

Now, a quarterly—

A new publication schedule

Your AMMA publication has always had a broad scope. A major function has been to announce, promote, and chronicle the annual movie makers' convention and the movie festivals that go with it. But it has also been

- A source of information about movie making techniques and products,
- A forum for exchange of ideas and opinions,
- An archive of the activities of its individual and local club members.

At the end of 2002, the new and retiring editors examined the effectiveness of *The Monitor* in relation to the effort required to produce a bimonthly publication. They concluded that a

quarterly publication schedule would permit it to fulfill its mission with a reasonable expenditure of effort by the editor (and the regional editors).

Consequently, four issues of *The Monitor* will appear yearly on about the first of March, June, September, and December. The March and June issues will include announcements of the various contests together with entry forms. September will be the convention issue, with full information about the event, typically held in early October, including the registration form. The December issue will include a recap of the convention, documenting the winners and entrants of all the contests.

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