

SCRAPBOOK AWARD RULES

2025-2026

THE FOLLOWING RULES WILL BE USED IN JUDGING THE ALABAMA DISTRICT ANCHOR CLUB'S SCRAPBOOKS.

1. All clubs are eligible and are encouraged to enter.
2. Scrapbooks are to be brought to the Anchor District Convention and handed in at the designated room by 9 AM on the Saturday the Convention starts. **(YOU MUST SIGN IN TO ENSURE THAT YOUR SCRAPBOOK IS JUDGED)**
3. The name of the club may be either on the cover or the second inside page (the first inside page must be blank).
4. The contents should cover the time from last year's deadline to this year's deadline. February 6, 2025 - February 28, 2026.
5. Material may be business and/or social if it pertains to Anchor activities.
6. Judging will be based on the following factors:
 - A. **Continuity of District Theme** throughout the book.
This year's theme is "Helping Other People Everywhere- HOPE"
 - B. **Material/Composition:** Articles about meetings, pictures, items to carry and illustrate them, programs, invitations, etc. Newspaper clippings should be kept to a minimum but will be accepted. Use only newspaper articles concerning Anchor activities or personal recognition of an Anchor member. When pictures are used without an accompanying article, be sure to identify the club members and briefly describe the occasion. Social media postings may also be included.
 - C. **Originality:** Use initiative and imagination. Be different and creative in displaying the items and constructing the pages.
 - D. **Neatness:** Be neat: Trim newspaper lines, smooth edges. Watch out for glue smudges and wrinkled pages.
 - E. **Suggestions:** Use an album that will hold together and travel well. Compile your book in sections, club, or district activities, or by months or seasons. Use a variety of papers and embellishments to enhance and complement the theme. Let your book tell the story of your club's year.
 - F. **Winners:** Recognition will be given to the first, second, and third place entries along with two honorable mentions.
 - G. **Judging:** Will be based on the criteria below:

Continuity of District Theme	20%
Material/Composition	30%
Originality	30%
Neatness	20%