

MAFCA Participation Awards

1. Purpose. In keeping with the purpose of MAFCA as defined in the by-laws and the spirit of the Jack Payton Memorial Awards given at National meets (as defined in Part II Section 5, Subsection B of this policy), the MAFCA Participation Awards are to encourage the total family participation at Regional and Divisional Meets.
2. Qualifications for Meet. For a Regional or Divisional Meet to be considered for receipt of MAFCA Participation Awards, all of the following conditions must be met:
 - A) The sponsors of the event must be either:
 - 1) A qualified MAFCA association, chapter or group of chapters hosting a Divisional Meet;
 - 2) A qualified MAFCA association hosting a Regional Meet;
 - 3) A combination of at least 3 MAFCA Chapters who share the organization, implementation and fiscal responsibility of a Regional Meet. (Note: Other non-MAFCA groups are allowed as cosponsors as long as at least three (3) MAFCA Chapters are involved.
 - B) The meet is a minimum of two days of activities.
 - C) The meet is not held during a period of 15 days before to 15 days after a MAFCA National Convention.
 - D) The meet is not held during the period of 30 days before to 30 days after another MAFCA Regional or Divisional Meet that is less than 400 miles away.
 - E) The meet uses the current MAFCA judging standards, procedures and scoring system for Model A Fords. A MAFCA qualified Senior Judge (as a minimum) shall serve as chief judge.
 - F) The meet uses the current MAFCA judging standards, procedures and scoring system for Era Fashions. A MAFCA qualified Senior Fashion Judge (as a minimum) shall serve as chief judge.
 - G) At least four (4) car games (driving contests) are run during the meet. If more than four car games are scheduled for a meet, the host organization will designate and publicize in advance which specific car games will be used for scoring of the Participation Award.
 - H) At least 80 Model A's must be anticipated to attend the meet.
3. Award Authorization. It is the responsibility of the sponsoring group to request authorization by MAFCA to present the Participation Award. This is done by submitting a written request to the Board of Directors via the Chapter Coordinator in advance of the event.. The request should include sufficient details to show qualification as described above. The Board of Directors will act on such a request in a timely manner and in the best interest of MAFCA.
4. Recognition. Upon approval of a request for MAFCA Participation Awards, the following will be made available to the meet host organization.
 - A) At least a one-half page in *The Restorer* (more if editor agrees) for announcement of the meet will be made available. The editor will have final approval what will appear. Costs for items other than typesetting (production of photo, special artwork, color, etc.) will be billed to the

sponsor. This announcement will appear at least four (4) months prior to the meet.

- B) At least a one-half page position in ***The Restorer*** (more if editor agrees) for a report on the meet and the winners of the MAFCA Participation Awards will be made available. The editor will have final approval of what will appear. Special production costs will be billed to the sponsor.
 - C) The award can be provided by the sponsor (with a billing to MAFCA not to exceed \$80.00) or will be provided directly by MAFCA. Engraving shall include the phrase, "Presented by the Model A Ford Club of America" and "Participation Award". An award will be available for every 80 Model A's or 100 registrations with a maximum of four (4) awards per meet.
 - D) Coverage in ***The Restorer*** specified in A) and B) above will be in addition to coverage eligibility specified in other sections of the MAFCA policy manual.
5. Scoring System. Scoring will be based on participation in car judging competition, era fashion judging competition, and car game competition. The family having the highest number of points based on the scoring as described below shall receive the "MAFCA Participation Award". A family will consist of a person and/or spouse and/or children under 18 years of age.
- A) Car judging participation - A maximum of 125 points can be earned for this area. The points are equal to 25% of the score received on the MAFCA car judging sheet. If more than one car is judged from the family, only the car having the highest points will be used in this calculation.
 - B) Era Fashions participation -
 - 1) For those entering the categories of MAFCA Original or Reproduction, the maximum of 125 points can be earned in this area and will be computed as follows:
 - a) A maximum of 100 points can be earned in this fashion sub-area. Points are equal to 66.7% of the score received on the MAFCA Era Fashions judging sheet that total 150 points. (If more than one member of the family participates, only the one having the highest points will be used in this calculation.)
 - b) A maximum of 25 points can be earned in this fashion sub-area. Family members not included in A) above which participate in era fashion competition will earn five (5) points for each participant scoring 50 or more points in the MAFCA Era Fashion judging. Persons receiving less than 50 points will earn no points toward the Participation Award.
 - 2) For those entering the category of Model A Era Image, the maximum of 92 points can be earned in this area and will be computed as follows:
 - a) A maximum of 67 points can be earned in this fashion sub-area. Points are equal to 66.7% of the score received on the MAFCA Era Fashions judging sheet that total 100 points. (If more than one member of the family participates, only the one having the highest points will be used in this calculation.)
 - b) A maximum of 25 points can be earned in this fashion sub-area. Family members not included in A) above which participate in era fashion competition will earn five (5) points for each participant scoring 33 or more points in the MAFCA Era Fashion judging. Persons receiving less than 33 points will earn no points toward the Participation Award.

- C) Car event participation - A maximum of 100 points can be earned for this area and will be computed as follows based on only four (4) car games:
- 1) A maximum of 40 points can be earned in this car games sub-area. Then (10) points will be earned per family for participation in each of the four (4) car games.
 - 2) A maximum of 60 points can be earned in this car games sub-area for winning first place in each of the four (4) car games. Points will be earned for the best performance by a family member in accordance with the scale below.

PERFORMANCE	POINTS
<u>IN CAR GAME</u>	<u>EARNED</u>
First	15
Second	12
Third	9
Fourth	6
Fifth	3

- D) A maximum of 350 points is available. In case of ties, duplicate awards will be presented. Participation award tally sheets shall be copied and sent to the national office for archiving.

POINTS SUMMARY

Maximum

<u>Area</u>	<u>Calculation</u>	<u>Points</u>
Car Judging	25% of 500	125
Era Fashion		
1 st member	66.7% of 150	100
2 nd - 6 th member	5 points each	25
Car Games		
Game- Participation	10 points each game	40
Game- 1 st place	15 points each game	60
Maximum Total points		==
		350

6. Responsibility. The MAFCA Chapter Coordinator shall be responsible for the operation of this program.

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