



Federation of Historical
Bottle Collectors

Virtual Museum of
Historical Bottles and
Glass

The Federation of Historical Bottle Collectors

Honor Roll Guidelines and Requirements Application Form

FOHBC Honor Roll Award

The Honor Roll award of the Federation of Historical Bottle Collectors is designed to honor individuals, living or deceased, who have made significant contributions to the hobby of collecting bottles.

The Honor Roll recognizes individuals who have significantly contributed to local, regional or national enhancement of bottle collecting above and beyond normal collecting.

Consideration for this honor is to be based only on the contributions to the bottle-collecting hobby. Other attributes such as professional career or positions are not to be considered.

Description of Honor

The Honor Roll was created to honor individuals who have significantly contributed at the local, regional or national level of bottle collecting. The Honor Roll is intended to recognize outstanding achievement(s) above and beyond normal collecting, illustrating the expenditure of time, efforts, and professional expertise that significantly encouraged the growth of the hobby, the education of its members and the organization of its activities.

Honor Roll nominees should meet or exceed the criteria below:

1. Be an individual who is regionally or nationally known by collectors in general for their contributions, and/or achievements in the bottle collecting hobby.
2. Be an avid collector and/or researcher who has amassed a significant collection in a major collecting category. This could be regional or nationally recognized category.
3. Researched and authored regional collecting guides and/or books.
4. Instrumental in organizing, initiating and holding regional bottle shows or events.
5. Having researched, studied and disseminated findings on some aspect of bottle collecting.
6. Provided and gave service and leadership to the bottle-collecting hobby beyond the norm for bottle collecting.

Examples of contributions qualifying for Honor Roll:

Individual A: Prestigious, professional individual and long-time collector who amassed a very significant collection in one of the collecting categories. Gave numerous presentations to bottle clubs. Often held open houses in connection with local show. Supported the Federation of Historical Bottle Collectors as well as the National Bottle Museum. Sale of the collection was a significant event for collectors.

Individual B: Well known collector, researcher, and dealer in bottles and jars, nationally known as an expert in his field of collecting. Published a reference book/price guide for one of the collecting categories that was regularly updated. Published a bottle magazine for a number of years.

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Individual C: Active collector and historian who has studied and written about a regional category of bottles in a number of magazines.

Published reference material on these bottles. Has consulted with many collectors and is known for his vast knowledge in this regional collecting category.

General Requirements

Nominations may be made by any individual FOHBC member, affiliate member or affiliate club:

- Nominations should outline the contributions and accomplishments as they related to the bottle collecting hobby; i.e., contributions made to the hobby in the way of research, published articles or books, initiating activities or events, serving at the local level, or at the national Federation level, and any other contributions made by nominee to the bottle collecting hobby as a whole.
- Nomination should include dates, scope of accomplishments and copies of any published articles or other relevant documents, when possible.
- Nominations should include the nominator, the person who researched the nomination, and the names of at least two additional Federation members recommending the nomination.

No more than two persons may be inducted into the “Honor Roll” per year.

Nomination Process

Two copies of the nomination material for Honor Roll candidates shall be submitted to the Business Manager.

Applications shall be made on an individual basis only, i.e., no couples or groups of people shall be listed on the same nomination form.

The deadline for nomination submissions shall be January 1st of each year.

Guidelines and requirements for the nominations may be obtained by request from the Business Manager.

See application form next page

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APPLICATION FORM

Nomination is for the FOHBC Hall of Fame or Honor Roll (check one)

Date _____

Name of Candidate _____

Address _____

Telephone Number (including area code) _____

E-mail: _____

Recommended by _____

Address _____

Telephone Number (including area code) _____

E-mail: _____

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