



# John's Picture Perfect Contest



**NEXT DEADLINE: November 15**  
Happy Snapping!

**WIN FOUR PRIZES**  
**\$25 WalMart Card**



**Winner for November**



"This was taken in Vernazza, Italy. It was taken through the opening in the thick walls of the old lookout tower. I liked how the rugged bricks created their own border of the spectacular view outside."

**-- Patrick Tomcheck, Airports**

John's comments: These are always such difficult shots to capture, Patrick; you did good! By the way, for those of you that don't know, Vernazza has no car traffic (a road leads into a parking lot on the edge of the town) and remains one of the truest fishing villages on the Italian Riviera.



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"This 'Gates of the Valley' shot is popular with tourists visiting Yosemite. You can see El Capitan, Sentinel Dome, Cathedral and Half Dome in the distance."

**-- Carlos and Leticia Aranda, DWP**

John's comments: Well, I haven't been to Yosemite in quite some time, but I hope it still looks as beautiful as this photo does. From the sky, to El Capitan, to the trees to the grass to the water, you've captured it all. Great shot, Carlos and Leticia!

**For November, we have four winners!**

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



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"This is Pee Wee, and he's looking very dapper in his glasses and bandana. We were camping and he just loves it!"

**-- John R. Sanchez**

John's comments: Dapper, indeed! He almost looks a little like a miniature "Dog the Bounty Hunter." Thanks, John, for sharing this with us!



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"Cooning the bells -- This tower is 135 feet tall. Cooning the bells means climbing down the insulators to the wire, then you put a spacing cart on. The spans are a quarter-mile long."

**-- Ron Angst, DWP**

John's comments: A perfect entry for this issue, Ron! It's truly amazing to see what it takes to get power to Los Angeles. These are true City Heroes!

## 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.