



The Federation of Historical Bottle Collectors

2018 FOHBC Writer's Award Contest

Deadline: June 1, 2018

The **FOHBC Writer's Award Contest** is held annually to promote the research, education, and quality articles within Affiliated Member Club Newsletters and FOHBC publications like BOTTLES and EXTRAS. 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.

Entries may be made in any of the following three (3) 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, antique bottle show 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 (3) or more judges will determine the winning entry in each category.

Complete Writer's Award Contest Application next page:

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

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State: _____

Author's Email Address: _____

Name of Article: _____

Club: _____

Where Published: _____

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

Please email this Writer's Award application form along with the article to be judged in a PDF format to Val Berry: vgberry10@yahoo.com

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

OR

Please mail this application form and five (5) printed copies of the article to be judged to:

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***** Club Newsletter Editors *****

Please publish this form in your newsletter and encourage your members / authors to enter!