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STEELE CREEK PARK WILDLIFE WEEKEND PHOTOGRAPHY CONTEST WINNERS ANNOUNCED

Winners of the 2011 Wildlife Weekend Photography Contest and Show were announced by Friends of Steele Creek Nature Center and Park (FSCNCP) during the recent annual weekend event at the park. The contest was open to amateur photographers submitting pictures taken at Steele Creek Park in Bristol, Tennessee. Over 100 images were submitted by 26 photographers.

Adult Division winners were:

First Place – Deborah Blevins for “*Snowy Day*”
Second Place – Terri Campbell for “*Squirrel’s Eye View*”
Third Place – Crystal Mitchell for “*Spider Web*”.
People’s Choice – Deborah Blevins for “*Snowy Woods*”.

Honorable Mentions in the Adult Division went to Terri Campbell for “*...He Loves Me*”, “*Friends of a Feather*”, “*Steele Creek*” and “*The Frosting*”, and to Crystal Mitchell for “*Dragonfly*”.

Youth Division winners were:

First Place – Max Hale for “*Trees - Silence*”
Second Place – Annie Brumfield for “*Frog*”
Third Place – Ellie Baker for “*Orange Flower*”
People’s Choice – Annie Brumfield for “*Frog*”.

Honorable Mentions in the Youth Division went to Annie Brumfield for “*Leaf*”, “*Mushroom*” and “*Sun Reflecting into the Water*”.

Judges for the contest were Earl Neikirk, staff photographer for the Bristol Herald Courier and Chris Stewart, director of the digital media program at King College.

FSCNCP is a nonprofit, volunteer organization whose primary purposes are to assist the Nature Center staff in educational, recreational, and research activities, to assist with the development

and maintenance of park trails, gardens and facilities, and to preserve and protect the natural areas of Steele Creek Park.

Copies of all of the winning photos will be posted on the Friends website at www.friendsofstelecreek.org.

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