



John's Picture Perfect Contest

John Hawkins,
Club CEO

WIN A
\$25 TARGET
GIFT CARD



"This photo was taken on a recent trip to Niagara Falls just as the light show began. It was super cold out, but the view was not to be missed!"

– **Leticia Barnes, LAFD/Accounting**

John's comment: What a beautiful photo, Leticia. It's calming yet so powerful! Thank you!



"'Silent Night' – quite possibly the only time of the year that my niece pays enough attention to sing the iconic song. No instruments, just the participants and the angelic chords of the choir group. Happy Holidays to everyone."

– **Dominique Daito**

John's comment: Dominique, this is truly beautiful, and "Silent Night" is the perfect song for this picture.



"My son, Collin, and I."

– **Demian Wyma, LAPD**

John's comment: How *cuuuute!* You guys are awesome!



"The view from atop Mt. Lee looking south with downtown L.A. to the left and the Hollywood Reservoir to the right."

– **Gregory Park, Transportation**

John's comment: What a skyline! You picked a perfect day for a shot like this. Long live Hollywood!

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 West 2nd 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.



"It's Election Day, and our daughter, Aryel, voted for the first time. My husband, Billie and I are so proud of her for exercising her right to vote and not taking for granted all of the sacrifices that so many made for this opportunity to be possible for a young woman in 2012! Yay, Aryel!"

– **Tonja Bellard Evans, Personnel**

John's comment: That's right, Yay Aryel! I spent four years in the Navy to ensure we continue with our democratic process. Thanks, Ary, for making it worth it!