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**The 8th Edition of the Middle East Premier Awards 2012
Arnold & Son is proud to announce the HMS1 winner of the
'Best Classical Watch'**

Arnold & Son was among the winners of The Arabian Watches & Jewellery (AWJ) Magazine's - the Middle East Premier Awards. The winners were announced in a glittering ceremony on 16th October 2012

For the eight consecutive years, Arabian Watches & Jewellery (AWJ) Magazine hosted the Middle East Premier Awards, presented alongside Jewellery Arabia 2012. The Presentation Ceremony, was accompanied by a grand dinner reception at The Ritz Carlton, in the Kingdom of Bahrain on Tuesday, 16 October, the inaugural night of Jewellery Arabia 2012. The event was attended by over 300 distinguished high profile guests.



HMS1

*18-carat white gold case, cream dial, case diameter 40 mm, A&S1001 exclusive Arnold & Son mechanical movement
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Arnold & Son is proud to communicate as winner in the category 'Best Classical Watch' the HMS1 in 18-carat white gold case with silver coloured dial. The case is 40 mm in diameter and houses a manufacture hand-wound movement which is only 2.7 mm thick. The HMS1 is a perfect reflection of traditional classical elegance in the Arnold & Son's Royal Collection. The Royal Collection which is inspired by the timepieces made during the earlier part of John Arnold's life for King George III and the royal court, the HMS1 in the Arnold & Son Royal Collection is an eloquent expression of elegance and sophistication in the inimitable English style.



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The A&S1001 calibre, with its gorgeous *Côte de Genève rayonnantes* decoration was an inspired choice and takes up the iridescent play of light that creates depth and dynamism as in the dial. The manufacture movement is made of rhodium-treated nickel silver with *haute horlogerie* finishing, with hand-chamfered bridges with exquisitely polished edges, fine circular graining and blued screws. The two barrels providing over 80 hours power reserve is a desired achievement, whereas most watches in this segment of the market only provide a single barrel. The solution of having two barrels also provides more constant power and more constant force, which will result in improved accuracy the whole time the movement is running.



A&S1001

Exclusive Arnold & Son mechanical movement, hand-wound, thickness 2.7mm, haute horlogerie finishing
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It was with great honor that Philippe Boven of Arnold & Son, received for the HMS1 the 1st prize in the category for 'Best Classical Watch' © Arnold & Son



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The winners and details of the awards in the category as follows:

Category: Best Classical Watch

Finalists:

- I) Arnold & Son - HMS1
- II) Vacheron Constantin SA - Malte 100th Anniversary Edition
- III) H. Moser & Cie - Monard Date Marrone

The Winner: Arnold & Son - HMS1

For more details on the awards and the award's photo gallery, please visit:

www.mpp-me.com

www.awj awards.com

HMS1

Main technical characteristics:

Calibre:	A&S1001
	Exclusive Arnold & Son mechanical movement, hand-wound, 21 jewels, diameter 30 mm, thickness 2.7 mm, power reserve 80 h, two barrels, 21'600 vibrations/h
Functions:	hours, minutes, small seconds at 6 o'clock
Movement decoration:	18-carat white gold case: nickel-silver movement, rhodium treated with <i>Haute Horlogerie</i> finishing: manually chamfered bridges with polished edges, fine circular graining and <i>Côtes de Genève rayonnantes</i> , blued screws
Dial colour:	silver
Case:	18-carat white gold, diameter 40 mm, cambered sapphire with anti-reflective coating on both sides, case back see-through sapphire, water-resistant to 30 m
Strap:	Hand-stitched black alligator leather
Limited edition:	100 pieces
References :	1LCAW.S03A.C111W 18-carat white gold case, silver coloured dial

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