

# HCCA NATIONAL NEWS



**Re:** Hershey 2019, Long Range Planning, 2020 Convention, HCCA Website, Marian Welsh Award Nominations Deadline.

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- **Hershey 2019** –

The fall *HCCA Board of Directors meeting* is scheduled for October 8, 2019, 6:30 PM at the Hershey Italian Lodge, 128 Hillcrest Rd, Hershey, PA; open to any HCCA Member. Before the meeting 5:00 PM to 6:00 PM there will be a HCCA cold buffet for \$20 per person. If you want to attend buffet, contact Bob Ladd.

The *HCCA tent* will be located at RWO 30 from Wed. Oct 9, 2019 to Fri. Oct 11, 2019. The HCCA barbecue is at noon on Fri. Oct 11, 2019.

If any local HCCA organization wants to hold a meeting at the Hershey space, they should contact the HCCA office to get a time reserved.

- **Long Range Strategic Planning** – Bob Ladd and Chris Paulsen ... Discussed the possibility of establishing a relationship with the Gilmore Museum in MI. When details are known we will keep the members advised.

- **2020 HCCA National Convention, Tour and Board Meeting** – Don Plumb has started planning the 2020 HCCA convention for next year – So far the plans are ...

**Date:** April 19 – 22, 2020

**Location:** Stateline, NV at Lake Tahoe

This event will follow a Bakersfield tour and swap meet (April 15 – 18). When more details for the event are known, we will pass the information on to the members.

- **HCCA Web Site** – HCCA Board of directors has developed a list of requirements that the organization needs for the digital world. There will be a Member Log status box that will allow a Member access to their profile information while Guest views will be limited to selected areas. Roster information ... members will have the ability to search, update on-line and print contact information. Membership renewal will be available on-line to keep members current.

Added to the HCCA site will include a HCCA Member's Comment Forum to better identify and track service issues and resolutions. The hope is to give members access to a Gazette article index and access to other club documents.

- **Marian Welsh Award Nominations** – The deadline for the submission of nominees for the 2019 Marian Welch award is September 1, 2019. If a member has a candidate to nominate, the nominee name and information should be sent to Andy Wallace, Award Chairperson, at the HCCA office. To make the case for your candidate, the submission should include the following information ...

- > Membership length in HCCA,
- > The Leadership Positions held at the Local and or National level.
- > Activities they have attended, sponsored or led,
- > The amount, type, and examples of Outstanding Service at the Local and or National levels,
- > Effort to Promote club values and
- > Helping of others / Mentoring ...

Since this is the highest honor that can be given to a HCCA member, you need to present the facts to justify such a high honor ... A list of previous winners can be found in any HCCA Roster.

In the fall of 2019, the list of candidates and information received will be sent to the directors for their review. Each HCCA Director will then fill out a ballot with their choice of the best candidate ... The winner will be announced at the 2020 National Convention.

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