

Winchester Arms Collectors Association

Cody Show Awards Program Display Rules July 10-12, 2026

Display Award Categories: Best Antique Arms or Related Items, Pre-1899; Best Classic Arms or Related Items, 1899-1945; Best Contemporary Arms or Related Items, 1946-1964; and Best Post-1964 Arms or Related Items.

Cash awards as follows: Glenn Hockett Best of Show \$500, George Madis Best Educational \$300 and Best Single Gun \$200. Plaques will be awarded to all displayers.

The Displayer must be a WACA member to qualify for an award.

Only Winchester-related displays will be judged and included in the awards program; however, we may allow historical non-Winchester displays for show only subject to prior-approval.

All items Displayed must belong to the person displaying to be eligible for an award, and only one member may present items on a display if it is to be judged. One person, one display.

All Displayers must complete and submit judging forms to qualify for an award. All single guns will be entered in the "Single Gun" category.

Once set up, no item may be removed from or added to the Display for the duration of the show. This ensures that the public sees the same display as judges.

Only Displays on designated Display tables will qualify for judging to win an award. Displays on trade tables do not qualify.

No item on a Display may be for sale or sold during the show.

Only one (1) award will be given to an individual Display.

All judged entries, including Single Guns, are eligible for the two top awards.

The "Best Single Gun" award will only be awarded once to any gun.

Any display winning an award (other than the Outstanding Display award) may not compete for the same award within three years of winning unless 50% or more of its contents are changed.

Misrepresentation of any display item disqualifies the display, including items not factory original not labeled as such.

The above Rules apply only to the Cody Show.