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**ANNUAL**  
GOLDEN GLOW OF  
CHRISTMAS PAST  
*Convention*  
AUGUST 22-25, 2018  
CINCINNATI, OHIO  
CHRISTMAS IN  
*the* QUEEN CITY

# Decorated Tree Contest

We brought back the Decorated Tree Contest to encourage a different point of view on antique tree decorations. In other words, its not just what you have on the tree, it's what you do with it too!

## Show us your passion for your collection.

Let us see a little bit of your personality in your tree. Is your tree display representative of the period it came from? What makes your tree display beautiful and unique? Does your tree show a little of your personality?

*Inspire us!*

## Two Categories

- \* Pre-1940
- \* 1940-1978

Pick the category that is most representative of your decorations. However, the Tree Display Committee will be the final authority regarding the pre-1940 vs. 1940-1978 classifications. Inappropriate classifications will require the display to be modified or reclassified.

## Rules

There are only four rules:

- 1 All decorations and accompaniments (excluding lights and tree stand) must comply with the pre-1979 age rule
- 2 The category entered for your tree display must be the most representative based on the age of the ornaments
- 3 No live trees or garland
- 4 No open flames

## Prizes

Pre-1940		1940-1978	
1st Place	\$300	1st Place	\$300
2nd Place	\$200	2nd Place	\$200
3rd Place	\$100	3rd Place	\$100

Winners will be determined based on ballots filled out and turned in by convention attendees.

Ballots will be included in the registration packet.

One vote per convention attendee per Tree Display category.

Winners will be announced at the Saturday Banquet.

## Talking Museum

All Tree Display participants are encouraged to participate in the Talking Museum sessions in the Museum Room on Friday. There will be two times for the Talking Museum: 1:30pm and 2:30pm.

