

## **Friends of Lake Erling 2018 Phone Photo Contest (rules and guidelines):**

Sponsors include **Whitehead Marine & Outboard Repair**, and Dr Mark Bryan DVM, of the **Eastridge Animal Hospital** in Magnolia. As more sponsors come on board, the amount of prizes will increase. We are currently over \$500.00 in cash merchandise or services. The first prize winner will have first choice of the prize packages. Each of the subsequent 9 winners will choose from remaining prize packages. The amount of prizes will continue to grow as sponsors are added. Our first contest was won by Mike Hanson, with a picture taken on a flip phone. The winning photo was emblazoned on the Friends of Lake Erling Association's bumper stickers which are still available as gifts for donations. To commemorate Mike's audacity to compete with what some might consider a technological relic, this year's competition will require that only photos taken with a cell phone may be entered. (not necessarily a flip phone) Email photos to FOLEA2014@gmail.com

- 1. Contest will run April 1st thru midnight on May 31st**
- 2. You choose the subject, as long as the photo has Lake Erling in the picture, and the pictures are considered in good taste**
- 3. Person submitting the entry must be a member of the FOLEA FB Group Page**
- 4. Do not submit photos you would not want copied to social media**
- 5. Each contestant can submit up to 10 pictures.**

The pictures will be entered as they are received. Each entrant will be given a block of numbers. Example 1-10, 11-20, etc. The most popular picture from each contestant's block will qualify for a prize package. Judging in this format will limit one prize per winning contestant. This will increase the number of winners, and as "The Lake Level Guru" from the South Beach says, it will increase the number of smiles. And we all know that's a good thing.

The contest will be judged by your popular vote beginning June 1, 2018. First, pick your choices from the "Phone Photo Contest" (pull down tab) on the website's home page; [friendsoflakeerling.com](http://friendsoflakeerling.com), then write down the numbers of your ten favorites. Then go to the photo contest post, pinned to the top of the FOLEA FB group page. In the comment section enter your 10 choices for best picture. Please enter numbers only, please do not write in the comment box

Example of a correct vote: 1, as your first pick, 12, 32, 4, 15, 6, 71, 28, 19, and 10 as your least favorite pick. Only one comment box, (or vote), per voting member will be allowed. Votes listing more than 10 choices or fewer than 10 choices will not be tallied. Voting will continue from June 1st until midnight on June 8th. Votes will be tallied, and results posted on our Facebook group page by midnight on Saturday June 9th. All pictures submitted will be considered donations to FOLEA, and authorized for use on or in any posts to social media, advertisements, or printed material. These directions and instructions will be posted on the website as soon as we can make it happen. Thanks for having fun with the friends of Lake Erling.