

PA Button Society - Fall 2026 Awards

DIV IX - - Age not considered – includes buttons eligible in Div. I and/or Div. III, regardless of age. No age balance is implied; may include all modern or all old unless specified otherwise in the award. Div. II buttons are allowed unless excluded by the award.

1. Cl 1-0 thru 15-5. 25 Any size. Owls. No limit on realistics or studio Buttons. Label Materials. Additional points awarded for identifiable owls. Must be labeled. Red Rose Button Club. \$15, 10, 5.
Look for activities, materials, OMEs, DFs, multiples, usage. Label a backmark.
2. Cl. 1-0 thru 15-5. 20 Any size. Assorted materials specialized to Crowns. All varieties of crowns are acceptable. The crown can be alone, on a head or on a full body. The crown can be worn by a person, creature, or animal, real or cartoon. Please label materials. No limit on realistics and studio buttons. Keystone Button Club. \$20, 12, 8.
3. Cl. 3-3. 30 Any Size. China colors assorted specialized to blue bodies and/or blue surface decorations. Try for as many different body types and back types as possible using The Guidelines for Collection China Buttons book. Alpha and Omega Button Club. \$10, 6, 4.
4. Cl. 8-0. 25 Any size. Glass Mounted in/on metal assorted. No limit on realistics or studio Buttons. Star Button Club. \$25, 15, 10.
Glass should be the focus of the button. See page 42 of the Blue Book for a definition. Try to cover the section 8 classification.

NOVICE AWARD – Anyone who has won 3 or less ribbons at P.S.B.S shows.

5. Cl 17-0 thru 20-24. 25 Any Size. Specialized to realistics. No limit on Studios. Awards Chairman. \$15, 10, 5.
Cover the pictorial classification first, then look for a variety of materials, DFs and OME. Caution, a pattern, such as a cross, is not a realistic(pictorial).
6. Cl. 17-2.4 and Cl. 17-5. 20 Any size. Specialized to mice/rats and ducks. One extra point for a Mickey Mouse button, and one for a Donald Duck button. No limit on realistics and studio buttons. Keystone Button Club. \$20, 12, 8.
Primary focus -look for activities, multiples, mother and baby. Label identifiable ducks. Secondary focus – materials. Also, look for OMEs, DFs, usage. Label a backmark.

7. Cl. 20-8 and Cl. 20-10. 20 Any size. Gnomes, Fairies, Sprites and Fabulous Creatures. No limit on realistics and studio buttons. Keystone Button Club. \$20, 12, 8.
Primary focus -look for activities, multiples. Secondary focus – materials. Also, look for OMEs, DFs, usage. Label a backmark.
8. Cl-23-9. 25 Any Size. Materials mounted in/on metal. No limit on studio buttons. PA Dutch Button Club. \$15, 10, 5
See Materials mounted in/on metal definition on page 78 of the Blue Book. Look for a wide range of materials, subject matter, OMEs and DFs.

Mount as you please/Popular Vote

9. “Home Sweet Home” – From shack to castle, show the different homes people live in. Keystone Button Club. \$20, 12, 8.

MOLLY PITCHER MEMORIAL AWARDS

INDIVIDUAL AWARDS

- 10.DIV. IX. Cl. 17-0 thru 20-24. 25 Any Size. Specialized to realistics. No limit on studio buttons. \$50, 30, 20.
- 11.DIV. IX. Cl. 15-1 and 15-3. 25 Any Size Bone assorted (including antler) and Ivory assorted. No balance required. No Limit on realistics or studio buttons. \$50, 30, 20.
Note: Ivory includes the tooth or tusk of the African or Asian elephant, walrus, hippopotamus, narwhal, or warthog.