

Photo Contest 2007

During the summer of 2007, the Central Kootenay Invasive Plant Committee held a photo contest to raise awareness about the invasive plant species in our area. The following photos won first or second prize in each category.

Categories

Category 1: Scenic (a scenic shot of an invasive plant invasion).



First Prize: Spotted knapweed

By: Melissa Badger



Second Prize: Orange hawkweed
By: Janet King

Category 2: Close-ups (a close-up of an invasive plant).



First Prize: Canada thistle
By: Jim Lawrence



Second Prize: Oxeye daisy
By: Marcie Allan

Category 3: Wildlife in Weeds (any type of wildlife within or near an invasive plant infestation).



First Prize: Butterfly on bull thistle
By: Tiffany Ware



Second Prize: Bees on Canada thistle.
By: Tim Kendrick



Honorable Mention: Bear in spotted knapweed and Canada thistle
(Invasive plant species not visible enough in photo)

By: Jim Lawrence

Category 4: Under 12 (any photo that features invasive plants and that is taken by a youth 12 and under).

Unfortunately, there were no entries in this category

Special Thanks:



We would like to thank Derek Bruce and Michael Mayrhofer from Vogue Photographic Ltd. who judged this contest for us. Photos will be on display at Vogue Photographic Ltd. in Nelson (565 Baker Street) later in November.



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