First Annual

'Nature in the Park' Call for Entries

Friends of the Garden and the Southwest Missouri Camera Club and GREENE Magazine invite area photographers to enter the First Annual Nature in the Park Photography Competition.

Prizes valued at more than $500 will be awarded courtesy of Black River Imaging and Lawrence Photo & Video, prizes to be awarded in both Adult and Youth categories. Entries are limited to one per person in each category.

Prizes to be awarded

- **Four first prize winners will each receive a $100 gift certificate to Black River Imaging.**
- **Four second prize winners will each receive a $50 gift certificate to Lawrence Photo & Video.**
- **Four third prize winners will each receive a year membership to The Southwest Missouri Camera Club.**
- **Two adult first prize winners will receive a one-year membership in Friends of the Garden.**

Images may show natural habitat, plant life, natural landscapes, wildlife or people interacting with nature during events and festivals, so long as they are in Nathanael Greene/Close Memorial Garden and Park. Photos are not restricted to a specific time of year. If you include clearly identified people in your submission, you are responsible for obtaining the necessary publication releases from the individuals depicted, and must be able to provide copies of those releases to The Southwest Missouri Camera Club upon request. *All images must be 8x10 inches, matted for display*. Lawrence Photo & Video will provide a 20 percent discount for printing limited to one entry in each category. Each entry will become the property of Friends of the Garden, which will retain all publication rights. Entries will be received from March through June 30, 2011. All entries will be displayed at the Botanical Center with the winners to be announced during the Butterfly Festival.

You must include this information:

NAME_____Age_____

ADDRESS_____

CITY_____ZIP CODE_____

STATE_____PHONE_____

E-MAIL_____

Please indicate category you wish to enter:

Adult:
Color ❑
Black & White ❑

Youth (12 & under):
Color ❑
Black & White ❑

Please mail or deliver your entry to:
'Nature in the Park Photo Competition'
Springfield/Greene County Botanical Center
2400 South Scenic Avenue, Springfield, Mo. 65807