



# FTA Photo Contest Entry Form

Calling all photography enthusiasts! Showcase your best moments capturing the essence of wildlife, trapping, and family fun at the FTA Photo Contest. This is your chance to share your trapping memories and win exciting prizes, including a potential feature on the cover of **The Fur Taker**.

**CATEGORIES:** Photos need to be entered into one of the below categories.

**Animals:** Photos of wildlife in their natural or trapping environment.

**Kids:** Photos celebrating the joy and excitement of young trappers and their achievements.

**End of Line/Trapping Scene:** Photos showcasing the end of a season/event or a trapping scene.

**AWARDS:** Photos are eligible for the following prizes. *FTA reserves the right to change, add, or remove prizes at any time.*

**Grand Prize – Editor’s Choice Award:** One standout photograph chosen by the Editor will be awarded either a \$50 gift card or a listing in the FTA Circle of Friends (winner’s choice).

**First Place Winners:** One winner per category. Selected photographs may be used for cover images for **The Fur Taker** (subject to publication requirements).

**RULES:** The following rules apply to this contest. *FTA reserves the right to change contest rules at any time.*

**Eligibility:** Participants must be of legal age and current members of Fur Takers of America.

**Submissions:** Photos must be presented at the FTA Rendezvous to be considered. Entries mailed or emailed to the Editor will not be entered.

**Submission Format:** Photographs may be color or black and white, printed on photographic or regular copy paper, and up to 8.5 x 11 inches in size. Paper choice and size will not affect judging.

**Entry Limit:** Up to two (2) entries per category. Families submitting to the **Kids** category may submit up to two (2) entries per child.

**Contest Form:** Each photo entered must be accompanied by a completed and signed Contest Entry Form.

**Content Guidelines:** Photographs showing excessive blood, animal abuse, or illegal activities will be disqualified.

**Time Frame:** Photos can be from any trapping season or time frame, but AI-generated images are not permitted.

**Judging:** Photos will be judged on meeting the category theme, composition, overall impact, and how they relate to trapping. The Editor’s decisions are final.

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## PLEASE PRINT CAREFULLY

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Circle Category:                      **Animal**                      **Trapping Scene/End of Line**                      **Kids**

Can you supply a digital version of this photo if requested?    \_\_\_\_\_ Yes    \_\_\_\_\_ No

Please make a brief description of the photo below or on the back of this form:

*I hereby attest that I own the rights to this photo and have permission from the individual(s) shown and/or their guardians. Furthermore, I waive any claims I may have based on any usage, including, but not limited to, use in The Fur Taker, on the FTA Website and FTA Social Media sites, as well as possible inclusion in trapping-related publications or products such as educational brochures, trading cards, etc.*

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**Signature**

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**Date**