

2012 Chesapeake Challenge Competition Winners

FLOATERS

Best in Show

Keith Hendrickson, Locust, NC
Cormorant

Second in Show

Tom Matus, Boise, ID
Longtail Duck Hen

Third in Show

Matt DeFore, Macon, GA
Gadwall Drake

MARSH DUCKS

Best in Category

1st - Matt DeFore, Macon, GA
Gadwall Drake

2nd - Andy Pope, Efland, NC
Pintail Hen

3rd - Garrett Enders, Mifflinburg,
PA
Black Duck

Black Duck

1st - Garrett Enders
2nd - Andy Pope
3rd - Scott Green
H.M. - Tom Matus
H.M. - Robbie Robertson
H.M. - Mart Simmnsen
H.M. - Andy Pope
H.M. - Russell Owen

Green-winged Teal

1st - Bill Browne
2nd - Kathy Webster
3rd - Charles Hollomon
H.M. - George Williams
H.M. - Jim Brofee
H.M. - Grayson Russell

Wigeon

1st - Steve Hammond
2nd - Alan Humes
3rd - Mark Schupp
H.M. - Tom Matus
H.M. - Steve Hammond

Blue-winged Teal

1st - Bob Wilson
2nd - Matt DeFore
3rd - Philip Bailey
H.M. - Harry Jackson
H.M. - Daniel Baltezegar
H.M. - Steve Wilson
H.M. - Kenny Glasgow
H.M. - George Williams

Mallard

1st - Luke Costilow
2nd - Luke Costilow
3rd - Dan Weaver
H.M. - William Gittes
H.M. - David Gier
H.M. - Shawn Heggen
H.M. - Ben Kutchev

Wood Duck

1st - Stewart Barnette
2nd - Jason Russell
3rd - Andrew Bellamy
H.M. - Joe Stephenson
H.M. - Tom Modin
H.M. - George Williams

Cinnamon Teal

1st - Andy Pope
2nd - Natalie Turner
3rd - Jack Leveing
H.M. - George Williams

Pintail

1st - Andy Pope
2nd - Bill Pinches
3rd - Patrick Bearden
H.M. - Richard Belote
H.M. - Josh Courtney
H.M. - George Williams

Miscellaneous

1st - George Williams
2nd - George Williams

Gadwall

1st - Matt DeFore

Shoveler

1st - Andy Pope
2nd - Andy Pope
3rd - George Williams
H.M. - Scott Green
H.M. - Russell Owen
H.M. - Kevin Remmassi

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DIVING DUCKS

Best in Category

1st - Tom Matus, Boise, ID
Longtail Duck Hen

2nd - Matt DeFore, Macon, GA
Hooded Merganser Hen

3rd - William Belote, Lewes, DE
Red-breasted Merganser Hen

Bufflehead

1st - Jeremy Vest
2nd - Scott Green
3rd - Stewart Barnette
H.M. - Luke Costilow
H.M. - Jason Russell
H.M. - Scott Green
H.M. - Matt DeFore
H.M. - Daniel Baltezegar
H.M. - Kevin Asbury

Goldeneye (Common)

1st - Tom Matus
2nd - Russell Owen
3rd - Russell Owen
H.M. - George Williams
H.M. - Dax Hinton
H.M. - Sam Spitzer
H.M. - George Williams

Ring-necked Duck

1st - Charles Hollomon
2nd - Matt DeFore
3rd - R.J. Rhodes
H.M. - Greg Sorrell

Canvasback

1st - Steve Hammond
2nd - Brian Bock
3rd - Paul Bartlett
H.M. - Steve Hammond
H.M. - Bob Kellar
H.M. - Scott Green
H.M. - Matt DeFore

Hooded Merganser

1st - Matt DeFore
2nd - Tom Matus
3rd - Tom Matus
H.M. - Theresa Ford
H.M. - Scott Green

Ruddy Duck

1st - William Belote
2nd - William Belote
3rd - Tom Shinn
H.M. - Andy Pope

Common Merganser

1st - Brian Ballard
2nd - Brian Ballard
3rd - Lance Hebdon
H.M. - David Ayer

Longtail Duck

1st - Tom Matus
2nd - Tom Matus
3rd - Nick Ossman
H.M. - Greg Sorrell
H.M. - Jack Berkut
H.M. - Heck Rice

Scaup

1st - Barbara McDonald
2nd - Bill Pinches
3rd - Jim Brown
H.M. - Bruce Walder
H.M. - Cindy Adkins
H.M. - Matt DeFore

Eider

1st - Scott Green
2nd - Charlie O'Neal
3rd - Scott Green
H.M. - Dan Hundley
H.M. - Karen Hattman

Red-breasted Merganser

1st - William Belote
2nd - George Williams
3rd - William Belote
H.M. - Heck Rice

Scoter

1st - Danny Lewis
2nd - David Gier
3rd - Tom Matus
H.M. - Scott Green

Goldeneye (Barrow's)

1st - Corey Green
2nd - Scott Green
3rd - Michele Green
H.M. - Heck Rice

Redhead

1st - Jason Russell
2nd - Amy Green
3rd - Steve Hammond
H.M. - Ryan Wooster
H.M. - Scott Green
H.M. - Johnny Smith

Miscellaneous

1st - Luke Costilow

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GEESE & CONFIDENCE

Best in Category

1st - Keith Hendrickson, Locust,
NC
Cormorant

2nd - Guy Bandy, Elkton, MD
Swan

3rd - Heck Rice, Hanover, VA
Grebe

Brant

1st - Paul Domrosky
2nd - George Williams
3rd - Greg Sorrell

Swan

1st - Guy Bandy

Grebe

1st - Heck Rice
2nd - Brian Ballard
3rd - Brian Ballard
H.M. - Wyatt Frank
H.M. - Matt DeFore

Geese (Canada Goose)

1st - Heck Rice
2nd - Bailey Ballard

Coot

1st - Heck Rice
2nd - Russell Owen
3rd - Wesley Humes

Confidence & All Others

1st - Keith Hendrickson
2nd - Mark Daly
3rd - Heck Rice

Geese (Snow)

1st - Bill Bertz

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Garrett Enders, Mifflinburg, PA
Black Duck

Second in Show

Corey Green, Bridgeville, DE
Barrows Goldeneye

Third in Show

Ben Kutchev, Hopkins, MI
Mallard Drake

MARSH DUCKS

Black Duck

1st - Garrett Enders

Cinnamon Teal

1st - Natalie Turner

Mallard

1st - Ben Kutchev

Blue-winged Teal

1st - Daniel Baltezegar

Green-winged Teal

1st - Wesley Humes
2nd - Brendan Turner

DIVING DUCKS

Bufflehead

1st - Jeremy Vest
2nd - Daniel Baltezegar

Hooded Merganser

1st - Andrew Prince
2nd - Grayson Russell

Ring-necked duck

1st - Jacob Cenac
2nd - Bryant Naquin

Goldeneye

1st - Corey Green
2nd - Tyler Frank
3rd - Sam Spitzer
H.M. - Sanwei Hu
H.M. - Travis Freybler
H.M. - Tyler Frank

Red-breasted Merganser

1st - James DelMonte

Ruddy Duck

1st - Daniel Baltezegar

Redhead

1st - Amy Green

Scaup

1st - Sage Collier

GEESE & CONFIDENCE

Geese

1st - Bailey Ballard

Coot

1st - Wesley Humes

Grebe

1st - Wyatt Frank

SHOREBIRDS

Avocet, Oystercatcher, Stilt

1st - James DelMonte

Peep

1st - Ben Drumhell

Turnstones, Dowitcher, Knots

1st - Sarah Myers

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WOODPECKERS

1st - Ross Smoker, Selinsgrove, PA
Alien

2nd - Kathy Webster, Sabattus, ME
Acorn

3rd - Heck Rice, Hanover, VA
Downy

CONTEMPORARY ANTIQUE - SHOREBIRD

1st - Robbie Lewis, Onancock, VA
Whimbrel

2nd - Ray Whetzel, Oxon Hill, MD
Black-bellied Plover

3rd - Mike Amaral, Gilmanton,
NH
Black-bellied Plover

SHOREBIRDS

Best in Category

1st - Mark Belknap, Onancock, VA
Whimbrel

2nd - Jerry Wheatley, Crystal River,
FL
Night Heron

3rd - Mark Belknap, Onancock,
VA
Yellowlegs

Avocet, Oystercatcher, Stilt

1st - Larry Schofield
2nd - Larry Mori
3rd - Anthony Costello
H.M. - Steve Latsna
H.M. - Karl Yankey

Peep

1st - Ben Drumhell
2nd - Nancee' Luciani
3rd - Ryan Wooster

Curlew, Whimbrel, Godwits

1st - Mark Belknap
2nd - Bill Bertz
3rd - Robert Shade
H.M. - Bill Browne

Turnstones, Dowitcher, Knots

1st - Ray Whetzel
2nd - Sarah Myers
3rd - Alan Humes

Plover

1st - Michael Mori
2nd - Richard Belote
3rd - Bruce Giron

Egrets & Heron

1st - Jerry Wheatley
2nd - Mark Daly
3rd - Gene Dougherty

Yellowlegs / Willet

1st - Mark Belknap
2nd - Doug Smay
3rd - Mark Belknap
H.M. - Bill Browne

All Others

1st - Charles Hollonon
2nd - Ron Smay
3rd - Patrick Gregory