

**1998 Professional Keystone Press Awards
Division I - Daily Sunday Circulation - Over 100,000**

Category Name	Award	Organization	Credits	Entry Title
Public Service/ Investgative Reporting	First Place	The Philadelphia Inquirer	Gilbert Gaul	"Libraries in Distress"
Public Service/ Investgative Reporting	Second Place	The Philadelphia Inquirer	Marc Kaufman and Dan Stets	"Board of City Trusts"
Editorial	First Place	Patriot-News Co., Harrisburg	Herb Field	
Editorial	Second Place	The Philadelphia Inquirer	Russell Cooke	
Editorial	Honorable Mention	Pittsburgh Post-Gazette	Tom Waseleski	
Column	First Place	Philadelphia Daily News	Elmer Smith	
Column	Second Place	Pittsburgh Post-Gazette	Sally Kalson	
Spot News	First Place	Philadelphia Daily News	Staff	"Ira Einhorn"
Spot News	Second Place	The Philadelphia Inquirer	L. Stuart Ditzen	"Avoid poor, black jurors"
Ongoing News Coverage	First Place	Philadelphia Daily News	Staff	"Craig Rabinowitz"
Ongoing News Coverage	Second Place	Philadelphia Daily News	Bob Warner and Joseph R. Daughen	"Crime data"
Ongoing News Coverage	Honorable Mention	The Philadelphia Inquirer	Staff	"The President's volunteer summit"
Series	First Place	The Philadelphia Inquirer	Mark Bowden	"Blackhawk down"
Series	Second Place	Pittsburgh Post-Gazette	Steve Twedt	"Patients in Classroom"
Sports Story	First Place	The Philadelphia Inquirer	Michael Sokolove	"Phillies: Too white, too cheap, too bad"
Sports Story	Second Place	Pittsburgh Post-Gazette	Shelly Anderson	"On top of the world"
Sports Story	Honorable Mention	Pittsburgh Post-Gazette	Cristina Rouvalis and Robert Dvorchak	"Cordova's trip to the big leagues"
Sports / Outdoor Column	First Place	Philadelphia Daily News	Bill Conlin	"Rich Ashburn"
Sports / Outdoor Column	Second Place	Pittsburgh Post-Gazette	Gene Collier	

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Sports / Outdoor Column	Honorable Mention	Pittsburgh Post-Gazette	Bob Smizik	
Feature Story	First Place	The Philadelphia Inquirer	Michael Sokolove	"Vanished"
Feature Story	Second Place	Pittsburgh Post-Gazette	Christina Rouvalis	"Faith, funds and ethics"
Feature Story	Honorable Mention	The Philadelphia Inquirer	Suzanne Sataline	
Feature Story	Honorable Mention	The Morning Call, Allentown	Mario F. Catabini	
Feature Story	Honorable Mention	Philadelphia Daily News	Barbara Laker	
Family Life/ Living Story	First Place	Pittsburgh Post-Gazette	Ellen Mazo Perlmutter	
Family Life/ Living Story	Second Place	The Philadelphia Inquirer	Lini Kadaba	"Teenagers and accidental parents"
Business or Consumer Story	First Place	The Morning Call, Allentown	Staff	"The Power of Choice"
Business or Consumer Story	Second Place	The Philadelphia Inquirer	Karl Stark and Craig McCoy	"An HMO find lots of money in poverty"
Business or Consumer Story	Honorable Mention	The Morning Call, Allentown	Dan Shope and Wendy Warren	"10 years later- Mack's move South"
News Beat Reporting	First Place	Philadelphia Daily News	Staff	"Rethinking Philadelphia"
News Beat Reporting	Second Place	The Philadelphia Inquirer	Craig McCoy and Clea Benson	"Computer Assisted Crime"
News Beat Reporting	Honorable Mention	Pittsburgh Post-Gazette	Don Hopey	"Best of Don Hopey"
Feature Beat Reporting	First Place	Philadelphia Daily News	Don Russell	"Joe Six Pack"
Feature Beat Reporting	Second Place	The Philadelphia Inquirer	Bill Macklin	
News Photo	First Place	Pittsburgh Post-Gazette	Martha Rial	"Facing bigotry"
News Photo	Second Place	Pittsburgh Post-Gazette	John Beale	"Healing hug"
Feature Photo	First Place	Patriot-News Co., Harrisburg	John C. Whitehead	"Lesson no. 1"
Feature Photo	Second Place	The Philadelphia Inquirer	Eric Mencher	"Bass fiddle"

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Photo Story	Second Place	Pittsburgh Post-Gazette	John Beale	"Love is not enough"
Photo Story	Honorable Mention	The Philadelphia Inquirer	Michael Wirtz	"Behind the veil"
Sports Photo	First Place	Philadelphia Daily News	David Maialetti	"Dunk"
Sports Photo	Second Place	The Philadelphia Inquirer	Eric Mencher	"Lindros celebrates"
Sports Photo	Honorable Mention	Philadelphia Daily News	George Reynolds	"Take out"
Sports Photo	Honorable Mention	Pittsburgh Post-Gazette	John Beale	"Lewistown lunacy"
Front Page Design	First Place	Pittsburgh Post-Gazette	Chris Pett-Ridge and the copy desk	
Front Page Design	Second Place	Philadelphia Daily News	Jon Snyder, Domini Wolocko and John Sherlock	
Page Design	First Place	Pittsburgh Post-Gazette	Bill Pliske	
Page Design	Second Place	The Philadelphia Inquirer	David Milne	
Graphic/ Photo Illustration	First Place	Pittsburgh Post-Gazette	Daniel Marsula	
Graphic/ Photo Illustration	Second Place	Pittsburgh Post-Gazette	Ted Crow	
Headline Writing	First Place	Philadelphia Daily News	Michael Schefer	
Headline Writing	Second Place	The Philadelphia Inquirer	Virginia Delavan	
Headline Writing	Honorable Mention	The Philadelphia Inquirer	Nick Cristiano	
Headline Writing	Honorable Mention	Philadelphia Daily News	Doug Darroch	
Headline Writing	Honorable Mention	Lancaster Newspapers Inc.	Mary Ellen Wright	

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Division II - Daily Sunday Circulation - 50,000-100,000**

Category Name	Award	Organization	Credits	Entry Title
Public Service/ Investgative Reporting	First Place	Reading Eagle Co.	Dan Kelly	"Maxwell Fisher murder"
Public Service/ Investgative Reporting	Second Place	The Scranton Times/Tribune	Frank Scholz	"Scranton Sewer Authority"
Editorial	First Place	The Express-Times, Easton	James S. Flagg	
Editorial	Second Place	The Tribune-Democrat, Johnstown	Larry Hudon and David Levine	
Column	First Place	The Express-Times, Easton	Frank Keegan	
Column	Second Place	Reading Eagle Co.	Kevin Cramsey	
Spot News	First Place	Delaware County Daily & Sunday Times, Primos	Staff	"Bomar Busted"
Spot News	Second Place	Reading Eagle Co.	Jason Kahl, Jason Bruderick, and Stever Reinbrecht	"Rampaging Rig"
Spot News	Honorable Mention	The Intelligencer Record, Doylestown	Staff	"Miley Found Dead in Michigan"
Ongoing News Coverage	First Place	Tribune-Review, Greensburg	Robin Acion	"Death in Boise"
Ongoing News Coverage	Second Place	York Daily Record	Staff	"Golden Venture"
Ongoing News Coverage	Honorable Mention	Delaware County Daily & Sunday Times, Primos	Staff	"People vs. DuPoint"
Series	First Place	The Scranton Times/Tribune	David Slade, Frank Scholz and Vince Coveleskie	"Tax Roulette"
Series	Second Place	Tribune-Review, Greensburg	Staff	"We the People"
Sports Story	First Place	Bucks County Courier Times, Levittown	Dana Kilmer	"Ugly Fans"
Sports Story	Second Place	The Scranton Times/Tribune	Scott Reinardy	"Facing the challenge"
Sports Story	Honorable Mention	Delaware County Daily & Sunday Times, Primos	Greg Greenday	"Where had wiffle gone"
Sports / Outdoor Column	First Place	The Scranton Times/Tribune	Scott Reinardy	

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Sports / Outdoor Column	Second Place	Reading Eagle Co.	Rich Scarcella	
Sports / Outdoor Column	Honorable Mention	Delaware County Daily & Sunday Times, Primos	Bob Brookerover	
Feature Story	First Place	Bucks County Courier Times, Levittown	Gwen Shrift	"Divas of drag"
Feature Story	Second Place	The Tribune-Democrat, Johnstown	Kris Swauger	"The world I smy pulpit"
Feature Story	Honorable Mention	York Daily Record	Mike Argento	"York's family tree rooted down South"
Feature Story	Honorable Mention	Reading Eagle Co.	Mike Drago	"For edge, darkness gives"
Family Life/ Living Story	First Place	York Daily Record	Staff	"A Day in the Lives of Children"
Family Life/ Living Story	Second Place	Times Publishing Co., Erie	Sherry Rieder	"Circumcision Decision"
Business or Consumer Story	First Place	York Daily Record	Carrie A. Liberate	"Licensed to File"
Business or Consumer Story	Second Place	Tribune-Review, Greensburg	Eric Heyl	"Slow Takeoff"
News Beat Reporting	First Place	Bucks County Courier Times, Levittown	Carlos Sadovi	
News Beat Reporting	Second Place	Tribune-Review, Greensburg	Thomas Olson	
Feature Beat Reporting	First Place	York Daily Record	Karen M. Phil	
Feature Beat Reporting	Second Place	The Times Leader, Wilkes-Barre	Alan K. Stout	
Feature Beat Reporting	Honorable Mention	York Daily Record	Mindy Arbaugh	
News Photo	First Place	Reading Eagle Co.	John A. Secoges	"Fatal fire"
News Photo	Second Place	The Times Leader, Wilkes-Barre	Pete G. Wilcox	"Burning bride"
News Photo	Honorable Mention	Tribune-Review, Greensburg	Eric McCandless	"Tired fireman"
Feature Photo	First Place	The Intelligencer Record, Doylestown	Steven Haffner-Stearns	"Pump up the volume"
Feature Photo	Second Place	The Scranton Times/Tribune	Timothy Butler	"Blue heron and deer"

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Feature Photo	Honorable Mention	Bucks County Courier Times, Levittown	Art Gentile	"Dance fever"
Photo Story	First Place	Bucks County Courier Times, Levittown	Bill Johnson	"Divas of drag"
Photo Story	Second Place	The Scranton Times/Tribune	Timothy Butler	"He makes horse calls"
Photo Story	Honorable Mention	Times Publishing Co., Erie	Jack Hanrahan	"Horseshoe pond"
Sports Photo	First Place	The Intelligencer Record, Doylestown	Nanette Kardaszkeski	"Glory for the goalkeeper"
Sports Photo	Second Place	The Scranton Times/Tribune	Timothy Butler	"Boxing at the Whisle's"
Front Page Design	First Place	no winners		
Front Page Design	Second Place	no winners		
Page Design	First Place	Times Publishing Co., Erie	Brenda Martin	
Page Design	Second Place	Tribune-Review, Greensburg	Kristin Giron	
Graphic/ Photo Illustration	First Place	Tribune-Review, Greensburg	Randy Bish	
Graphic/ Photo Illustration	Second Place	The Times Leader, Wilkes-Barre	Mindy Blackwell	
Headline Writing	First Place	York Daily Record	Mark Moore	
Headline Writing	Second Place	Bucks County Courier Times, Levittown	Staff	

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Category Name	Award	Organization	Credits	Entry Title
Public Service/ Investgative Reporting	First Place	Daily Local News, West Chester	Staff	
Public Service/ Investgative Reporting	Second Place	Lancaster New Era	Ernest Schreiber	"Dead drunk"
Editorial	First Place	The York Dispatch/ Sunday News	Scott Fisher	
Editorial	Second Place	Beaver County Times	Jane C. Musala	
Editorial	Honorable Mention	Daily Local News, West Chester	William M. Caufield	
Column	First Place	Intelligencer-Journal, Lancaster	Jeff Hawkes	
Column	Second Place	Williamsport Sun-Gazette	Tom Wilson	"Getting in Times; 20 Years Later; Tee and Sympathy"
Column	Honorable Mention	Lancaster New Era	Tim Buckwalter	
Column	Honorable Mention	Observer-Reporter, Washington	Bryon Smialek	
Spot News	First Place	Altoona Mirror, Altoona	Staff	"Details of tragedy"
Spot News	Second Place	Times Publishing Co., Erie	Ryan Fischer, Jim Kinney, and George Miller	"Erie loses small part of IP's master plan"
Spot News	Honorable Mention	Observer-Reporter, Washington	Staff	"Smoked out"
Ongoing News Coverage	First Place	Intelligencer-Journal, Lancaster	Paul Bomberger and staff	"Judge Releases Lambert"
Ongoing News Coverage	Second Place	Lancaster New Era	Janet Kelly and Cindy Staffer	"Lisa Lambert Appeal"
Ongoing News Coverage	Honorable Mention	Pottsville Republican	Staff	"Making a Monument"
Ongoing News Coverage	Honorable Mention	Valley News Dispatch, Tarentum	Staff	"Frank's Market"
Series	First Place	The York Dispatch/ Sunday News	Staff	"Welfar Reform"
Series	Second Place	Lancaster New Era	Susan Jurgelski	"The End Zone"

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Series	Honorable Mention	Valley News Dispatch, Tarentum	Tony Klimko, Matt Provenzo, and Trish Hooper	
Sports Story	First Place	The York Dispatch/ Sunday News	Dan Connolly	"He's a far cry from the boy he used to be"
Sports Story	Second Place	Beaver County Times	Charlie Young	"Marathon maneuvers"
Sports Story	Honorable Mention	Pottsville Republican	Chris Courogen	"When Ruch throws, everybody watches"
Sports Story	Honorable Mention	Beaver County Times	Bill Utterback	"Athletes, not pioneers"
Sports / Outdoor Column	First Place	Beaver County Times	Jane C. Musala	
Sports / Outdoor Column	Second Place	Valley News Dispatch, Tarentum	Rick Starr	
Sports / Outdoor Column	Second Place	Lancaster New Era	Ad Crable	
Sports / Outdoor Column	Honorable Mention	Daily Local News, West Chester	Tom Tantum	
Feature Story	First Place	Beaver County Times	Lori DeLauter	"The wall awaits"
Feature Story	Second Place	The York Dispatch/ Sunday News	Frank Bodani	"Suburban cowboys"
Feature Story	Honorable Mention	The York Dispatch/ Sunday News	Debie Noel	"Bobby Simpson"
Feature Story	Honorable Mention	Beaver County Times	Jane Musala	"Kip"
Family Life/ Living Story	First Place	Beaver County Times	Karen Ferrick-Roman	"From Bill to Valerie"
Family Life/ Living Story	Second Place	Beaver County Times	Sandra Fishione Donovan	"A Fresh Start"
Family Life/ Living Story	Honorable Mention	The York Dispatch/ Sunday News	Christina Gostomski	"Changing Faces of AIDS"
Business or Consumer Story	First Place	Valley News Dispatch, Tarentum	Matthew Provenzo and Tom Yerace	"Bridges to the future"
Business or Consumer Story	Second Place	The York Dispatch/ Sunday News	Patricia Poist-Reilly	"How healthy is York area economy?"

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Business or Consumer Story	Honorable Mention	Lancaster New Era	Diane Bitting	"Businessman/kid mixes up music at his DJ service"
News Beat Reporting	First Place	Lancaster New Era	Tim Buckwalter	
News Beat Reporting	Second Place	The York Dispatch/ Sunday News	Patricia Poist-Reilly	
News Beat Reporting	Honorable Mention	Pottsville Republican	Pamela E. Walck	
Feature Beat Reporting	First Place	Intelligencer-Journal, Lancaster	Jon Ferguson	"Tommy Lee, Dr. John Moby, Eddie Money, Peter Wolf, Marco Parker"
Feature Beat Reporting	Second Place	Valley News Dispatch, Tarentum	John Brown	"Just Kids"
Feature Beat Reporting	Honorable Mention	Daily Local News, West Chester	Elene C. Brown	"Incredible Journey; Hike for Cure/ Journey of Hope"
News Photo	First Place	Observer-Reporter, Washington	David Grib	"Tree plane"
News Photo	Second Place	Valley News Dispatch, Tarentum	Louis B. Reudiger	"KKK gather inside city county building"
News Photo	Honorable Mention	Beaver County Times	Clifton K. Page	"Worker trapped in ditch"
Feature Photo	First Place	Valley News Dispatch, Tarentum	W.T. Larkin	"Fired up"
Feature Photo	Second Place	Observer-Reporter, Washington	David Grib	"Consumed by his work"
Feature Photo	Honorable Mention	Observer-Reporter, Washington	Stan Diamond	"Sounds of silence"
Feature Photo	Honorable Mention	Lancaster New Era	Marty Heisey	"Balance beams"
Feature Photo	Honorable Mention	Observer-Reporter, Washington	Jim McNutt	"Always first with me"
Photo Story	First Place	Valley News Dispatch, Tarentum	Louis Reudiger	"Overcome the demons"
Photo Story	Second Place	Valley News Dispatch, Tarentum	Louis Reudiger and Jeff Swensen	"Love meets hate- KKK rally"
Sports Photo	First Place	Intelligencer-Journal, Lancaster	Suzette L. Wnger	"Pig chase"
Sports Photo	Second Place	Observer-Reporter, Washington	Thomas Coglio	"Out of title range"
Sports Photo	Honorable Mention	Observer-Reporter, Washington	Jim McNutt	"Always first with me"

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Front Page Design	First Place	Observer-Reporter, Washington	Brent Newman	
Front Page Design	Second Place	Observer-Reporter, Washington	Terry Snead	
Page Design	First Place	Beaver County Times	Clifton Page	
Page Design	Second Place	Beaver County Times	James Pane	
Graphic/ Photo Illustration	First Place	Beaver County Times	Jeanette L. Holko	
Headline Writing	First Place	The York Dispatch/ Sunday News	Todd Mountford	
Headline Writing	Second Place	Intelligencer-Journal, Lancaster	Douglas Harper	

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Category Name	Award	Organization	Credits	Entry Title
Public Service/ Investgative Reporting	First Place	Herald-Standard, Uniontown	Paul Sunyak	"Voter fraud"
Public Service/ Investgative Reporting	Second Place	North Hills New Record, Warrendale	Ramesh Santanam and Robyn Tomlin	"Ticket to Revenue"
Editorial	First Place	Press Enterprise, Bloomsburg	Jim Sachetti	
Editorial	Second Place	The Evening Sun, Hanover	Mike Hoover	
Editorial	Honorable Mention	The Herald, Sharon	Noel Carroll	
Editorial	Honorable Mention	The Mercury, Pottstown	Walter L. Herring	
Column	First Place	Centre Daily Times, States College	William D. Lebzelter III	
Column	Second Place	North Hills New Record, Warrendale	William Loeffler	
Column	Honorable Mention	The Mercury, Pottstown	Jim Kerr	
Spot News	First Place	Times Publishing Co., Erie	John Guerriero and Jack Grazier	"Erie businessman Homer Mosco faces assault weapons charge"
Spot News	Second Place	The Times Herald, Norristown	Jason Wermers	"3 year-old found dead in creek"
Spot News	Honorable Mention	New Castle News	Staff	"The Zambelli balst"
Ongoing News Coverage	First Place	Centre Daily Times, States College	Vicki Cheng and Jim Mackinnon	"Penn State acquisitions"
Ongoing News Coverage	Second Place	Public Opinion, Chambersburg	Staff	"Nellie Fox in the Hall of Fame"
Ongoing News Coverage	Honorable Mention	North Hills New Record, Warrendale	Robyn Tomlin and Gordon Ovenshine	"James Zwick"
Series	First Place	North Hills New Record, Warrendale	Frank Pastor	"Anatomy of a Recovery"
Series	Second Place	Public Opinion, Chambersburg	Kristin B. Ellisa	"Culture's last stand"
Sports Story	First Place	Centre Daily Times, States College	Kimberly Jones	"Built in Union City"

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Sports Story	Second Place	Press Enterprise, Bloomsburg	Chris Krepich	"The Fall of wrestling"
Sports Story	Honorable Mention	Centre Daily Times, States College	Chris Rosenbaum	"Come One, Come Call"
Sports Story	Honorable Mention	Press Enterprise, Bloomsburg	Hugh Lessig	"Area races find sport in pigeon's instinctive flight"
Sports / Outdoor Column	First Place	The Evening Sun, Hanover	Dave La Torre	
Sports / Outdoor Column	Second Place	New Castle News	Tim Kolodziej	
Sports / Outdoor Column	Honorable Mention	The Mercury, Pottstown	Terry Brady	
Sports / Outdoor Column	Honorable Mention	The Dominion Post, Morgantown	Bob Hertzell	
Feature Story	First Place	New Castle News	Andrew Pleasant	"Profiles in peace"
Feature Story	Second Place	Press Enterprise, Bloomsburg	Patrick Lester	"Working the Underworld"
Feature Story	Honorable Mention	Press Enterprise, Bloomsburg	Staff	"Agnes: Flood of Memories"
Family Life/ Living Story	First Place	New Castle News	Renee Genreau	"Chernobyl's Children"
Family Life/ Living Story	Second Place	Butler Eagle	Linda K. Schitmeyer	"Brother Jim"
Family Life/ Living Story	Honorable Mention	The Herald, Sharon	Karen Coates	"Polk families"
Family Life/ Living Story	Honorable Mention	New Castle News	Tim Kolodziej	"Small wonder"
Business or Consumer Story	First Place	Centre Daily Times, States College	Jim Mackinnon	"Power struggle"
Business or Consumer Story	Second Place	Herald-Standard, Uniontown	C.M. Mortimer	"Consol hopes to mine Greene Site"
Business or Consumer Story	Honorable Mention	The Mercury, Pottstown	Todd Sherman	"Landfill's dirty little secret"
News Beat Reporting	First Place	Public Opinion, Chambersburg	Amy Wallauer	

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News Beat Reporting	Second Place	The Dominion Post, Morgantown	Kim Oriole	
Feature Beat Reporting	First Place	Public Opinion, Chambersburg	Melvin Durai	
Feature Beat Reporting	Second Place	Centre Daily Times, States College	Jerilynn Schumacher	
Feature Beat Reporting	Honorable Mention	Times Publishing Co., Erie	David Richards	
Feature Beat Reporting	Honorable Mention	The Herald, Sharon	Jennifer Hall	
News Photo	First Place	Hazelton Standard-Speaker	David C. Haupt	"Fire photo"
News Photo	Second Place	Centre Daily Times, States College	Michelle Klein	"All is nigh"
News Photo	Honorable Mention	The Evening Sun, Hanover	Keith Boyer	"Drug arrest"
News Photo	Honorable Mention	The Evening Sun, Hanover	Christopher Glass	"Missing Mike"
Feature Photo	First Place	Lebanon Daily News	Earl Brightbil	"Draped flag"
Feature Photo	Second Place	Times Publishing Co., Erie	Jack Hanrahan	"Ice fisherman"
Photo Story	First Place	The Dominion Post, Morgantown	Martin Valent	"The joy of dance"
Photo Story	Second Place	New Castle News	Andrew Pleasant	"Deep in faith"
Photo Story	Honorable Mention	Times Publishing Co., Erie	Jack Hanrahan	"Florence Reed closes shop"
Sports Photo	First Place	Press Enterprise, Bloomsburg	Jennifer Domenick	"Courtside comfort"
Sports Photo	Second Place	The Mercury, Pottstown	Daniel P. Creighton	"Out of the way"
Front Page Design	First Place	The Herald, Sharon	Richard Young	
Front Page Design	Second Place	Centre Daily Times, States College	Michael A. Rabkin	
Page Design	First Place	The Dominion Post, Morgantown	Mark Stacy	
Page Design	Second Place	The Daily Item, Sunbury	William Foley	
Graphic/ Photo Illustration	First Place	The Dominion Post, Morgantown	Michael Fisher	
Graphic/ Photo Illustration	Second Place	Times Publishing Co., Erie	Rich Forsgren	
Headline Writing	First Place	The Daily Item, Sunbury	William V. Foley	
Headline Writing	Second Place	The Evening Sun, Hanover	Wanda Murren	

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Category Name	Award	Organization	Credits	Entry Title
Public Service/ Investgative Reporting	First Place	The Reporter, Landsdale	Staff	"Right to Know"
Public Service/ Investgative Reporting	Second Place	Leader Times, Kittanning	Staff	"Armstrong Album"
Editorial	First Place	Bedford Daily Gazette	Christopher Frear	
Editorial	Second Place	The Bradford Era	Marty Robacker Wilder	
Column	First Place	The Express, Lock Haven	Jim Runkle	
Column	Second Place	The Courier-Express, DuBois	Denny Bonavita	
Column	Honorable Mention	The Bradford Era	Marty Robacker Wilder	
Spot News	First Place	The Express, Lock Haven	Jim Runkle	"McClellan, Weigel Charged With Murder"
Spot News	Second Place	The Indiana Gazette	Wendy Szakelyhidi	"We didn't have a chance"
Ongoing News Coverage	First Place	The Derrick, Oil City	Lisa Thompson	"Shenee Freeman Murder"
Ongoing News Coverage	Second Place	The Reporter, Landsdale	Erin Neff	"Documentary"
Series	First Place	The Reporter, Landsdale	Peter Loftus, Kathleen Carey and Lynda Liverpool	"Live Long & Prosper"
Series	Second Place	The Reporter, Landsdale	Staff	"Layers of Government"
Sports Story	First Place	The Reporter, Landsdale	Vince Carey and Dave Shultz	"NP Replaces Football Coach"
Sports Story	Second Place	The Daily Courier, Connellsville	Bob Frye	"Whitetail world"
Sports / Outdoor Column	First Place	Bedford Daily Gazette	Harry Guyer Jr.	
Sports / Outdoor Column	Second Place	Bedford Daily Gazette	Paul Rowan	
Feature Story	First Place	Times News, Leighton	Pattie K. Mihalik	"All I really need to know I learned in kindergaren"
Feature Story	Second Place	Times News, Leighton	Marigrace Heyer	"Unrest at the Hickory Run Cemetery"

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Family Life/ Living Story	First Place	Times News, Leighton	Pattie K. Mihalik	"When stroke strikes children"
Family Life/ Living Story	Second Place	Standard-Observer, Irwin	Linda Antoniak-Metz	"Mother, daughter battling together"
Business or Consumer Story	First Place	The Reporter, Landsdale	Vinod Menon, Kathleen Carey, and Mark Locher	"Main Street Landsdale"
Business or Consumer Story	Second Place	The Reporter, Landsdale	Linda Stein and Vinod Menon	"Super market sweepstakes"
Business or Consumer Story	Honorable Mention	Times News, Leighton	Pattie K. Mihalik and Marigrace Heyer	"Dilemma: Consumers weigh deadly risks versus safety"
News Beat Reporting	First Place	The Sentinel, Carlisle	David Wenner	"Environment"
News Beat Reporting	Second Place	The Reporter, Landsdale	Linda Liverpool and Carmen Woodruff	"A Common Dream"
News Beat Reporting	Honorable Mention	The Legal Intelligencer, Phildelphia	Ritchenya Shepherd	"Environmental Law Coverage"
Feature Beat Reporting	First Place	The Sentinel, Carlisle	Karla Browne	
Feature Beat Reporting	Second Place	The Reporter, Landsdale	Anita Gogno	
News Photo	First Place	The Sentinel, Carlisle	Jason Minick	"Barn fire"
News Photo	Second Place	The Valley Independent, Monessen	Jim Ference	Tire fire
Feature Photo	First Place	The News-Item, Shamokin	Glenn F. Knarr	"Hale-Bopp Out your backdoor"
Feature Photo	Second Place	The Courier-Express, DuBois	Paul A. Wilson	"Amish hunter"
Feature Photo	Honorable Mention	The Reporter, Landsdale	Christopher A. Stanley	"Special olympics"
Photo Story	First Place	The Sentinel, Lewistown	Dan Gleiter	"A night on the town"
Photo Story	Second Place	The Sentinel, Carlisle	Michael E. Bupp	"Baby gets first swimming lesson"
Sports Photo	First Place	The Sentinel, Lewistown	Jason Minick	"State champions"
Front Page Design	First Place	The Reporter, Landsdale	Phil Freedman	
Front Page Design	Second Place	The Sentinel, Lewistown	Chuck Wagner	
Page Design	First Place	The Sentinel, Carlisle	James Norman	

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Page Design	Second Place	The Valley Independent, Monessen	Rebecca Crea	
Graphic/ Photo Illustration	First Place	The Sentinel, Carlisle	James Norman	
Graphic/ Photo Illustration	Second Place	The Reporter, Landsdale	Mark Locher	
Headline Writing	First Place	The Sentinel, Carlisle	Kurt Wanfriend	
Headline Writing	Second Place	The Reporter, Landsdale	Mary Roe	

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Category Name	Award	Organization	Credits	Entry Title
Public Service/ Investgative Reporting	First Place	Philadelphia City Paper	Scott Farmelant	"Flying with Fumo"
Public Service/ Investgative Reporting	Second Place	Philadelphia Business Journal	Peg Brickley	"SBA honoree has criminal past"
Editorial	First Place	Main Line Times, Ardmore	Daniel A. Eisenhuth	"Dupoint; Investigate System"
Editorial	Second Place	The Almanac, McMurray	Doug Muetzel	"Public Has Right, Judge a Coach, What to Do With Evil"
Column	First Place	Philadelphia Weekly	Tim Whitaker	
Column	Second Place	South Philadelphia Review	Tom Cardella	
Column	Honorable Mention	Philadelphia Business Journal	Dell Poncet	
Column	Honorable Mention	Main Line Times, Ardmore	Daniel A. Eisenhuth	
Spot News	First Place	New Gleaner Publications Inc., Philadelphia	Kevin Coorey and David Foster	"Bedlam at Bridge St."
Spot News	Second Place	The Almanac, McMurray	Bob Williams	"Rally raises fears"
Ongoing News Coverage	First Place	Philadelphia City Paper	Frank Lewis and Howard Altman	"Missing"
Ongoing News Coverage	Second Place	Main Line Times, Ardmore	Kathy O'Laughlin	"Willard murder investigation"
Ongoing News Coverage	Honorable Mention	The Ambler Gazette, Fort Washington	Linda Finarelli	"Teacher Under Suspension"
Series	First Place	South Philadelphia Review	John McNally	"Fleeing South Philly"
Series	Second Place	Main Line Times, Ardmore	Christina Alex and Sophia Pearson	"Tax reassessment series"
Sports Story	First Place	Philadelphia City Paper	Frank Lewis	"Alliance of the Slams"
Sports Story	Second Place	Philadelphia City Paper	Scott Farmelant	"Coach"
Sports Story	Honorable Mention	Main Line Times, Ardmore	Martin Emeno Jr.	"An outsiders view of football camp"
Sports Story	Honorable Mention	Philadelphia City Paper	Howard Altman	"King's Pawns"

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Sports / Outdoor Column	First Place	The Almanac, McMurray	Eleanor Bailey	
Sports / Outdoor Column	Second Place	Norwin Star, Monroeville	Joe Moorhead	
Feature Story	First Place	Philadelphia City Paper	Neil Gladstone	"What's Your Pitch"
Feature Story	Second Place	Philadelphia Weekly	Christopher McDougall	"Welcome to the Badlands High School: Mission of Faith"
Feature Story	Second Place	New Gleaner Publications Inc., Philadelphia	David Foster	"This Classroom is a Microsociety"
Family Life/ Living Story	First Place	New Gleaner Publications Inc., Philadelphia	David J. Foster	"When Cancer Hits Home"
Family Life/ Living Story	Second Place	Main Line Times, Ardmore	Christina Alex	"He Put A Face to AIDS"
Business or Consumer Story	First Place	Philadelphia Weekly	Eils Lotozo	"High on Grasse"
Business or Consumer Story	Second Place	Philadelphia Gay News	Kevin D. Melrose	"Raising the bar: Nightlife is changing for clubs"
Business or Consumer Story	Honorable Mention	New Gleaner Publications Inc., Philadelphia	David Foster	"Wing nuts to Peanuts"
News Beat Reporting	First Place	Philadelphia Weekly	Eils Lotozo	"Blighttown USA"
News Beat Reporting	Second Place	News of Delaware County, Havertown	Jeff Gelman	"Police News"
News Beat Reporting	Honorable Mention	Philadelphia Gay News	Karen M. Goulart	"Religion Reporting"
Feature Beat Reporting	First Place	Philadelphia Gay News	Harriet L. Schwartz	
Feature Beat Reporting	Second Place	Philadelphia Gay News	Robert DiGiacomo	
Feature Beat Reporting	Second Place	Philadelphia City Paper	Margit Detweiler	
News Photo	First Place	Main Line Times, Ardmore	Pete Bannan	"Side trip"
News Photo	Second Place	Northeast Times Newsweekly	Lawrence M. Browne	"Academy Road accident"

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News Photo	Honorable Mention	South Philadelphia Review	Jules Vuotto	"Conflict of interest"
News Photo	Honorable Mention	Sunday Dispatch, Pittson	Cara Menichelli	"Fireman battles flames"
Feature Photo	First Place	Main Line Times, Ardmore	Pete Bannan	"Zap"
Feature Photo	Second Place	Montgomeryville Spirit, Fort Washington	Bob Raines	"Pep Talk"
Feature Photo	Honorable Mention	Cranberry Journal, Monroeville	Louis Raggiunti	"Taste test"
Photo Story	First Place	Philadelphia City Paper	Julia Lehman	"Day and night on 13th Street"
Photo Story	Second Place	Cranberry Journal, Monroeville	Louis Raggiunti	"Snowed under"
Photo Story	Honorable Mention	Main Line Times, Ardmore	Dawn Blake	"Through a competitors eyes"
Sports Photo	First Place	Cranberry Journal, Monroeville	Louis Raggiunti	"Racers battle heat"
Sports Photo	Second Place	Main Line Times, Ardmore	Pete Bannan	"Ouch"
Sports Photo	Honorable Mention	Sunday Dispatch, Pittson	Cara Menichelli	
Sports Photo	Honorable Mention	Northeast Times Newsweekly	Lawrence M. Browne	"Safe at second"
Front Page Design	First Place	Philadelphia Weekly	Mark Evans	
Front Page Design	Second Place	Northeast PA Business Journal, Kingston	Chris Kuhar	
Page Design	First Place	An Scathan/ Celtic Mirror, Ashland	Hugh Dougherty	
Page Design	Second Place	Philadelphia Business Journal	Traci Canning	
Graphic/ Photo Illustration	First Place	Northeast PA Business Journal, Kingston	Chris Kuhar	
Headline Writing	First Place	Main Line Times, Ardmore	Warren W. Patton	
Headline Writing	Second Place	Philadelphia Gay News	Patti Tihey	

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Category Name	Award	Organization	Credits	Entry Title
Public Service/ Investgative Reporting	First Place	East Penn Press, Allentown	John Hillman	"Septic System Problems"
Editorial	First Place	Public Spirit, Hatboro	Christina Flint	
Editorial	Second Place	The Kennett Paper, Kennett Square	David Yeats-Thomas	
Editorial	Honorable Mention	Souderton Independent	Barbara McClennen	
Column	First Place	The Leader-Vindicator, New Bethlehem	Joseph Shaw	
Column	Second Place	The Ephrata Review	Andrew Fasnacht	
Column	Honorable Mention	Press and Journal, Middletown	Joy Owens	
Column	Honorable Mention	Press and Journal, Middletown	Rita Zapotocky	
Spot News	First Place	The Kennett Paper, Kennett Square	Monica Thompson	"Shooting Spree"
Spot News	Second Place	The New-Age Examiner, Tunkhannock	Michael J. Rudolf	"Unlicensed teen driver kills two; stepfather charged"
Ongoing News Coverage	First Place	Times-Express, Monroeville	Merle Jantz	"Flood coverage"
Ongoing News Coverage	Second Place	The Leader-Vindicator, New Bethlehem	Joseph Shaw	"Redbank Valley controversy"
Series	First Place	The Kennett Paper, Kennett Square	Mary Skrzat Hutchins	"Domestic Violence"
Series	Second Place	Press and Journal, Middletown	Joy Owens	"Touched by crime"
Sports Story	First Place	Souderton Independent	Alex Frazier	"Darrah Retires"
Sports Story	Second Place	Souderton Independent	Mary Jane Souder	"These dads are in a league of their own"
Sports Story	Honorable Mention	The Kennett Paper, Kennett Square	Monica Thompson and Todd Rigler	"KHS girls: team with an attitude"
Sports Story	Honorable Mention	The Ephrata Review	Todd Ruth	"State Champ!!"
Sports / Outdoor Column	First Place	Times-Express, Monroeville	Jon Surmacz	

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Sports / Outdoor Column	Second Place	The News-Chronicle, Shippensburg	Bill Ferris	
Feature Story	First Place	Souderton Independent	Alex Frazier	"Still going"
Feature Story	Second Place	Upper Dauphin Sentinel, Millersburg	Mary Louise James	She said 'I cry a lot'
Feature Story	Honorable Mention	The Ephrata Review	Andrew Fasnacht	"Friends for life"
Family Life/ Living Story	First Place	The Wellsboro-Gazette	Natalie Kennedy	"Tioga man spends his morning making waves along route 15"
Family Life/ Living Story	Second Place	The Patriot, Kutztown	Linda Sterner	"Area family savors annual onion festival"
Family Life/ Living Story	Honorable Mention	Times-Express, Monroeville	Rebecca Sodergren	"In need of 5"
Business or Consumer Story	First Place	The Fulton County News, McConnellsburg	Jean Snyder	"Local women on the move"
Business or Consumer Story	Second Place	Times-Express, Monroeville	Rebecca Sodergren	"Vets institute"
News Beat Reporting	First Place	Times Chronicle, Jenkintown	Stephen Esack	
News Beat Reporting	First Place	Times Chronicle, Jenkintown	Evelyn Short	
Feature Beat Reporting	First Place	The Advance of Bucks County, Newtown	Diana R. Bowen and Sandy Heuckroth	"One Covered Bridge Coming Up"
Feature Beat Reporting	Second Place	The Lilitz Record-Express	Richard Reitz and Stephen Seeber	"Lilitz Run Watershed"
News Photo	First Place	County Press, Newtown Square	Mike Perillo	"Reflections on the trial"
News Photo	Second Place	Yardley News	Jeff Warner	"Fire rips through landmark"
News Photo	Honorable Mention	Souderton Independent	Alex Frazier	"Turret of Holly House"
News Photo	Honorable Mention	The Leader-Vindicator, New Bethlehem	Joseph Shaw	"Wall of remembrance"
Feature Photo	First Place	South Hills Record, Monroeville	Pat Gaskill	"Listening up"
Feature Photo	Second Place	Press and Journal, Middletown	Jeffery C. Warren	"Cat animal hospital"

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Feature Photo	Honorable Mention	Souderton Independent	Colleen Coll	"Fingerprints"
Feature Photo	Honorable Mention	The Kennett Paper, Kennett Square	Mary Skrzat Hutchins	"I found one"
Photo Story	First Place	Public Spirit, Hatboro	Scott Roman	"The Grace maker"
Photo Story	Second Place	The Boyertown Area Times	Harold E. Hoch	"Berks Champions"
Photo Story	Honorable Mention	Yardley News	Jeff Werner	"Land mark up in flames"
Photo Story	Honorable Mention	East Penn Press, Allentown	Susan Kalan	"Camp Camelot"
Sports Photo	First Place	Press and Journal, Middletown	Kalim A. Bhatti	"Golden boy"
Sports Photo	Second Place	County Press, Newtown Square	Mike Perillo	"Mid-air collision"
Sports Photo	Honorable Mention	County Press, Newtown Square	Cessie Giuliano	"Mike Lavery"
Sports Photo	Honorable Mention	The Ephrata Review	Preston Whitcraft	"State champ"
Front Page Design	First Place	Public Spirit, Hatboro	Christine Flint and Scott Roman	
Front Page Design	Second Place	Souderton Independent	Barbara McClennen	
Page Design	First Place	Public Spirit, Hatboro	Scott Roman	
Graphic/ Photo Illustration	First Place	no winners		
Graphic/ Photo Illustration	Second Place	no winners		
Headline Writing	First Place	The Lilitz Record-Express	Richard Reitz	

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Category Name	Award	Organization	Credits	Entry Title
Public Service/ Investgative Reporting	First Place	no winners		
Public Service/ Investgative Reporting	Second Place	no winners		
Editorial	First Place	Allied News, Grove City	Brian David	
Editorial	Second Place	Quakertown Free Press	Sara Hauff	
Column	First Place	Delaware Valley News, Frenchtown	Nicholas DiGiovanni	
Column	Second Place	Delaware Valley News, Frenchtown	Karen DeLisle	
Column	Honorable Mention	Allied News, Grove City	Chauntel Gallagher	
Column	Honorable Mention	The News of Southern Berks, Boyertown	Jolynn Weiler	
Spot News	First Place	Plum Advance Lader, Monroeville	Chris Strohm	"Racial Tension"
Spot News	Second Place	Spring-Ford Reporter, Royersford	Janet Jones	"Toddler Drowns in Perkiomen Creek"
Spot News	Honorable Mention	Hershey Chronicle	Jeff McCloud and Judy Estchmaier	"Amusement tax"
Ongoing News Coverage	First Place	Glenside News, Jenkintown	Evelyn Short	"Space Struggle at Glenside- Weldon"
Ongoing News Coverage	Second Place	Elizabethtown Chronicle	Megan Murphy and Jim Hazen	"FBI Investigation"
Series	First Place	The Legal Intelligencer, Philadelphia	Richard Brust	"Escrow thefts"
Series	Second Place	Elizabethtown Chronicle	Megan Murphy	"Libraries look to the future"
Sports Story	First Place	Allied News, Grove City	Nathan Summer	"Second and Goal"
Sports Story	Second Place	The Independent-Enterprise, Edinboro	David Bruce	"Triple Team"
Sports / Outdoor Column	First Place	Sewicklet Herald, Monroeville	Vince Townley	"Vince's Voice"
Sports / Outdoor Column	Second Place	The Independent-Enterprise, Edinboro	David Bruce	"Commentray by David Bruce"
Feature Story	First Place	Allied News, Grove City	Rebecca Beinlich	"Can't stop her smile"
Feature Story	Second Place	Whitehall-Coplay Press, Allentown	Marcia White and Pat Ryder	"Still in Vietnam"

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Family Life/ Living Story	First Place	Whitehall-Coplay Press, Allentown	Pattie Mihalik, Margaret Sneary, and Marcia White	"Life after stroke"
Family Life/ Living Story	Second Place	The News of Southern Berks, Boyertown	Kjolynn Weiler	"Pain Ebbs, Healing Begins"
Business or Consumer Story	First Place	Spring-Ford Reporter, Royersford	Jim Martin	"Nelson's dips and dips as temperature rises"
Business or Consumer Story	Second Place	Allied News, Grove City	Felicia Petro	"Grinding it out"
News Beat Reporting	First Place	Woodland Progress, Monroeville	Brian Estadt	"Education beat"
News Beat Reporting	Second Place	Elizabethtown Chronicle	Megan Murphy	"Education beat"
News Beat Reporting	Honorable Mention	Whitehall-Coplay Press, Allentown	Marcia White	"100 days"
Feature Beat Reporting	First Place	The News of Southern Berks, Boyertown	Jolynn Weiler	
Feature Beat Reporting	Second Place	Allied News, Grove City	Chauntel Gallagher	
News Photo	First Place	Spring-Ford Reporter, Royersford	Janet Jones	"Monday accident"
News Photo	Second Place	The Duquesne Duke, Pittsburgh	Anthony Conroy	"Peace rally"
News Photo	Honorable Mention	Hershey Chronicle	Judy Etschmaier	"Trian crash"
News Photo	Honorable Mention	Allied News, Grove City	Tina Horner	"GC Shops fire"
Feature Photo	First Place	Delaware Valley News, Frenchtown	John Hester	"Rain on his parade"
Feature Photo	Second Place	Spring-Ford Reporter, Royersford	Janet Jones	"Sumer sizzles"
Feature Photo	Honorable Mention	The Globe, Jenkintown	Nan S. Bers	"4th of July parade"
Feature Photo	Honorable Mention	Haverford Press, Newtown Square	Michael Perillo	"Pie in the sky"
Photo Story	First Place	The Duquesne Duke, Pittsburgh	Brian Bell and Anthony Conroy	"Klan March"
Photo Story	Second Place	The Globe, Jenkintown	Nan S. Bers	"Ukrainian Festival"
Photo Story	Honorable Mention	The Independent-Enterprise, Edinboro	Better Dietrich	"Long journey ends for devils"

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Photo Story	Honorable Mention	The Hamburg Item	Harold E. Hoch	"Hot time at the old ball game"
Sports Photo	First Place	The Abington Journal, Dallas	Chad Sebring	"Soccer action"
Sports Photo	Second Place	Will Grove Guide, Souderton	Scott Roman	"Tripped up"
Sports Photo	Honorable Mention	The Citizen-Standard, Valley View	Ray Silcox	"Shoots for two"
Sports Photo	Honorable Mention	The News of Southern Berks, Boyertown	Harold E. Hoch	"High speed collision"
Front Page Design	First Place	Will Grove Guide, Souderton	Christina Flint and Scott Roman	
Front Page Design	Second Place	Allied News, Grove City	Brian David	
Page Design	First Place	Will Grove Guide, Souderton	Scott Roman	
Graphic/ Photo Illustration	First Place	no winners		
Graphic/ Photo Illustration	Second Place	no winners		
Headline Writing	First Place	The Dallas Post	Ronald Bartizek	
Headline Writing	Second Place	Delaware Valley News, Frenchtown	Rod Hirsh	