



SCSSAR EDUCATION AWARDS 2008

GENERAL:

1. The Winner in each category must be adult non-SAR member who lives and works in South Carolina.
2. Each SCSSAR Chapter may nominate one chapter winner in each category. We encourage some sort of award at the chapter level, to be determined by that chapter. To avoid limitations on creative teaching, these criteria are deliberately vague.
3. The judging of all State Level awards will be conducted by the SCSSAR Education Committee and their decisions are final.
4. Nominations for Primary, Collegiate and Non-Academic awards are due to the Education Committee by December 31 of each year.
5. The Secondary Teachers must follow the guidelines and procedures listed at <http://www.sar.org/history/Lawrence.html> for the Tom & Betty Lawrence Award, with the deadline of all completed applications due to the SCSSAR Education Committee by December 14 of each year. (National Deadline)
6. The specifics of the prizes for the following year will be announced at the January meeting of the SCSSAR Board of Managers. Each level of education will be of equal value and prestige.
7. The winning entries will be announced and the prizes presented at the Annual SCSSAR Awards Dinner during the annual meeting of the SCSSAR. It is expected that the nominating chapter will also recognize the recipient and their spouse or significant other at an appropriate meeting of the chapter.
8. The Primary, High School, and Collegiate, nominees must teach in either private, parochial or public schools in South Carolina. The Non Academic winner may not be a teacher by profession.
9. The criterion for each award is that the candidate should excel both creatively and effectively at teaching American Patriotism in the context of the American Revolution in South Carolina.

CATEGORIES:

1. **PRIMARY:** Teachers of Grades K-8, regardless of title or courses taught.
2. **SECONDARY:** Teachers of Grades 9-12, regardless of title or courses taught, but must comply with the process and use the application for the NSSAR Tom and Betty Lawrence Teacher Award as listed at <http://www.sar.org/history/Lawrence.html>
3. **COLLEGIATE:** Teachers, Instructors, Associate Professors, and Department Heads of American or South Carolina History at the Junior College, Baccalaureate, or Graduate Level.
4. **NON-ACADEMIC:** Those who promote the principals of American patriotism in the context of the American Revolution to the General Public in a non-scholastic setting or milieu.

APPLICATIONS: Other than the Secondary level are to be no more than one page on the Chapter's Letterhead, listing the name, address, school and town, phone number, email and credentials of the nominee as well as a description of what their aims and methods are. The application must be endorsed by the Chapter's Education Chairman and the Chapter President, certifying that this is that chapter's nominee for that level of award.

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