2017 Parker River National Wildlife Refuge Nature & Wildlife Photography Photography Contest Winners
Image Judging Criteria

Technical:
- Exposure
  - Under or over?
  - Compliment or interfere with image’s impact?
- Appropriately sharp?

Composition:
- Effective use of “classic” rules ie. leading lines, framing, level horizons, etc.?
- Placement of main subject?
- Depth of field?
- Distractions?
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Other considerations

• Tell a story or convey a message?
• Illustrate animal behavior or relationship with habitat vs. “static” portrait (if wildlife image)?
• Creative treatment of a common subject?
• Original?
• Impact: eg. visceral or emotional response?
• Dynamic?
Youth – Plum Island
Third Place
Alexandra Enos
Youth – Plum Island
Second Place
Sydney Lee Jolivet
Youth - Plum Island
First Place
Lillian Preston
Youth - New England
Second Place
Ben Peters
Youth - New England
First Place
Alyssa Christoph
Adult - Plum Island – Nature
Third Place
Robert Couture
Adult - Plum Island – Nature
Second Place
Patti Spawn
Adult - Plum Island – Nature
First Place
Susan Gilmartin
Adult - Plum Island – Wildlife
Third Place
Katherine C. Davis
Adult - Plum Island – Wildlife
Second Place
Deb Boulanger
Adult – Plum Island – Wildlife
First Place
Leigh Scott
Adult - New England – Nature
Third Place
Eddie Wiseman
Adult - New England – Nature
Second Place
Susan Gilmartin
Adult - New England – Nature
First Place
Stephen Wiswell
Adult - New England – Wildlife
Third Place
Anastasias Grigorenko
Adult - New England – Wildlife
Second Place
Peter Christoph
Adult - New England – Wildlife
First Place
Ken Jordan
Best in Show
Best in Show
Ken Jordan
Best in Show - Youth
Alyssa Christoph
Congratulations!