

2023 Keystone Media Awards Contest Winners
Division V - Weekly General News Publications (over 6,000 circulation)

Category Name	Award	Organization	Entry Title	Credits
Enterprise Reporting	First Place	Bucks County Herald, Doylestown	Four deaths in six months at county jail raise questions	Freda Savana
News Beat Reporting	First Place	TheBurg, Harrisburg	Harrisburg City Government Beat	Maddie Gittens
News Beat Reporting	Second Place	Town and Country, Pennsburg	Marlborough Approves Removal at Skymount	Ernie Quatrani
News Beat Reporting	Honorable Mention	TheBurg, Harrisburg	Harrisburg School District	Maddie Gittens
Breaking News	First Place	Town and Country, Pennsburg	Prep Time Issues Snag UPSD Teachers Negotiations	Bradley Schlegel
Breaking News	Second Place	Town and Country, Pennsburg	Mother Blames UPSD Board for Daughter's Assault	Bradley Schlegel
Ongoing News Coverage	First Place	The Lititz Record Express	Localized Ukraine Coverage	Laura Knowles, Erik Yabor
Ongoing News Coverage	Second Place	Bucks County Herald, Doylestown	CB West music department chair Joseph Ohrt	Freda Savana
Ongoing News Coverage	Honorable Mention	The Centre County Gazette, State College	Honor Receipt	Vincent Corso
News Feature Story	First Place	Mountain Home, Wellsboro	Tommy Comes Home	David O'Reilly
News Feature Story	Second Place	TheBurg, Harrisburg	Unfair Housing	Maddie Gittens
News Feature Story	Honorable Mention	TheBurg, Harrisburg	A Home in Harrisburg	Deborah Lynch
Business or Consumer Story	First Place	Mountain Home, Wellsboro	The Butchers, the Bakers, the Legacy Makers	David O'Reilly
Business or Consumer Story	Second Place	Mountain Home, Wellsboro	Saving Santa Some Mileage	Lilace Mellin Guignard, Gayle Morrow, Janet McCue, Teresa Banik Capuzzo
Editorial	First Place	Town and Country, Pennsburg	15 Minutes	Larry Roeder
Editorial	Second Place	Town and Country, Pennsburg	A Reminder to Us All	Larry Roeder
Editorial	Honorable Mention	Town and Country, Pennsburg	Your Conclusion not Theirs	Larry Roeder
Column	First Place	Mountain Home, Wellsboro	Glory Hill Diaries: Cold Shoulders for Valentine's Day, Lord Help the Sister, Oh #&\$%& Tannenbaum...	Maggie Barnes

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Column	Second Place	Mountain Home, Wellsboro	Field Notes: Beetlemania, The Immoral Miss Red, Goodbyes	David Nowacoski
Column	Honorable Mention	The Lititz Record Express	"Art Goes To School" Column	Cindi Kimmel
Sports Beat Reporting	First Place	Town and Country, Pennsburg	Moments of Brilliance Lift Tribe Girls to PAC Title	Bradley Schlegel
Sports Beat Reporting	Second Place	The Centre County Gazette, State College	HS wrestling beat	Todd Irwin
Sports Beat Reporting	Honorable Mention	The Centre County Gazette, State College	PSU wrestling beat	Andy Elder
Sports/Outdoor Column	First Place	Philadelphia Sunday Sun	MVP	Chris Murray
Sports Feature	First Place	Mountain Home, Wellsboro	In a League of His Own	Steve McCloskey
Sports Feature	Second Place	The Almanac, McMurray	A regular runner	Eleanor Bailey
Sports Feature	Honorable Mention	TheBurg, Harrisburg	Fighting Back	M. Diane McCormick
Sports Enterprise	First Place	Bucks County Herald, Doylestown	Mr. October: Two-time All-Star Morton has area ties	Don Leypoldt
Sports Enterprise	Second Place	The Centre County Gazette, State College	Covid and scholastic sports	Phil Cmor
Sports Breaking News/Event Coverage	First Place	The Lititz Record Express	State champions! Warriors claim first PIAA title with 6-4 win over Liberty	Bruce Morgan
Sports Breaking News/Event Coverage	Second Place	The Lititz Record Express	Truly dedicated to the game!: Following an iconic 43-year career, Derr steps down as Warriors' field hockey coach	Bruce Morgan
Sports Breaking News/Event Coverage	Honorable Mention	The Almanac, McMurray	Celebrating the Fourth	Eleanor Bailey
Feature Story	First Place	Mountain Home, Wellsboro	The Girl Detective Who Haunts Potter County	Judith Sornberger
Feature Story	Second Place	TheBurg, Harrisburg	Poetry in HBG	Maddie Gittens
Feature Story	Honorable Mention	Mountain Home, Wellsboro	The Nose Knows	Gayle Morrow

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Personality Profile	First Place	TheBurg, Harrisburg	A Lawyer's Life	Wallace McKelvey
Personality Profile	Second Place	Mountain Home, Wellsboro	Pine Creek Jon	Lilace Mellin Guignard
Personality Profile	Honorable Mention	Bucks County Herald, Doylestown	Avi Wisnia Profile - Singer-songwriter's new album inspired by grandfather's legacy as Holocaust survivor	Jodi Spiegel Arthur
Lifestyle/Entertainment Beat	First Place	TheBurg, Harrisburg	Night Watch; All the Buzz; Green Getaway; Reigner Reigns; They Made a Stink; For the Love of a Hound	Karen Hendricks
Lifestyle/Entertainment Beat	Second Place	TheBurg, Harrisburg	Dining-Noodle Me This; It's Her Destiny; He'll Take the High Road; Cuisine & Community	Stephanie Kalina-Metzger
Lifestyle/Entertainment Beat	Honorable Mention	Mountain Home, Wellsboro	Wine Beat	Terence Lane
Breaking News Photo	First Place	Town and Country, Pennsburg	Vehicles Burn	Bob Esposito
Breaking News Photo	Second Place	Town and Country, Pennsburg	Red Hill Fire	Steve Pestrock
Breaking News Photo	Honorable Mention	Town and Country, Pennsburg	Resident Transported to Hospital Following Upper Hanover Fire	Bob Esposito
News Event Photo	First Place	Town and Country, Pennsburg	235 Seniors Graduate in Upper Perkiomen Ceremony	Bob Esposito
News Event Photo	Second Place	Bucks County Herald, Doylestown	Buckingham Friends parent Leila Yusuf gives student Zack Schmukler a hug	Regina Young
Feature Photo	First Place	Mountain Home, Wellsboro	Radiant Passage	Linda Stager
Feature Photo	Second Place	TheBurg, Harrisburg	Juneteenth Freedom Fest	Meg Caruso
Feature Photo	Honorable Mention	Mountain Home, Wellsboro	Nature's View-Master	Linda Stager
Sports Feature Photo	First Place	Bucks County Herald, Doylestown	Holy Ghost Prep celebrates the District One 4A championship.	Mike Apice
Sports Feature Photo	Second Place	The Almanac, McMurray	Rush of emotion	Eleanor Bailey
Sports Feature Photo	Honorable Mention	Town and Country, Pennsburg	Landrey DeLillo, Jess Traynor and Regan Fiorito console each other	Bob Esposito

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Sports Action Photo	First Place	Bucks County Herald, Doylestown	Pennridge's Andrew Parlee and Zac Curran battle CB South's Sean Rieber for a loose ball.	Mike Apice
Sports Action Photo	Second Place	The Almanac, McMurray	Airborne	Eleanor Bailey
Sports Action Photo	Honorable Mention	Bucks County Herald, Doylestown	CB West's Eli Boehm leaps over Garnet Valley's Justin Gretskey after catching a 33-yard pass from Ganz Cooper and taking it all the way, cutting the Jaguars' lead to 14-7.	Mike Apice
Photo Story/Essay	First Place	TheBurg, Harrisburg	Oasis for the Soul, Amethyst Retreat Center	Karen Kovacs
Photo Story/Essay	Second Place	TheBurg, Harrisburg	Support Us	Meg Caruso
Photo Story/Essay	Honorable Mention	TheBurg, Harrisburg	Treasured Threads	Meg Caruso
News Page Design	First Place	Allied News, Grove City	Growing EMS crisis; Airport expansion; DEP waterways data; New candy man; A cup of comfort; Back in his element	John Zavinski
Feature Page Design	First Place	Bucks County Herald, Doylestown	Front page of the Living-Entertainment-Art section; PrideFest Photo Feature page	Michael Naylor
Feature Page Design	Second Place	TheBurg, Harrisburg	City Cinema; Mural Mecca; Timeless Ties	Meg Caruso
Headline Writing	First Place	Mountain Home, Wellsboro	Over the Hill; Tom Foolery; A Needle Runs Through It	Staff
Headline Writing	Second Place	TheBurg, Harrisburg	Seasons Geekings; Besto Pesto; The Louvre of Lunchmeat	Lawrance Binda
Headline Writing	Honorable Mention	Mountain Home, Wellsboro	There's No Place Like Tomes for the Holiday; Wine & Spirits; Against the Grain	Staff
Graphic/Photo Illustration	First Place	TheBurg, Harrisburg	Harrisburg Skyline	Rich Hauck

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Graphic/Photo Illustration	Second Place	TheBurg, Harrisburg	Black History & Culture	Michelle Green
Graphic/Photo Illustration	Honorable Mention	TheBurg, Harrisburg	Adopt Me!	Ryan Spahr
Features Videos	First Place	Bucks County Herald, Doylestown	'Miracle in Bucks County' is a nine-minute feature film that tells the remarkable story of how, in the wake of the pandemic, ordinary citizens of Bucks County saved the Bucks County Herald.	Jennifer Lin, Thomas Brunt, Ann Meredith
Podcast	First Place	TheBurg, Harrisburg	TheBurg Podcast Feb., May, Sept.	Karen Hendricks
Special Section	First Place	Bucks County Herald, Doylestown	Bucks Family Magazine	Ron Dacanay, Felicia Zegler, Ann Meredith
Special Section	Second Place	Bucks County Herald, Doylestown	Bucks Living	Felicia Zegler, Ron Dacanay, Ann Meredith
Excellence in Reporting on Diversity- Equity and Inclusion	First Place	TheBurg, Harrisburg	Across Generations; A Home in Harrisburg; The Painted Word; Jump for Joy; Across Cultures, Genres	Bob MacGinnes, Stephanie Kalina-Metzger, M. Diane McCormick, Deborah Lynch
Excellence in Reporting on Diversity- Equity and Inclusion	Second Place	TheBurg, Harrisburg	Sisterhood with a Squeeze; Brotherly Bonding; Heritage Heralded; Getting the Word Out; Behind the Seams	Maddie Gittens, Susan Ryder, Rachel Lindsley
Excellence in Reporting on Diversity- Equity and Inclusion	Honorable Mention	TheBurg, Harrisburg	Freedom Festival; In the Spotlight; A Lasting Legacy; B&B Breaking Barriers; Taste of Home	Maddie Gittens, M. Diane McCormick, Karen Hendricks