



The Photographic Alliance of Great Britain

THE 'J S LANCASTER MEDAL'

To mark Exceptional Service to the PAGB

1. The PAGB Meritorious Service Award marks service to the PAGB, the Federations, and their member clubs, but in a small number of cases the service given is so exceptional as to justify a further award.
2. To give recognition to this exceptional service the PAGB has introduced a Medal, to be known as the 'J S Lancaster Medal' named after the person who proposed the formation of the PAGB and was Secretary from the founding of the PAGB in 1930 to 1946. The medal became available from 1st January 1998.
3. No strict criteria are laid down for the award of this Medal, the main requirement being that of 'Exceptional Service'.
4. The format etc., for the administration of this Medal is as follows:
 - 4.1 The Sub-Committee charged with the administration of this award is appointed by the PAGB Executive and is published in the Handbook. Normally the Sub-Committee should be made up of members of the Executive Committee who hold the J S Lancaster Medal.
 - 4.2 Nominations are invited, the closing date for such Nominations to be 31st January in each year, such Nomination in writing should be forwarded the Chairman of the Sub-Committee.
 - 4.3 The recipients of the Medal will be announced at the PAGB Annual General Meeting, and if unable to attend, the presentation to be made at an appropriate PAGB or Federation occasion.
 - 4.4 In addition to the Medal a Certificate will also be presented.
 - 4.5 In very exceptional circumstances the Medal may be awarded to someone who is not a member of a PAGB Club.
 - 4.6 Holders of the J S Lancaster Medal are entitled to the honorific Hon PAGB, which will subsume any previous award of the APAGB.

Any nominations should be made to the Chairman of the J S Lancaster Awards Subcommittee.

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