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PRESS RELEASE

Eastern National Announces the 2015 Passport To Your National Parks® Photo Contest

FORT WASHINGTON, PA, July 31, 2014: Eastern National is pleased to announce the 2015 Passport To Your National Parks® Photo Contest. The contest is open to active National Park Service employees and Volunteers-In-Parks (VIPs). Ten winning national park photos will be featured on the 2015 Passport To Your National Parks® annual stamp series—nine by Passport geographic regions and one National Stamp.

The photographer of each winning photo will receive \$500, or if the photo was taken on government time, \$500 will be donated to the interpretive program of the photographer's park. Park employees and VIPs are encouraged to submit photos taken during special events or anniversaries, and a brief description of the photo should accompany each submission. Images will be judged on quality, interpretive merit, and appropriateness of the subject matter.

Parks that have been previously featured on the annual Passport stamps are not eligible. Submissions must be received by September 15, 2014, and must be reproduction quality color originals in the form of a 35mm slide, color print, 4" x 5" transparency or 300dpi .TIFF or JPEG file. Inkjet prints and low resolution photos will not be accepted. Submissions will be returned to the photographer. The winners of the 2015 Passport To Your National Parks® Photo Contest will be announced in November 2014.

Eastern National reserves the right to select photos from other sources, should there be a lack of appropriate submissions. By submitting photos for this contest, photographers release the rights of their photos to Eastern National for promotional purposes. Submissions should be mailed to: Eastern National, ATTN: Passport Photo Contest, 470 Maryland Drive, Suite 1, Fort Washington, PA 19034.

Launched by Eastern National in 1986, the Passport To Your National Parks® program promotes appreciation of and visitation to America's national parks. The program consists of a handy pocket-sized book which highlights each park in the system, and provides information for visitors. Free dated 'cancellations' are available at each park, providing a means for visitors to commemorate their visits. Visitors can purchase annual stamp sets, which feature photos compiled through this contest for placement in their Passport books.

Eastern National is a 501(C)(3) not for profit association that promotes the public's understanding and support of America's national parks and other public trusts by providing quality experiences, educational products and services to the visitors of America's national parks. For more information about Eastern National, its products or services, visit our website at www.EasternNational.org.

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Passport To Your National Parks®

2015 Photo Contest

Your photo may be featured in the 2015 Passport To Your National Parks® Commemorative Stamp Set!

- Only National Park Service employees and Volunteers In Parks (VIPs) are eligible for the contest.
 - All submissions must be clearly labeled, stating:
 - park name and image location
 - photographer's name
 - photographer's status as an NPS employee or VIP
 - current park assignment
 - photographer's mailing address (no post office boxes please), telephone number and email address
- Image submissions of national parks with special events or anniversary celebrations during 2015 are encouraged. A brief statement about the event should be enclosed with the photograph.
- National parks previously featured on Passport stamps will NOT be accepted. See the accompanying lists of previous winners. Please submit only photos of parks not previously featured.
- Submissions must be received by Eastern National in Fort Washington, PA, by September 15, 2014.
- All submissions must be reproduction-quality color originals, as 35mm slides, color prints, 4" x 5" transparencies, or 300 dpi tiff files on CD.

- Eastern National will review all submissions and make final selections. Images will be judged on quality, interpretive merit, and appropriateness of subject matter. Lacking a suitable entry, Eastern National reserves the right to select a photograph from other sources.
- By submitting their work for review, photographers agree that if their photograph is chosen, Eastern National may use the winning photograph for the Passport stamp and promotional purposes. Eastern National will not be responsible for any lost or damaged photos, slides, or transparencies. All submissions will be returned to the photographer.
- Contest winners will be announced in **November**, **2014**. Eastern National will pay the photographer \$500 for the winning photograph in each category. If the winning image is a National Park Service slide or transparency, or was taken on government time, Eastern National will donate \$500 to the photographer's park to support that park's interpretive program.
- Please send submissions to:

Eastern National Passport Photography Contest 470 Maryland Drive, Suite 1 Fort Washington, PA 19034

Call (215) 283-6900 x158 with questions. Good luck!





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Passport To Your National Parks® Stamp Set Featured Parks by Alphabet

Abraham Lincoln Birthplace NHP: 2009 National

Acadia NP: 1987 North Atlantic Adams NHP: 2011 North Atlantic Agate Fossil Beds NM: 1995 Midwest Allegheny Portage Railroad NHS: 1994 Mid-Atlantic

Amistad NRA: 2007 Southwest Andersonville NHS: 1995 Southeast Andrew Johnson NHS: 2008 Southeast Aniakchak NM & PRES: 2002 Pac NW & Alaska

Antietam NB: 2005 Mid-Atlantic Apostle Islands NL: 1989 Midwest Appomattox Court House NHP: 1990 Mid-Atlantic

Arches NP: 1989 Rocky Mountain Arkansas Post N MEM: 1993 Southwest

Assateague Island NS: 1989 Mid-Atlantic

Aztec Ruins NM: 2005 Southwest

Badlands NP: 1999 Rocky Mountain Bandelier NM: 1991 Southwest Bent's Old Fort NHS: 2005 Rocky Mountain

Bering Land Bridge N PRES: 2014 Pac NW & Alaska

Big Bend NP: 1986 Southwest Big Hole NB: 1992 Rocky Mountain Big South Fork NRRA: 2004 Southeast Big Thicket N PRES: 2014 Southwest Bighorn Canyon NRA: 2014 Rocky Mountain

Black Canyon of the Gunnison NP: 2012 Rocky Mountain

Blue Ridge PKWY: 1986 Southeast Booker T. Washington NM: 2006 Mid-Atlantic

Boston African American NHS: 2005 North Atlantic

Boston NHP: 1993 North Atlantic Bryce Canyon NP: 1988 Rocky Mountain

Buffalo NR: 2002 Southwest

Cabrillo NM: 1992 Western Canaveral NS: 2000 Southeast Cane River Creole NHP: 2008

Southwest

Canyon de Chelly NM: 1988 National

Canyonlands NP: 2001 Rocky Mountain Cape Cod NS: 1986 North Atlantic Cape Hatteras NS: 1988 National Capitol Reef NP: 2010 Rocky Mountain Carl Sandburg Home NHS: 1994 Southeast

Carlsbad Caverns NP: 1995 Southwest Castillo de San Marcos NM: 1992 Southeast

Catoctin Mountain Park: 2007 Mid-Atlantic

Cedar Breaks NM: 2007 Rocky Mountain

César E. Chávez NM: 2014 Western Chaco Culture NHP: 2000 Southwest Channel Islands NP: 2000 Western Chesapeake and Ohio Canal NHP: 2008 Mid-Atlantic

Chickamauga & Chattanooga NMP: 1990 Southeast

Chiricahua NM: 2004 Western City of Rocks N RES: 2003 Pac NW & Alaska

Clara Barton NHS: 2012 Mid-Atlantic Colonial NHP: 1986 Mid-Atlantic Colorado NM: 2004 Rocky Mountain Congaree NP: 2009 Southeast Constitution Gardens: 1987 National

Coronado N MEM: 2002 Western Crater Lake NP: 1989 Pac NW & Alaska

Craters of the Moon NM: 1990 Pac NW & Alaska

Cumberland Gap NHP: 2005 Southeast Cumberland Island NS: 1999 Southeast Curecanti NRA: 2000 Rocky Mountain Cuyahoga Valley NP: 2000 Midwest

Dayton Aviation Heritage NHP: 2014 Midwest

Death Valley NP: 1990 Western Delaware Water Gap NRA: 1995 Mid-Atlantic

Denali NP & PRES: 1987 Pac NW & Alaska

De Soto N MEM: 2013 Southeast Devils Postpile NM: 2011 Western Devils Tower NM: 1987 Rocky

Mountain

Capital

Dinosaur NM: 2010 National District of Columbia War Memorial:

2009 National Capital

Dry Tortugas NP: 1997 Southeast

Ebey's Landing NH RES: 2007 Pac NW & Alaska

Edison NHS: 1992 Mid-Atlantic Effigy Mounds NM: 1996 Midwest Ellis Island: 1990 North Atlantic El Malpais NM: 2012 Southwest El Morro NM: 1996 Southwest Everglades NP: 1997 National

Federal Hall N MEM: 1989 North Atlantic

Fire Island NS: 1999 North Atlantic Florissant Fossil Beds NM: 1994 Rocky Mountain

Ford's Theatre NHS: 1993 National Capital

Fort Bowie NHS: 2012 Western Fort Clatsop N MEM: 1992 Pac NW & Alaska

Fort Davis NHS: 2011 Southwest Fort Donelson NB: 2003 Southeast Fort Frederica NM: 2011 Southeast Fort Laramie NHS: 2009 Rocky Mountain

Fort Larned NHS: 2004 Midwest Fort Matanzas NM: 2010 Southeast Fort McHenry NM & HS: 2014 National

Fort Necessity NB: 2004 Mid-Atlantic Fort Point NHS: 1995 Western Fort Pulaski NM: 2007 Southeast Fort Scott NHS: 1992 Midwest Fort Smith NHS: 2001 Southwest Fort Stanwix NM: 2010 North Atlantic Fort Sumter NM: 1998 Southeast; 2011

Fort Union NM: 2004 Southwest Fort Union Trading Post NHS: 1991 Rocky Mountain

Fort Vancouver NHS: 1999 Pac NW & Alaska

Fort Washington Park: 1999 National Capital

Franklin Delano Roosevelt MEM: 1998 National Capital

Frederick Douglass NHS: 1992

National Capital

National

Frederick Law Olmsted NHS: 2004 North Atlantic Fredericksburg and Spotsylvania NMP: 2002 Mid-Atlantic

Gates of the Arctic NP & PRES: 2006 Pac NW & Alaska

Gateway NRA: 2009 North Atlantic General Grant N MEM: 1997 North Atlantic

George Gordon Meade MEM: 2013 National Capital National Capital

George Mason MEM: 2007 National Capital

George Washington Birthplace NM: 2010 Mid-Atlantic

George Washington Memorial Parkway—Great Falls Park: 2005 National

Gettysburg NMP: 1988 Mid-Atlantic Gila Cliff Dwellings NM: 2003 Southwest

Glacier Bay NP & PRES: 2000 Pac NW & Alaska

Glacier NP: 1988/95 National Glen Canyon NRA: 2002 National Golden Spike NHS: 1994 National Grand Canyon NP: 1988 Western Grand Portage NM: 2002 Midwest Grand Teton NP: 1993 National Grant-Kohrs Ranch NHS: 2006 Rocky Mountain

Great Basin NP: 1989 Western Great Sand Dunes NP & PRES: 2002 Rocky Mountain

Great Smoky Mountains NP: 1989 Southeast

Guadalupe Mountains NP: 1997 Southwest

Gulf Islands NS: 1996 Southeast

Haleakala NP: 2009 Western Hamilton Grange N MEM: 2012 North Atlantic

Harpers Ferry NHP: 1999 Mid-Atlantic Harry S Truman NHS: 1994 Midwest Hawaii Volcanoes NP: 1987 Western Herbert Hoover NHS: 1999 Midwest Homestead NM of America: 2007 Midwest

Hopewell Culture NHP: 1998 Midwest Hopewell Furnace NHS: 1987 Mid-Atlantic

Horseshoe Bend NMP: 2014 Southeast Hot Springs NP: 1989 Southwest Hovenweep NM: 1993 Rocky Mountain

Independence NHP: 1987 National Indiana Dunes NL: 1991 Midwest Isle Royale NP: 2001 Midwest

Jean Lafitte NHP & PRES: 1999 Southwest

Jefferson MEM: 1989 National Capital Jefferson National Expansion Memorial: 1986 Midwest

Jewel Cave NM: 2008 Rocky Mountain John D. Rockefeller, Jr. MEM PKWY: 2013 Rocky Mountain

John Day Fossil Beds NM: 1996 Pac NW & Alaska

John Ericsson MEM: 2012 National Capital

Johnstown Flood N MEM: 2014 Mid-Atlantic

Joshua Tree NP: 1999 Western

Kalaupapa NHP: 2007 National Katmai NP & PRES: 1997 Pac NW & Alaska

Kenai Fjords NP: 1994 Pac NW & Alaska

Kenilworth Park and Aquatic Gardens: 2001 National Capital

Kings Canyon NP: 2010 Western Klondike Gold Rush NHP: 1991 Pac NW & Alaska

Korean War Veterans MEM: 1997 National Capital

Lake Chelan NRA: 2008 Pac NW & Alaska

Lake Clark NP & PRES: 2013 Pac NW & Alaska

Lake Roosevelt NRA: 2004 Pac NW & Alaska

Lassen Volcanic NP: 2005 Western Lewis and Clark NHP: 2010 Pac NW & Alaska

Liberty Bell: 2001 National Lincoln Boyhood N MEM: 2009 Midwest

Lincoln Home NHS: 1987 Midwest Lincoln Memorial: 1988 National; 1995 National Capital

Little Bighorn Battlefield NM: 1996 Rocky Mountain

Little Rock Central High School NHS: 2013 Southwest

Longfellow House-Washington's Headquarters NHS: 2013 North Atlantic

Lowell NHP: 1991 North Atlantic Lyndon B. Johnson NHP: 1994 Southwest

Lyndon Baines Johnson Memorial Grove on the Potomac: 2014 National Capital

Manmoth Cave NP: 1991 Southeast Manassas NBP: 2000 Mid-Atlantic Manzanar NHS: 2003 Western Marsh-Billings-Rockefeller NHP: 2014 North Atlantic

Martin Luther King, Jr. MEM: 2013 National

Martin Van Buren NHS: 1994 North Atlantic

Mary McLeod Bethune Council House NHS: 2003 National Capital Meridian Hill Park: 2008 National Capital

Mesa Verde NP: 1996 National Minute Man NHP: 2000 National Mojave N PRES: 2007 Western Montezuma Castle NM: 2001 Western Moores Creek NB: 2001 Southeast Morristown NHP: 2003 Mid-Atlantic Mount Rainier NP: 1986 Pac NW & Alaska

Mount Rainier NP: 1999 National Mount Rushmore N MEM: 1986 Rocky Mountain

Muir Woods NM: 1991 National

Natchez NHP: 2012 Southeast Natchez Trace PKWY: 1988 Southeast National Mall: 2000 National Capital National Park of American Samoa: 1996 Western

Natural Bridges NM: 1998 Rocky Mountain

Navajo NM: 2004 National New Bedford Whaling NHP: 2006 North Atlantic

New River Gorge NR: 1997 Mid-Atlantic

Niobrara NSR: 2011 Midwest Noatak N PRES: 2012 Pac NW & Alaska

North Cascades NP: 1993 Pac NW & Alaska

Obed WSR: 2006 Southeast Olympic NP: 1988 Pac NW & Alaska Oregon Caves NM: 2009 Pac NW & Alaska

Organ Pipe Cactus NM: 1994 Western Oxon Cove Park: 1996 National Capital Ozark NSR: 2008 Midwest

Padre Island NS: 2009 Southwest Paterson Great Falls NHP: 2013 Mid-Atlantic

Pea Ridge NMP: 2006 Southwest Pecos NHP: 1990 Southwest Pennsylvania Avenue NHS: 2004 National Capital

Perry's Victory and International Peace MEM: 2010 Midwest

Petersburg NB: 2001 Mid-Atlantic Petrified Forest NP: 2006 National Petroglyph NM: 1998 Southwest Pictured Rocks NL: 1988 Midwest Pinnacles NM: 2008 National Pipestone NM: 2012 Midwest Piscataway Park: 2010 National Capital

Point Reyes NS: 1998 Western Prince William Forest Park: 2011 Mid-

Atlantic

Pu'uhonua o Honaunau NHP: 1997

Western

Rainbow Bridge NM: 1995 Rocky

Mountain

Redwood NP: 1993 Western Richmond NBP: 2009 Mid-Atlantic River Raisin NBP: 2013 Midwest Rock Creek Park: 1990 National Capital

Capital

Rocky Mountain NP: 1990 Rocky

Mountain

Roger Williams N MEM: 1992 North

Atlantic

Ross Lake NRA: 2011 Pac NW &

Alaska

Sagamore Hill NHS: 1998 North

Atlantic

Saguaro NP: 2003 National Saint Croix NSR: 1993 Midwest Saint-Gaudens NHS: 1995 North Atlantic

Salem Maritime NHS: 1988 North

Atlantic

Salinas Pueblo Missions NM: 1992

Southwest

San Antonio Missions NHP: 1988 Southwest

San Juan Island NHP: 2001 Pac NW & Alaska

San Juan NHS: 1992 National Saratoga NHP: 2002 North Atlantic Saugus Iron Works NHS: 1996 North Atlantic

Scotts Bluff NM: 1997 Midwest Sequoia NP: 1990 National

Shenandoah NP: 1996 Mid-Atlantic

Shiloh NMP: 2012 National

Sitka NHP: 1998 Pac NW & Alaska Sleeping Bear Dunes NL: 1990 Midwest Springfield Armory NHS: 2007 North Atlantic

Statue of Liberty NM: 1986 National Stones River NB: 2002 Southeast

Sunset Crater Volcano NM: 2013

Western

Tallgrass Prairie N PRES: 2006

Midwest

Theodore Roosevelt Birthplace NHS:

2008 North Atlantic

Theodore Roosevelt Inaugural NHS:

2001 North Atlantic

Theodore Roosevelt Island: 2002

National Capital

Theodore Roosevelt NP: 2011 Rocky

Mountain

Tonto NM: 2006 Western Tumacácori NHP: 2008 Western

Ulysses S. Grant MEM: 2011 National

Capital

Upper Delaware SRR: 1998 Mid-

Atlantic

USS Arizona Memorial: 1991 Western

Valley Forge NHP: 1991 Mid-Atlantic Vanderbilt Mansion NHS: 2003 North

Atlantic

Vicksburg NMP: 1987 Southeast Vietnam Veterans Memorial: 1986/94

National Capital

Voyageurs NP: 2003 Midwest

Washington Monument: 1991 National

Capital

Washita Battlefield NHS: 2010

Southwest

Weir Farm NHS: 2000 North Atlantic West Potomac Park—National Mall:

2006 National Capital

White House: 1988 National Capital White Sands NM: 1987 Southwest Whitman Mission NHS: 2005 Pac NW

& Alaska

Wilson's Creek NB: 2005 Midwest Wind Cave NP: 2003 Rocky Mountain Women's Rights NHP: 1998 National World War II Memorial: 2005 National Capital

Wrangell-St. Elias NP & PRES: 1995

Pac NW & Alaska

Wright Brothers N MEM: 1993

Southeast

Yellowstone NP: 1988/89 National

Yosemite NP: 1986 Western

Zion NP: 1997 Rocky Mountain