



Best of Category 2025

Class		A: Novice	
Category	A1 Marsh Ducks		
Prize	Contestant	Carv_No	Description
1	Ross Rigby	117	Cinnamon Teal
2	Ross Rigby	119	Wood Duck Hen
3	Ross Rigby	118	Wood Duck Drake
Category	A3 Geese & Confidence		
Prize	Contestant	Carv_No	Description
1	John Stevenson	47	Least Bittern
2	Peter Bull	29	Least Bittern
Category	B2 Miniature Smoothies		
Prize	Contestant	Carv_No	Description
1	Marcel Pelletier	77	Owl
2	George Zwack	76	Blue Heron
Category	C3 Geese & Confidence Shorebirds		
Prize	Contestant	Carv_No	Description
1	Barb Mikaluk	89	Spotted Sandpiper
Category	D1 Songbirds		
Prize	Contestant	Carv_No	Description
1	Loree Larratt	105	Downy Woodpecker
1	Rosalie Foshaug	23	Cedar Waxwing
2	Marshall YaremCIO	108	Barn Swallow
2	Marshall YaremCIO	107	Downy Woodpecker
3	Xander Puhlmann	27	Downy Woodpecker
3	Patrick Nickel	21	Cedar Waxwing
HM	Marlene Morton	31	Downy Woodpecker
HM	Janis Chapman	48	Downy Woodpecker
HM	Marguerite Hampton	36	Black capped Chickadee
Category	E1 Songbirds		
Prize	Contestant	Carv_No	Description
1	John Stevenson	44	Red Headed Woodpecker
2	John Stevenson	45	Northern Cardinal
3	Tom Smyth	9	Loggerhead Shrike

Category	L2 Mammals		
Prize	Contestant	Carv_No	Description

1	Gordon Greig	25	Buffalo
2	Rosalie Foshaug	22	Buffalo

Class B: Intermediate

Category	C4 Other		
Prize	Contestant	Carv_No	Description

1	Curtis Blair	14	Common loon
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Category	D1 Songbirds		
Prize	Contestant	Carv_No	Description

1	Ryan Puhlmann	28	Downy Woodpecker
2	Murray Griffiths	85	Marsh Wren
3	Robert Heath	49	Cedar Waxwing

Category	E1 Songbirds		
Prize	Contestant	Carv_No	Description

1	Curtis Blair	16	Loggerhead Shrike
2	Jeff Toering	13	Loggerhead Shrike

Category	E3 Raptors		
Prize	Contestant	Carv_No	Description

1	Karin Steeves	106	Sawett Owl
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Category	F4 Songbirds		
Prize	Contestant	Carv_No	Description

1	Will Simpson	93	Pileated Woodpecker
2	Ronald Pettitt	38	Pileated Woodpecker (painted)
3	Ronald Pettitt	37	Pileated Woodpecker (burned)

Category	G7 Other		
Prize	Contestant	Carv_No	Description
1	Jeff Toering	12	Toucan
Category	H1 Fresh Water Fish		
Prize	Contestant	Carv_No	Description
1	Terry Irvine	100	Small Mouth Bass
2	Terry Irvine	99	Brown Trout
Category	I2 Unpainted		
Prize	Contestant	Carv_No	Description
1	Will Simpson	90	Bear (cedar)
Category	J2 Non-Hooved		
Prize	Contestant	Carv_No	Description
1	Randy Hughes	17	Beaver
Category	O2 Diving Ducks		
Prize	Contestant	Carv_No	Description
3	Will Simpson	92	Barrows Goldeneye Hen
Category	P2 Diving Ducks		
Prize	Contestant	Carv_No	Description
1	Ronald Pettitt	39	Bluebill (drake)
2	Ronald Pettitt	40	Bluebill (hen)
Class	C: Open		
Category	A1 Marsh Ducks		
Prize	Contestant	Carv_No	Description
1	Kelly Smith	111	Wood Duck Hen

2	Kelly Smith	110	Shoveller Drake
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Category	B1 Champagne Waterfowl		
Prize	Contestant	Carv_No	Description

1	Don Young	70	Harlequin Pair
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Category	C1 Marsh Ducks		
Prize	Contestant	Carv_No	Description

HM	Alan Spiller	18	Mallards
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Category	D1 Songbirds		
Prize	Contestant	Carv_No	Description

1	Diane Sharkey	101	Downy Woodpecker
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2	Bob Steele	6	Blackburnian Warbler
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3	Don Young	74	Bohemian Waxwing
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Category	E1 Songbirds		
Prize	Contestant	Carv_No	Description

1	Jim MacLachlan	30	Baltimore Oriole
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2	Bob Steele	8	Loggerhead Shrike
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3	Carmen Steele	4	Loggerhead Shrike
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Category	E3 Raptors		
Prize	Contestant	Carv_No	Description

1	Ken Jarvie	113	Merlin
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2	Thomas Parkes	83	Kestrel
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Category	F2 Shorebirds		
Prize	Contestant	Carv_No	Description

1	Carmen Steele	2	Whooping Crane
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Category	F6 Raptors		
Prize	Contestant	Carv_No	Description

1	Bob Lavender	80	Snowy Owl
2	Carmen Steele	3	Short Eared Owl
3	Kathleen Norton	24	Snowy Owl

Category H1 Fresh Water Fish

Prize	Contestant	Carv_No	Description
1	Don Young	73	Small Mouth Bass
2	John Frye	51	Sockeye Salmon
3	John Frye	52	Arctic Grayling

Category H5 Other

Prize	Contestant	Carv_No	Description
1	Don Young	69	Brown Trout
2	Don Young	71	Golden Trout
3	Don Young	72	Gold Crappie

Category I1 Painted

Prize	Contestant	Carv_No	Description
1	John Frye	53	Pintail duck

Category I2 Unpainted

Prize	Contestant	Carv_No	Description
1	Thomas Parkes	84	Fighting Fish
2	Wayne Seabrooke	96	Rising Weeds (fish)
3	Wayne Seabrooke	98	chainmail wolf

Category L1 Birds

Prize	Contestant	Carv_No	Description
1	Ken Jarvie	114	Eagle Head

Category L2 Mammals

Prize	Contestant	Carv_No	Description
1	Brenda Mitchell	87	Buffalo
2	Cathy Hostyn	34	Buffalo
3	Cathy Hostyn	33	Buffalo

Category	N4 Other		
Prize	Contestant	Carv_No	Description
1	David Koss	56	Mr. Toad
Category	O1 Marsh Ducks		
Prize	Contestant	Carv_No	Description
1	Susan Cowtan	63	Green Winged Teal
2	Don Young	75	Black Duck Drake
Category	O2 Diving Ducks		
Prize	Contestant	Carv_No	Description
1	Susan Cowtan	61	Ringneck Drake
2	Wayne Olsen	43	Greater Scaup
3	Bob Steele	7	Barrows Goldeneye
HM	Susan Cowtan	60	Common Goldeneye Drake
Category	O3 Geese & Confidence		
Prize	Contestant	Carv_No	Description
1	Susan Cowtan	62	Bufflehead Drake (silhouette)
Category	P1 Marsh Ducks		
Prize	Contestant	Carv_No	Description
1	Susan Cowtan	64	Green Winged Teal Drake
Category	P2 Diving Ducks		
Prize	Contestant	Carv_No	Description
1	Don Young	66	Ring-Neck Duck