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Coletto Creek Park Annual Photo Contest Deadline Approaching

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The Guadalupe-Blanco River Authority Coletto Creek Park staff in partnership with the Victoria Photo Club have announced plans for the Annual Coletto Creek Photo Contest. The deadline for submissions is noon, May 14, 2011. Photos will be judged on May 17-18, and the winning entries will be on display at the Coletto Creek Park's Headquarters over the Memorial Day Weekend.

"This is a wonderful opportunity for photographers to send us pictures they have taken or will take of the Coletto Creek Park and Reservoir," said GBRA Chief Ranger Wilfred Korth. "Winning entries may be used in GBRA-Coletto Creek brochures, news releases, or displays in the park, and at travel and boat shows." Korth also stated that, "members of the Victoria Photo Club have been hard at work this year creating two viewing/photography stations along the park's nature trail to provide quality locations for capturing great bird and wildlife shots."

Winners will be selected in the Adult Division for the following categories; animals/fauna, landscapes/wildflowers, reptiles/amphibians, birds/insects, and people/recreation activities, as well as "Best of Show." Plus this year, a new adult category called "Creative" will include images that have been obviously manipulated to present "altered" or "artistic reality". For student entries, there will be a separate General Student Category. The Best of Show and 1st place winners in each category will each receive a cash prize.

All entries for the contest should be mailed or dropped off at the Coletto Creek Park Office, 365 Coletto Park Road, Victoria, Texas, 77905. With the popularity of digital cameras, all submitted photos this year must be in a digital format. For specific contest rules and regulations go to: www.victoriaphotographyclub.com/other-contests.asp.

By submitting photos to this contest all participants agree to allow GBRA Coletto Creek Park to use and publish the entered photos without further compensation to the photographer. For additional information on this contest, please call the park office at 361/575-6366.