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California Readers

A group of educators, librarians, authors, artists, parents, book sellers and others, sharing our goal to connect California authors and artists with students and educators in Southern California.

MEMBERSHIP

● Attend the dynamic annual "We Love California Authors and Artists luncheon.

● Apply for one of the Grants available.

● Access the information about California authors and artists on our website.

*All award applications are available from:
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ED PERT AWARD...

is presented in his honor to carry on his love for young people, books, and reading and to raise awareness about the creativity of

California authors and artists. The Award consists of one of the California Collections and an author presentation from a California author in the California Collection.

THE PRESIDENT'S AWARD...

This award, is an extension of the Ed Pert Award, and is given to the school who has the best luncheon display showing how the school carried out their previous year's winning proposal. The Award consists of an author luncheon attendee who will speak at your school.



BONNIE O'BRIAN AWARD...

established to honor a retired Library Services Supervisor and Founder of California Readers. This award is

presented to recognize schools that have successfully implemented their projects for the ED PERT AWARD beyond the project year. The Award consists of a California Collection Lighted Display Case and an author visit from the winner of the Leo Politi Golden Author Award.



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