

# The Excitement Program

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LET'S GET EXCITED ABOUT WRITING NEW APPLICATIONS!

**2023-2024 Membership Incentive Program – goal of 2500 new applications**

Starting Date: May 1, 2023 - Ending Date: April 30, 2024

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## Post and Division Awards

Post Award: \$7.50 for each application written up to a limit of 100 applications.

Division Award: \$7.50 for each application written up to a limit of 100 applications.

**ALL APPLICATIONS MUST BE LONG-TERM TO QUALIFY!!!**

### Note:

- Applications that you write into other Posts do not count for prizes in your Post.
  - A written request for prizes must be submitted in writing to the CAO from the Division Secretary.
  - Prizes will be paid semiannually in November and May.
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## MEMBERSHIP LOSS

We will also strive to retain membership. If your Post or Division does not have a decrease in membership it will earn a \$100.00 bonus.

### Notes:

- The Posts and Divisions will receive their prize money after qualifications are met.
  - All applications must be approved by National Headquarters to qualify.
  - Posts **MUST** notify their State Secretaries when they have qualified for any level of prize money. Their request will then be forwarded to National Headquarters for processing. The Division Secretaries shall notify the CAO in writing by either U.S. Postal mail or email when they qualify.
  - Prizes for reduction in membership loss will be paid at year-end and mailed no later than July 31, 2024.
  - Applications for either contest **MUST** be post marked from your State Secretary no later than April 30, 2024 to be eligible.
  - Posts and Divisions **MUST** be in 100% compliance with all reporting, including financial statements, bank statements, and minutes in order to receive membership incentive funds.
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## INDIVIDUAL SPONSOR AWARDS FOR ATTENDING THE 2024 NATIONAL CONVENTION

- Individuals will receive a convention expense reimbursement of \$10.00 for each application written up to 50 applications if they attend the national convention.

**The deadline for submitting all requests for prizes will be June 27, 2024.**

Fraternally submitted,

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