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PRESS RELEASE

2016 Christmas Card Contest Winners Announced

Mobile, Alabama, December 23, 2016 – Battleship Memorial Park held an art contest for all elementary school students in Mobile and Baldwin counties to find the winning design for the cover of the Park's official 2016 Christmas card. Over 100 pieces of artwork were submitted by our talented students for judging.

The winners, selected by a panel of judges, are: 1st Place, Arial Corbin, Loxley Elementary School; 2nd Place, Skylar Alvarez, St. Pius X School; and 3rd Place, Emma Macquire, Knollwood Christian School. The winners received cash prizes and free admission to Battleship Memorial Park. The 1st Place winner's design is featured on the Park's official 2016 Christmas card.

All students who entered this year's contest received a free admission pass to the Battleship Memorial Park.

"We were very happy with the outpouring of artwork submitted by elementary school artists for our official Battleship Memorial Park Christmas Card," stated Janet Cobb, executive director. "The 75th Anniversary of the WWII submarine USS DRUM's commissioning was the theme. We've decided to put all the artwork on display here in our Aircraft Pavilion for the remainder of the holiday season for visitors to enjoy."

The Christmas Card Contest entries will be on display in the Medal of Honor Aircraft Pavilion through January 16 for viewing.

Battleship Memorial Park will be open daily from 8 a.m. until 5 p.m. We will be closed half day on December 24 and all day on December 25 in honor of the Christmas holidays. We will reopen December 26. For more information visit www.ussalabama.com.