



John's Picture Perfect Contest

John Hawkins, Club CEO

WIN \$25 Walmart
Card
NEXT DEADLINE: September 15
Happy Snapping!



"Butterflies taken in Victoria, British Columbia, last July."
– Edyth Alquiros, General Services

John's comments: Not only did you capture one, but you captured *two* beautiful butterflies, and the detail is really amazing. Thank you, Edyth!



At the "Palm Springs Wild Animal Desert Preserve."
– Debora N. Fore, LAPD

John's comments: It's amazing to think that there are giraffes in Palm Springs! And, I really like how this picture came out with the contrast to the dead tree, mountains and sloping ground. Thank you, Debora!



"The koi pond at the Japanese teahouse, Descanso Gardens in La Cresenta."
– Mike Aubin, Airports

John's comments: Mike, this is a super awesome picture. It almost looks like a painting. I used to go to Descanso Gardens all the time when I was a kid, so this brought back fond memories. Thank you!



"Our Alaskan adventure."
– Ken Kochakji, retired.

John's comments: The simplicity of this photo is what makes it so fascinating, and quite frankly, beautiful. I'd love to have this as a poster on my wall! Thanks, Ken.

Runners Up:

Evelyn Auyeung-Ing, General Services; Jorge Enciso, Finance; Yolanda Estrada; Jordan Price; Renee Ramirez; Brian Doherty; Emilio Salamanca

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, 120 W. Second Street, Los Angeles, CA 90012

- When you send digital photos through the Internet, please send the full, original digital file yourself, rather than using digital photo software like Kodak EasyShare, Kodak Gallery, Flickr, etc. These programs send very low-resolution images, and they don't look good in print.
- We want you to look your best, so send us the original digital file, please! Thanks!
- 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.

THE CLUB

NOTICE:

Dodgers Club Event Sold Out

The Club Special Event at the Dodgers game Sunday, Oct. 4, has sold out.

The Club sold approximately 3,000 tickets to this event. If you've got tickets, we can't wait to see you there!

If you didn't, we regret we couldn't make an unlimited number of tickets available. But please know that – because of the big success of this Club event, and the Magic Mountain Club event earlier in the year – there should be lots more Club Special Events in the future.

Keep watching *Alive!* and your email box for future events.