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2011 BULLETIN EDITORS' CONTEST

(for 2010 publications)

2011 Educational Articles Score Sheet

TITLE OF ARTICLE _____
 AUTHOR'S NAME _____
 ADVANCED _____ If So, Give Reason _____
 BULLETIN NAME _____ DATE _____ 2010
 CLUB NAME _____
 EDITOR'S NAME AND ADDRESS _____
 _____ e-mail: _____

	SCORES		
	MAX	Deducted	FINAL
1. AUTHOR'S STYLE AND LANGUAGE (Maximum points 25)			
A. Title catchy and/or appropriate	3		
B. Author identified	3		
C. Writing interesting, easy for average member to understand	7		
D. Grammar correct and/or appropriate	7		
E. Free from irrelevant material and distortions	5		
2. ARTICLE QUALITY: VALUE OF ARTICLE (TOPIC) TO READER: (Maximum points 20) Score only <u>one</u> section & circle selected sections: A, B, C, D, or E	20		
A. Information (how-to, hints, lapidary, historical, etc.)			
or B. Science (mineralogy, geology, paleontology, etc.)			
or C. Collecting areas, old or new, not travelogue:			
or D. Club activities/Members interest (editorials, shows, civic, community, school, etc.)			
E. Humor (must relate to hobby, but can be "fun" article)			
3. AUTHOR'S EFFORT (Maximum points: 35) (Select A-1, A-2, A-3 and circle one)			
A-1. Research required or information drawn from book, magazine, bulletin, television, etc	8		
or A-2. Drawn from actual experience or observation			
or A-3. Combination of experience/observation & research			
B. No apparent copyright violations	5		
C. References given for technical matters, quotations/illustrations credited	6		
D. Appears to be accurate, facts seem correct	6		
E. Subject adequately covered for purpose intended, long enough so important facts are not omitted, no longer than necessary	10		
4. EDUCATIONAL AND/OR ENTERTAINMENT VALUE: (Maximum points: 20)	20		
Total Possible Points	100		
TOTAL POINTS AWARDED			

JUDGE'S SIGNATURE _____
 JUDGES COMMENTS: (Use back of sheet if more space is needed)