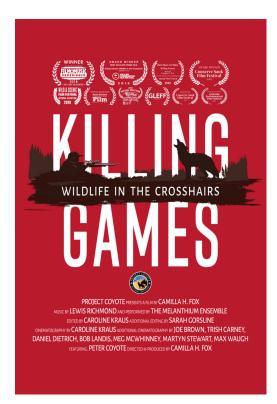
"KILLING GAMES: Wildlife In The Crosshairs" film screening and panel discussion







Pennsylvania has more Wildlife Killing Contests than any other state in the country. As advocates for wildlife, Animal Wellness Action and Humane Action Pittsburgh are inviting you to a free screening of Project Coyote's award-winning documentary "KILLING GAMES: Wildlife In The Crosshairs," a groundbreaking expose of these shadowy contests.

On any given weekend, some of Pennsylvania's most iconic wildlife are massacred in wildlife killing contests. Bloodied bodies are weighed and stacked like cords of wood, and prizes like money and belt buckles are awarded to the participants who kill the largest, the smallest, and the most of a targeted species. Targeted species are most commonly coyotes, but also include bobcats, raccoons, rabbits, squirrels, crows, and of course, pigeons in Pennsylvania.

Fueled by anti-predator bias, these legally sanctioned but relatively unknown contests are cruel and foster ignorance about the critical role apex predators play in maintaining healthy ecosystems. Directed and produced by Project Coyote Founder and Executive Director Camilla H. Fox, "KILLING GAMES" will both educate and inspire you to join in the fight to save Pennsylvania's wild neighbors.

The screening will be followed by a 30-minute discussion with a panel of experts who will share information about wildlife killing contests generally, as well as what specific steps you can take to get involved in the campaign to end them.

Wednesday, May 13, 2020 from 7:00 - 8:00 pm

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The panel discussion will feature the following speakers:



David Parsons
Project Coyote
Science Advisory
Board Member and
Wildlife Biologist



Natalie Ahwesh
PA State Director,
Animal Wellness Action
and Vice President,
Humane Action
Pittsburgh



Camilla H. Fox Founder and Executive Director of Project Coyote and Director and Producer of "KILLING GAMES"

For questions, please contact Natalie Ahwesh at natalie@animalwellnessaction.org

This event is free and open to the public. Just click the ZOOM link above.