



John's Picture Perfect Contest

John Hawkins, Club CEO

WIN A
\$25 TARGET
GIFT CARD



"That Coca-Cola feeling – It would've been cooler if I captured the bubble at half-burst, on the upper right corner. But I'll take what I can get."

– **Dominique Daito, LAPD**

John's comment: Another prize-winning photo, Dominique! Simply priceless!



"My husband, David, is an amazing photographer. He has won many awards with his great photos. He has a great eye as you can see! These incredible shots of a bobcat 'kitten' were taken on our property in Bear Valley Springs in Tehachapi. My husband got up close and personal as this little guy perched in our huge oak tree."

– **Cheri Hadley for David Hadley**

John's comment: Is this cute or what! I am amazed that he stayed around long enough for his photo shoot. Nice work, David, and we'd like to see more of your photos!



"I snapped this picture at the Santa Monica beach."

– **Christine Pham, LAPD**

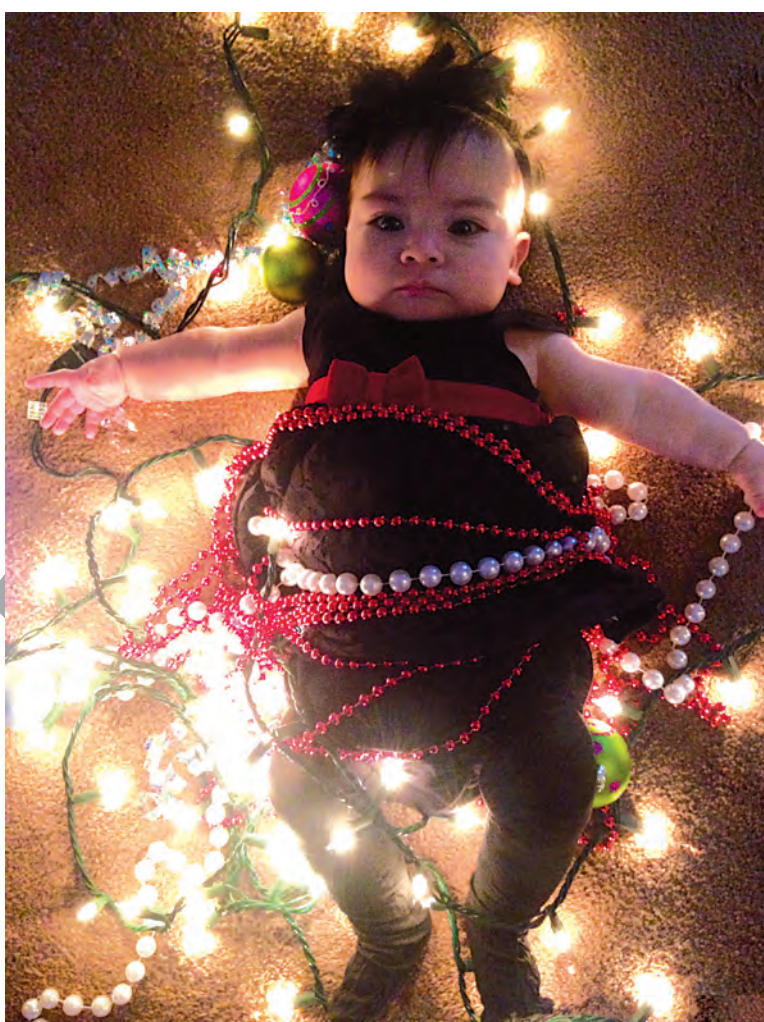
John's comment: Christine, I am a sucker for sunsets, and this one is especially nice. Oh, and that seagull caught in the dusty orange of the sun's burst is *perfect!*



"I went to visit my daughter, Denise, in New York last November. I took a friend with me who had never experienced the Big Apple. Taking her to see the Statue of Liberty was a must. Even though it was chilly, we were fortunate that the sun was shining on this day."

– **Rose Serrato, Sr. Property Officer, LAPD**

John's comment: Rose, it's a phenomenal photo – I love the framing of the sky, buildings and water. Oh, and you caught the seagull at just the right time!



"My youngest niece Audrey's first Christmas!"

– **Cheryl Garcia**

John's comment:

Ha! I love this picture; it makes me laugh. Thank you, Cheryl!

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@city-employeesclub.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.