

POPULAR CHOICE MODEL CONTEST RULES AND ELIGIBILITY

1. The Popular Choice Model Contest applies to models entered in the Judged Model Contest or displayed in the Popular Choice Display Area.
2. Voting is by popular choice of all convention registrants, who may vote for their favourite model located anywhere in the contest room, including models entered in the Judged Model Contest.
3. All convention registrants are eligible to participate in this contest and will receive one ballot each.
4. All entries must be brought to the contest room, properly entered and removed by the entrant as supervised by the contest committee.
5. Entrants bringing models for the Popular Choice Display Area only must submit an entry form (904) giving name, address and brief description of the model entered. No other documentation is required. Entrants will be given a receipt which must be presented to recover the model.
6. Models placed in the Popular Choice Display Area are ineligible for evaluation in the Judged Model Contest.
7. Models entered in a previous NMRA Judged Model Contest and not placing First, Second or Third may be displayed one more time in the Popular Choice Display Area at a subsequent NFR Regional Convention.
8. Winning models from the Popular Choice Contest at a previous NFR Regional Convention are ineligible.
9. There is no restriction on the number or scale of entries per entrant. However, entries requiring more than 10 square feet of space and/or weighing more than 100 pounds are ineligible.
10. A plaque will be awarded to the winner of the Popular Choice Contest, i.e. the model with the highest number of votes.
11. A second place ribbon will be awarded to the model with the second highest number of votes. A third place ribbon will be awarded to the model with the third highest number of votes.

SPECIAL AWARD - Best-in-Show (Judged Model Contest)

1. The Best-in-Show Award goes to the highest scoring model in the Judged Model Contest.
2. Models entered in the Judged Model Contest are automatically eligible for this award.
3. The entrant does not need to designate entry for this award on the entry form.