Identify This
Chick

Test your knowledge! Can you identify the species of this chick? Send your guess to afawatchbird@earthlink.net.

The answer and names of the individuals who responded correctly will appear in the next issue of the *AFA Watchbird*.

Readers are also encouraged to send their own high-resolution photos of rare and unusual chicks for others to identify.

Send your images—with the answer—to afawatchbird@earthlink.net

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BEST OF CATEGORY

Printing & Imaging Association of MidAmerica held its annual Graphics Excellence Awards gala on Thursday, April 25, 2012, to honor excellence in the graphics and printing industries. Printing companies from Kansas, Oklahoma, western Missouri and Texas submitted entries in 64 categories to compete for the coveted award "Best of Category."

Entries were judged not only on the execution of the printing, but also on excellence in the elements of design.

AFA's *Watchbird* was entered by 360 Press Solutions (AFA's printer) in the category "Magazine Series." Competing against magazine series submitted from printing companies in four states, AFA's *Watchbird* won "Best of Category—Magazine Series." This was the second year in a row that *Watchbird* earned top honors.

Jason Tuggle, owner of 360 Press Solutions, said, "Our team was ecstatic to win 16 awards last year. This year is a true accomplishment—[taking] home 27 awards and

[being] recognized for the best printing company of Central Texas. "

ABOUT PIA MidAmerica

Printing & Imaging Association of MidAmerica is a regional trade association serving businesses in Kansas, Oklahoma, Texas and western Missouri. Headquarters are in Dallas and a regional office is based in Kansas City.

PIA MidAmerica and Printing

Industries of America represent the world's largest printing trade association in the world, with approximately 700 member firms regionally and 8,000 nationally.

Membership is more than three times the size of any other association in this industry and incorporates a broad range of firms ranging from the franchise quick printer to the largest publicly held companies.

ABOUT 360 PRESS SOLUTIONS

360 Press Solutions, a graphic communications company in Cedar Park, Texas, was founded in 2009. Combining a professional production staff with decades of experience and a state-of-the-art facility, the company offers prepress, digital printing, offset printing, finishing, mailing, fulfillment and inventory management services.

Go to www.360presssolutions.com for more information or call (512) 381-2360 or toll free (877) 536-8337 to speak with a representative.

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Dr. Leslie Woods (left) and Dr. Asli Mete (below)
A Survey of Avian Diseases at the California Animal Health and Food Safety Laboratory System, Parts 1 & 2

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