Bob Cole Award

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Awarded to the best British car.

This award is selected and presented by Bob Cole, an esteemed member of our Honorary Judges Committee; Co-Founder of the Candy Store and legendary car restorer, racer and collector. Bob has a long standing and deep knowledge of and appreciation for automobiles of British manufacture. The winner shall be the car of British origin which most clearly exemplifies the essence – the spirit – the design and engineering excellence of the British auto world. 2016 will mark the first ever presentation of this award.

Judged by: Bob Cole

Presented by: Bob Cole

Winner:

Car # 283
Class JR
Year 1950
Marque Jaguar
Model XK120
Owner Mark Miller

Strother MacMinn Design Award

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This award, chosen by our Honorary Judges, is presented to the car featuring the most inspirational design elements for a car of its era. The trophy, added in 1998, was designed by students of the Art Center College of Design in Pasadena to honor the memory and many contributions of the man who graced our presence here as an automobile designer, writer, historian, and teacher. Strother MacMinn recorded and celebrated the automotive designs of the previous era. At the same time he was profoundly influential in the contemporary evolution of car design. Strother MacMinn was founder of the Art Center College of Design where his lessons on the art and responsibility of design will live on.

Judged by: The Honorary Judges

Presented by: Cindy Lewis

Winner:

Car # 143
Class CY1
Year 1931
Marque Chrysler
Model Imperial Club Sedan
Owner The Stephens Family

Sid Colberg Award

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Cyril Posthumus, the prolific automotive author wrote, "A sports car is one in which performance takes prece- dence over its carrying capacity." Veteran automobile tester Tom McCahill suggested that a sports car is one designed as an automobile that is basically a piece of sporting equipment. Presented for the first time in 2004, the Sid Colberg Award honors the best sports car from the golden era of "Classic" sports cars (1947 through 1960). The Honorary Judges will select the car that most exemplifies the attribute of exceptional handling and cornering, superior performance and verve; and has extraordinary quality, appearance and style.

Judged by: The Honorary Judges

Presented by: Joe Brilando

Winner:

Car # 330
Class JR
Year 1957
Marque Jaguar
Model XKSS
Owner John Mozart

Elwood Hansen Award—Best Open Pre-WWII Car

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These awards are named for Elwood Hansen, a generous benefactor of the Hillsborough Concours d'Elegance, who devoted a lifetime to philanthropic causes in the Bay Area. This Elwood Hansen Award recognizes the most elegant open pre-World War II automobile in the show.

Judged by: The Honorary Judges

Presented by: Dick Deluna

Winner:

Car # 142
Class CY1
Year 1933
Marque Chrysler

Model Imperial Dual Windshield Phaeton

Owner The Stephens Family

Elwood Hansen Award—Best Closed Pre-WWII Car

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These awards are named for Elwood Hansen, a generous benefactor of the Hillsborough Concours d'Elegance, who devoted a lifetime to philanthropic causes in the Bay Area. This Elwood Hansen Award recognizes the most elegant closed pre-World War II automobile in the show.

Judged by: The Honorary Judges

Presented by: Jackie Frady

Winner:

Car # 104
Class CC
Year 1937
Marque Packard

Model 1500 Super Eight Touring Sedan

Owner George & Eddie Beck

Franklin Templeton Investments Award—Best Open Post-WWII Car

Franklin Templeton Investments has been a generous supporter of the Hillsborough Concours d'Elegance for many years and these awards were created in recognition of their support. Honorary Judges select the most elegant open post-World War II car to receive this award.

Judged by: The Honorary Judges

Presented by: Franklin Rep / Bob Devlin

Winner:

Car # 265
Class A2
Year 1957
Marque Cadillac
Model Biarritz Convertible

Owner David A Paretich

Franklin Templeton Investments Award—Best Closed Post-WWII Car

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Judged by: The Honorary Judges

Presented by: Franklin Rep / Hal Schuette

Winner:

Car # 331
Class FE1
Year 1963
Marque Ferrari
Model Lusso
Owner Randy Hill

Honorary Judges Trophy

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Each year our distinguished panel of Honorary Judges is asked to select a car of particularly noteworthy engineering advances and artistic merit. Not bound by the more rigid rules of Class judging, the judges are free to use completely subjective criteria to select a car with the right stuff.

Judged by: The Honorary Judges

Presented by: Ed Gilbertson

Winner:

Car # 152
Class CY2
Year 1961
Marque Ghia

Model L.6.4 Hardtop

Owner National Automobile Museum (The Harrah Collection)

Rob & Susan Fisher Phoenix Award

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Our previous Chairman, Rob Fisher and his wife Sue, saved this very Concours from its demise seven years ago. We are extremely grateful to Rob and Sue for working tirelessly to save and expand the Concours, bringing it to its new location here at the beautiful Crystal Springs Golf Course, and helping it reach new heights. This award will go to the special vehicle on display today, that was saved from its demise through a complete restoration – a very fitting tribute to Rob and Sue.

Judged by: The Honorary Judges

Presented by: Rob Fisher

Winner:

Car # 335
Class V
Year 1951
Marque Porsche
Model Sauter Roadster

Owner Phil White

The Candy Store President's Award

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This award is selected and presented by the current President of the Candy Store Club. The winning car will be selected as representing the best example of elegance, presentation and rarity.

Judged by: Rob Fisher

Presented by: Rob Fisher, President

Winner:

Car # 113
Class I
Year 1957
Marque BMW
Model 507

Owner Jane & Larry Solomon

Chairman's Award

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This award—the winner, chosen by the Concours Chairman, is presented to the exhibitor most deserving of recognition by the Chairman.

Judged by: The Concours Chairman

Presented by: Rich Kelaita, Chairman

Winner:

Car # 291
Class CO
Year 1937
Marque Cord
Model 812 S/C Phaeton

Owner Dr. Marilyn Waiton

Hillsborough Hot Rod Award

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The Hillsborough Hot Rod Award is a new award chosen by our panel of Hot Rod judges who have deep design and build experience. This award celebrates exceptional styling and performance in a custom hod rod. The winner represents a truly unique blend of art and fun to inspire automobile cruising.

Judged by: Hot Rod Judges

Presented by: Rob O'Neill

Winner:

Car # 258
Class SD1
Year 1967
Marque Ferrari
Model Gatto
Owner Steve Moal

Hillsborough Schools Foundation—Children's Choice Award

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Chosen as the favorite car by children attending our show. It is the initial presentation of this award and it will be presented by a representative from the Hillsborough Schools Foundation.

Judged by: Childrens' votes

Presented by: Sher - Amos Grosser - HSF

Winner:

Car # 281
Class A2
Year 1949
Marque Oldsmobile
Model Sedan
Owner Dr. John D'Attilio

Owners' Choice Award

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The winner of this unique trophy is chosen by the owners themselves on the basis of beauty, style, elegance, and that intangible, visceral quality – desirability.

Judged by: Owners' votes

Presented by: Brian Douglas

Winner:

Car # 221
Class A2
Year 1956
Marque Continental
Model Mark II Convertible

Owner James Sinnes

People's Choice Award

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This award recognizes the automobile you would most like to drive right off the field this afternoon. It might be the color of the paint, those big chrome headlights, or the graceful flare of the fenders. The criteria are completely subjective. This award goes to the car with the most votes from visitors attending the show.

Judged by: Attendee votes

Presented by: Tom Matano

Winner:

Car # 141
Class JS2
Year 1961
Marque Jaguar
Model XKE Coupe

Owner Kevin & Scott Robertson

Best of Show Award

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This award recognizes the best of the best. The Chief Judge and two Honorary Judges select the single best car in the show from the list of winners in each class and the overall award winners. While objective criteria are important, the judges also use subjective criteria to differentiate near-perfect cars.

Judged by: The Honorary Judges

Presented by: Rich Kelaita

Winner:

Car # 105 Class CO Year 1936

Marque Mercedes-Benz

Model 290

Owner Aaron & Valerie Weiss