



Cincinnati Region
Sports Car Club of America



Annual Awards

Jim Johnston Driver of the Year

(*Aka National Driver of the Year*)

In 1958, Jim Johnston became Cincinnati Region's first National Champion. The trophy is awarded each year to the Region's driver who has achieved the highest level of success in road racing (be it amateur or professional) of any Cincinnati Region driver.

2022 Bill Niemeyer Jr.	2007 Jason Henderson	1989 Larry Schumacher
2021 Rob Bax	2006 Tom Patton	1988 Terry Hohnecker
2020 Rob Bax	2005 Tom Patton	1987 Dave McDowell
2019 Rob Bax	2004 Chuck Brewer	1986 Greg Graham
2018 Tom Patton	2003 Tom Patton	1985 Greg Graham
2017 Tom Patton	2002 Tom Patton	1984 Greg Graham
2016 Tom Patton	2001 Bill Niemeyer Jr.	1983 Dave McDowell
2015 Tom Patton	2000 Bill Niemeyer Jr.	1982 John O'Steen
2014 Tom Patton & Richard Colburn	1999 Tom Patton	1981 John O'Steen
2013 Richard Colburn	1998 B.J. Zacharias	1980 John O'Steen
2012 Stephen Jenks	1996 B.J. Zacharias	1979 John O'Steen
2011 Tom Patton	1995 David Doran	1978 Mike Yablon
2010 Mike Kolthoff	1994 Tom Patton	1977 Bill Farrell
2009 Tom Patton	1993 Bob Allison	1976 Tom Outcalt
2008 Tom Patton	1992 Tom Patton	1975 E.B. Lunken
	1991 Larry Schumacher	1974 Mike Yablon
	1990 Jeff Loughead	

The Ray Thompson Cup-Regional Driver of the Year

(*Aka Regional Driver of the Year*)

Former Regional Executive and race driver, Ray Thompson established this trophy to recognize the achievements of our Regional drivers. This award is not presented every year.

2022 Not awarded	2007 Stephen Jenks	1992 Brad Cook
2021 Jack Sullivan	2006 Rick Deerwester	1991 Tim Silver
2020 Thomas Schrage	2005 Shawn Slattery	1989 and 1990 Steve Benson
2019 Ben Sedler	2004 not awarded	1988 Dale Beeler
2018 Doug Seim	2003 Joe Fisher	1987 Jeff Loughead
2017 Brian Frank	2002 Robin Goins	1986 Norm Murdock
2016 Dave Kutney	2001 Jennie Morsch	1985 Dave Stefke
2015 Doug Seim	2000 Tim Reed	1984 Mike Stiffler
2014 Dave Kutney	1999 Ed Silva	1983 Dave Hamann
2013 Doug Seim	1998 Doug Lojinger	1982 Bill Farrell
2012 Brian Frank	1997 not awarded	1981 Dave McDowell
2011 Rick Deerwester	1996 Steve Batcha	1980 Terry Hohnecker
2010 Rick Deerwester	1995 Jerry Middleton	1979 Chuck Brewer
2009 Rick Deerwester	1994 Steve Lannoch	1978 Dave McDowell
2008 Doug Seim	1993 B.J. Zacharias	1977 Danny May

The Bill Niemeyer Award- Road Racing Rookie of the Year

(Aka Road Racing Rookie of the Year)

This is awarded to a driver who has a distinguished rookie season as determined by the award's donor. This award is not presented every year.

2022 Not awarded	2007 Tim Floyd	1985 Dave Stefke
2021 Jack Sullivan	2006 not awarded	1984 Jim Jaeger
2020 Thomas Schrage	2005 Kurt Niemeyer	1983 Tim Silver
2019 Not awarded	2003-2004 not awarded	1982 Chris Goldman
2018 Not awarded	2002 Brad Jaeger	1981 Tom Patton
2017 Not awarded	2001 Rick Gilhart	1980 Mike Stiffler
2016 Not awarded	2000 Dave Kienlen	1979 John Kutney
2015 Joe O'Gorman	1999 Kumar Vaswalingham	1978 John Griffith
2014 Chase Heikkila	1994-1998 not awarded	1977 Danny May
2013 not awarded	1993 Bill Niemeyer, Jr.	1976 Bill Farrell
2012 not awarded	1992 not awarded	1975 not awarded
2011 not awarded	1991 Jim Ellis	1974 Eric Ellis
2010 not awarded	1990 Rick Barger	
2009 Michael Strahm	1988-1989 not awarded	
2008 Not Awarded	1987 John Gadberry	
	1986 Norm Murdock	

The Gordon B. Miller Trophy

The Gordon B. Miller Company, a supplier of trophies to the region, donated this award. The award is given annually to the Region member who accumulates the most participation points in SCCA events.

2022 Jeff Loewe	2002 E.B. Lunken	1984 Bonnie Tyler
2021 Nathan Roberts	2001 Caleb Miller	1983 Steve Templeton
2020 Takuto Takagi	2000 Jeff Loewe	1982 Simone Smiljanic
2019 Kent Weaver	1999 Tom Phillips	1981 Jim Morsch
2018 Takuto Takagi	1998 Jeff Loewe	1980 Doug Lojinger
2017 Tim Sholar	1997 Tom Phillips	1979 Bill Braucksick
2016 Brian Walker	1996 Tom Phillips	1978 Bill Braucksick
2015 Christy Graham	1995 E.B. Lunken	1977 Jeanette Adams
2014 Takuto (Tact) Takagi	1994 E.B. Lunken	1976 Ken Curtin
2013 Patrick Witte	1993 Jon Goins	1975 Wayne Briggs
2012 Shari McCoy, Nathan Roberts	1992 John Humason	1974 Harry Gompf
2011 Gary Reckelhoff	1991 Rick Barger	1973 Bob Bruckert
2010 Brian Walker	1990 Rick Barger	1972 Bob Bruckert
2009 Brian Walker	1989 Craig Rhine	1971 Don Murphy
2008 Jerry Cabe	1988 Bonnie Tyler	1970 Jim Hall
2007 Robert Bax	1987 Craig Rhine	1969 Robert Zuehlke
2006 Kurt Niemeyer	1986 Craig Rhine	1968 Linda Abbott
2005 Kurt Niemeyer	1985 Craig Rhine	1967 Carol Hatter
2004 Roy (Chipp) Swindler		
2003 Scott Tengen		

The Robert King Memorial

Donated by Mrs. Robert (Liz) King in memory of her husband, this was first awarded in 1957, the oldest of our Regional awards. The King Memorial is awarded to the Region member who accumulates the most competition points from Cincinnati Region sanctioned competitive events (races, rallies and solos).

2022 Rob Clark	2000 Caleb Miller	1977 Dave Kutney
2021 Rob Clark	1999 Dennis Barnes	1976 Joe Galownia
2020 Duncan Latta	1998 George Herren	1975 Bill Porter
2019 Myke Dziengel	1997 Jeff Loewe	1974 Harry Gompf
2018 Ashley Ervin	1996 Pete Calkins	1973 Harry Gompf
2017 Jim Zeisler	1995 Dennis Dougan	1972 D. Rudy
2016 Colleen Cabe	1994 Steve Lannoch	1971 D. Rudy
2015 Tavis Spencer	1993 B.J. Zacharias	1970 Carol Haskins
2014 Evan Frank	1992 John Whitting	1969 R. Zuehlke
2013 Dave Rudy	1991 Lou Rohan	1968 Ray Thompson
2012 Patrick Witte	1990 Dennis Riehle	1967 P. Wallpe
2011 Dennis Barnes	1989 Dan Popp	1966 Carol Hatter
2010 Tavis Spencer	1988 Gary Velander	1965 Carol Hatter
2009 Scott Giles	1987 Jennifer Burke	1964 R. Wettenge
2008 Claire Frimming	1986 Bev Nichols	1963 Ray Thompson
2007 Jerry Cabe	1985 Linda Smiley	1962 T. Cones
2006 Jerry Cabe	1984 Marlene Obenour	1961 Ralph Crawford
2005 Paul Williams	1983 Grayden Obenour	1960 J. Brown
2004 Scott Tengen	1982 Jim Sumner	1959 T. Cones
2003 Bryan Schafer	1981 Bill Porter	1958 J. McCarty
2002 Kurt Niemeyer	1980 Bill Porter	1957 L. Manning
2001 Brenda Miller	1979 Tom Patton	
	1978 Tom Patton	

The Joel Williams Award

Joel Williams was a Cincinnati Regional Executive and a Chief of Timing & Scoring for many years. With this trophy, the current Regional Executive recognizes a member who has given exceptional service to Cincinnati Region over an extended period of time.

2022 Kent Weaver	2007 Philip Osborn	1991 Pete O'Shaughnessy
2021 Takuto Takagi	2006 Dennis Barnes	1990 Kurt Niemeyer
2020 Gordon Benson	2005 Scott Tengen	1989 Barry Burke
2019 Jeff Loewe	2004 Tony Horning	1988 Bonnie Tyler
2018 Jim Clark	2003 Fred & Ruth Zacharias	1987 Bonnie Tyler
2017 Tony Brown	2002 John Peterson	1985 Barb Hynd
2016 Christy Graham	2001 E.B. Lunken	1984 Tom Robben
2015 Bryan Schafer	2000 Bruce Wolff	1983 Bonnie Tyler
2014 Paul Williams	1999 E.B. Lunken	1982 K.C. Van Niman
2013 Bill Niemeyer Jr	1998 Tom Patton	1981 Larry & Steve Templeton
2012 Brian Walker	1997 Bob & Judy Cowie	1980 Ed & Louise Hill
2011 Todd Cholmondeley	1996 Craig Rhine	1979 Nancy Farrell
2010 E. B. Lunken	1995 Mike & Marilee Hamilton	1978 Nancy Farrell
2009 Anne & Bill Niemeyer Sr.	1994 Sam Goins	1977 Dennis Benge
2008 Judy Cowie	1993 Jo Humason	1976 Tim & Bobbi Ross
	1992 Rick Barger	1975 Carol Briggs

The Bert Hatfield Memorial Award

This award was, for many years, given to a Cincinnati Region member who excelled in Timing & Scoring. After not being presented through much of the 1980's, the award was expanded to include all race-working specialties.

2022 Christy Graham	2007 Jeff Loewe	1991 Jon Goins
2021 Christy Graham	2006 Todd Cholmondeley	1990 Sam & Elaine Goins
2020 Bob Cowie	2005 Bob & Judy Cowie	1988 Brent Sheffer
2019 Christy Graham	2004 John Peterson	1987 Brent Sheffer
2018 Jim Knepper	2003 Roy (Chipp) Swindler	1979 Nancy Farrell
2017 Jason Briggs	2002 Susan Boesel	1978 Nancy Farrell
2016 Christy Graham	2001 Todd Cholmondeley	1975 Mozelle Thiedeman
2015 Tom Phillips	2000 Tom Phillips	1974 Mozelle Thiedeman
2014 Barney Powers	1999 Craig Rhine	1973 Lou Hill
2013 Christy Graham	1997 Carol Goins	1972 Joel Williams
2012 Jerry Cabe	1996 Carol Goins	1971 Ken Pettengill
2011 Todd Cholmondeley	1995 Tom Phillips	1970 Tom Wilhem-Olson
2010 Jerry Cabe	1994 Craig Rhine	
2009 Todd Cholmondeley	1992 Jon Goins	
2008 Jason Briggs	1993 E.B. Lunken	

The Solo Rookie of the Year Award

2022 Brian Adams	2008 Tom O`Gorman
2021 Halie Sewell	
2020 Alexander Kruezkamp	
2019 Brent Tritch	
2018 Not awarded	
2017 Glenn Thompson	
2016 Michael Jefferies	
2015 Steven Glanz	
2014 Not Awarded	
2013 Douglas Glanz	
2012 Chris Donovan	
2011 Sam Payne	
2010 Not Awarded	
2009 Not Awarded	

Anne Niemeyer Competitor Support Award

Given to a member for providing long term support to competitors.

2022 Dawn Brown	2020 Doris Bax
2021 Nicole Clary	2019 Brandy Spencer

2022 Significant Membership Anniversaries

64 Years

Roger Many

55 Years

Wayne Briggs

Bob Cowie

Tim Ross

45 Years

Mike and Marilee Hamilton

Tom and Janet Patton

40 Years

Tim Silver

35 Years

Walt Anderson

Jim Clark

Joe Hennies

30 Years

Rob Bax

Pat Burns

Jeff Loewe

Bill Sarran

25 Years

Jason Briggs

Chris Howell

Bill Sarran

20 Years

Tony Brown

Sharon Floyd

Bryan Schafer

Tim South

15 Years

Brian Frank

15 cont.

Dave Hechler

Chase Heikkila

Robert Pendergess

Jerry Schafer

10 Years

Elizabeth Brown

Steve Carey

Gavin Narburgh

Mark Parsons

Emily Spencer

Allessia Spencer

Hannah Spencer

Takuto Takagi

Ben Weaver

Cincinnati Region SCCA Past Regional Executives

1957 Howard A. Bosken

1958 Frank R. Middleton

1959 Max Palm III

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1961 William B. Niemeyer

1962 Frederick B. Gifford

1963 Roger E. Many

1964 Wally A. Reese

1965 Raymond Thompson

1966 Joel Williams

1967 K.C. VanNiman

1968 Wally A. Reese

1969 Ralph Crawford

1970 Edward V. Hill

1971 K.C. VanNiman

1972 Bert J. Swafford

1973 Margot Henkle

1974 E.B. Lunken

1975 Wayne Briggs

1976 Mozelle T. Baughman

1977 Carol Briggs

1978 Bill Farrell

1979 Jack Griffith

1980 Bill Braucksick

1981 Pete Bailey

1982 Bill Braucksick

1983 Paul Prill

 Dave Toler

1984 Larry Templeton

1985 Phil Osborn

1986 Tony Horning

1987 Bill Tyler

1988 Mike Kolthoff

1989 W. Peter O'Shaughnessy

1990 Barry Burke

1991 E. B. Lunken

1992 John Peterson

1993 David Burchfield

1994 David Burchfield

1995 Kris Coombs

1996 Dennis Dougan

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1998 Dennis Dougan

1999 John Humason

2000 John Humason

2001 Royce Phillips

2002 Royce Phillips

2003 Mike Eidlin

2004 Mike Eidlin

 Bobbi Ross

2005 Bobbi Ross

2006 Scott Tengen

2007 Scott Tengen

2008 Bill Niemeyer Jr.

2009 Bill Niemeyer Jr.

2010 David Santel

2011 David Santel

2012 David Santel

2013 Tony Brown

2014 Tony Brown

2015 Tony Brown

2016 Tony Brown

2017 Tony Brown

2018 Tony Brown

2019 Tony Brown

2020 Tony Brown

2021 Tony Brown

2022 Tony Brown

2023 Jim Clark