# 2024 Third Annual Photograph Contest

Welcome to our third annual photo contest. This year we will have a photo contest that features trees and shrubs throughout the seasons. Pictures of trees and shrubs from all 4 seasons will be able to be submitted. We are looking for photos that show new budding and flowering trees and melting snow in the spring and full green canopies in the sunshine in the summer. Maybe you could even feature newly planted saplings! Bonus points are allotted if

you can capture wildlife in the photos as well. If they are in the fall and winter, try to show the fall colors and the blankets of snow on the trees and shrubs, or the frost.

Billie Jo Hinders, District Clerk "All the native entries will be featured on our Facebook, website and potentially other educational or promotional items for the SCD."

#### **Photo Contest Rules**

- · Feature a tree or shrub 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.
- · 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.





#### Winners

- · The top 3 photographs will be showcased on our website, Facebook and in our Fall/Winter 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

Info also available on our website: https://richlandscd.com/photo-contest

### **Native Trees of North Dakota**

Common Name	Scientific Name
Boxelder	Acer negundo
Water Birch	Betula occidentalis
Paper Birch	Betula papyrifera
Common Hackberry	Celtis occidentalis
Black Ash*	Fraxinus nigra
Green Ash	Fraxinus pennsylvanica
Rocky Mountain Juniper	Juniperus scopulorum
Ironwood	Ostrya virginiana
Limber Pine*	Pinus flexilis
Ponderosa Pine*	Pinus ponderosa
Balsam Poplar	Populus balsamifera
Cottonwood	Populus deltoides
Bigtooth Aspen*	Populus grandidentata
Quaking Aspen	Populus tremuloides
Black Cottonwood *	Populus trichocarpa
American Plum (large shrub)	Prunus americana
Chokecherry (large shrub)	Prunus virginiana
Bur Oak	Quercus macrocarpa
Northern Pin Oak*	Quercus ellipsoidalis
Peachleaf Willow	Salix amygdaloides
American Linden	Tilia americana
American Elm	Ulmus americana
Slippery Elm*	Ulmus rubra

☐ \* Limited Native Range According to USDA

#### **Native Shrubs of North Dakota**

Common Name	Scientific Name
Speckled Alder*	Alnus rugosa
Fourwing Saltbrush	Atriplex canescens
Shadescale Saltbrush*	Atriplex confertifolia
Juneberry	Amelanchier alnifolia
Dwarf / Silver Sagebrush	Artemesia cana
Big Sagebrush	Artemesia tridenta
False Indigo	Amorpha fruticosa
Dwarf False Indigo	Amorpha nana
Redosier Dogwood	Cornus sericea
American Hazelnut	Corylus americana
Beaked Hazelnut	Corylus cornuta
Downy Hawthorn*	Crataegus mollis
Bush Honeysuckle*	Diervilla lonicera
Leatherwood*	Dirca palustris
Silverberry	Elaeagnus commutata
Eastern Wahoo Euonymus*	Euonymus atropurpureus
Dwarf Juniper	Juniperus communis
Creeping Juniper	Juniperus horizontalis
Winterfat	Krascheninnikova lanata
Ironwood / Hophornbeam	Ostrya virginiana
Woodbine	Parthenocissus vitacea
Shrubby Cinquefoil	Potentilla fruticosa
Wild Plum	Prunus americana
Pin Cherry	Prunus pennsylvanica
Western Sandcherry	Prunus pumila
Smooth Sumac	Rhus glabra
Skunk Bush	Rhus trilobata
Black Currant	Ribes americanum
Golden Currant	Ribes aureum
Wax Currant*	Ribes cereum
Eastern Prickly Gooseberry*	Ribes cynosbati
Missouri Gooseberry	Ribes missouriense
Prairie Rose (subshrub)	Rosa arkansana
Woods Rose	Rosa woodsii
Rasberry	Rubes idaeus
Sandbar Willow	Salix interior
Bebb Willow	Salix bebbiana
Pussy Willow	Salix discolor
Greasewood	Sarcobatus vermiculatus
Silver Buffaloberry	Shepherdia argentea
Snowberry	Symphoricarpos albus
	Symphoricarpos occidentalis
Western Snowberry / Wolfberry	
	Toxicodendron radicans
Poison lvy Nannyberry	Toxicodendron radicans Viburnum lentago Viburnum trilobum
Poison Ivy	Toxicodendron radicans Viburnum lentago

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