolution .gif and .jpg files (identifiable by their extensions).
8. **DEADLINE TO ENTER: April 30, 2023. Submit all photos in the file formats above to kallen@orangecountync.gov**