



**Tidewater Region
of the
Antique Automobile Club of
America
(TRAACA)**

AWARDS MANUAL

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Introduction

The Tidewater Region of the Antique Automobile Club of America (TRAACA) annual awards program recognizes club members for their participation in club activities, the restoration, preservation and maintenance of antique vehicles, and their contributions to the region through their leadership, support, and/or dedicated efforts. Awards are presented at the region's annual awards banquet, usually held in January.

Determination of Awards

Members earn points towards some TRAACA annual awards by showing their antique vehicle(s) in national, regional, and local car shows/meets, participating in national or regional AACA driving tours, and participating in TRAACA activities. The club tries to report major awards members receive in the club's monthly newsletter, but any member who receives a national award, an award for showing their vehicle in a national, regional, or local car show, participating in an AACA national or regional driving tour should report their award(s)/participation, to the club's Award Program Coordinator. (Note that some awards are given for member contributions to the club, not awards for showing vehicles. Please see individual award descriptions for criteria.)

Establishment of New Awards

Club members may propose the establishment of new awards by presenting a written proposal to the Board of Directors. This proposal must contain the suggested name for the award, a draft one-paragraph definition of what the award is recognizing, the suggested form of the permanent award (e.g., trophy, bowl, plate, plaque, etc.), what will be presented to the recognized member(s) for their permanent retention (e.g., plaque or plate), a draft drawing or photograph of the proposed award, and the criteria for selecting the recipient(s) of the award. Establishment of a permanent award incurs a recurring cost to the club, so the new award proposal must also include how the initial award will be paid for and how future presentations of the award will be funded.

The Club and its Board of Directors reserve the right to discontinue an award or modify the selection criteria at any time. If possible, the award donor or creator will be consulted prior to any changes being implemented. However, the Club and its Board retain the final decision on matters related to any award.

Tidewater Region AACA Annual Awards

Bartlett Bowl



The Bartlett Bowl recognizes the member scoring the most points for awards won by his/her vehicle in car shows during the previous calendar year.

The award was donated by Diane Bartlett and Jeff Locke, in memory and honor of longtime TRAACA member Harry Bartlett, who loved to compete in car shows and was a superb ambassador for our club. The award encourages the restoration, preservation, and maintenance of antique automobiles, trucks, and motorcycles, and participation in car shows at all levels.

Members earn points towards this award by showing their vehicle(s) in national, regional, and local car shows/meets. (See Appendix 1 for participation points.)

Beaulieu Cup Award



The Beaulieu Cup recognizes the member who has accumulated the most AACA show points during the previous calendar year with a single vehicle.

The award was donated by Bob and Linda Pellerin in 2002 and celebrates the National Motor Museum of England, one of the finest and most historically significant automobile museums in the world. The museum was founded in 1952 by Lord Montague as a memorial to his father, Scott Montague, one of the first motoring pioneers.

Members earn points towards this award by showing their vehicle (the same vehicle) in AACA national meets. (See Appendix 1 for participation points.)

Century Award



The Century Award recognizes the owners of 100-year-old vehicles.

The award honors both the vehicle and the owner(s), the quality of production and craftsmanship that created the original vehicle, as well as the skill, commitment, and dedication of the owner(s) in preserving and maintaining the vehicle. Each presentation of this award is a visible indicator of our success in preserving our nation's automotive heritage.

Owners receive this award the year their antique vehicle is 100 years old (model year).

Century Participation Award



The Century Participation Award recognizes the owner(s) of 100-year-old and older vehicles who attained the highest number of AACA participation points with that vehicle during the previous calendar year.

The intent of this award is to encourage the ownership, preservation, and use of older vehicles.

Members earn points towards this award by participating in AACA national meets and driving tours with vehicles at least 100 years old. (See Appendix 1 for participation points.)

Duryea Award



The Duryea Award recognizes a member for his/her active contributions to our National Club during the previous calendar year.

The Duryea Motor Wagon Company, established in 1895, was the first American firm to build a gasoline automobile. The Duryea automobile is the symbol of the Antique Automobile Club of America, prominently displayed in the logo and adorning many of the trophies presented by the club. TRAACA member contributions to the national club that will be considered for this award can include, but are not limited to, serving in elected, appointed, or volunteer positions, contributing to the success of national tours, meets, and/or the annual meeting. (**Note:** A member can receive this award only once.)

Members may be nominated by any member, with the TRAACA Board of Directors selecting the annual recipient of the award.

Hard Luck Award



The Hard Luck Award is presented to the club member(s) who experienced a vehicle-related issue while driving to or participating in a TRAACA activity or a AACA national event during the previous calendar year.

The award was created by Ken Talley and Bill Wilcox in 2010. The award encourages vehicle maintenance and recognizes owner ingenuity, preparation, and good humor in responding to vehicle mishaps.

The TRAACA Awards Committee will nominate a member for the award based upon the seriousness of the issue and the creativity of the member in its recovery.

Ivie Lister Award



The Ivie Lister Award recognizes the member(s) who accumulated the most show participation points during the previous calendar year with a British marque vehicle.

The award was donated in 2008 by Dan and Angie Ciccone in memory and honor of TRAACA member Ivie Lister, who had a special affection for British cars. The award encourages the ownership, preservation, and use of the British automobile.

Members earn points towards this award by showing their British marque vehicles in national, regional, and local cars shows/meets, and driving tours. (See Appendix 1 for participation points.)

Lalique Award



The Lalique Award recognizes the current member who has consistently contributed to the TRAACA over the years.

The award was created in 1998 by Bob Pellerin in memory and honor of deceased TRAACA members. It recognizes members for their untiring service, contributions, and selfless dedication to the Tidewater Region. What is particularly special about this award is that the recipient is selected by the previous winners of the award.

Members may be nominated by any member, the annual recipient being selected by consensus of the previous winners of the award who are still members of the TRAACA. The voting process is initiated by the Pellerins.

Merritt Horne Participation Award



The Merritt Horne Participation Award recognizes member(s), excluding TRAACA elected officials, for supporting official TRAACA activities through their active participation during the previous calendar year.

It was donated by Merritt Horne, one of the TRAACA's earliest and most active members, to promote Club activities and to recognize those members who best support these functions.

Members may be nominated by any member, with the TRAACA Board of Directors selecting the annual recipient of the award. (TRAACA Board Members and their spouses are not eligible to receive this award.)

Mudflap Award



The Mudflap Award recognizes the club member making the greatest contributions of a story, article, or series of articles published in the region's newsletter, "*The Mudflap*," during the previous calendar year.

The award was donated by past *Mudflap* editors Pat and Jeff Locke in 1991 to recognize and encourage members to write articles for the region's newsletter, and without whose contributions there would be no newsletter.

The current *Mudflap* newsletter editor(s) selects the recipient(s) of this award.

Overland Award



The Overland Award recognizes the owner(s) of a 1942 or older vehicle who has been most active in TRAACA- and AACA-sponsored activities.

The award was donated in 1985 by William B. Holmes in the spirit of the Willys-Overland Company to encourage members to show and drive older vehicles. (**Note:** This award may not be won concurrent with the Century Participation Award.)

Members earn points towards this award by participating in TRAACA- and AACA-sponsored activities (meets, driving tours, etc.) in their 1942 or older vehicles. Participation points are awarded one point for each regional or national AACA event (meet/show or driving tour).

Tidewater Region President's Award



The Tidewater Region President's Award is awarded to a member, selected by the President (with Board input), that contributed considerable time, effort, resources, dedication, and/or leadership in support of the TRAACA in the past calendar year.

Members may be nominated by any TRAACA member.

TRAACA Restoration Award



The TRAACA Restoration Award recognizes the club member(s) who, principally through their own efforts, have completed a restoration or significant improvement of an antique vehicle in the past calendar year and have shown it in a local or national AACA event.

The award was donated by Ed Lail in 1996 to recognize and encourage members' craftsmanship and efforts in authentically restoring antique vehicles.

(Note: Multiple members may be recognized with this award annually.)

Members may be nominated by any TRAACA member, with the Board of Directors selecting the annual recipient(s) of the award.

Spark Plug Award



The Spark Plug Award recognizes the member(s), excluding TRAACA elected officers, making the greatest contribution to the region during the previous calendar year.

The award was donated in 1991 by Terry and Susan Bond to recognize those members who help make the TRAACA one of the best and most active regions in the AACA.

Members may be nominated by any member, with the TRAACA Board of Directors selecting the annual recipient of the award.

Appendix 1

Table 1-1: TRAACA Points Award Program for Car Show Participation

TYPE SHOW	Best in Show	Senior Award	1st Junior/ Place	2nd Junior/ Place	3rd Junior/ Place	Preservation Award	Special	Orig. HPOF/ HPOF	DPC
AACA Driving Tours	---	---	---	---	---	---	6	---	---
AACA Grand National	---	9	8	7	6	6	---	---	---
AACA National Award	---	---	---	---	---	---	10 / 5 *	---	---
AACA National Meet	---	8	7	6	5	6	5	4 / 3 **	2
AACA Region Driving Tours	---	---	---	---	---	---	3	---	---
AACA Region Show	6	---	5	4	3	4	1 ***	2	2
AACA Zenith Award	---	---	---	---	---	---	15	---	---
Non-AACA national tours (national marque clubs, Lincoln Highway, etc.)	---	---	---	---	---	---	2	---	---
Concours d'Elegance	8	---	7	6	---	---	5 #	---	---
National Invitational Display ##	---	---	---	---	---	---	6	---	---
National Marque Shows ###	6	---	5	4	3	---	2	---	---
Non-AACA Show	4	---	3	2	1	---	1 ***	---	---
ODMA Annual Meet	7	6	5	4	3	---	2	2	2

NOTE: All vehicles entered in AACA National or Regional Shows that don't receive awards receive 1 point

* 10 points for receiving an AACA National Award / 5 points for being nominated for an AACA National Award

** 4 points for receiving AACA Original HPOF certification / 3 points for receiving AACA HPOF certification

*** Special awards at AACA Regional Meets/Shows or local shows are Best Paint, Best MOPAR, Oldest Car, etc.

Concours d'Elegance participant, but did not receive an award

For example, invited to display vehicle at AACA Museum, Peterson Automotive Museum, etc.

For example, the Vintage Chevrolet Club of America (VCCA), Classic Car Club of America (CCCA), Oldsmobile Club of America (OCA), etc.

Appendix 2

Bartlett Bowl

1978	Harry Bartlett
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1984	Harry Bartlett
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1986	Don Whitlow
1987	Jeff Locke
1988	Dennis West
1989	James Hagaman
1990	Bob Woolfitt
1991	Mickey McChesney
1992	Neil Van Pelt
1993	Don Whitlow
1994	Bob Woolfitt
1995	Bob Woolfitt
1996	Don Whitlow
1997	Bob Parrish
1998	Bob Parrish
1999	Ivan Joslin
2000	Bob Pellerin
2001	Bob & Dot Parrish
2002	Riley Best
2003	Bob & Dot Parrish
2004	Ken Talley
2005	Bob & Dot Parrish
2006	Bob & Dot Parrish
2007	Bob & Dot Parrish
2008	Bob & Linda Pellerin
2009	Bob & Linda Pellerin
2010	Bob Pellerin
2011	Jeff Locke
2012	Jim Elliott
2013	Jim Elliott
2014	Jim Elliott
2015	Jim Elliott
2016	Jim Elliott
2017	Jim & Donna Elliott
2018	Jim & Donna Elliott
2019	Jim & Donna Elliott
20/21	Jim Elliott
2022	Jim Elliott
2023	Jim Elliott
2024	Jim & Donna Elliott
2025	Jim & Donna Elliott

Beaulieu Cup Award

2002 Riley Best
2003 Bob & JoAnn Green 2004
2004 Ken Talley
2005 Bob & Dot Parrish
2006 Jeff Locke
2007 Jeff Locke
2008 Bob & Linda Pellerin
2009 Bob & Linda Pellerin
2010 Terry Bond
2011 Jeff Locke
2012 John Heimerl
2013 Jim Elliott
2014 Jim Elliott
2015 Jim Elliott
2016 Jim Elliott
2017 Scott Davies
2018 Jim & Donna Elliott
2019 Harry Park
20/21 Harry Park
2022 Harry Park
2023 Harry Park
2024 Harry Park
2025 Rick Seaman

Duryea Award

2016 Bob Parrish
2017 Tom Cox
2018 Jim Elliott
2019 Marion McAlpine
20/21 Neil Sugermeier
2022 Terry Bond
2023 Holly Forester
2024 Tony Scarpelli
2025 Bob Stein

Hard Luck Award

2010 Tony Scarpelli & Leslie McGinn
2010 Dana & Debbie Meadows
2016 Sam Kern
2017 Bill Treadwell
2018 Bill Treadwell
2019 Pat Locke
20/21 Terry Bond
2022 Bob & Linda Pellerin
2023 Jim Elliott
2024 not awarded
2025 Skip Patnode

Ivie Lister Award

2014 Susan & Terry Bond
2015 Mark Strang
2016 Terry & Susan Bond
2017 Mark Strang
2018 Daniel & Diana Etheridge
2019 Pat Locke
20/21 Dan Ciccone
2022 Tim Hund
2023 Tim Hund
2024 Mark Strang
2025 Tim Hund

Lalique Award

1997 Merritt Horne
1998 Ivan Joslin
1999 Jeff Locke
2000 Terry Bond
2001 Neil Sugermeier
2002 Richard Hall
2003 Ivie Lister
2004 Marty Sugermeier
2005 Marjorie Joslin
2006 Bob & Dot Parrish
2007 Sam Kern
2008 Ken Talley
2009 Mickey McChesney
2010 Dewey Milligan
2011 Sandy Hall
2012 Linda Pellerin
2013 Bob Stein
2014 Marie & John Gancel
2015 Tony Scarpelli
2016 Bill Wilcox
2017 Bob Roughton, Jr
2018 Toni McChesney
2019 Marion McAlpine
20/21 Bill Treadwell
2022 Jim Villers
2023 Skip Patnode
2024 Susan Bond
2025 Tammy Park

Merritt Horne Participation Award

2004 Richard Hall
2005 Maggie Hall
2006 Charlene Roach
2007 Bob Parrish and Neil Sugermeier and Richard Hall
2008 Terry & Sue Bond

2009 Tony Scarpelli and Ken & Barbara Talley
 2010 Angie Ciccone and Bob Pellerin
 2011 Terry & Sue Bone
 2012 Dick Chipchak
 2013 Skip Patnode
 2014 Neil & Marty Sugermeyer
 2015 Bob & Dot Parrish
 2016 Toni & Mickey McChensey
 2017 Bill & Linda Treadwell
 2018 Bob Stein
 2019 Skip Patnode
 20/21 Dan Ciccone
 2022 Maxine & Dewey Milligan
 2023 Rad & Margie Tillett
 2024 Tony Miller
 2025 Linda Pellerin

Mudflap Award

1990 Terry Bond
 1991 Carol Finlay
 1992 Tom Allan
 1993 Larry Cutright
 1994 John Blair
 1995 Ivie Lister
 1996 Sue Bond
 1997 Bob Green
 1998 Andy Ott
 1999 Sam Kern
 2000 Linda Pellerin
 2001 Bob Stein
 2002 Neil Sugermeyer
 2003 Ken Talley
 2004 Sandy Hall
 2005 Peter Catanese
 2006 Terry Bond
 2007 Lewis Bridges
 2008 Terry Bond and Linda Pellerin
 2009 Dot Parrish and Tony Scarpelli
 2010 Sue Bond
 2011 Thomas Wedeking
 2012 Bob Parrish
 2013 Terry Bond
 2014 Terry Bond
 2015 Matt Doscher
 2016 Terry Bond and Bob Stein
 2017 Terry Bond and Bob Parrish
 2018 Terry Bond and Bob Stein
 2019 Terry Bond
 20/21 Mark & Marion McAlpine
 2022 Marty Sugermeyer
 2023 Terry Bond
 2024 Douglas Grosz
 2025 Aubrey Austin

Overland Award

1985 Chuck & Shirley Thode
1986 Chuck & Shirley Thode
1987 Chuck & Shirley Thode
1988 Sam Kern
1989 Sam Kern
1990 Sam Kern
1991 Bill Weddle
1992 Sam Kern
1993 Terry & Sue Bond
1994 Bob & Josie Kinker
1995 Bob & Josie Kinker
1996 Terry & Sue Bond
1997 Riley Best
1998 Riley Best
1999 Terry & Sue Bond
2000 Riley Best
2001 Terry & Sue Bond
2002 Riley Best
2003 Bob & Sylvia Roughton
2004 Terry & Sue Bond
2005 Richard & Sandy Hall
2006 Sam Kern
2007 Terry Bond
2008 Terry Bond
2009 Bob & Sylvia Roughton
2010 Terry Bond
2011 Sam Kern
2012 Sam Kern
2013 Sam Kern
2014 Jim Elliott
2015 Jim Elliott
2016 Jim Elliott
2017 Tim Hund
2018 Jim & Donna Elliott
2019 Jim & Donna Elliott
20/21 Sam Kern
2022 Sam Kern
2023 Tony Miller
2024 Sam Kern
2025 Jim & Donna Elliott

President's Award

2013 Mark McAlpine
2014 Bob Hanbury
2015 Terry Bond
2016 Skip Patnode
2017 Jim Villers
2018 Ellen & Jerry Adams
2019 Bob Stein

20/21 Paul Fuqua and Bob Parrish
2022 Marion McAlpine
2023 Barry Basnight
2024 Tammy Park
2025 Dan & Chris Ciccone

Restoration Award

1996 Riley Best and Harold Eacker
1997 Charles Hadley
1998 Ivan Joslin
1999 Robert Sitar
2000 Bob Parrish
2001 Pete Catanese and Dewey Milligan
2002 Harold Eacker, Doug Campbell and Riley Best
2003 Ken Talley
2004 Ken Talley, Sal Saiya and Jim Elliott
2005 Bob Parrish, Richard Hall, Gerry Olson, Mickey McChesney, Dewey Milligan, George Gurnee and Charles Nissen
2006 Sue Bond and Jack Pavlidis
2007 Matt Gresalfi, Peter Catanese, Allan Ives and Bob Roughton
2008 Dick Pensyl, George Gurnee, Richard Hall, Gordon Garnett and Al Mercer
2009 Richard & Sandy Hall and Linda Pavlidis
2010 Riley Best
2011 Ken & Barbara Talley, Mark & Sue Strang, Bob & Joann Green and Jim & Betty Villers
2012 Bob Parrish, Gordon Garnett and John Heimerl
2013 Jim Villers
2014 Wes Neal
2015 John Heimerl and Sal & Jo Ann Saiya 2016
2016 Jim Villers and John Heimerl
2017 Jim Villers and Scott Davies
2018 Andy Ott, Bob Stein and Bill Treadwell
2019 Charlie Dawson
20/21 Jim Villers
2022 Tim Hund
2023 Tony Scarpelli and Paul Fuqua
2024 not awarded
2025 Chip Woolford

Spark Plug Award

1990 Buddy Meier
1991 Jeff & Pat Locke
1992 Jeff & Pat Locke
1993 Bob Kinker
1994 John Thompson
1995 Linda Pellerin
1996 Bob Green
1997 Ivan & Marjorie Joslin
1998 Ivie Lister
1999 Marty Sugermeyer
2000 Dan & Chris Ciccone
2001 Dot Parrish
2002 Sandy Hall and Bob Pellerin

2003 Bob & Linda Pellerin
2004 James & Becky Woodall
2005 Maggie Hall and Marie Gancel and Richard Hall
2006 Andrew Sitar
2007 Toni McChesney
2008 Angie Ciccone
2009 Tony Scarpelli
2010 Holly Forrester
2011 Sam Kern
2012 Kit Lawrence
2013 George & Sheila Gurnee
2014 Bill Wilcox
2015 Dewey & Maxine Milligan
2016 Bob Pellerin
2017 Marion McAlpine
2018 Bob Hanbury
2019 Vickie Doscher
20/21 Bob Stein
2022 Bob Stein
2023 not awarded
2024 Scott Davies
2025 Jerry Adams and Holly Forester

