

DALE WESTCOTT MEMORIAL NATURE AWARD

Each year the Photography Club of Beaufort awards prizes for the best nature photograph submitted by area high school students. This award is given in memory of Dale Westcott, a former member of our club who died in 2005. Dale was a live-long educator, and an avid nature photographer. He would be pleased this award encourages students explore their photographic skills.

The awards are presented each year at the January meeting by Mrs. Barbara Westcott, widow of Dale Westcott. \$100 for 1st Place, donated by Mrs. Westcott; \$50 for 2nd Place and \$50 for 3rd Place, contributed by PCoB. Ribbons for Honorable Mention.

2008 winners:

1st Place: “*Lost in a Fog*” by William Blake Cortez (Battery Creek High School - Grade 12)

2nd Place: “*Wading in the Water*” by Bridget Tilton – Bluffton High School

3rd Place: “*Messed Up*” by Zach Rentz – Beaufort Academy

Honorable Mention: “*Between the Trees*” by Aaron Craig – Bluffton High School

Honorable Mention: “*Untitled*” by Rebekah Schools – Battery Creek High School