

WITH APPRECIATION, FOR EXCELLENCE IN . . .

by Tracy Harrell



Times Editor Tracy Harrell presents the *Mustang Times* Award for Excellence to Vivian McClain.

In March, 1985 the Mustang Club of America's National Board of Directors approved a program of awards for presentation to writers and photographers for excellence in Technical Writing, Photography, Feature Writing, and News Reporting.

I had the honor of presenting the first of these awards at the Southeastern National in Chattanooga, Tennessee. Warren Daniels was awarded the *Mustang Times* plaque for excellence in Feature Writing, while Bob Vickery and Lee Wilmot were awarded plaques for Technical Writing.

At the Southern National in Biloxi, Mississippi I again had the honor of presenting a *Mustang Times* plaque, this one to Vivian McClain for excellence in News Reporting. Vivian was awarded this plaque not on the merits of any one article, but on the overall excellence of her Gulf Coast Regional Group News published in the *Times*

from October, 1984 to June, 1985.

This group of articles is a perfect example of the informative and entertaining news reporting that we all strive for.

Several more of these awards will be presented at the MCA Grand National in Atlanta, Georgia. Awards will be presented to Terry Tacker for excellence in Photography, Jim Yancey for excellence in Feature Writing, and Paul Wasser and Fred Glazier for excellence in Technical Writing, as well as others who may be chosen as recipients of this award.

The *Mustang Times* needs more Feature Stories, Technical Articles, Horse Show and Cover Car photos, and Regional Group News. Your help in making the *Times* a better publication will be appreciated. MT

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