



The Federation of Historical Bottle Collectors

Writer's Award Contest

Deadline: June 1, 2013

The Federation's Writer's Award Contest is held annually to promote research, education, and quality newsletter / FOHBC publications. FOHBC members and members of FOHBC affiliated clubs are eligible to enter. Material entered must be original and must be published within the twelve months preceding the submission deadline date. Entry deadline is June 1st this year. Winners will be announced and awards presented at the annual FOHBC National Show. Winners will also receive recognition in *Bottles and Extras*.

Entries may be made in any of the following three categories:

- 1. BEST ORIGINAL RESEARCH / INFORMATION ARTICLE:** This category includes research / information articles in such areas as glass houses, specific products, companies or manufacturers, druggists, saloons, liquor dealers, dairies, distilleries, breweries, and / or the people behind them.
- 2. BEST ORIGINAL TRUE STORY:** This category includes stories about the personal experiences and acquaintances of collectors as they pursue their hobby. Possible topics include a memorable dig, shop and auction experiences, a lucky Find, or an interview with an interesting person.
- 3. BEST ORIGINAL FICTION STORY:** Collectors are no strangers to fantasy. This category will allow those with dreams and visions to share them with fellow dreamers and collectors.

A panel of three or more judges will determine the winning entry in each category.

See application below.

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Please fill out a separate form for each entry.
Multiple entries per category are permissible and encouraged!

Name: _____ **Address:** _____

City: _____

Name of Article: _____

Club: _____ **Where Published:** _____

Type of Entry: () Research/Information () Original True Story () Original Fiction

Please email this application form for each article in PDF along with the article to be judged in PDF as attachments to bottlewizard@comcast.net

Please identify the contest and club in the "Subject" when entering by email.
or

Please mail this application form and five printed copies of the newsletter to be judged to:

**Federation of Historical Bottle Collectors
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Club Editors..... Please publish this form in your newsletter and encourage your members/authors to enter!