

President's Literary Award

1. Purpose. The purpose of the President's Literary Award is to honor annually a MAFCA member who has prepared and had published in *The Restorer* an article which could include a tour, short subjects such as Tiny Tips, etc. or a cartoon. This award would exclude regular contributors to the magazine. This award recipient is to be determined only after the Bill Reeder Award recipient has been selected and shall take precedence over all other literary award selections.
2. Requirements. The recipient of this award must be a MAFCA member. Articles or cartoons previously published in *The Restorer* or other publications, other than MAFCA Chapter Newsletters, are not eligible. Articles written by current MAFCA officers and Directors in the normal performance of their duties are not eligible.
3. Selection Criteria. Each article or cartoon under consideration shall be judged on its own merits.
 - A. Presentation. Is the article well written or adequately illustrated?
 - B. Conclusive. Does it achieve its purpose?
 - C. Originality. Is it new subject material?
 - D. Contribution. Is it a significant contribution to the Model A enthusiast?
4. Judging. Articles or cartoons submitted during the prior twelve months ending with the September/October issue shall be considered for the President's Award and shall be judged by the current MAFCA President.
5. Award and Presentation. A suitable plaque award shall be given to the individual whose article or cartoon is judged best for that year.

The President's Literary Award is to be announced and presented by the current MAFCA President, at the National Awards Banquet. The award shall be announced in the January/February issue of *The Restorer* with an appropriate picture of the presentation. The winner shall be notified in time to attend the meeting and receive the Award in person, if they so desire, with all travel and Meet related expenses to be borne by the recipient.
6. Responsibility. The Publications Director shall be responsible for the administration of this policy.

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