

Show your Wildlife Photographs at PAMA!

Things are about to get #WILDatPAMA! If you're a wildlife photographer of any age, then we want your captivating images of our furry, fishy, feathery and insect friends from Peel, Canada, and around the world!

If selected, your image will be shown on a "Community Contributions" digital screen at PAMA from July 19 to September 30, 2018. The screen will be adjacent to the *Canadian Wildlife Photography of the Year* exhibition, circulated by the Canadian Museum of Nature.

Each photograph will feature the image title, photographer's name, and preferred social media tag. Youth photographers (under 18) will be identified as such.

#WildatPAMA Photographic Guidelines:

- Must be photographs of wildlife. Domesticated animals are not admissible.
- Images of pure nature i.e. just landscapes will not be accepted.
- Images containing human elements are not admissible.
 - Exception: Animals which have adapted to human habitats i.e. barn owls, are admissible.
- Images must not have been staged by the photographer.
 - Wildlife cannot have been coerced or baited in the process of making the image.
- Images must adhere to an ethos of digital realism. This ethos is can best be summed up as "tweak, but don't manipulate."
 - Images may be retouched to remove noise, dust, and scratches.
 - Images may have their exposure, contrast and saturation adjusted to enhance their presentation.
 - HDR, focus stacking, panoramic stitching, and dodging/burning are permissible.
 - Images may be cropped to enhance their presentation.
 - Images may not be manipulated as to add foreign elements or remove unwanted ones.
- Entries must be digital photographs, and submitted electronically, following the "#WILDatPAMA Submission Process" rules (see below).
- Images must be a minimum of 300 dpi, in JPEG format. Maximum file size 2 MB.
- PAMA may request a RAW or original High Resolution JPEG to determine the eligibility of an image. Failure to comply will result in the inadmissibility of your images.
- Entrants must own all rights to the photograph(s) submitted (maximum two entries per photographer)
- Photographer will retain copyright of the submitted image and will be credited. PAMA will not use the images in any way except for display on a rotating digital screen at PAMA, July 19 to September 30, 2018.

#WildatPAMA Submission Process:

- Each photographer may submit a **maximum of two images**. Please submit each image in a separate e-mail.
- To participate, email PAMAmuseum@peelregion.ca with the subject line:
“#WildatPAMA Submission – Last Name, First name.”
- In the body of the email, please include:
 - Photographer’s name
 - Age (only if under 18)
 - Title of the image, including the type of the wildlife featured.
 - Preferred social media handle
 - Image (one per email, maximum two emails) as an attachment.
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- Submissions begin on June 9, 2018 and will be accepted until August 31, 2018.
- Submit by July 3 for inclusion in the entire run (July 19 to September 30, 2018). Images submitted after exhibition opening will be added weekly.
- If your image(s) are selected for the screen, you will receive email notification within 10 days of receipt of submission. You will also receive a free family pass to PAMA.
- PAMA reserves the right to accept or reject any submitted image, or to cancel this project at its discretion.