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## **CRAWDAD DAYS COLORING CONTEST WINNERS**

*Harrison, Ark., May 2007* – First Federal Bank was pleased to sponsor the Crawdad Days Coloring Contest. Entries were distributed to all local elementary schools, and accepted in three categories: Kindergarten; Grade 1-2; and Grade 3-4. The bank received over 1,000 entries. The coloring sheets were judged by Phil Milan, local artist and art teacher at Harrison High School, and his honor students.

The winning entries in each category were displayed at Crawdad Days on Saturday, May 19, and the winners were announced on the Chester's Children's Stage at 2pm and presented with their prizes.

In the Kindergarten Category, Cas Yocham, who attends Lead Hill, won first prize; Donovin Carter, who attends Skyline Heights, won second prize; and Hanna Mathison, who attends Bergman, won third prize.

In the Grade 1-2 Category, first grader Bobbie Ellis, who attends Skyline Heights, won first prize; second grader Allyson Patton, who attends Lead Hill, won second prize; and second grader Tianna Brantley, who attends Woodland Heights, won third prize.

In the Grade 3-4 Category, third grader Tori Chu, who attends Skyline Heights, won first prize; fourth grader Kaylee Methvin, who attends Bergman, won second prize; and fourth grader Katie Lavey, who attends Woodland Heights, won third prize.

Each category was awarded the following prizes:

- **First Prize** - \$25 to deposit in a new or existing Chester's Investor Account and a Chester string back-pack filled with Chester goodies
- **Second Prize** - \$15 to deposit in a new or existing Chester's Investor Account and a Chester lunch bag filled with Chester goodies
- **Third Prize** - \$10 to deposit in a new or existing Chester's Investor Account and a Chester coin purse filled with Chester goodies

### **About Chester's Investor Club**

Chester's Investor Club is a First Federal savings account for children ages 12 and younger that teaches them about saving money. The account earns interest with a balance of \$100 or higher. For every \$10 deposited, the child earns one "Acorn", which can be traded for a Chester prize. Children with Chester accounts are invited to member's only Chester parties and receive birthday cards and periodic newsletters.

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**About First Federal Bank**

First Federal is a community bank serving consumers and businesses in Northcentral and Northwest Arkansas with a full range of checking, savings, investment, and loan products and services. The Bank, founded in 1934, has \$834.8 million in assets and conducts business from 18 full-service branch locations, one stand-alone loan production office, and 29 ATMs. First Federal Bank is a wholly owned subsidiary of First Federal Bancshares of Arkansas, Inc., whose stock is traded on the NASDAQ Global Market under the symbol FFBH. For information, visit us on the web at [www.ffbh.com](http://www.ffbh.com) or contact our Account Information Center by phone at 870.365.8329 (toll free 866-AIC-FFBH) or by email at [aic@ffbh.com](mailto:aic@ffbh.com).

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