

Judges: Use a separate sheet for each entrant and keep with their tray - may be posted w/tray.

ENTRANT # _____

299. OSBS Educational Award. OSBS \$15-10-5

Goal: To educate about a particular aspect of button collecting. It may be about usage, manufacturing, art styles, shank styles, clothing styles, politics, history, etc. -- there are infinite possibilities.

Rules: The educational goal must pertain to buttons, and not an indirect topic. For example, do not use buttons about Abraham Lincoln to educate about Lincoln, which would be the indirect topic, and not directly related to buttons. However, the education might pertain to *buttons as they would relate to Lincoln's time*, for example. Text should be used to develop the educational theme. The entry should be titled, and the tray slip should state the educational goal of the tray and how many trays are in the entry (1-3).

JUDGING CRITERIA

Educational Content:	<u>Pts. Earned</u>
■ Title and tray slip stating educational goal: how well do they relate to the presentation	10 pts. max. _____
■ Text: how well does it cover the subject in space available . .	10 pts. max. _____
■ How well does entry meet the goal to educate about buttons .	20 pts. max. _____
■ How well do the buttons relate to and fulfill the goal	15 pts. max. _____
■ How accurate is the information	15 pts. max. _____
■ How easy is the message to absorb as presented	10 pts. max. _____
Total maximum points this section - 80	
 Presentation:	
■ How attractive and visually compelling is the entry	10 pts. max. _____
■ Neatness	10 pts. max. _____
Total maximum points this section - 20	
Total maximum points overall	100 pts. total _____

Winners will be determined as follows:

First place - 86-100 points; Second place - 71-85 points; Third place - 55-70 points.

- There may be multiple winners in each placement.
- Because this is a point-based award system, there may be no trays that place first, but there may be second, and so on.
- The judging sheet will be posted with the tray.
- OSBS sponsors the awards at \$15-10-5.
- An entry may be from one to three trays, depending on what the entrant feels is necessary to get his/her educational point across.
- One entry (1-3 trays) allowed per person.
- Entries will be assigned to a judging team and spotted by the co-chairs of judging, as are all other awards except creative mountings.