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Passport To Your National Parks® 2016 Photo Contest Winners Announced

FORT WASHINGTON, PA — Eastern National is pleased to announce the winners of the annual Passport To Your National Parks® photo contest. The contest is open to National Park Service employees and Volunteers-In-Parks (VIPs), and 10 images are selected for the collectible Passport To Your National Parks® commemorative annual stamp set. The winners are:

National Stamp
NPS Centennial
NPS photo

North Atlantic Region
Acadia National Park
NPS photo by Kristi Rugg

Mid-Atlantic Region
Wolf Trap National Park for the Performing Arts
NPS photo

<u>National Capital Region</u> **John Paul Jones Memorial** Photo by John Donoghue

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Southeast Region

Abraham Lincoln Birthplace National Historical Park

Photo by Stacy Humphreys

Midwest Region

George Rogers Clark National Historical Park

Photo by Jason Collins

Southwest Region

Capulin Volcano National Monument

Photo by Gavin Gardner

Rocky Mountain Region

Fort Union Trading Post National Historic Site

NPS photo by Emily Sunblade

Western Region

Hawai'i Volcanoes National Park

Photo by Janice Wei

Pacific Northwest and Alaska Region

San Juan Island National Historical Park

Photo by Gary Tarleton

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