

**Athens Soil and Water Conservation District  
2009 All Athens Photo Contest**



**Contest Categories and Examples**

**CATEGORIES: \*\***

- 1. Close Up Conservation**
- 2. Conservation in Action**
- 3. Ag/ Conservation/ Natural Resources/ the Environment and Landscapes Across Athens County**

**\*\* Remember: All photo entries must have been taken at a location or event in Athens County, Ohio. When taking pictures of individuals, please make sure all immediately recognizable individuals, in the photo, sign a release form. A completed release form is necessary for the photo to be judged.**

**Close Up Conservation (Examples)**

- Clean Water
- Crops, Plants and water/rain
- Farm implements (old and new)
- Hands/tools in soil, water, grains, or on farm animals
- Plants/flowers/crops
- Prairie Plants/Wildflowers
- Recycling
- Water drops/drips/splashes
- Worms/roots/compost

**Conservation in Action (Examples)**

- Conservation Planning
- Athens SWCD or Athens County Events (community meetings, field days, fairs, exhibits etc.)
- Farmers/Landowners while they're working their land
- Irrigation/crops and water / wildflowers and water
- Conservation Education and Technical Activities
- Wildlife/ insects/ livestock/ aquatic life etc.
- Youth engaged in conservational activities (at school, contests, Envirothon, on the farm, at the fair, etc)

**Ag/ Conservation/ Natural Resources/ Environment and Landscapes Across Athens County**

- Barns
- Crops
- Farm practices
- Farmers/ Landowners
- Fence rows
- Grazing
- Implements and Tools
- Livestock
- Pasture
- Ponds
- Tree Farms/ Forests/Woods
- Youth
- Scenic Landscapes that depict the County's beauty in all seasons

**\*\* Note: These are just examples of the categories and each is open to individual interpretation. They are only meant as a guideline. Though the contest opens in January and ends in July we are looking for photos from all seasons therefore photos may have been taken before the dates of the contest's initiation. For additional information contact Teresa T. Caldwell, Education Coordinator, Athens SWCD at (740) 797-9686 ext 106 or email [teresa-caldwell@oh.nacdnet.org](mailto:teresa-caldwell@oh.nacdnet.org) .**