

2026 Fifth Annual Photograph Contest

Welcome to our fifth annual photo contest. Join photographers of all ages and abilities to find pollinators on native plants in Richland County. 2026 Richland County SCD Photo Contest will focus on ND pollinators (native bees, butterflies, moths, beetles, flies, hummingbirds and bats) and pollinator friendly plants (could be trees, shrubs, wildflowers and native grasses).

Try to find North Dakota's state flower : The Prairie rose

Photo Contest Rules

- Feature a plant species that is native to Richland County.
- Original work that is property of the person who submits the photo.
 - Labels on each entry with your name, phone number, name of the plant/tree, and what city/town/township the photo was taken in.
- One entry per species, limit of five entries per person.
 - Submit photo by email in digital format, must be a minimum resolution of 300 dpi and in .jpg format.
- Trademarks, commercial names, or advertisements may not appear in the photos.
- Extra points given for North Dakota native pollinators.
 - Entry will imply consent to use photos for SCD educational and promotional activities.
 - Credit will be placed with each photo for all photographers.



How To Participate

- Email your photos to richlandcosoil@gmail.com.
- Mail/bring digital photos to: Richland Soil Conservation District, 1687 Bypass Road, Wahpeton, ND 58075.
 - Question? Call Richland County SCD at 701-642-5997 ext. 3.
 - Photos are due November 30, 2026.
- **The top 3 photographs will be showcased on our website, Facebook and in our Newsletter.**
- **The top 3 photographers will also have the chance at receiving an apple tree the following spring.**
 - **1st place 8x10 Canvas of the photograph**