

201 FOCUS ON CONSERVATION ENTRY FORM

Complete this entry form and attach a copy to each submission.

Name _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Address _____

1) Indicate the category for your entry (select only one)

Plants and/or Animals
 People

Biodiversity
 Landscapes

2) Indicate a division for your entry (select only one)

Youth (under 18) Amateur Advanced

3) Descriptive title*

* If no title provided, "Untitled" will be assigned.

4) Approximate location photograph was taken

5) I have read the entry guidelines and hereby attest that my entry meets the criteria and I agree to contest guidelines.

Sign _____

Date _____

Please deliver your submission to the Conservancy office no later than 5 p.m. on May 31, 2013.

McDowell Sonoran Conservancy
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2011 Entry by Robert Grebe

2013 Focus on Conservation

Photography Contest



www.mcdowellsonoran.org 480-998-7971

Take Your Best Shot for Conservation!

Participate in the annual Focus on Conservation photography contest to help achieve our mission.

We bring the Preserve into the community through your photographs as a traveling exhibit, to post on our website and use in publications and collateral. For some, this exposure may be their introduction to the Preserve, sparking their interest in the desert. For others, it may be the only accessible way for them to experience the beauty of this living treasure.

A panel of experts will judge entries on both technical and artistic merit. Winning entries will be those whose overall impact best captures the McDowell Sonoran Preserve as a natural treasure.

The "Best of Show" winner and the "Best of Show - Youth Division" winner will receive a prize.



CATEGORIES

Biodiversity - Capture an image of the micro-desert

Plants and Animals - Create a portrait of a Preserve resident

Landscapes - Illustrate the scope of the Preserve

People - Explore the complex relationship of people with the Preserve.



Entry Guidelines

Photographs must be taken between July 1, 2012 to May 30, 2013; Completed entries must be received by 5 p.m. on May 31, 2013; 5a` fWf Wfdk Yg[Wf WfS` TWag` VSf,

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Photographs must be taken in the McDowell Sonoran Preserve; Photographers must follow the Preserve Ordinance including staying on designated trails and photo taken between sunrise and sunset. Any photo that obviously necessitated breaking the ordinance to capture will be disqualified. Preserve Ordinance and map can be found on our website.

Submissions must include a print along with a CD or DVD containing the digital files of all entries; Submissions will not be returned.

Print Specifications: A minimum of 10" and a maximum of 12" on the longest side; A completed entry form must be taped to the back of each print; No images with date stamps or that are mounted/matted will be considered; Mark "top" on back of photo.

