Steele Creek Park Wildlife Weekend Photography Contest announced

Time is running out for those wanting to enter photos in this year’s Steele Creek Park Amateur Photography Contest and Show. The event, sponsored by Friends of Steele Creek Nature Center and Park, is being held in conjunction with the annual Wildlife Weekend celebration at the Park. Amateur photographers of all ages, including children and teens, are encouraged to participate. Eligible photographs must be taken at Steele Creek Park in Bristol, Tennessee and be focused on the natural aspects of the park. Prizes will be awarded, based on the general interest, creativity, and technical merits of the photographs. Professional and/or experienced amateur photographers from the Bristol area will serve on the panel of judges. All entries will be displayed at the Wildlife Weekend celebration, scheduled for October 10 and 11 at Steele Creek Park. This annual event features a variety of speakers, interpretive walks, and other activities relating to the natural history of the park and the region.

The deadline for submitting photographs is 4:00 pm Friday, September 26, 2014. Rules and application forms are available at the Steele Creek Park Nature Center, the Bristol Tennessee Department of Parks and Recreation at the Slater Center on McDowell St., and Mountain Sports Ltd. on Commonwealth Avenue. Application forms may also be downloaded from the Friends website at http://www.friendsofsteelecreek.org, or may be requested by e-mail from mail@friendsofsteelecreek.org.

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