

**The East Carolina Wildfowl Guild  
and Arts of the Pamlico**

*welcomes you to the Twenty-Third Annual*

**East Carolina  
Wildlife Arts Festival**



**February 7-9, 2019**

*Featuring*

**Decoy Carving Championship  
Competitions and Other Events**

**Washington Civic Center, Peterson Building, N.C. Estuarium,  
Stewart Parkway, Turnage Theater, Pamlico River, and Adjacent  
Areas**

Washington, North Carolina

# Welcome!

The East Carolina Wildfowl Guild and Arts of the Pamlico extends a warm and cordial welcome to everyone attending the East Carolina Wildlife Arts Festival on February 7-9, 2019, in Washington, North Carolina.

## Registration

Walk-in registration for the carving competition will take place 12 – 5 p.m. on Friday, February 8, 2019 and 7:30 – 9:00 a.m. on Saturday, February 9, 2019. Walk-in registration is held in the Peterson Building, adjacent to the Civic Center. The Peterson building is located at 310 W. Main St., Washington, NC 27889. No other entries will be accepted for registration after 9:00 a.m. on Saturday February 9, 2019.

## Check-Out

The carving competition ends at 6:00 p.m. on Saturday, February 9, 2019. Check-out of all entries will not be available prior to this day and time. All entries must remain in the Peterson building until the time of check-out.

## 2019 Carving Competition Prizes, Entry Fees, and Rules.

If you are going to compete in any of the IWCA divisions listed below, you must be an IWCA member. Prior to entering the competition, it is the responsibility of the entrant to be fully aware of all rules. Answers to questions concerning IWCA rules should be obtained by contacting the IWCA at [www.iwca.com](http://www.iwca.com). Questions concerning the ECWG rules should be directed to the carving competition chairperson listed at the end of this book.

*A carving can be entered one division only – whether it is IWCA or ECWG. All entry fees and prize monies are subject to corrections at the time of the show. No refunds will be issued for any entries that are disqualified due to a violation of the rules. Please thoroughly review all applicable rules.*

## DIVISION A

## IWCA

### Decorative Life-Size Wildfowl Decoys (Floating).

Entries are judged according to IWCA Decorative Life-Size Floating Division Rules.

Entry Fees	First Entry	Each Additional Entry
Professional	\$15	\$5
Intermediate	\$10	\$5
Novice	\$10	\$5

Prizes	1st Place Best of Show	2nd Place Best of Show	3rd Place Best of Show
Professional	\$250	\$125	\$75
Intermediate	\$100	\$50	\$25
Novice	Cash prizes not awarded to Novice entries in this Division		

**DIVISION B**

**IWCA**

**Decorative Life-size Wildfowl Decoys (Non-Floating).**

Entries are judged according to IWCA Decorative Life-Size Non-Floating Division Rules.

Entry Fees	First Entry	Each Additional Entry
Professional	\$15	\$5
Intermediate	\$10	\$5
Novice	\$10	\$5

Prizes	1st Place Best of Show	2nd Place Best of Show	3rd Place Best of Show
Professional	\$250	\$125	\$75
Intermediate	\$100	\$50	\$25
Novice	<i>Cash prizes not awarded to Novice entries in this Division</i>		

**DIVISION C**

**IWCA**

**Decorative Miniatures.**

Entries are judged according to IWCA Decorative Miniature Division Rules.

Entry Fees	1st Entry	Each Additional Entry
Professional	\$15	\$5
Intermediate	\$10	\$5
Novice	\$10	\$5

Prizes	1st Place Best of Show	2nd Place Best of Show	3rd Place Best of Show
Professional	\$200	\$100	\$50
Intermediate	\$100	\$50	\$25
Novice	<i>Cash prizes not awarded to Novice entries in this Division</i>		

**DIVISION D**

**ECWG Pamlico Gunning Decoys (Style).**

Entries are judged according to IWCA Style Decoy Division Rules.

Entry Fees	First Entry in this Division	Each Additional Entry in this Division
Professional	\$20	\$10
Intermediate	\$10	\$5
Novice	\$10	\$5

Prizes	1st Place Best of Show	2nd Place Best of Show	3rd Place Best of Show
Professional	\$300	\$150	\$75
Intermediate	\$150	\$75	\$25
Novice	\$100	\$50	\$25

## **DIVISION E**

## **ECWG**

### **Working Decoys in memory of Dr. Charles Moore.**

Purchase award. First Best of Show becomes the property of ECWG. Entries are judged according to IWCA Working Decoy Division Rules. All entries are judged together in Open class.

Entry Fees	First Entry	Each Additional Entry
Open	\$25	\$10

Prizes	1st Place Best of Show	2nd Place Best of Show	3rd Place Best of Show
Open	\$350	\$100	\$50

## **DIVISION H**

### **IWCA Style Shorebirds.**

Entries are judged according to IWCA Style Shorebird Decoy Division Rules.

Entry Fees	First Entry	Each Additional Entry
Open	\$25	\$15

Prizes	1st Place Best of Show	2nd Place Best of Show	Third Place Best of Show
Open	\$200	\$100	\$50

## **DIVISION I**

### **IWCA Tri-County Telephone Canvas Gunning Decoys.**

Entries are judged according to IWCA Canvas Decoy Division Rules.

Entry Fees	First Entry	Each Additional Entry
Open	\$20	\$10

Prizes	1st Place Best of Show	2nd Place Best of Show	3rd Place Best of Show
Open	\$100	\$40	\$20

## **DIVISION M**

### **ECWG Contemporary Antique Decoy.**

Entries are to represent the appearance of decoys prior to 1950 and would have been used for hunting. Decoys are to be made to look old by the carving, painting, or materials. Entries may be made of canvas, cork or wood. Glass eyes are allowed. Decoys will be judged as one group regardless of species. Decoys will not be floated. Entries can be from any geographical region but must be the carver's original design and interpretation of an old decoy.

Entry Fees	First Entry	Each Additional Entry
Open	\$15	\$5

Prizes	1st Place Best of Show	2nd Place Best of Show	3rd Place Best of Show
Open	\$150	\$75	\$25

## **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

### **Instructions for mail-in entries**

Mailed entries are accepted for each competition. Send a completed entry form with the entries clearly indicating species and sex (hen or drake) as appropriate. For the protection of your entries we recommend that you double box your items. Include a pre-paid return shipping label. Insurance for any shipped entries is the responsibility of the contestant. No entries will be returned unless return postage is included. Mail-in entries must arrive by February 2, 2019. Mail entries should be shipped to:

ECWG

162 Abbey Lane  
Washington, NC 27889.

Phone (252) 975-3328

E-mail: [sullivanjoann19@gmail.com](mailto:sullivanjoann19@gmail.com)

### **Venues for the Festival**

Civic Center  
Peterson Building  
NC Estuarium  
Turnage Theater

110 N. Gladden St.  
310 W. Main St.  
223 Water St.  
150 W. Main St.

### **Lodging**

Comfort Inn, 1636 Carolina Ave  
Carolina House, 227 East 2nd St.  
Days inn, 916 Carolina Ave.  
Econo Lodge, Hwy 17 N.  
Hampton inn, US 264 By-pass  
Quality inn, 1031 Carolina Ave.  
Washington motel, Carolina Ave.

1-800-359-4827  
252-975-1382  
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