



ACES Scavenger Hunt 2018

It's that time! Time for the ACES Annual Scavenger Hunt. Use your imagination and your creative side to capture images for the five themes of this year's hunt. You may enter all of the theme categories or as few as just one theme. A maximum of two (2) images per category may be submitted. Images you submit must be captured from August 1 to November 1, 2018. Deadline for submission of the images is November 8, 2018.

It should be a good image, creative and representing the theme category. Images will be judged by members of other camera clubs and presented at a future ACES meeting. You do not have to enter an image in all categories to compete. Awards will be given for 1st, 2nd, 3rd place in each category. There will also be a Best In Show award and for members who enter images in all categories, there will be a Top Point Award.

Here are this year's theme categories:

1. Planes
2. Bugs
3. Circle and Squares
4. Pink and Grey
5. Urban Decay

Rules:

1. Use only basic image processing on your images such as cropping, minor adjustments for sharpening, saturation and exposure, monochrome. Images which have been obviously manipulated in post processing, will be disqualified. HDR manipulation would be one example of a disqualified image.
2. Scoring is based upon:
 - a. 40% - Originality
 - b. 40% - Theme representation
 - c. 20% - Composition & exposure
3. All images must be taken from August 1 to November 1, 2018
4. No more than two (2) images per category
5. Regular competition size and format requirements apply (1024x1024 pixel max. and jpg or jpeg file format)
6. Send one email with attached images for each category to scavengerhunt@aces-photo.org, that is, send five different emails with appropriate images if you enter all five categories. The format for emails is:
 - a. Subject line: Digital Entries for Theme (e.g., Bugs)
 - b. Body of email:
 1. Theme
 2. Name of photographer
 3. Titles for images
 4. Attached filenames