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Editorial

It's voting time again!

The time has come to vote for the *Eighth Annual Mathematical Gazette Writing Awards*. Please use the address carrier from this issue of the *Gazette* to identify the articles and notes of 2002 that impressed you most. The *Index* for 2002 will remind you of the many good submissions.

There will again be a prize draw among those who respond. The prize will be a copy of *Stamping through Mathematics* by Robin J. Wilson.

Previous Annual Mathematical Gazette Writing Awards

Year	Best Article	Best Note(s)
2000	Michael Fox <i>Chains, froths and a 10-bead necklace</i>	Mark J. Cooker <i>Never say never: some mistaken identities</i>
		E. Keith Lloyd <i>Royal Mail 4-state barcodes</i>
2001	P. N. Ruane <i>The curious rectangles of Rollett and Rees</i>	J. A. Scott <i>Even more series for π</i>

Please indicate, in the spaces provided on the voting form, the titles of your three favourite *Articles* and your three favourite *Notes*. Note that *Matters for Debate* count as *Articles*. Alternatively, you can just write your choices in a letter or on a postcard. Each vote will be given equal weighting. The results will be announced in the July 2003 issue.

Return the form as soon as you can, and definitely by 31st May 2003 to:

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