

**THE BAY COUNTY AUDUBON SOCIETY AND THE BAY
ARTS ALLIANCE, IN PARTNERSHIP WITH THE
PUBLIC EYE PRESENTS:**



A Nature Photo
IMMERSIVE EXPERIENCE



From the state parks to your backyard, submit your nature photos and have them displayed in a dynamic projection mapping video experience!

Photos will be projected onto the walls of the newly designed Lynn Higby room at the Panama City Center for the Arts on March 27th from 5-7PM.

**Submit your photos by
March 6th**

- You may submit up to 3 photos
- At least one photo must have been taken in the Florida Panhandle
- Please see submission form for more details

**Mark your calendars for the
2026
Bay County Audubon Society
“Immersive Photo Experience”**

The Bay County Audubon Society in conjunction with The Public Eye, founders of the Public Eye Soar, and Bay Arts Alliance. Imagine your entries displayed in the newly designed Lynn Higby room at the Panama City Center for the Arts where photos are presented floor to ceiling and larger than life on the walls. The room will come to life with the color and majesty of the natural world. Visitors, including you, will literally be surrounded by your stunning photographs supported by a soundscape of bird calls and the sounds of nature. There is no charge for entering this event.

The “Immersive Photo Experience” is part of the Art Contest which will be going on at the same time. Rules for artists desiring to enter the contests are available at pccenterforthearts.com. Click on “Artist Opportunities” and scroll down to Bay County Audubon Society’s “Nature

Connection” and click on “2026 Prospectus.” (Note: Art intake submission dates are Feb. 24 & Feb. 25.)

Opening Night
March 27 at 5:00 p.m.
Panama City Center for the Arts

Bay Arts Alliance will run the “Immersive Photo Experience” for several weeks, so you can view the exhibit as often as you wish.

Submissions are now open and the deadline for submissions is March 6. All ages are encouraged to submit photographs. Participants under the age 18 are required to provide parental permission either through their coordinating teacher or directly to Bay County Audubon Society to participate.

To enter your photos, read the following rules and guidelines and click the link below to complete submission form and upload your photos.

Officials rules for submission

- You may submit up to 3 nature photos which may be juried to 2 photos. At least one photo must be taken in the Florida Panhandle. You must own all rights to the photo and will retain all rights to your work.
- Basic editing such as exposure and clarity are allowed but image must represent actual picture taken.
- Images can be in any file format but .jpg and .png are preferred.

- Images should be 2000 pixels+ on the shortest side and 150dpi or higher - file size should be less than 25 mb.
- Please review the North American Nature Photography Association rules of ethics [here](#).
- Send your photos as a group by using the free file sharing service

[WeTransfer | Send Large Files Fast](#)

or send each photo in separate emails to

bcassubmissions@gmail.com.

- Photo submissions will not be accepted without filling out the official entry form. The Bay County Audubon Society reserves the right to jury submissions and crop or resize photographs if needed.
- There is no entry fee.

Link to the Entry Form: [2026 Bay County Audubon Society Photo Show Submission Form](#)

For more information about the exhibit or how you can participate, please email bcassubmissions@gmail.com.

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