

John's Picture Perfect Contest



For May, we have four winners!

Start snapping today, and send us your best results!
Four winners will receive a \$25 Target Card.

WIN

FOUR PRIZES

\$25 Target Card

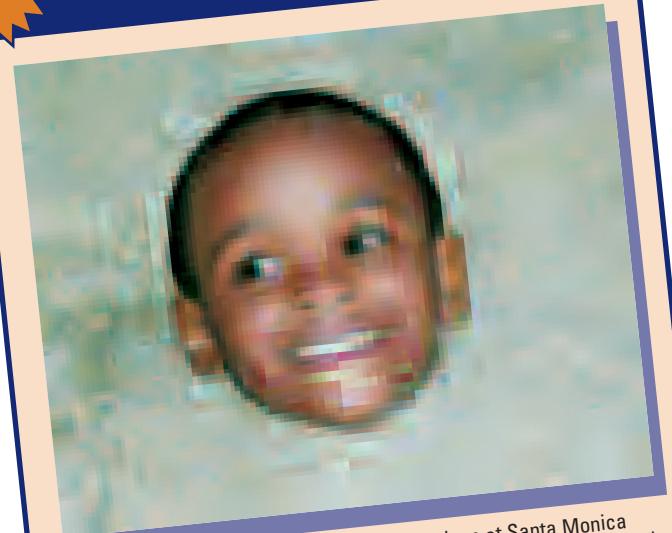
NEXT DEADLINE: June 15
Happy Snapping!

Grand Prize Winner for May



"This is a photo I took in Morro Bay while driving to San Francisco. I wanted to test my new digital camera."
- **George Cormany, LAPD SID Photos**

John's comments: Not bad for just 'testing' your new digital camera! I especially like the lighting on the fishing boat, it really brings out character of it. Nice work George!!



"This picture was taken by me of my grandson at Santa Monica Beach. His body is buried in the sand and I stood over him and took the picture."
- **Lisa Edwards, Airports, Ontario**

John's comments: This is exactly the same thing my son Isaiah would do, and he'd have that same smile too! Thank you so much for sharing the craziness of childhood!



"I was visiting my daughter during Easter Sunday when I shot this picture of my 17 month old grandson blowing soap bubbles inside the house and having a great time while doing it for the first time. The picture was taken with a Canon EOS 20D using fill flash against the incoming outside light passing through the sheer drapes of the window, exposure was 1/60 sec. @ f 4.0 with a Sigma 28 to 70 mm f 2.8 Zoom lens, ISO 400. Like they say...A picture speaks a 1000 words."
- **Carlos Ojeda, DOT**

John's comments: You caught the bubble at just the right time, and the lighting couldn't be more perfect. Nice work, as usual, Carlos!



"This is the sunset of South China Sea, and the picture was taken at a beach in Sanya, China. Sanya is located on the southern tip of China's Hainan Island in the South China Sea. I took the picture while I was walking along the beach in a late afternoon."
- **Peter Wei**

John's comments: Peter, I really like how you framed the sun in between the two palm trees. It instantly brings back fond memories of a two week stint in Guam while in the Navy's Submarine Service. Thanks!

Runners Up:

Alex Lopez, General Services; Stephanie Lazarus, LAPD; Michael Barnes, Harbor (or Harbour, as he likes to spell it); Jo-Del Navarro, DWP; Antoinette Barrios, Bureau of Engineering; Yvonne Liu, Office of Finance; Ron Angst, DWP; Robbie Horvath

RULES:

- The contest is open to all Club members in good standing. Non-members are welcome to submit, but only Club members are eligible to win the monthly prize.
- If your photograph does not win, you are welcome to re-submit.
- Winners are chosen by Club staff. All decisions will be final.
- You must certify (if asked) that you indeed took the picture. No ringers!
- Photos can be submitted either on paper or digitally. Please don't send both.
- If you want your print photo returned, please write your name, address and phone number on the back of your photo.
- Photos can be of any subject matter: vacation, portraits, families, landscapes, still lifes, pets, etc. Subject matter must be appropriate for *Alive!*
- Paper prints can be mailed to: Picture Perfect Contest, *Alive!*, City Employees Club of Los Angeles, 350 S. Figueroa St., Suite 700, Los Angeles, CA 90071
- Digital photos optimally should be between 100K and 2 megabytes in size and may be e-mailed to: pictureperfect@cityemployeesclub.com
- The contest is all in good fun: The Club cannot be responsible for delays in delivering *Alive!*, or for delays in the transmission of responses.