

OKLAHOMA NATIVE PLANT SOCIETY ANNUAL PHOTO CONTEST CALL FOR ENTRIES!



2017 Photo Contest Categories:

- Garden Wildflowers
- Native Landscapes
- Flora and Fauna
- Close-Up (image should show 1 subject that measures less than 12 inches across within the camera's or photo's field of view)
- Plant of the Year
 - 2017 American Basket Flower, *Centaurea americana*
- Special Category - a changing category designated each year by the ONPS board.
 - 2017 special category is "host plants"

Winners will be recognized at the 2018 ONPS Indoor-Outing in February of 2018 and announced online and in the following issue of *The Gaillardia*, the ONPS quarterly newsletter. Unlike in past years, there will be no monetary awards for winners. Winners will be acknowledged for their excellence and appreciated for sharing their experience.

The ONPS Annual Photo Contest is open to ONPS members and the general public. All photos entered become the property of ONPS and may be used for displays, publications, and/or educational purposes; including the ONPS website (www.oknativeplants.org). ONPS will credit photographers.

Rules:

- Photographs entered must be of native plants and/or fungi growing wild in Oklahoma.
- Each photographer may enter a maximum of two (2) unmounted, cut to size color prints in each category, for a total of six (6) photos.
- Photos taken with digital cameras for contest entry should also include a high resolution digital copy of each photograph, submitted on a CD at time of entry.
- Photos must measure between 4" x 6" and 5" x 7" inches in size.
- Photographs entered in previous contests are not eligible.
- Photographs need not have been taken during the past year.
- Photographs not meeting all requirements will be disqualified.
- There is no entry fee for this contest.

To participate in the 2017 ONPS Photo Contest, complete the form on the next page and submit to Sandy Graue by December 1, 2017.

In addition to completing the Entry Form below, please attach the following information to the back of each photo: contestant's name, category entered, orientation of the photo unless obvious, plant name, and Oklahoma County where photo was taken.

Entries should be submitted on or before **December 1, 2017** and should be mailed to:

**ONPS Photography Contest c/o
Sandy Graue
2851 N. McKinley Ave.
Sand Springs, OK 74063**

For additional information please email Sandy at: rdgskg672@aol.com

Address _____

City, State & Zip _____

Phones _____

Email _____

Are you submitting digital photos? Did you include a CD? Thank you!

Please check here if this is your first time to submit photos to our contest.

	Entry Category	Plant Common Name & Scientific Name (if known)	Photo Location (i.e. county)
PHOTO 1			
PHOTO 2			
PHOTO 3			
PHOTO 4			
PHOTO 5			
PHOTO 6			