## **Carson City Photo Competition Guidelines and Topics**

A first, second, and third place winner and a "President's Choice" will be selected each month from photos meeting the criteria below.

1. Photo must have been taken by a member within the past 180 days (limit of two entries). The member must be present at the meeting.

## 2. The print must

- be no smaller than 8 X 10 inches;
- be mounted or framed so it can be hung for display. If a frame is used, the frame needs to take up minimal space, to avoid dominating the display area.
- when combined with a mat, result in a size no larger than 11 X 14 or 12 X 12 inches:
- conform to the "Monthly Photo Topic" subject matter;
- reflect use of software only to enhance images and remove items, but not to add anything to the photo;
- be accompanied by a card placed in front of the photo, listing the photo name, location and time of day it was taken, camera used, f-stop, shutter speed, focal length, ISO. Hidden on the back of the card must be the photographer's name.

## **2019 Topics**

<u>Month</u>	<u>Topic</u>	Photo taken after
January	Food	
February	Black/White	
March	Raptors/Birds	September 27, 2018
April	Motion	October 25, 2018
May	Horses	November 29, 2018
June	Frames within a frame	December 27, 2018
July	Lights/light painting	January 24, 2019
August	Bugs/Insects/macro	February 28, 2019
September	Barns	March 28, 2019
October	Shadows	April 25, 2019
November	Yellow	May 30, 2019