Army Aviation Magazine is proud to present the winners of our third annual photography contest. Twenty-four qualified AAAA members, submitting a total of 54 photos, competed with their Army aviation related photographs taken during the 2007 calendar year. We congratulate the winners and thank all of the contestants for their efforts and service. We invite all AAAA members to participate in our 2008 contest. Visit the AAAA website for details and submission requirements.

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1st Place - "Blue Star Night Mission" by SSG Derrick L. Mims

Co. D, 3rd Bn., 158th Avn. Regt., 12th Cbt. Avn. Bde, Germany

Nov. 27, 2007; Balad Airbase, Iraq

A pair of UH-60 crew chi o. A, 3-158th Avn., fireguard their aircraft during an engine run-up in

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2nd Place - "Sunset on Warrior" by CW3 Kyle R. Sylvester

Troop B, 3rd Sqdn., 17th Cav. Regt., 10th Cbt. Avn. Bde., Fort Drum, N.Y.

Sept. 26, 2007; Baghdad, Iraq

As the sun sets on the Ir n horizon, an OH-58D Kiowa Warrior from the 10th Cbt. Avn. Bde. ma

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3rd Place - "Gunslingers in Ramadi" by 1LT Jeff P. Gaines

Co. A, 2nd Bn., 159th Avn. Regt., 12th Cbt. Avn. Bde, Germany

Sept. 14, 2007; Lake Habbaniyah, Iraq
An AH-64D Longbow fro -159th Avn., flies along the shore of Lake Habbaniyah – which meas

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4th Place - "Training Exercise" by SGT Bryanna R. Poulin
HHC, 25th Cbt. Avn. Bde., Wheeler Army Airfield, Hawaii
June 15, 2007; Tikrit, Iraq
Aircrews and aircraft fro 25th Avn. Regt., provide supporting aerial covering fire for ground fo

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Honorable Mention - "Mountain Chinook" by 1LT Michael R. Garcia
HHC, 1st Bn., 159th Avn. Regt., Fort Campbell, Ky. Stationed at Fort Knox, Elizabethtown, Ky.
Aug. 28, 2007; Mount Rainier, Wash.
A CH-47D Chinook from Bn., 159th Avn. Regt. (USAR), rests on a ridgeline high up on Mount

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Honorable Mention - "On Patrol" by CW3 Kyle R. Sylvester
Troop B, 3rd Sqdn., 17th Cav. Regt., 10th Cbt. Avn. Bde., Fort Drum, N.Y.
Sept. 17, 2007; Baghdad, Iraq
An OH-58D Kiowa Warri e 10th Cbt. Avn. Bde. patrols over Baghdad, passing a colorful Mosqu

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Honorable Mention - "Female Crew Chief" by SGT Bryanna R. Poulin
HHC, 25th Cbt. Avn. Bde., Wheeler Army Airfield, Hawaii
May 29, 2007; Tikrit, Iraq
SGT Jenell C Munson, a f with Co. B, 2nd Bn., 25th Avn. Regt., performs a security watch out

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Honorable Mention - "MEDEVAC Evolution" by CW4 Raymond A. Quinones

National Training Center G3 Aviation, Fort Irwin, Calif.
Aug. 11, 2007; Fort Irwin
A new UH-72A Lakota m cuation helicopter, right, joins with a legacy UH-1H Iroquois, left, and

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Honorable Mention - "CH-47F Inbound" by Nick Van Valkenburgh
Cargo Helicopters Project Management Office, Redstone Arsenal, Ala.
June 3, 2007; Huntsville, Ala.
A new CH-47F model Ch copter prepares to land in the Von Braun Center parking lot for the ar

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Honorable Mention - "Burning River" by 1LT Dallas K. Austin
Troop C, 4th Sdqn., 6th Cav. Regt., Fort Lewis, Wash.
Sept. 18, 2007; Tikrit, Iraq
An OH-58D Kiowa Warri am checks out an oil fire set by workers to get rid of the oil flowing in

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Honorable Mention - "Two on the Move" by CPT James C. Geddie
Air Ambulance Detachment, Fort Polk, La.
June 22, 2007; near Kabul, Afghanistan
A UH-60 Black Hawk pilo n echelon left position with a sister ship on a medical evacuation miss

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Honorable Mention - "Mission Time" by CW2 David R. McNish Jr.
Co. A, 1st Bn., 82nd Avn. Regt., 82nd Cbt. Avn. Bde., Fort Bragg, N.C.
Jan. 26, 2007; Contingency Operating Base Speicher, Iraq
A "RedWolf" crew chief salutes a departing AH-6 ow, part of an attack weapons team, as it hea