

## Membership Benefits

The Federation of Historical Bottle Collectors (FOHBC) is a non-profit organization supporting antique bottles and glass collecting. The goal of the FOHBC is to promote the collection, study, preservation and display of historical bottles and related artifacts and to share this information with other collectors and individuals.

Federation membership is open to any individual or club interested in the enjoyment and study of antique bottles. The FOHBC publication, *Bottles and Extras* is well-known throughout the hobby world as the leading publication for those interested in antique bottle and glass collecting and all associated ephemera. The FOHBC Virtual Museum is the most comprehensive antique bottle and glass experience on the Internet. Your **FOHBC Individual Membership** benefits include:

A full year subscription to the all-color, bi-monthly (6 issues a year) 72-page plus covers, publication **Bottles and Extras**. Various membership options are available including Digital Membership. Free advertising of "For Sale" items in *Bottles and Extras* (restrictions apply - ads may be up to 100 words, items must be of \$25 or greater value, and free advertisements are limited to the first 100 received, based upon date mailed). One free ad of 60 words each year for use for items "Wanted," trade offers, etc.

Access to **FOHBC.org**, the most comprehensive antique bottle and glass website dedicated to the FOHBC organization and hobby.

Access through the **FOHBC Members Portal** to the membership directory, archived *Bottles and Extras* past issues, indexed articles and a vast assortment of research material.

Access to the **FOHBC Virtual Museum of Historical Bottles & Glass**. FOHBC members are museum members.

Participate on FOHBC social media **Facebook** and **Instagram** pages.

Access at no charge to FOHBC online **Seminars**.

Access to the online **FOHBC Auction Price Report**. Look for cost and description of anything auctioned by the top antique bottle and glass auction houses in the past decade.

The opportunity to obtain discounts to be used on "early admission" or table rental at annual **FOHBC National Shows and Conventions**.

**FOHBC digital newsletter** and so much more.

We encourage **Affiliated Bottle Club** memberships by offering these additional benefits to your group:

**Display advertising** in *Bottles and Extras* at discount of 50%.

Insertion of your **bottle club show ad on the Federation website** to increase your show's exposure. Links to your club website free of charge. Social Media (Facebook and Instagram) exposure.

Free **Federation ribbon** for Most Educational display at your show.

Participation in the **Federation sponsored insurance program** for your club show and any other club sponsored activities.

We need your support! Our continued existence is dependent upon your participation as well as expanding our membership. If you haven't yet joined our organization, please do so and begin reaping the benefits. If you are already a member, please encourage your friends and fellow collectors to JOIN US!!

For more information, questions, or to join the FOHBC, please contact: **Elizabeth Meyer**, FOHBC Business Manager, FMG Design, Inc., 101 Crawford Street, Studio 1A, Houston, Texas 77002, phone: 713.504.0628, or email: [fohbcmembers@gmail.com](mailto:fohbcmembers@gmail.com) or visit our home page at FOHBC.org

### Federation of Historical Bottle Collectors BOTTLES AND EXTRAS DISPLAY ADVERTISING RATES

Same cost for color or black & white ads

Issues	Inside Front Cover	Inside Back Cover	Back Cover	Full Page	Half Page	Quarter Page	Eighth Page
1 Issue	\$225 Reserved	\$225 Reserved	\$300 Reserved	\$200	\$125	\$80	\$45
2 Issues	\$400 Reserved	\$400 Reserved	\$600 Reserved	\$350	\$200	\$130	\$75
3 Issues	\$600 Reserved	\$600 Reserved	\$900 Reserved	\$525	\$300	\$200	\$110
4 Issues	\$800 Reserved	\$800 Reserved	\$1,200 Reserved	\$700	\$400	\$280	\$150
5 Issues	\$1,000 Reserved	\$1,000 Reserved	\$1,500 Reserved	\$825	\$500	\$375	\$190
6 Issues	\$1,200 Reserved	\$1,200 Reserved	\$1,800 Reserved	\$1,050	\$600	\$425	\$230

Same advertisement for all consecutive ads. No art charges

#### 50% Discount for FOHBC Member Clubs

#### Payment Options & Questions

All advertising must be paid for in advance.

Make checks payable to FOHBC (Federation of Historical Bottle Collectors)

If mailing, send payment to:

Elizabeth Meyer, FOHBC Business Manager,  
FMG Design, Inc., 101 Crawford Street, Studio 1A, Houston, Texas 77002  
Phone: 713.504.0628, email: [fohbcmembers@gmail.com](mailto:fohbcmembers@gmail.com)  
Any questions address to same.

If paying by **PayPal** or **credit card** use email address: [fohbcmembers@gmail.com](mailto:fohbcmembers@gmail.com)  
or call Elizabeth Meyer, FOHBC Business Manager at 713.504.0628  
to process credit card payment

#### Classifieds

10 cents per word, 15 cents for bold word, \$2 minimum. Advertising notice should be typed or clearly printed. Mail, telephone or email acceptable

#### Advertising Deadlines

Issue Date:	Deadline:
January - February	20 November
March - April	20 January
May - June	20 March
July - August	20 May
September - October	20 July
November - December	20 September

### Where there's a will there's a way to leave Donations to the FOHBC

Did you know the Federation of Historical Bottle Collectors (FOHBC) is a 501C(3) charitable organization?

How does that affect you? It allows tax deductions for any and all donations to the FOHBC. You might also consider a bequest in your will to the FOHBC. This could be a certain amount of money or part or all of your bottle collection. The appraised value of your collection would be able to be deducted from your taxes. (This is not legal advice, please consult an attorney). The same type wording could be used for bequeathing your collection or part of it, however, before donating your collection (or part of it), you would need the collection appraised by a professional appraiser with knowledge of bottles and their market values. This is the amount that would be tax deductible. Thank you for considering the FOHBC in your donation plans.

**Note:** Please consult with your accountant and attorney for legal and tax-consequence advice.

# Membership Application & Advertising

## FOHBC Individual Membership Application

For Membership, complete the following application or sign up at FOHBC.org

(Please Print)

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_

Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Country \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Collecting Interests \_\_\_\_\_

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Additional Comments \_\_\_\_\_

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### Membership/Subscription rates for one year (6 issues) (Circle One)

(All First Class sent in a protected mailer)

#### United States

Standard Mail	\$40	1st Class	\$55
Standard Mail w/Associate*	\$45	1st Class w/Associate	\$60
Standard Mail 3 years	\$110	1st Class 3 years	\$125
Standard Mail 3 years w/Associate*	\$125	1st Class 3 yrs w/Assoc.	\$140
Digital Membership (electronic files only)	\$25		

Canada - First Class \$60, other countries - First Class \$80

**Life Membership:** Level 1: \$1,000, includes all benefits of a Standard 1st Class membership. No promise of a printed magazine for life.

**Level 2:** \$500, Includes all benefits of a regular membership but you will not receive a printed magazine, but rather a digital subscription.

Add an Associate Membership\* to any of the above at \$5 for each associate for each year

**Associate Member Name(s)** \_\_\_\_\_

\*Associate Membership is available to members of the immediate family of any adult holding an Individual Membership. Children of ages 21 or older must have their own individual membership. Associate Members enjoy all of the rights and privileges of an Individual Membership

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Please make checks or money orders payable to **FOHBC** and mail to:  
FOHBC Membership, Elizabeth Meyer, FMG Design, Inc., 101 Crawford Street,  
Studio 1A, Houston, Texas 77002

Effective 11/2022

Phone: 713.504.0628 Email: [fohbcmembers@gmail.com](mailto:fohbcmembers@gmail.com)

## Bottles and Extras

### Free Ads

Category: **"WANTED"**

Maximum - 60 words

Limit - One free ad per current membership year.

Category: **"FOR SALE"**

Maximum - 100 words

Limit - 1 ad per issue.

(Use extra paper if necessary.)

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Clearly Print or Type Your Ad

Send to: FOHBC Business Manager:

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Studio 1A, Houston, Texas 77002; phone: 713.504.0628;  
or better yet, email Elizabeth at: [fohbcmembers@gmail.com](mailto:fohbcmembers@gmail.com)

### Article Submission Requirements:

All *Bottles and Extras* articles or materials need to be submitted via an email. Use a compressed (zipped) file if needed or send multiple emails with images. The file must be created by Microsoft Word, Publisher or Adobe InDesign so the editor does not have to retype the work. High-resolution digital images are the preferred format. Please submit digital images based on the instructions below. We will accept email submissions if the image resolution is acceptable. The email must have only ONE subject per transmission to minimize confusion. Each image must be accompanied by a caption list or other identifying information. Professional-grade equipment is a must to achieve the size and quality image we require. The highest setting on the camera should be used for maximum resolution and file size. Only high-quality images will be considered. Please do not send photographic prints or scans of images as the color and quality are generally not up to par compared with digital images or slides scanned by our imaging department. We will consider exceptions for photos that can't be easily found, such as older historical images. We rarely use slides anymore and prefer not to receive submissions of slides due to the time and liability involved in handling them.

**Affiliated Club Membership** for only **\$75** with liability insurance for all club sponsored events, 50% discount on advertising in *Bottles and Extras*, plus much more, Contact: FOHBC Business Manager: Elizabeth Meyer, FMG Design, Inc. 101 Crawford Street, Studio 1A, Houston, Texas 77002

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