

Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

3 Best Front Page Bolivar Herald - Free Press

Front Page 1st Place

9-S Best Columnist - Serious Bolivar Herald - Free Press

Sarah West

1st Place

10-F Best Feature Photograph Bolivar Herald - Free Press

Charlotte Marsch

Swan 1st Place

36 Best Online Newspaper or Website Bolivar Herald - Free Press

Bolivar Mo News 1st Place

10-N Best News Photograph Bolivar Herald - Free Press

Jessica Oliver

Wreck 2nd Place

12-N Best Ad Idea or Promotion of the Newspaper Bolivar Herald - Free Press

Billie Marsh

Christmas 2nd Place

25 Best Coverage of Rural Life or Agriculture Bolivar Herald - Free Press

Staff

Ag Briefs 2nd Place

26 Best Story About Rural Life or Agriculture Bolivar Herald - Free Press

Jim Hamilton

Taking Life One Leap At A Time 2nd Place

27 Best Story About Religion Bolivar Herald - Free Press

Charlotte Marsch

Garden Of Eat'n 3rd Place

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| 33 | Best Information Graphic | Bolivar Herald - Free Press |
| | Charlotte Marsch | |
| | County Population | 3rd Place |
| 20 | Best Special Section | Bolivar Herald - Free Press |
| | Today's Woman Foodies | HM |
| 24 | Best Coverage of Government | Bolivar Herald - Free Press |
| | Staff | |
| | Animal Pound | HM |
| 27 | Best Story About Religion | Bolivar Herald - Free Press |
| | Sarah West | |
| | Pure Joy | HM |

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Newspaper
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5 Best News Story

Branson Tri-Lakes News

Tyler Francke and Mindy Honey

Picking Up

1st Place

11 Best Photo Package

Branson Tri-Lakes News

Staff

2011 Flood

1st Place

16 Best Sports Pages

Branson Tri-Lakes News

3rd Place

1 General Excellence

Branson Tri-Lakes News

HM

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Newspaper
Place

14 Community Service

Buffalo Reflex

2nd Place

20 Best Special Section

Buffalo Reflex

Buffalo Reflex

Women's Section

2nd Place

20 Best Special Section

Buffalo Reflex

Country Neighbor

3rd Place

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Newspaper
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10-S Best Sports Photograph

Cass County
Democrat-Missourian

Stephanie Yeagle

Crushing Finish

1st Place

30 Best Story About History

Cass County
Democrat-Missourian

Allen Edmonds

Carry Nation

1st Place

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Newspaper
Place

7 Best News or Feature Series

Cass County Democrat-Missourian

Allen Edmonds

Drug Court

2nd Place

10-F Best Feature Photograph

Cass County Democrat-Missourian

Ashley Freburg

Frozen

2nd Place

15 Best Editorial Pages

Cass County Democrat-Missourian

2nd Place

24 Best Coverage of Government

Cass County Democrat-Missourian

Allen Edmonds

Presiding Commissioner

2nd Place

3 Best Front Page

Cass County Democrat-Missourian

Front Page

3rd Place

5 Best News Story

Cass County Democrat-Missourian

Allen Edmonds

Moreland Arrest

3rd Place

10-N Best News Photograph

Cass County Democrat-Missourian

Allen Edmonds

Hero

3rd Place

1 General Excellence

Cass County Democrat-Missourian

3rd Place

10-N Best News Photograph

Cass County Democrat-Missourian

Allen Edmonds

Carver Memorial

HM

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| 11 | Best Photo Package | Cass County Democrat-Missourian |
| | Allen Edmonds | |
| | Wet And Wild | HM |
| 17 | Best Sports News Story or Package | Cass County Democrat-Missourian |
| | Stephanie Yeagle | |
| | Family Tradition | HM |
| 18 | Best Sports Feature Story | Cass County Democrat-Missourian |
| | Stephanie Yeagle | |
| | Family Athletes | HM |
| 27 | Best Story About Religion | Cass County Democrat-Missourian |
| | Ashley Freburg | |
| | Easter Cantata | HM |
| 2 | Best Front to Back Newspaper Design | Cass County Democrat-Missourian |
| | 5/13, 9/2, 9/16 Issues | HM |

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Newspaper
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6 Best Feature Story

Cedar County Republican

Adam Stillman

The Most Interesting Man In Stockton

HM

10-I Best Photo Illustration

Cedar County Republican

Becky Groff

Docudrama

HM

19 Best Sports Columnist

Cedar County Republican

Adam Stillman

David - Others

HM

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Newspaper
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7 Best News or Feature Series

Christian County Headliner News

Emily Letterman

Paula Hall

1st Place

9-H Best Columnist - Humorous

Christian County Headliner News

Donna Osborn

Donna

1st Place

10-F Best Feature Photograph

Christian County Headliner News

Emily Letterman

Shooter

1st Place

10-I Best Photo Illustration

Christian County Headliner News

Amelia Wigton

Sexting

1st Place

21 Best Investigative Reporting

Christian County Headliner News

Brady Brite

Living Large

1st Place

28 Best Story About Education

Christian County Headliner News

Emily Letterman

Unfriended

1st Place

8 Tilghman Cloud Memorial Editorial

Christian County Headliner News

Children

1st Place

5 Best News Story

Christian County Headliner News

Amelia Wigton

Gadgets

1st Place

2 Best Front to Back Newspaper Design

Christian County Headliner News

2nd Place

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| 3 | Best Front Page | Christian County Headliner News |
| | Front Page | 2nd Place |
| 9-S | Best Columnist - Serious | Christian County Headliner News |
| | Emily Letterman | |
| | Emily | 2nd Place |
| 10-I | Best Photo Illustration | Christian County Headliner News |
| | Adam Letterman and Emily Letterman | |
| | Decoded | 2nd Place |
| 19 | Best Sports Columnist | Christian County Headliner News |
| | Brett Christie | |
| | Bottom Line | 2nd Place |
| 20 | Best Special Section | Christian County Headliner News |
| | Progress | 2nd Place |
| 21 | Best Investigative Reporting | Christian County Headliner News |
| | Amelia Wigton | |
| | Flood Plain | 2nd Place |
| 28 | Best Story About Education | Christian County Headliner News |
| | Emily Letterman | |
| | Fat Factor | 2nd Place |
| 30 | Best Story About History | Christian County Headliner News |
| | Amelia Wigton | |
| | Train | 2nd Place |
| 1 | General Excellence | Christian County Headliner News |
| | Excellence | 3rd Place |
| 6 | Best Feature Story | Christian County Headliner News |
| | Brady Brite and Donna Osborn | |
| | Burned Alive | 3rd Place |

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| 7 | Best News or Feature Series | Christian County Headliner News |
| | Amelia Wigton | |
| | Sexting | 3rd Place |
| 7 | Best News or Feature Series | Christian County Headliner News |
| | Amelia Wigton | |
| | Poverty | HM |
| 19 | Best Sports Columnist | Christian County Headliner News |
| | Brady Brite | |
| | Bottom Line | HM |
| 8 | Tilghman Cloud Memorial Editorial | Christian County Headliner News |
| | Collateral Damage | HM |

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47-H Best Columnist - Humorous

Columbia Daily Tribune

Irene Haskins

Person; Grandma Attention

1st Place

48-S Best Sports Photograph

Columbia Daily Tribune

Don Shrubshell

Fly Ball

1st Place

50-A Best Ad Idea or Promotion of an Advertiser

Columbia Daily Tribune

Millard Family Funeral Home

1st Place

58 Best Special Section

Columbia Daily Tribune

Our Town 2011

1st Place

41 Best Front Page

Columbia Daily Tribune

Staff

2nd Place

48-S Best Sports Photograph

Columbia Daily Tribune

Don Shrubshell

Snagging The Throw

2nd Place

50-A Best Ad Idea or Promotion of an Advertiser

Columbia Daily Tribune

Betz Jewelers

2nd Place

50-N Best Ad Idea or Promotion for the Newspaper

Columbia Daily Tribune

Elizabeth King and Linda Hays

Truly The Place

2nd Place

57 Best Sports Columnist

Columbia Daily Tribune

Joe Walljasper

Some; Not Every; Why

2nd Place

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| 62 | Best Coverage of Government Columbia Daily Tribune Rob Sanders Coverage | Columbia Daily Tribune 2nd Place |
| 40 | Best Front to Back Newspaper Design | Columbia Daily Tribune 3rd Place |
| 50-A | Best Ad Idea or Promotion of an Advertiser American Shoe | Columbia Daily Tribune 3rd Place |
| 50-N | Best Ad Idea or Promotion for the Newspaper Linda Hays and Elizabeth King Score! | Columbia Daily Tribune 3rd Place |
| 56 | Best Sports Feature Story Dave Matter Tigers Lend Helping Hand | Columbia Daily Tribune 3rd Place |
| 59 | Best Investigative Reporting Rudi Keller Mamtek | Columbia Daily Tribune 3rd Place |
| 60 | Best Local Business Coverage Columbia Daily Tribune Sept. 24, Oct. 8, Nov. 26 | Columbia Daily Tribune 3rd Place |
| 45 | Best News or Feature Series Rudi Keller Life During Wartime | Columbia Daily Tribune HM |
| 48-N | Best News Photograph Don Shrubshell Police Question Woman | Columbia Daily Tribune HM |
| 55 | Best Sports News Story or Package David Briggs Carl Edwards | Columbia Daily Tribune HM |

62 Best Coverage of Government

Columbia Daily Tribune

Columbia Daily Tribune

Tax Credit Debate

HM

65 Best Story About Education

Columbia Daily Tribune

Catherine Martin

Graving Problem

HM

71 Best Editorial Cartoon

Columbia Daily Tribune

John Darkow

Job Market

HM

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Newspaper
Place

39 General Excellence

Columbia Missourian

Staff

1st Place

40 Best Front to Back Newspaper Design

Columbia Missourian

Staff

1st Place

43 Best News Story

Columbia Missourian

Josh Barone and Kellie Kotraba

No Relief

1st Place

44 Best Feature Story

Columbia Missourian

Anthony Schick

Flood

1st Place

48-S Best Sports Photograph

Columbia Missourian

Matthew Busch

Independence Bowl

1st Place

49 Best Photo Package

Columbia Missourian

Sarah Hoffman and Matthew Busch

Goodbye

1st Place

50-A Best Ad Idea or Promotion of an Advertiser

Columbia Missourian

Dan Jacobs

Alpine Park

1st Place

55 Best Sports News Story or Package

Columbia Missourian

Harry Plumer

Sports News-new Frontier

1st Place

59 Best Investigative Reporting

Columbia Missourian

Brad Racino

Trailer Park

1st Place

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| 61 | Best Business Story - News or Feature | Columbia Missourian |
| | Robson Abbott | |
| | Vino Venue | 1st Place |
| 64 | Best Story About Rural Life or Agriculture | Columbia Missourian |
| | Anthony Schick | |
| | Flood | 1st Place |
| 65 | Best Story About Education | Columbia Missourian |
| | Abby Eisenberg and Garrett Evans | |
| | Poverty | 1st Place |
| 66 | Best Story About the Outdoors | Columbia Missourian |
| | Brian Nordli | |
| | Elk | 1st Place |
| 67 | Best Story About History | Columbia Missourian |
| | Alex Baumhardt | |
| | Discovered, Lost | 1st Place |
| 69 | Best Page Design | Columbia Missourian |
| | Staff | |
| | March 4, 6a | 1st Place |
| 70 | Best Information Graphic | Columbia Missourian |
| | Rachel Post and LeeAnn Elias | |
| | Ticket | 1st Place |
| 73 | Best Video | Columbia Missourian |
| | Matthew Busch | |
| | Regency | 1st Place |
| 74 | Best Headline Writing | Columbia Missourian |
| | Staff | |
| | Awaiting Game Etc. | 1st Place |
| 75 | Best Story About Religion | Columbia Missourian |
| | Craig Thomas | |
| | Contemporary Creed | 1st Place |

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| 62 | Best Coverage of Government Staff Columbia Regency | Columbia Missourian 1st Place |
| 51 | Best News Content | Columbia Missourian 1st Place |
| 43 | Best News Story Waqas Naeem Vacant Homes | Columbia Missourian 2nd Place |
| 48-F | Best Feature Photograph Nick Michael Caterpillar | Columbia Missourian 2nd Place |
| 48-N | Best News Photograph Kristen Zeis Reflections - A Man | Columbia Missourian 2nd Place |
| 48-S | Best Sports Photograph Katie Currid Hickman Student | Columbia Missourian 2nd Place |
| 49 | Best Photo Package Madison Mack Stood Up | Columbia Missourian 2nd Place |
| 50-A | Best Ad Idea or Promotion of an Advertiser Dan Jacobs Missouri | Columbia Missourian 2nd Place |
| 50-N | Best Ad Idea or Promotion for the Newspaper Dan Jacobs History | Columbia Missourian 2nd Place |
| 54 | Best Sports Pages Staff Mar. 24, Oct. 19, Sept. 1 | Columbia Missourian 2nd Place |

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| 55 | Best Sports News Story or Package | Columbia Missourian |
| | Ben Frederickson | |
| | Coach Haith | 2nd Place |
| 56 | Best Sports Feature Story | Columbia Missourian |
| | Brendan Meyer | |
| | Gentle Giant | 2nd Place |
| 57 | Best Sports Columnist | Columbia Missourian |
| | Harry Plumer | |
| | Sports Columnist | 2nd Place |
| 59 | Best Investigative Reporting | Columbia Missourian |
| | Walker Moskop | |
| | Leading To Blacks | 2nd Place |
| 64 | Best Story About Rural Life or Agriculture | Columbia Missourian |
| | Eric Holmberg | |
| | Mules | 2nd Place |
| 66 | Best Story About the Outdoors | Columbia Missourian |
| | Emilie Stigliani | |
| | Hell Benders | 2nd Place |
| 69 | Best Page Design | Columbia Missourian |
| | Staff | |
| | Sept. 11-12, 4-5a | 2nd Place |
| 70 | Best Information Graphic | Columbia Missourian |
| | Anthony Schick | |
| | Stream Cleaning | 2nd Place |
| 73 | Best Video | Columbia Missourian |
| | Nick Michael | |
| | Staying Home | 2nd Place |
| 41 | Best Front Page | Columbia Missourian |
| | | 3rd Place |

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| 43 | Best News Story | Columbia Missourian |
| | Jessica Pupovac | |
| | Aging | 3rd Place |
| 48-F | Best Feature Photograph | Columbia Missourian |
| | Sara Johnson | |
| | Battle | 3rd Place |
| 48-N | Best News Photograph | Columbia Missourian |
| | Christopher Parks | |
| | Ramadan | 3rd Place |
| 50-A | Best Ad Idea or Promotion of an Advertiser | Columbia Missourian |
| | Dan Jacobs | |
| | Something New | 3rd Place |
| 52 | Community Service Award | Columbia Missourian |
| | Staff | |
| | Transit Budget Talks | 3rd Place |
| 56 | Best Sports Feature Story | Columbia Missourian |
| | Ben Frederickson | |
| | Serious Competition | 3rd Place |
| 58 | Best Special Section | Columbia Missourian |
| | Staff | |
| | Sec | 3rd Place |
| 64 | Best Story About Rural Life or Agriculture | Columbia Missourian |
| | Lydia Mulvany | |
| | Hogs | 3rd Place |
| 65 | Best Story About Education | Columbia Missourian |
| | Sarah Horn | |
| | Achievement Gap | 3rd Place |
| 66 | Best Story About the Outdoors | Columbia Missourian |
| | Hannah Wiese | |
| | Bats | 3rd Place |

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| 68 | Best Coverage of Community/People/Lifestyles Staff Patriotism | Columbia Missourian 3rd Place |
| 69 | Best Page Design Staff April 5, 4-5a | Columbia Missourian 3rd Place |
| 70 | Best Information Graphic Nicole Thompson Boiler | Columbia Missourian 3rd Place |
| 73 | Best Video Christopher Parks Boonville | Columbia Missourian 3rd Place |
| 45 | Best News or Feature Series Sangeeta Shastry Kahler Trial | Columbia Missourian 3rd Place |
| 62 | Best Coverage of Government Staff Ward Reapportionment | Columbia Missourian 3rd Place |
| 43 | Best News Story Anthony Schick Soldier's Return | Columbia Missourian HM |
| 43 | Best News Story Kellie Kotraba New Kelsi | Columbia Missourian HM |
| 44 | Best Feature Story Josh Barone Death On Hold | Columbia Missourian HM |
| 49 | Best Photo Package Katie Currid Speak Memory | Columbia Missourian HM |

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| 56 | Best Sports Feature Story | Columbia Missourian |
| | Harry Plumer | |
| | Dirty Games | HM |
| 59 | Best Investigative Reporting | Columbia Missourian |
| | Josh Barone and Kellie Kotraba | |
| | No Relief | HM |
| 61 | Best Business Story - News or Feature | Columbia Missourian |
| | Walker Moskop | |
| | Loans | HM |
| 66 | Best Story About the Outdoors | Columbia Missourian |
| | Melissa Klauda | |
| | Cicadas | HM |
| 67 | Best Story About History | Columbia Missourian |
| | Sarah Tucker | |
| | Civil War | HM |

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Newspaper
Place

12-A Best Ad Idea or Promotion of an Advertiser

Commonwealth

Margie Rude

Connect To

2nd Place

5 Best News Story

Commonwealth

Stephen Shearer

Frigid Morning

HM

15 Best Editorial Pages

Commonwealth

HM

22 Best Local Business Coverage

Commonwealth

Staff

3 Issues

HM

25 Best Coverage of Rural Life or Agriculture

Commonwealth

Staff

October

HM

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Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

4 Best Breaking News Story Cross Country Times

Laura Scott

Fire At 2nd Place

8 Tilghman Cloud Memorial Editorial Cross Country Times

Laura Scott

Still Shedding 2nd Place

31 Best Coverage of Community/People/Lifestyles Cross Country Times

Porter 3rd Place

22 Best Local Business Coverage Cross Country Times

Staff

June; Oct; Oct HM

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Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

49 Best Photo Package

Daily American Republic

Paul Davis

Historic Flooding

3rd Place

45 Best News or Feature Series

Daily American Republic

Donna Farley, Michelle Friedrich, Sarabeth Weller and David Silverberg

Historic Flooding

HM

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Newspaper
Place

26 Best Story About Rural Life or Agriculture

Douglas County Herald

Sue Curry Jones

Small Town

2nd Place

30 Best Story About History

Douglas County Herald

Sue Curry Jones

Civil War

HM

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Newspaper
Place

4 Best Breaking News Story Excelsior Springs Standard

Eric Copeland

Pipe Bomb

1st Place

2 Best Front to Back Newspaper Design Excelsior Springs Standard

Staff

Variety

2nd Place

7 Best News or Feature Series Excelsior Springs Standard

Liz Johnson

Jesse James

2nd Place

10-F Best Feature Photograph Excelsior Springs Standard

Liz Johnson

Car Show

2nd Place

30 Best Story About History Excelsior Springs Standard

Liz Johnson

Seybold Tavern

2nd Place

1 General Excellence Excelsior Springs Standard

2nd Place

3 Best Front Page Excelsior Springs Standard

3rd Place

30 Best Story About History Excelsior Springs Standard

Liz Johnson

Battles Of Fredricksburg

3rd Place

26 Best Story About Rural Life or Agriculture Excelsior Springs Standard

Kriston Rulon

Shatto Milk

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Newspaper
Place

17 Best Sports News Story or Package

Fayette Advertiser/The Democrat Leader

Greg Jackson

That's A Winner

2nd Place

20 Best Special Section

Fayette Advertiser/The Democrat Leader

Greg Jackson and Linda Vroman

Graduation

2nd Place

18 Best Sports Feature Story

Fayette Advertiser/The Democrat Leader

Greg Jackson

Sand Queen

3rd Place

1 General Excellence

Fayette Advertiser/The Democrat Leader

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Newspaper
Place

10-N Best News Photograph

Gasconade County Republican

Dennis Warden

Hose Team

1st Place

20 Best Special Section

Gasconade County Republican

Heritage Of Our Faith

1st Place

4 Best Breaking News Story

Gasconade County Republican

Dave Marner

Fatal Crash

2nd Place

10-N Best News Photograph

Gasconade County Republican

Dave Marner

Pop, Inc.; Vet

2nd Place

11 Best Photo Package

Gasconade County Republican

Will Johnson

Threshers

2nd Place

14 Community Service

Gasconade County Republican

2nd Place

25 Best Coverage of Rural Life or Agriculture

Gasconade County Republican

Staff

Gasconade County Republican

2nd Place

4 Best Breaking News Story

Gasconade County Republican

Dave Marner

Search

3rd Place

11 Best Photo Package

Gasconade County Republican

Dennis Warden

Factory Fire

3rd Place

1 General Excellence

Gasconade County Republican

Excellence

HM

10-N Best News Photograph

Gasconade County Republican

Dave Marner

Dog Saved

HM

15 Best Editorial Pages

Gasconade County Republican

HM

33 Best Information Graphic

Gasconade County Republican

Dennis Warden

New House District Map

HM

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Newspaper
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9-S Best Columnist - Serious

Green Park Call

Mike Anthony

Call The Tune

3rd Place

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Newspaper
Place

32 Best Page Design

Guidon

Matt Decker

Christian Rock

1st Place

2 Best Front to Back Newspaper Design

Guidon

Guidon

2nd Place

5 Best News Story

Guidon

Derek Gean

Community Response

2nd Place

32 Best Page Design

Guidon

Matt Decker

July Fourth

2nd Place

10-I Best Photo Illustration

Guidon

Matt Decker

Game Night

HM

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Newspaper
Place

47-H Best Columnist - Humorous

Hannibal Courier-Post

Danny Henley

1st Place

52 Community Service Award

Hannibal Courier-Post

Riverside Cemetery

1st Place

68 Best Coverage
Of Community/People/Lifestyles
Staff

Hannibal Courier-Post

Best Coverage Of Community, People, Lifestyles

1st Place

46 Best Editorial

Hannibal Courier-Post

Staff

Standing Up To Coward Lines

2nd Place

65 Best Story About Education

Hannibal Courier-Post

Dominic Genetti

Third Grade

2nd Place

45 Best News or Feature Series

Hannibal Courier-Post

Mary Lou Montgomery, Danny Henley, Dominic Genetti

Shot Changes

2nd Place

46 Best Editorial

Hannibal Courier-Post

Staff

Property Ordinance Far From Perfect

3rd Place

47-S Best Columnist - Serious

Hannibal Courier-Post

Danny Henley

A Little Salt

3rd Place

57 Best Sports Columnist

Hannibal Courier-Post

Danny Henley

Sports Columnist

3rd Place

Danny Henley

Fighting Parkinsons

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4 Best Breaking News Story

Herald-Tribune

James R. Campbell, Lynn A. Wade
and Ralph Pokorny
Inferno

1st Place

11 Best Photo Package

Herald-Tribune

Ralph Pokorny

Inferno

1st Place

5 Best News Story

Herald-Tribune

James R. Campbell

Day Of Terror

2nd Place

16 Best Sports Pages

Herald-Tribune

3rd Place

18 Best Sports Feature Story

Herald-Tribune

Jason Peake

Flag Warrior

HM

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Newspaper
Place

2 Best Front to Back Newspaper Design

Houston Herald

1st Place

22 Best Local Business Coverage

Houston Herald

Staff

Houston Herald

1st Place

23 Best Business Story

Houston Herald

Doug Davison

Pawn Stars

1st Place

25 Best Coverage of Rural Life
or Agriculture

Staff

Houston Herald

Houston Herald

1st Place

29 Best Story About the Outdoors

Houston Herald

Doug Davison

Hunting Heros

1st Place

32 Best Page Design

Houston Herald

Jeff McNiell

Domino Effect

1st Place

34 Best Editorial Cartoon

Houston Herald

Kathy Richardson

National Distasters

1st Place

9-H Best Columnist - Humorous

Houston Herald

Doug Davison

Visiting Horse

2nd Place

23 Best Business Story

Houston Herald

Doug Davison

Beer Couple

2nd Place

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| 29 | Best Story About the Outdoors | Houston Herald |
| | Doug Davison | |
| | Hope Outdoors | 2nd Place |
| 10-I | Best Photo Illustration | Houston Herald |
| | Jeff McNiell | |
| | Domino Effect | 3rd Place |
| 10-N | Best News Photograph | Houston Herald |
| | Jeff McNiell | |
| | Joplin | 3rd Place |
| 15 | Best Editorial Pages | Houston Herald |
| | | 3rd Place |
| 20 | Best Special Section | Houston Herald |
| | Jeff McNiell | |
| | Football | 3rd Place |
| 32 | Best Page Design | Houston Herald |
| | Jeff McNiell | |
| | Review | 3rd Place |
| 26 | Best Story About Rural Life or Agriculture | Houston Herald |
| | Doug Davison | |
| | Combine Season | 3rd Place |
| 5 | Best News Story | Houston Herald |
| | Jeff McNiell | |
| | Joplin Crumbles | 3rd Place |
| 10-I | Best Photo Illustration | Houston Herald |
| | Jeff McNiell | |
| | Head Games | HM |
| 14 | Community Service | Houston Herald |
| | | HM |

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Newspaper
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17 Best Sports News Story or Package

Jackson County Advocate

Paul Thompson

Burks Nba

1st Place

18 Best Sports Feature Story

Jackson County Advocate

Paul Thompson

Bowling Over

1st Place

31 Best Coverage
Of Community/People/Lifestyles

Jackson County Advocate

1st Place

10-I Best Photo Illustration

Jackson County Advocate

Andrea Wood

Code Enforcement

1st Place

3 Best Front Page

Jackson County Advocate

Front Page

2nd Place

27 Best Story About Religion

Jackson County Advocate

Seann McAnally

Inspiration In A Bottle

2nd Place

30 Best Story About History

Jackson County Advocate

Seann McAnally

President In Our Midst

2nd Place

33 Best Information Graphic

Jackson County Advocate

Andrea Wood

Water Bills

2nd Place

28 Best Story About Education

Jackson County Advocate

Mary Kay Morrow

Historic Graduation

HM

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41 Best Front Page

Jefferson City News Tribune

3rd Place

48-S Best Sports Photograph

Jefferson City News Tribune

Stephen Brooks

Katly Meier Of Vienna

3rd Place

65 Best Story About Education

Jefferson City News Tribune

Michelle Brooks

Lu Sga President

3rd Place

71 Best Editorial Cartoon

Jefferson City News Tribune

Jim Dyke

Three Kings?

3rd Place

71 Best Editorial Cartoon

Jefferson City News Tribune

Jim Dyke

I Had No Idea

HM

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Newspaper
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7 Best News or Feature Series

Jefferson County Leader

Staff

Heroin

1st Place

9-H Best Columnist - Humorous

Jefferson County Leader

Patrick Martin

Hail Mary; Grammar; Neon

1st Place

19 Best Sports Columnist

Jefferson County Leader

Gordon Bess

Horseshoes; Senior: Toughest Foe

1st Place

20 Best Special Section

Jefferson County Leader

Staff

Centennial

1st Place

27 Best Story About Religion

Jefferson County Leader

Peggy Scott

Ringers

1st Place

34 Best Editorial Cartoon

Jefferson County Leader

Judy Dixon

Internet

1st Place

8 Tilghman Cloud Memorial Editorial

Jefferson County Leader

Staff

Amato Plot

2nd Place

10-S Best Sports Photograph

Jefferson County Leader

Matt O'Harver

Header

2nd Place

16 Best Sports Pages

Jefferson County Leader

2nd Place

20 Best Special Section Jefferson County Leader

Staff

Veterans 2nd Place

24 Best Coverage of Government Jefferson County Leader

Staff

Family Ties 2nd Place

34 Best Editorial Cartoon Jefferson County Leader

Judy Dixon

Transperancy 2nd Place

1 General Excellence Jefferson County Leader

Staff

General Excellence 2nd Place

13 Best News Content Jefferson County Leader

2nd Place

18 Best Sports Feature Story Jefferson County Leader

Gordon Bess

Davis Farm 3rd Place

24 Best Coverage of Government Jefferson County Leader

Staff

Unofficial Letter 3rd Place

Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

56 Best Sports Feature Story

Kirksville Daily Express

Josh Rizzo

Concussions

1st Place

48-S Best Sports Photograph

Kirksville Daily Express

Josh Rizzo

Basketball Pass

2nd Place

39 General Excellence

Kirksville Daily Express

3rd Place

45 Best News or Feature Series

Kirksville Daily Express

Jason Hunsicker

Barber Trial

3rd Place

59 Best Investigative Reporting

Kirksville Daily Express

Jason Hunsicker

Tax Lien

3rd Place

44 Best Feature Story

Kirksville Daily Express

Jason Hunsicker

Love Story

HM

55 Best Sports News Story or Package

Kirksville Daily Express

Josh Rizzo and Bud Schrader

Vindicated- State Champs

HM

Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

39 General Excellence

Lake Sun

Staff

1st Place

41 Best Front Page

Lake Sun

Staff

Front Page

1st Place

62 Best Coverage of Government

Lake Sun

Investigation

2nd Place

42 Best Breaking News Story

Lake Sun

Staff

Shootout Legends

HM

45 Best News or Feature Series

Lake Sun

Camden County

HM

Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

6 Best Feature Story Lawrence County Record

Charlie Meeks

The Tie That Binds 1st Place

27 Best Story About Religion Lawrence County Record

Charlie Meeks

Holman 5-25-11 1st Place

31 Best Coverage Lawrence County Record

Of Community/People/Lifestyles
Charlie Meeks

People And Living 1st Place

26 Best Story About Rural Life or Agriculture Lawrence County Record

Charlie Meeks

Alpacas 4-27-11 1st Place

15 Best Editorial Pages Lawrence County Record

2nd Place

22 Best Local Business Coverage Lawrence County Record

Staff

Lawrence County Record 2nd Place

24 Best Coverage of Government Lawrence County Record

Charlie Meeks and Stephen C. Fairchild

Water Meter Increases 2nd Place

27 Best Story About Religion Lawrence County Record

Charlie Meeks

Braille Bibles 2nd Place

8 Tilghman Cloud Memorial Editorial Lawrence County Record

Tif 2nd Place

9-H Best Columnist - Humorous Lawrence County Record

Virginia Oehlschlager

Home On The Farm 3rd Place

12-N Best Ad Idea or Promotion of the Newspaper Lawrence County Record

Staff

7000th Issue 3rd Place

23 Best Business Story Lawrence County Record

Kathy Seneker Fairchild

Ben Franklin Closes 3rd Place

25 Best Coverage of Rural Life or Agriculture Lawrence County Record

Staff

Lawrence County Record 3rd Place

38 Best Headline Writing Lawrence County Record

Staff

3rd Place

8 Tilghman Cloud Memorial Editorial Lawrence County Record

Failures 3rd Place

3 Best Front Page Lawrence County Record

Lawrence County Record HM

20 Best Special Section Lawrence County Record

Apple Butter Makin Days HM

Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

4 Best Breaking News Story Lee's Summit Journal

Rob Roberts

Teacher Of The Year 1st Place

7 Best News or Feature Series Lee's Summit Journal

Miranda Wycoff

Heart Of Downtown 1st Place

15 Best Editorial Pages Lee's Summit Journal

1st Place

20 Best Special Section Lee's Summit Journal

Staff

Guide 1st Place

24 Best Coverage of Government Lee's Summit Journal

Staff

Trash Talk 1st Place

28 Best Story About Education Lee's Summit Journal

Julie Scheidegger

Doogie Days 1st Place

1 General Excellence Lee's Summit Journal

1st Place

10-S Best Sports Photograph Lee's Summit Journal

Julie Scheidegger

Goal 2nd Place

13 Best News Content Lee's Summit Journal

2nd Place

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| 18 | Best Sports Feature Story | Lee's Summit Journal |
| | John Beaudoin | |
| | Titan To Tiger | 2nd Place |
| 28 | Best Story About Education | Lee's Summit Journal |
| | Julie Scheidegger | |
| | Cut A Chicken | 2nd Place |
| 2 | Best Front to Back Newspaper Design | Lee's Summit Journal |
| | Staff | |
| | 9/14, 9/7, 5/27 Issues | 2nd Place |
| 4 | Best Breaking News Story | Lee's Summit Journal |
| | Miranda Wycoff | |
| | Bus Crash | 3rd Place |
| 6 | Best Feature Story | Lee's Summit Journal |
| | Julie Scheidegger | |
| | Poison Ball | 3rd Place |
| 7 | Best News or Feature Series | Lee's Summit Journal |
| | Rob Roberts | |
| | Defying The Downturn | 3rd Place |
| 9-H | Best Columnist - Humorous | Lee's Summit Journal |
| | John Beaudoin | |
| | It's News To Me | 3rd Place |
| 10-S | Best Sports Photograph | Lee's Summit Journal |
| | Julie Scheidegger | |
| | Emotional Win | 3rd Place |
| 29 | Best Story About the Outdoors | Lee's Summit Journal |
| | Julie Scheidegger | |
| | Mountain Lions | 3rd Place |
| 6 | Best Feature Story | Lee's Summit Journal |
| | Miranda Wycoff | |
| | A Veteran's Story | HM |

Miranda Wycoff

Dream Sidelined

HM

Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

9-S Best Columnist - Serious

Lee's Summit Tribune

Ramsey Fowler

Ramsy Fowler

1st Place

31 Best Coverage of Community/People/Lifestyles

Lee's Summit Tribune

Community

2nd Place

38 Best Headline Writing

Lee's Summit Tribune

Staff

2nd Place

10-S Best Sports Photograph

Lee's Summit Tribune

Fred Poese

Lsn

3rd Place

14 Community Service

Lee's Summit Tribune

3rd Place

22 Best Local Business Coverage

Lee's Summit Tribune

Staff

Business Coverage

3rd Place

30 Best Story About History

Lee's Summit Tribune

Kathy Smith

Hometown Hero

3rd Place

7 Best News or Feature Series

Lee's Summit Tribune

Mary Pechar

Depression

HM

10-S Best Sports Photograph

Lee's Summit Tribune

John Monaco

Luke Knott

HM

Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

6 Best Feature Story

Liberty Tribune

Angie Borgedalen

Lt. Mudge(illegible) Turning In Her Badge

1st Place

8 Tilghman Cloud Memorial Editorial

Liberty Tribune

Do What's Best For The Child

1st Place

23 Best Business Story

Liberty Tribune

Angie Borgedalen

Ongoing Challenges For Small Business Owners

1st Place

27 Best Story About Religion

Liberty Tribune

Angie Borgedalen

Sistas

1st Place

38 Best Headline Writing

Liberty Tribune

Headlines

1st Place

2 Best Front to Back Newspaper Design

Liberty Tribune

Staff

5/5, 9/15, 9/29 Issues

1st Place

6 Best Feature Story

Liberty Tribune

Angie Borgedalen

This Hobby Is For The Birds

2nd Place

16 Best Sports Pages

Liberty Tribune

2nd Place

13 Best News Content

Liberty Tribune

3rd Place

17 Best Sports News Story or Package

Liberty Tribune

Chris Geinosky

Head Games

3rd Place

18 Best Sports Feature Story

Liberty Tribune

Chris Geinosky

Family Goals

3rd Place

24 Best Coverage of Government

Liberty Tribune

Staff

County Auditor

3rd Place

15 Best Editorial Pages

Liberty Tribune

HM

19 Best Sports Columnist

Liberty Tribune

Chris Geinosky

Feb. 24, Oct. 13, Dec. 8

HM

32 Best Page Design

Liberty Tribune

Amy Neal

That Extra 1%

HM

Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

12-N Best Ad Idea
Or Promotion of the Newspaper
Lincoln County Journal

Business Bingo
1st Place

20 Best Special Section
Lincoln County Journal

25th Anniversary
3rd Place

Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

5 Best News Story

Marshfield Mail

Emily Griffeth

Helping Hands

2nd Place

11 Best Photo Package

Marshfield Mail

Missy Pickel

4th Of July

3rd Place

23 Best Business Story

Marshfield Mail

Emily Griffeth

Christmas Is Coming

3rd Place

28 Best Story About Education

Marshfield Mail

Emily Griffeth

Bullying

3rd Place

30 Best Story About History

Marshfield Mail

Emily Griffeth

Library's 100th

3rd Place

2 Best Front to Back Newspaper Design

Marshfield Mail

Staff

5/11, 9/7, 9/14 Issues

3rd Place

Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

2 Best Front to Back Newspaper Design Missouri Lawyers Weekly

Staff

One Day; I Will; High Court (3 Entries) 1st Place

6 Best Feature Story Missouri Lawyers Weekly

Allison Retka

Flying Solo 1st Place

11 Best Photo Package Missouri Lawyers Weekly

Karen Elshout

One Day 1st Place

18 Best Sports Feature Story Missouri Lawyers Weekly

Richard Jackoway

Slam Dunk 1st Place

21 Best Investigative Reporting Missouri Lawyers Weekly

Heather Cole

Under Wraps 1st Place

22 Best Local Business Coverage Missouri Lawyers Weekly

Staff

9/25/2008 1st Place

28 Best Story About Education Missouri Lawyers Weekly

Anna Vitale

Lawyers In Training 1st Place

30 Best Story About History Missouri Lawyers Weekly

Richard Jackoway

Slam Dunk 1st Place

23 Best Business Story Missouri Lawyers Weekly

Kelly Wiese

Rock'n'roll 2nd Place

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|-------|------------------------------|-------------------------|
| 6 | Best Feature Story | Missouri Lawyers Weekly |
| | Anna Vitale | |
| | Lawyers In Training | 3rd Place |
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| 10-N | Best News Photograph | Missouri Lawyers Weekly |
| | Karen Elshout | |
| | Joplin 1 | 3rd Place |
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| 21 | Best Investigative Reporting | Missouri Lawyers Weekly |
| | Scott Lauck | |
| | Part-time | 3rd Place |
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| 3 | Best Front Page | Missouri Lawyers Weekly |
| | Front Page | HM |
| <hr/> | | |
| 14 | Community Service | Missouri Lawyers Weekly |
| | | HM |
| <hr/> | | |
| 38 | Best Headline Writing | Missouri Lawyers Weekly |
| | Headline Writing | HM |
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Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

49 Best Photo Package

Nevada Daily Mail

Rusty Murry and Ralph Pokorny

Patriot Flag

3rd Place

48-S Best Sports Photograph

Nevada Daily Mail

Ralph Pokorny

Concentration

HM

67 Best Story About History

Nevada Daily Mail

James R. Campbell

Bushwhackers

HM

Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

9-S Best Columnist - Serious

New Haven Leader

Buck Collier

At The River's Edge

1st Place

24 Best Coverage of Government

New Haven Leader

Buck Collier

Great Sidewalk Mystery

3rd Place

Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

12-N Best Ad Idea or Promotion of the Newspaper

Nixa Xpress

Staff

N The Zone

2nd Place

Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

7 Best News or Feature Series

Northeast News

Leslie Collins and Michael Bushnell

Going Green

2nd Place

11 Best Photo Package

Northeast News

Leslie Collins and Erica VanDee

Library Reptiles

2nd Place

30 Best Story About History

Northeast News

Michael Bushnell

Risque' Postcards

3rd Place

34 Best Editorial Cartoon

Northeast News

Bryan Stalder

Zoo Tax

3rd Place

20 Best Special Section

Northeast News

School Designs

HM

10-I Best Photo Illustration

Northeast News

Memorial Dedications

HM

Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

9-S Best Columnist - Serious

Platte County Citizen

Lee Stubbs

Stubbs Station

2nd Place

9-S Best Columnist - Serious

Platte County Citizen

Bill Graham

Platte Rambler

3rd Place

16 Best Sports Pages

Platte County Citizen

HM

Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

10-S Best Sports Photograph

Platte County Landmark

Bill Hankins

Good Save

1st Place

15 Best Editorial Pages

Platte County Landmark

1st Place

7 Best News or Feature Series

Platte County Landmark

Ivan Foley

Head-on-crash

2nd Place

10-F Best Feature Photograph

Platte County Landmark

Bill Hankins

Happy 104th

2nd Place

34 Best Editorial Cartoon

Platte County Landmark

Matthew Silber

True Grit

3rd Place

2 Best Front to Back Newspaper Design

Platte County Landmark

HM

34 Best Editorial Cartoon

Platte County Landmark

Matthew Silber

Pool Project

HM

13 Best News Content

Platte County Landmark

HM

Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

12-N Best Ad Idea or Promotion of the Newspaper

Richmond News

JoEllen Black and Karen Payne

Sweepstakes

1st Place

13 Best News Content

Richmond News

HM

Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

42 Best Breaking News Story

Sedalia Democrat

Dennis Rich and Bob Satnan

Tornado

1st Place

46 Best Editorial

Sedalia Democrat

Bob Satnan

Cell Tower Vote Left Us Looking For Leaders

1st Place

48-N Best News Photograph

Sedalia Democrat

Sydney Brink

Tornado Slams Sedalia

1st Place

53 Best Editorial Pages

Sedalia Democrat

Staff

Opinion Pages

1st Place

54 Best Sports Pages

Sedalia Democrat

Sports Page

1st Place

42 Best Breaking News Story

Sedalia Democrat

Dennis Rich and Bob Satnan

Tornado

1st Place

60 Best Local Business Coverage

Sedalia Democrat

Sedalia Democrat

Three Biz Stories

2nd Place

48-S Best Sports Photograph

Sedalia Democrat

Sydney Brink

Diving Catch

3rd Place

51 Best News Content

Sedalia Democrat

3rd Place

64 Best Story About Rural Life or Agriculture

Sedalia Democrat

Bob Satnan

Fair Barber

HM

65 Best Story About Education

Sedalia Democrat

Bob Satnan

Common Core

HM

67 Best Story About History

Sedalia Democrat

Latisha Koetting

Direct Hit

HM

Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

10-S Best Sports Photograph

Shelbina Weekly

Mark Requet

Head On

1st Place

10-N Best News Photograph

Shelbina Weekly

Mark Requet

Changed Forever

2nd Place

11 Best Photo Package

Shelbina Weekly

Mark Requet and Thad Requet

Downtown Fire

2nd Place

20 Best Special Section

Shelbina Weekly

Mark Requet, Thad Requet and David Werr

Downtown Fire

3rd Place

Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

3 Best Front Page South County Times

Front Page 1st Place

5 Best News Story South County Times

Kevin Murphy

Sunset Tornado 1st Place

10-N Best News Photograph South County Times

Diana Linsley

Afton Murders 1st Place

6 Best Feature Story South County Times

Jaime Mowers

A Running Inspiration 2nd Place

7 Best News or Feature Series South County Times

Kevin Murphy and Don Corrigan

Tornado History HM

6 Best Feature Story South County Times

Jaime Mowers

Coffee Club HM

23 Best Business Story South County Times

Don Corrigan

Fenton Plant Ramps Up HM

Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

12-A Best Ad Idea or Promotion of an Advertiser

Springfield Business Journal

Heather Mosley

Betty Allison

1st Place

23 Best Business Story

Springfield Business Journal

Brian Brown

Phoenix Rises

2nd Place

36 Best Online Newspaper or Website

Springfield Business Journal

Sbj.net

2nd Place

12-A Best Ad Idea or Promotion of an Advertiser

Springfield Business Journal

Heather Mosley

Crighton Studio

3rd Place

12-N Best Ad Idea or Promotion of the Newspaper

Springfield Business Journal

Heather Mosley

Combo Deal

3rd Place

22 Best Local Business Coverage

Springfield Business Journal

Staff

Business Coverage

3rd Place

1 General Excellence

Springfield Business Journal

HM

Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

48-F Best Feature Photograph

Springfield News-Leader

Valerie Mosley

Opening Day

1st Place

70 Best Information Graphic

Springfield News-Leader

Amy Olding

Joplin Tornado

1st Place

42 Best Breaking News Story

Springfield News-Leader

Jess Rollins

Adrift In Debris

2nd Place

48-N Best News Photograph

Springfield News-Leader

Valerie Mosley

Total Destruction

2nd Place

51 Best News Content

Springfield News-Leader

Staff

Best News Content

2nd Place

46 Best Editorial

Springfield News-Leader

News-Leader

Trip Participants

3rd Place

48-I Best Photo Illustration

Springfield News-Leader

Bob Linder

Joe Gamel

3rd Place

53 Best Editorial Pages

Springfield News-Leader

Staff

Editorial Pages

3rd Place

62 Best Coverage of Government

Springfield News-Leader

Staff

Parks Tax

3rd Place

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| 43 | Best News Story | Springfield News-Leader |
| | Jess Rollins | |
| | Behind Bars | HM |
| 54 | Best Sports Pages | Springfield News-Leader |
| | Staff | |
| | Best Sports Pages | HM |
| 58 | Best Special Section | Springfield News-Leader |
| | | |
| 911 | | HM |

Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

47-S Best Columnist - Serious

St. Joseph News-Press

Alonzo Weston

Sad Numbers

2nd Place

54 Best Sports Pages

St. Joseph News-Press

Staff

Once Again

2nd Place

56 Best Sports Feature Story

St. Joseph News-Press

Sam Robinson

Safety Saviors

2nd Place

64 Best Story About Rural Life or Agriculture

St. Joseph News-Press

Ken Newton

Church Service

2nd Place

47-H Best Columnist - Humorous

St. Joseph News-Press

Ken Newton

Fruit Bias

3rd Place

48-N Best News Photograph

St. Joseph News-Press

Jessica Stewart

Fallen Officer

3rd Place

47-H Best Columnist - Humorous

St. Joseph News-Press

Alonzo Weston

Awaiting End

HM

53 Best Editorial Pages

St. Joseph News-Press

Staff

Midtown Vision

HM

Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

12-A Best Ad Idea or Promotion of an Advertiser

St. Louis American

Staff

Moneywise

1st Place

14 Community Service

St. Louis American

1st Place

23 Best Business Story

St. Louis American

Sandra Jordan

Mortuary

1st Place

24 Best Coverage of Government

St. Louis American

Staff

Coverage/ Government

1st Place

31 Best Coverage
Of Community/People/Lifestyles

St. Louis American

1st Place

36 Best Online Newspaper or Website

St. Louis American

Ishmael Sistrunk

Stlouisamerican.com

1st Place

4 Best Breaking News Story

St. Louis American

Rebecca Rivas

Mileod Passes

2nd Place

10-F Best Feature Photograph

St. Louis American

Wiley Price

Love 9/11

2nd Place

28 Best Story About Education

St. Louis American

Rebecca Rivas

College Prep

2nd Place

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| 30 | Best Story About History | St. Louis American |
| | Kenya Vaughn | |
| | 10 Years Of Freedom Defined | 2nd Place |
| 2 | Best Front to Back Newspaper Design | St. Louis American |
| | Staff | |
| | Newspaper Design | 3rd Place |
| 3 | Best Front Page | St. Louis American |
| | Front Page | 3rd Place |
| 10-F | Best Feature Photograph | St. Louis American |
| | Wiley Price | |
| | Cub Scout | 3rd Place |
| 16 | Best Sports Pages | St. Louis American |
| | | 3rd Place |
| 26 | Best Story About Rural Life or Agriculture | St. Louis American |
| | Rebecca Rivas | |
| | Farming In Ferguson | 3rd Place |
| 27 | Best Story About Religion | St. Louis American |
| | Kenya Vaughn | |
| | Friendly Church | 3rd Place |
| 37 | Best Video | St. Louis American |
| | Putting Down The Pistols | 3rd Place |
| 10-N | Best News Photograph | St. Louis American |
| | Wiley Price | |
| | R.i.p. Officer Hall | HM |
| 19 | Best Sports Columnist | St. Louis American |
| | Mike Claiborne | |
| | Sports Columnist | HM |

34 Best Editorial Cartoon

St. Louis American

Kevin Belford

Paul Reiter

HM

37 Best Video

St. Louis American

Ferguson Students Learn To Farm With Earthdance

HM

Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

33 Best Information Graphic St. Louis Business Journal

Michael Behrens

Airport Debt

1st Place

3 Best Front Page

St. Louis Business Journal

Front Page

2nd Place

21 Best Investigative Reporting

St. Louis Business Journal

Amir Kurtovic

Despite Taxes

2nd Place

22 Best Local Business Coverage

St. Louis Business Journal

Staff

Slbj Local

2nd Place

36 Best Online Newspaper or Website

St. Louis Business Journal

Patricia Miller

Bizjournals.com/stlouis

2nd Place

10-I Best Photo Illustration

St. Louis Business Journal

Michael Behrens

Undercover

2nd Place

11 Best Photo Package

St. Louis Business Journal

Brian Cassidy and Michael Behrens

40/40

3rd Place

10-I Best Photo Illustration

St. Louis Business Journal

Alison Green

Most Influential

3rd Place

10-F Best Feature Photograph

St. Louis Business Journal

Brian Cassidy

Mike Zambrana

HM

10-F Best Feature Photograph

St. Louis Business Journal

Brian Cassidy

Sara Beyer

HM

14 Community Service

St. Louis Business Journal

HM

17 Best Sports News Story or Package

St. Louis Business Journal

Amir Kurtovic

Baby Birds

HM

23 Best Business Story

St. Louis Business Journal

E.B. Solomont

Restaurants

HM

26 Best Story About Rural Life or Agriculture

St. Louis Business Journal

Rick Desloge

Food Pain

HM

32 Best Page Design

St. Louis Business Journal

Michael Behrens

7/29 Page 34

HM

Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

44 Best Feature Story

St. Louis Post-Dispatch

Todd C. Frankel

Butterfly People Of Joplin

1st Place

48-I Best Photo Illustration

St. Louis Post-Dispatch

Laurie Skrivan

Blueberries

1st Place

48-N Best News Photograph

St. Louis Post-Dispatch

J.B. Forbes

Nowhere To Go

1st Place

50-N Best Ad Idea or Promotion of the Newspaper

St. Louis Post-Dispatch

Tracy Rouch

Your Newspaper

1st Place

55 Best Sports News Story or Package

St. Louis Post-Dispatch

Staff

Wow

1st Place

59 Best Investigative Reporting

St. Louis Post-Dispatch

Elisa Crouch

"imagine" Schools Thrive On Real Estate Deals

1st Place

60 Best Local Business Coverage

St. Louis Post-Dispatch

Post-dispatch

1st Place

61 Best Business Story - News or Feature

St. Louis Post-Dispatch

Steve Giegerich

61,000 Jobs Lost

1st Place

62 Best Coverage of Government

St. Louis Post-Dispatch

Jake Wagman, Virginia Young
and Todd Frankel
Kinder

1st Place

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| 40 | Best Front to Back Newspaper Design | St. Louis Post-Dispatch |
| | | 2nd Place |
| 43 | Best News Story | St. Louis Post-Dispatch |
| | Staff | |
| | Destruction | 2nd Place |
| 46 | Best Editorial | St. Louis Post-Dispatch |
| | Post-Dispatch | |
| | One River | 2nd Place |
| 48-I | Best Photo Illustration | St. Louis Post-Dispatch |
| | Johnny Andrews | |
| | Glorious Imperfection | 2nd Place |
| 48-F | Best Feature Photograph | St. Louis Post-Dispatch |
| | David Carson | |
| | Rainbow | 2nd Place |
| 49 | Best Photo Package | St. Louis Post-Dispatch |
| | Staff - Robert Cohen, Christian Gooden, Laurie Skrivan, Chris Lee and Huy Mach | |
| | Victory Lap | 2nd Place |
| 55 | Best Sports News Story or Package | St. Louis Post-Dispatch |
| | Staff | |
| | Pujols Aftershock | 2nd Place |
| 59 | Best Investigative Reporting | St. Louis Post-Dispatch |
| | Nancy Cambria | |
| | Child Deaths | 2nd Place |
| 61 | Best Business Story - News or Feature | St. Louis Post-Dispatch |
| | Tim Logan | |
| | Mckee Charges On Amid Setbacks | 2nd Place |
| 69 | Best Page Design | St. Louis Post-Dispatch |
| | Laura Black | |
| | Toy Test | 2nd Place |

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| 71 | Best Editorial Cartoon | St. Louis Post-Dispatch |
| | RJ Matson | |
| | Kinder | 2nd Place |
| 73 | Best Video | St. Louis Post-Dispatch |
| | Robert Cohen | |
| | Crosby | 2nd Place |
| 74 | Best Headline Writing | St. Louis Post-Dispatch |
| | Staff | |
| | Various | 2nd Place |
| 39 | General Excellence | St. Louis Post-Dispatch |
| | General Excellence | 3rd Place |
| 45 | Best News or Feature Series | St. Louis Post-Dispatch |
| | Nancy Cambria | |
| | Day Cares | 3rd Place |
| 48-F | Best Feature Photograph | St. Louis Post-Dispatch |
| | Robert Cohen | |
| | Rural Post Office | 3rd Place |
| 54 | Best Sports Pages | St. Louis Post-Dispatch |
| | Staff | |
| | Best Sports Pages | 3rd Place |
| 57 | Best Sports Columnist | St. Louis Post-Dispatch |
| | Bryan Burwell | |
| | Bryan Burwell | 3rd Place |
| 73 | Best Video | St. Louis Post-Dispatch |
| | Huy Mach, Gary Hairlson and Phillip O'Connor | |
| | 911 | 3rd Place |
| 51 | Best News Content | St. Louis Post-Dispatch |
| | Staff | |
| | Best News Content | 3rd Place |

44 Best Feature Story St. Louis Post-Dispatch

Todd C. Frankel

Special Sarah

HM

44 Best Feature Story

St. Louis Post-Dispatch

Christine Byers

Matt Crosby (illegible)

HM

48-I Best Photo Illustration

St. Louis Post-Dispatch

Erik M. Lunsford

Fresh Blossoms

HM

53 Best Editorial Pages

St. Louis Post-Dispatch

Staff

Debate

HM

62 Best Coverage of Government

St. Louis Post-Dispatch

Paul Hampel

Brentwood Overtime

HM

57 Best Sports Columnist

St. Louis Post-Dispatch

Bernie Miklasz

Honorable

Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

17 Best Sports News Story or Package

Suburban Journals
Jefferson - Fenton

Dennis Barnidge

Financial Crossroads

1st Place

Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

9-S Best Columnist - Serious

Suburban Journals
St. Charles County

Steven Pokin

Pokin Around

1st Place

Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

17 Best Sports News Story or Package

Suburban Journals - Jefferson County

Dennis Barnidge

Race Leaders

2nd Place

Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

10-N Best News Photograph

Suburban Journals - South County Journal

Andrew Jansen

Wedding Makeup

2nd Place

32 Best Page Design

Suburban Journals - South County Journal

Chris Oth

Football Preview

3rd Place

38 Best Headline Writing

Suburban Journals - South County Journal

Headlines

3rd Place

33 Best Information Graphic

Suburban Journals - South County Journal

Chris Oth

Football Stats

HM

Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

9-H Best Columnist - Humorous

Suburban Journals - St. Charles County

Steven Pokin

Total Awesomeness

2nd Place

38 Best Headline Writing

Suburban Journals - St. Charles County

Wiener Takes All

2nd Place

8 Tilghman Cloud Memorial Editorial

Suburban Journals - St. Charles County

Staff

City Should Right This Wrong

3rd Place

Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

18 Best Sports Feature Story

Suburban Journals - West Edition

Brett Auten

Punch, Kick

2nd Place

Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

5 Best News Story

The Caldwell County News

Anne Tezon

Women's Shelter

1st Place

6 Best Feature Story

The Caldwell County News

Lisa Parris

Tyler Wood

1st Place

7 Best News or Feature Series

The Caldwell County News

Lisa Parris

Great Wall

1st Place

9-H Best Columnist - Humorous

The Caldwell County News

Lisa Parris

Said So

1st Place

9-H Best Columnist - Humorous

The Caldwell County News

Anne Tezon

A Letter From Home

3rd Place

Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

30 Best Story About History

The Clinton County Leader

Brett Adkison

Kindred

1st Place

33 Best Information Graphic

The Clinton County Leader

Becky Black

Milk Bottle

1st Place

6 Best Feature Story

The Clinton County Leader

Brett Adkison

A Soldier's Final Request

2nd Place

33 Best Information Graphic

The Clinton County Leader

Becky Black and Brett Adkison

At-a-glance Schools

2nd Place

18 Best Sports Feature Story

The Clinton County Leader

Brett Adkison

Radio Gate

3rd Place

36 Best Online Newspaper or Website

The Clinton County Leader

Website

3rd Place

10-N Best News Photograph

The Clinton County Leader

Brett Adkison

Vigil

HM

17 Best Sports News Story or Package

The Clinton County Leader

Brett Adkison

Playoff Upset

HM

26 Best Story About Rural Life or Agriculture

The Clinton County Leader

Brett Adkison

Berry Patch

HM

Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

45 Best News or Feature Series

The Daily Star-Journal

Sue Sterling

Pagel

1st Place

48-I Best Photo Illustration

The Daily Star-Journal

Social Net

1st Place

48-N Best News Photograph

The Daily Star-Journal

Jack "Miles" Ventimiglia

Motorcycle Wreck

1st Place

49 Best Photo Package

The Daily Star-Journal

Jack "Miles" Ventimiglia

Festival

1st Place

60 Best Local Business Coverage

The Daily Star-Journal

Jack "Miles" Ventimiglia and Sue Sterling

Biz

1st Place

62 Best Coverage of Government

The Daily Star-Journal

Facebook

1st Place

64 Best Story About Rural Life

The Daily Star-Journal

or Agriculture

Jack "Miles" Ventimiglia

The Grape Depression - Raisin Hell

1st Place

67 Best Story About History

The Daily Star-Journal

Jack "Miles" Ventimiglia

Howard School

1st Place

43 Best News Story

The Daily Star-Journal

Jack "Miles" Ventimiglia

and Amanda Lubinski
Homicide-suicide

1st Place

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| 63 | Best Coverage of Rural Life or Agriculture Jack "Miles" Ventimiglia and Sue Sterling | The Daily Star-Journal |
| | Ag Pages | 1st Place |
| 39 | General Excellence Staff | The Daily Star-Journal |
| | | 2nd Place |
| 45 | Best News or Feature Series Jack "Miles" Ventimiglia, Amanda Lubinski and Cynthia Nold | The Daily Star-Journal |
| | Disasters | 2nd Place |
| 48-F | Best Feature Photograph Jack "Miles" Ventimiglia | The Daily Star-Journal |
| | Leeton Fair | 2nd Place |
| 48-N | Best News Photograph Jack "Miles" Ventimiglia | The Daily Star-Journal |
| | Twister | 2nd Place |
| 49 | Best Photo Package Jack "Miles" Ventimiglia | The Daily Star-Journal |
| | Bull Riders | 2nd Place |
| 52 | Community Service Award Jack "Miles" Ventimiglia | The Daily Star-Journal |
| | Homeless | 2nd Place |
| 61 | Best Business Story - News or Feature Jack "Miles" Ventimiglia | The Daily Star-Journal |
| | Grape Depression | 2nd Place |
| 71 | Best Editorial Cartoon Jack "Miles" Ventimiglia | The Daily Star-Journal |
| | Looking For Help | 2nd Place |
| 72 | Best Newspaper in Education Program Staff | The Daily Star-Journal |
| | Ucm Jennies | 2nd Place |

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| 51 | Best News Content | The Daily Star-Journal |
| | | 2nd Place |
| 47-H | Best Columnist - Humorous | The Daily Star-Journal |
| | Jack "Miles" Ventimiglia | |
| | Humor Column | 3rd Place |
| 48-I | Best Photo Illustration | The Daily Star-Journal |
| | Jack "Miles" Ventimiglia | |
| | Kids Concert | 3rd Place |
| 53 | Best Editorial Pages | The Daily Star-Journal |
| | Jack "Miles" Ventimiglia | |
| | Editorial Pages | 3rd Place |
| 62 | Best Coverage of Government | The Daily Star-Journal |
| | Jack "Miles" Ventimiglia | |
| | State Beat | 3rd Place |
| 71 | Best Editorial Cartoon | The Daily Star-Journal |
| | Jack "Miles" Ventimiglia | |
| | Flip Flop | 3rd Place |
| 74 | Best Headline Writing | The Daily Star-Journal |
| | Jack "Miles" Ventimiglia | |
| | Best Headline | 3rd Place |
| 75 | Best Story About Religion | The Daily Star-Journal |
| | Jack "Miles" Ventimiglia | |
| | Orphanage For Haitian Children | 3rd Place |
| 43 | Best News Story | The Daily Star-Journal |
| | Jack "Miles" Ventimiglia | |
| | Petitioners | 3rd Place |
| 44 | Best Feature Story | The Daily Star-Journal |
| | Jack "Miles" Ventimiglia | |
| | Turtle Gang | HM |

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| 46 | Best Editorial | The Daily Star-Journal |
| | Jack "Miles" Ventimiglia | |
| | Lawmakers Should Honor Public Votes | HM |
| 48-I | Best Photo Illustration | The Daily Star-Journal |
| | Pie | HM |
| 48-N | Best News Photograph | The Daily Star-Journal |
| | Jack "Miles" Ventimiglia | |
| | Greenwood Fire | HM |
| 49 | Best Photo Package | The Daily Star-Journal |
| | Jack "Miles" Ventimiglia | |
| | Leeton | HM |
| 54 | Best Sports Pages | The Daily Star-Journal |
| | Corey Edwards and Jack "Miles" Ventimiglia | |
| | Best Sports Pages | HM |
| 65 | Best Story About Education | The Daily Star-Journal |
| | Teresa Shane | |
| | Young Readers | HM |
| 69 | Best Page Design | The Daily Star-Journal |
| | Jack "Miles" Ventimiglia | |
| | Taste Of Hunger | HM |

Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

44 Best Feature Story The Daily Statesman

Noreen Hyslop

Dreams Come True 1st Place

48-S Best Sports Photograph The Daily Statesman

Jerry Jarrell

Running Hard 1st Place

64 Best Story About Rural Life or Agriculture The Daily Statesman

Noreen Hyslop

Cowboy Way 2nd Place

67 Best Story About History The Daily Statesman

Noreen Hyslop

Stars And Stripes 2nd Place

75 Best Story About Religion The Daily Statesman

Noreen Hyslop

Cowboy Way 2nd Place

44 Best Feature Story The Daily Statesman

Noreen Hyslop

1500 Miles 3rd Place

48-F Best Feature Photograph The Daily Statesman

Noreen Hyslop

Annie Banken 3rd Place

48-N Best News Photograph The Daily Statesman

Corey Noles

4-wheeler Flood 3rd Place

48-S Best Sports Photograph The Daily Statesman

Jerry Jarrell

Dexter Leap 3rd Place

57 Best Sports Columnist

The Daily Statesman

Corey Noles

Best Sports Columnist

HM

67 Best Story About History

The Daily Statesman

Mike McCoy

Joe Brown

HM

Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

31 Best Coverage of Community/People/Lifestyles

The Eldon Advertiser

2nd Place

35 Best Newspaper in Education Program

The Eldon Advertiser

Eldon Advertiser

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3rd Place

Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

10-N Best News Photograph

The Elsberry Democrat

Fire Photo

1st Place

3 Best Front Page

The Elsberry Democrat

2nd Place

5 Best News Story

The Elsberry Democrat

Shane Rice

Hard Times

2nd Place

13 Best News Content

The Elsberry Democrat

2nd Place

34 Best Editorial Cartoon

The Elsberry Democrat

Arm Leg

2nd Place

7 Best News or Feature Series

The Elsberry Democrat

Staff

Fires

3rd Place

8 Tilghman Cloud Memorial Editorial

The Elsberry Democrat

Staff

Salvation Can Be Found

3rd Place

6 Best Feature Story

The Elsberry Democrat

The Elsberry Democrat

Emotions Flare

HM

Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

57 Best Sports Columnist

The Examiner

Bill Althaus

Sports Columnist

1st Place

58 Best Special Section

The Examiner

Examiner Sports Staff

Football Preview

1st Place

71 Best Editorial Cartoon

The Examiner

Joe Liccar

Clergy Insanity

1st Place

45 Best News or Feature Series

The Examiner

Examiner Sports staff

Just Say Know

1st Place

39 General Excellence

The Examiner

2nd Place

40 Best Front to Back Newspaper Design

The Examiner

2nd Place

41 Best Front Page

The Examiner

2nd Place

47-S Best Columnist - Serious

The Examiner

Jeff Fox

Give It A Rest

2nd Place

53 Best Editorial Pages

The Examiner

The Examiner

Opinion Pages

2nd Place

67 Best Story About History The Examiner

Adrienne DeWeese

Treasure Trove 2nd Place

62 Best Coverage of Government The Examiner

Short Cash 2nd Place

44 Best Feature Story The Examiner

Adrienne DeWeese

New Home 3rd Place

54 Best Sports Pages The Examiner

Examiner Sports staff

Sports Page 3rd Place

61 Best Business Story - News or Feature The Examiner

Adrienne DeWeese

Inside Job 3rd Place

65 Best Story About Education The Examiner

Kelly Evenson

Culinary Delights HM

Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

55 Best Sports News Story or Package

The Fulton Sun

Josh Mosley

Talbot's Ejection

3rd Place

58 Best Special Section

The Fulton Sun

New Bloomfield

3rd Place

49 Best Photo Package

The Fulton Sun

Mandi Steele and Nicole Elliott

Livestock

HM

Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

39 General Excellence

The Joplin Globe

General Excellence

1st Place

42 Best Breaking News Story

The Joplin Globe

Jeff Lehr

I Was Not Alone

1st Place

43 Best News Story

The Joplin Globe

Josh Letner

Six Miles

1st Place

47-S Best Columnist - Serious

The Joplin Globe

Carol Stark

Serious Column

1st Place

52 Community Service Award

The Joplin Globe

Staff

Tornado Coverage

1st Place

53 Best Editorial Pages

The Joplin Globe

Globe Forum

1st Place

44 Best Feature Story

The Joplin Globe

Andra Bryan Stefanoni

A Place Of Last Resort

2nd Place

45 Best News or Feature Series

The Joplin Globe

Amy Ostmyer

Civil War

2nd Place

47-H Best Columnist - Humorous

The Joplin Globe

Mike Pound

Tickets...

2nd Place

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| 68 | Best Coverage of Community/People/Lifestyles | The Joplin Globe |
| | | 2nd Place |
| 42 | Best Breaking News Story | The Joplin Globe |
| | Wally Kennedy, Staff and AP Ravanged | 3rd Place |
| 47-S | Best Columnist - Serious | The Joplin Globe |
| | Wally Kennedy Praying | 3rd Place |
| 58 | Best Special Section | The Joplin Globe |
| | Basketball Tab | 3rd Place |
| 61 | Best Business Story - News or Feature | The Joplin Globe |
| | Josh Letner Upside Down | 3rd Place |
| 67 | Best Story About History | The Joplin Globe |
| | Roger McKinney Island Mound | 3rd Place |
| 49 | Best Photo Package | The Joplin Globe |
| | T. Rob Brown National Tragedy | HM |
| 54 | Best Sports Pages | The Joplin Globe |
| | Best Sports Pages | HM |
| 55 | Best Sports News Story or Package | The Joplin Globe |
| | Jim Henry Door Step | HM |
| 56 | Best Sports Feature Story | The Joplin Globe |
| | Kelsey Ryan Game Changer | HM |

65 Best Story About Education

The Joplin Globe

Kelsey Ryan

School Starts

HM

66 Best Story About the Outdoors

The Joplin Globe

Andy Ostmeyer

Prairie Fire

HM

68 Best Coverage of Community/People/Lifestyles

The Joplin Globe

HM

Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

40 Best Front to Back Newspaper Design

The Kansas City Star

1st Place

41 Best Front Page

The Kansas City Star

Best Front Page

1st Place

45 Best News or Feature Series

The Kansas City Star

Eric Adler and Laura Bauer

Joplin

1st Place

46 Best Editorial

The Kansas City Star

Staff

Dump The Pump

1st Place

49 Best Photo Package

The Kansas City Star

Keith Myers and David Eulitt

Condition Gray

1st Place

54 Best Sports Pages

The Kansas City Star

Best Sports Pages

1st Place

56 Best Sports Feature Story

The Kansas City Star

Dugan Arnett

Irony Of Errors

1st Place

57 Best Sports Columnist

The Kansas City Star

Sam Mellinger

Sam Mellinger Columns

1st Place

64 Best Story About Rural Life or Agriculture

The Kansas City Star

Lee Hill Kavanaugh

Flooded With Despair

1st Place

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|----|--|----------------------|
| 65 | Best Story About Education | The Kansas City Star |
| | Joe Robertson | |
| | Feeling Under Siege | 1st Place |
| 66 | Best Story About the Outdoors | The Kansas City Star |
| | Brent Frazee | |
| | Christmas In The Wild | 1st Place |
| 67 | Best Story About History | The Kansas City Star |
| | Rick Montgomery, Darryl Levings and Brian Burnes Civil War | |
| | | 1st Place |
| 69 | Best Page Design | The Kansas City Star |
| | Gentry Mullen | |
| | Dreaming Of Colors | 1st Place |
| 71 | Best Editorial Cartoon | The Kansas City Star |
| | Lee Judge | |
| | Lee Judge Cartoons | 1st Place |
| 72 | Best Newspaper in Education Program | The Kansas City Star |
| | Staff | |
| | Best Newspaper In Education Program | 1st Place |
| 73 | Best Video | The Kansas City Star |
| | Todd Feedback | |
| | One Man's Tornado Story | 1st Place |
| 75 | Best Story About Religion | The Kansas City Star |
| | Judy L. Thomas | |
| | The Altar Boys' Secrets | 1st Place |
| 51 | Best News Content | The Kansas City Star |
| | Staff | |
| | Best News Content | 1st Place |
| 68 | Best Coverage Of Community/People/Lifestyles | The Kansas City Star |
| | | 1st Place |

39 General Excellence The Kansas City Star

General Excellence 2nd Place

52 Community Service Award The Kansas City Star

Laura Bauer

Hours Of Giving 2nd Place

53 Best Editorial Pages The Kansas City Star

The Kansas City Star

Best Editorial Page 2nd Place

58 Best Special Section The Kansas City Star

Bumper Crop (baseball 2011) 2nd Place

60 Best Local Business Coverage The Kansas City Star

Best Local Business Coverage 2nd Place

65 Best Story About Education The Kansas City Star

Joe Robertson

High Tech Clicks 2nd Place

66 Best Story About the Outdoors The Kansas City Star

Brent Frazee

Lowly Prey 2nd Place

67 Best Story About History The Kansas City Star

Matt Campbell

Never Forget 2nd Place

70 Best Information Graphic The Kansas City Star

Dave Eames

Sparkling Digs For... 2nd Place

75 Best Story About Religion The Kansas City Star

Dugan Arnett

Heir To Hate 2nd Place

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|----|--|----------------------|
| 43 | Best News Story | The Kansas City Star |
| | Kansas City Star | |
| | A World Without Bin Laden | 3rd Place |
| 44 | Best Feature Story | The Kansas City Star |
| | Eric Adler and Laura Bauer | |
| | Condition Gray | 3rd Place |
| 49 | Best Photo Package | The Kansas City Star |
| | David Eulitt, Keith Myers, Tammy Ljungblad and Shane Keyser | |
| | Devastation | 3rd Place |
| 52 | Community Service Award | The Kansas City Star |
| | Laura Bauer | |
| | Hunger Stories | 3rd Place |
| 55 | Best Sports News Story or Package | The Kansas City Star |
| | Mike DeArmond, J. Brady McCollough, Blair Kerkhoff and Sam Mellinger | |
| | Todd Haley Fired | 3rd Place |
| 64 | Best Story About Rural Life or Agriculture | The Kansas City Star |
| | Donald Bradley | |
| | Not Just Mail | 3rd Place |
| 66 | Best Story About the Outdoors | The Kansas City Star |
| | Jill Wendholt Silva | |
| | Seeds Of Change | 3rd Place |
| 69 | Best Page Design | The Kansas City Star |
| | Neil Nakahodo | |
| | Macbeth As A Love Story | 3rd Place |
| 70 | Best Information Graphic | The Kansas City Star |
| | Neil Nakahodo | |
| | Built For Sound | 3rd Place |
| 75 | Best Story About Religion | The Kansas City Star |
| | Judy L. Thomas an Laura Bauer | |
| | A Long Fall | 3rd Place |

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| 68 | Best Coverage of Community/People/Lifestyles | The Kansas City Star |
| | | 3rd Place |
| 42 | Best Breaking News Story | The Kansas City Star |
| | Judy L. Thomas, Mark Morris and Glenn Rice | |
| | Bishop, Kc Diocese Indicted | HM |
| 42 | Best Breaking News Story | The Kansas City Star |
| | Brian Burnes and Robert A. Cronkleton | |
| | Search For Missing Baby | HM |
| 43 | Best News Story | The Kansas City Star |
| | Eric Adler, Laura Bauer and Don Bradley | |
| | Devastation | HM |
| 45 | Best News or Feature Series | The Kansas City Star |
| | Darryl Levings, Glenn Rice, Mara' Williams, Brian Burnes, Rick Montgomery, Lee Hill Kavanaugh | |
| | Civil War 150 | HM |
| 48-I | Best Photo Illustration | The Kansas City Star |
| | Keith Myers | |
| | John Seay | HM |
| 56 | Best Sports Feature Story | The Kansas City Star |
| | J. Brady McCollough | |
| | Playing Through Pain | HM |
| 58 | Best Special Section | The Kansas City Star |
| | Civil War | HM |
| 59 | Best Investigative Reporting | The Kansas City Star |
| | Mike McGraw | |
| | Experts Challenge Building Design | HM |
| 59 | Best Investigative Reporting | The Kansas City Star |
| | Judy L. Thomas | |
| | The Altar Boys' "secrets" | HM |

64 Best Story About Rural Life or Agriculture

The Kansas City Star

Laura Bauer

Second Chance

HM

64 Best Story About Rural Life or Agriculture

The Kansas City Star

Karen Dillon

Livestock Mass Death

HM

68 Best Coverage of Community/People/Lifestyles

The Kansas City Star

HM

Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

16 Best Sports Pages

The Kearney Courier

1st Place

24 Best Coverage of Government

The Kearney Courier

Staff

Water

1st Place

1 General Excellence

The Kearney Courier

The Kearney Courier

2nd Place

10-S Best Sports Photograph

The Kearney Courier

Bill Knust

Swinging Away

2nd Place

3 Best Front Page

The Kearney Courier

April 28, June 23, Nov. 10

3rd Place

13 Best News Content

The Kearney Courier

3rd Place

31 Best Coverage of Community/People/Lifestyles

The Kearney Courier

8/4, 8/18, 12/8

HM

33 Best Information Graphic

The Kearney Courier

Amy Neal

Troubled Waters

HM

5 Best News Story

The Kearney Courier

Kevin M. Smith

Kearney Remembers

HM

Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

31 Best Coverage of Community/People/Lifestyles

The Lake Today

HM

1 General Excellence

The Lake Today

Staff

General Excellence

HM

Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

47-S Best Columnist - Serious

The Lebanon Daily Record

Katie Hilton

1st Place

48-F Best Feature Photograph

The Lebanon Daily Record

Fines Massey

Home

1st Place

42 Best Breaking News Story

The Lebanon Daily Record

Fines Massey

Chaos...

2nd Place

44 Best Feature Story

The Lebanon Daily Record

Ken York

Don't Be Me

2nd Place

47-H Best Columnist - Humorous

The Lebanon Daily Record

Ken York

2nd Place

48-I Best Photo Illustration

The Lebanon Daily Record

Julie Turner-Crawford

Bath Salts

2nd Place

40 Best Front to Back Newspaper Design

The Lebanon Daily Record

3rd Place

42 Best Breaking News Story

The Lebanon Daily Record

Julie Turner-Crawford

Baby's Death

3rd Place

67 Best Story About History

The Lebanon Daily Record

Tammy Helm-Teter

Fire Dept.

3rd Place

41 Best Front Page

The Lebanon Daily Record

HM

61 Best Business Story - News or Feature

The Lebanon Daily Record

Fines Massey

Inventors

HM

64 Best Story About Rural Life or Agriculture

The Lebanon Daily Record

Fines Massey

Shepherd Hills

HM

51 Best News Content

The Lebanon Daily Record

HM

Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

14 Community Service

The Lexington News

1st Place

18 Best Sports Feature Story

The Lexington News

Martin Barrett

Giorza Golf

1st Place

30 Best Story About History

The Lexington News

Joe Parmon

Slave Cabin

1st Place

10-S Best Sports Photograph

The Lexington News

Martin Barrett

Opening Round

2nd Place

Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

48-F Best Feature Photograph

The Marshall Democrat-News

Sarah Reed

Alfred

1st Place

58 Best Special Section

The Marshall Democrat-News

Marcia Gorrell

Century Farms

1st Place

44 Best Feature Story

The Marshall Democrat-News

Maggie Menderski

Young Dancer

2nd Place

58 Best Special Section

The Marshall Democrat-News

Sarah Reed

She Fall

2nd Place

43 Best News Story

The Marshall Democrat-News

Maggie Menderski

Habilitation Center

2nd Place

64 Best Story About Rural Life or Agriculture

The Marshall Democrat-News

Marcia Gorrell

Century Farm

3rd Place

67 Best Story About History

The Marshall Democrat-News

Maggie Menderski

Clerk Vault

3rd Place

64 Best Story About Rural Life or Agriculture

The Marshall Democrat-News

Marcia Gorrell

Corps Of Engineers Made Flood Problems Worse

HM

64 Best Story About Rural Life or Agriculture

The Marshall Democrat-News

Marcia Gorrell

Corps Flood

HM

Maggie Menderski

Purple Martins

HM

Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

6 Best Feature Story

The North Stoddard Countian

Corey Noles

Gorby Project

2nd Place

1 General Excellence

The North Stoddard Countian

3rd Place

2 Best Front to Back Newspaper Design

The North Stoddard Countian

3rd Place

4 Best Breaking News Story

The North Stoddard Countian

Corey Noles

Mingo Job Corps

3rd Place

5 Best News Story

The North Stoddard Countian

Corey Noles

(?) Scientist Explores

3rd Place

10-F Best Feature Photograph

The North Stoddard Countian

Corey Noles

Gorby

3rd Place

10-N Best News Photograph

The North Stoddard Countian

Corey Noles

Levee Break

3rd Place

13 Best News Content

The North Stoddard Countian

3rd Place

Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

35 Best Newspaper in Education Program

The Odessan

Renee Spaar

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2nd Place

Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

8 Tilghman Cloud Memorial Editorial

The Reporter

Think Before

1st Place

6 Best Feature Story

The Reporter

Jeff Thompson

Japan Disaster

3rd Place

Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

1 General Excellence

The Republic Monitor

1st Place

2 Best Front to Back Newspaper Design

The Republic Monitor

Staff

Variety

1st Place

3 Best Front Page

The Republic Monitor

Clearing Air

1st Place

10-F Best Feature Photograph

The Republic Monitor

Ryan Squibb

Cowboy

1st Place

10-I Best Photo Illustration

The Republic Monitor

Ryan Squibb and Cheryl Maddox

Reenactor

1st Place

11 Best Photo Package

The Republic Monitor

Ryan Squibb and Cheryl Maddox

War Battle

1st Place

13 Best News Content

The Republic Monitor

1st Place

19 Best Sports Columnist

The Republic Monitor

Rodger Wheeler

Rodgers Rants

1st Place

20 Best Special Section

The Republic Monitor

Ryan Squibb and Cheryl Maddox

Life

1st Place

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| 38 | Best Headline Writing | The Republic Monitor |
| | Staff | 1st Place |
| 9-H | Best Columnist - Humorous | The Republic Monitor |
| | Ryan Squibb | |
| | Here's A Thought | 2nd Place |
| 9-S | Best Columnist - Serious | The Republic Monitor |
| | Ryan Squibb | |
| | Here's A Thought | 2nd Place |
| 10-I | Best Photo Illustration | The Republic Monitor |
| | Ryan Squibb and Cheryl Maddox | |
| | Actors | 2nd Place |
| 18 | Best Sports Feature Story | The Republic Monitor |
| | Rodger Wheeler | |
| | Big Finish | 2nd Place |
| 32 | Best Page Design | The Republic Monitor |
| | Rodger Wheeler and Cheryl Maddox | |
| | Raining Threes | 2nd Place |
| 11 | Best Photo Package | The Republic Monitor |
| | Rodger Wheeler and Cheryl Maddox | |
| | Game Time | 3rd Place |
| 33 | Best Information Graphic | The Republic Monitor |
| | Ryan Squibb and Cheryl Maddox | |
| | Fireman | 3rd Place |
| 10-S | Best Sports Photograph | The Republic Monitor |
| | Rodger Wheeler | |
| | Kickin' Up | 3rd Place |
| 27 | Best Story About Religion | The Republic Monitor |
| | Ryan Squibb | |
| | Round-up | HM |

10-S Best Sports Photograph

The Republic Monitor

Rodger Wheeler

Kruel's Intention

HM

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Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

1 General Excellence

The Smithville Herald

2/9 - 10/5 - 12/28

1st Place

3 Best Front Page

The Smithville Herald

April 27, June 22, Nov. 23

1st Place

17 Best Sports News Story or Package

The Smithville Herald

Andy Meyer

Concussions

1st Place

18 Best Sports Feature Story

The Smithville Herald

Andy Meyer

Behind The Mask

1st Place

16 Best Sports Pages

The Smithville Herald

2nd Place

18 Best Sports Feature Story

The Smithville Herald

Andy Meyer

Building A Winner

2nd Place

2 Best Front to Back Newspaper Design

The Smithville Herald

3rd Place

10-F Best Feature Photograph

The Smithville Herald

Peter Yankowsky

Feats Of Strength

3rd Place

17 Best Sports News Story or Package

The Smithville Herald

Andy Meyer

Disc Golf

3rd Place

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| 19 | Best Sports Columnist | The Smithville Herald |
| | Andy Meyer | |
| | Seniors, Runners, Disc Golf | 3rd Place |
| 28 | Best Story About Education | The Smithville Herald |
| | Nancy Hull Rigdon | |
| | On Track | 3rd Place |
| 29 | Best Story About the Outdoors | The Smithville Herald |
| | Kenny Ragland | |
| | Big Buck | 3rd Place |
| 32 | Best Page Design | The Smithville Herald |
| | Andy Meyer | |
| | What A Year | HM |

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Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

27 Best Story About Religion

The Vandalia Leader

Ron Schott

Pastor Frey

3rd Place

6 Best Feature Story

The Vandalia Leader

Ron Schott

Captain America Visits Vandalia

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8 Tilghman Cloud Memorial Editorial

The Vandalia Leader

Rules

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Awards List

Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

9-S Best Columnist - Serious

Versailles Leader-Statesman

Bryan E. Jones

Nickels And Sense

3rd Place

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Category # | Category Name
Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

10-N Best News Photograph

Warren County Record

Tim Schmidt

Snow Storm

1st Place

13 Best News Content

Warren County Record

1st Place

16 Best Sports Pages

Warren County Record

1st Place

11 Best Photo Package

Warren County Record

Fall Festival

2nd Place

17 Best Sports News Story or Package

Warren County Record

Derrick Forsythe

Playoff Heartbreak

2nd Place

1 General Excellence

Warren County Record

2nd Place

10-F Best Feature Photograph

Warren County Record

Bill Barrett

Record-breaking

3rd Place

19 Best Sports Columnist

Warren County Record

Derrick Forsythe

Warren County

3rd Place

17 Best Sports News Story or Package

Warren County Record

Derrick Forsythe

Medal Of

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18 Best Sports Feature Story

Warren County Record

Derrick Forsythe

Friendly Competition

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Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

10-S Best Sports Photograph Washington Missourian Wednesday

Bill Battle

Race 1st Place

26 Best Story About Rural Life or Agriculture Washington Missourian Wednesday

Karen Cernich

A Farm Advocate 1st Place

1 General Excellence Washington Missourian Wednesday

Staff

General Excellence 1st Place

37 Best Video Washington Missourian Wednesday

Community Remembers Sept. 11 1st Place

13 Best News Content Washington Missourian Wednesday

1st Place

12-A Best Ad Idea or Promotion of an Advertiser Washington Missourian Wednesday

Patty Brinker

Welcome Spring 2nd Place

19 Best Sports Columnist Washington Missourian Wednesday

Craig Vonder Haar

Craig's Corner 2nd Place

27 Best Story About Religion Washington Missourian Wednesday

Karen Cernich

Harvest Table 2nd Place

29 Best Story About the Outdoors Washington Missourian Wednesday

Karen Cernich

Live Downstream 2nd Place

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| 37 | Best Video | Washington Missourian Wednesday |
| | Owensville Soldier Surprises His Son | 2nd Place |
| 5 | Best News Story | Washington Missourian Wednesday |
| | Bill Miller Jr. Civil Lawsuit | 3rd Place |
| 10-S | Best Sports Photograph | Washington Missourian Wednesday |
| | Craig Vonder Haar Ford Defends | 3rd Place |
| 12-A | Best Ad Idea or Promotion of an Advertiser | Washington Missourian Wednesday |
| | Ann Vogel West Brothers | 3rd Place |
| 14 | Community Service | Washington Missourian Wednesday |
| | | 3rd Place |
| 15 | Best Editorial Pages | Washington Missourian Wednesday |
| | | 3rd Place |
| 23 | Best Business Story | Washington Missourian Wednesday |
| | Karen Cernich Micro In Size | 3rd Place |
| 31 | Best Coverage of Community/People/Lifestyles | Washington Missourian Wednesday |
| | | 3rd Place |
| 36 | Best Online Newspaper or Website | Washington Missourian Wednesday |
| | Staff Www.emissourian.com | 3rd Place |
| 8 | Tilghman Cloud Memorial Editorial | Washington Missourian Wednesday |
| | Staff Your Right To Know | HM |

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| 8 | Tilghman Cloud Memorial Editorial | Washington Missourian Wednesday |
| | Editor | |
| | Bottle That Spirit | HM |
| 9-H | Best Columnist - Humorous | Washington Missourian Wednesday |
| | Gregg Jones | |
| | Keeping Up With Jones | HM |
| 10-S | Best Sports Photograph | Washington Missourian Wednesday |
| | Bill Battle | |
| | Leimkuehler Flies | HM |
| 16 | Best Sports Pages | Washington Missourian Wednesday |
| | | HM |
| 17 | Best Sports News Story or Package | Washington Missourian Wednesday |
| | Bill Battle and Craig Vander Haar | |
| | Legion State | HM |
| 26 | Best Story About Rural Life or Agriculture | Washington Missourian Wednesday |
| | Karen Cernich | |
| | Taking It Slow | HM |
| 27 | Best Story About Religion | Washington Missourian Wednesday |
| | Karen Cernich | |
| | Spotlight Advent | HM |

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Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

16 Best Sports Pages

Washington Missourian Weekend

1st Place

25 Best Coverage of Rural Life
or Agriculture

Washington Missourian Weekend

Hot Start

1st Place

35 Best Newspaper in Education Program

Washington Missourian Weekend

Dawn Kitchell and Chris Stuckenschneider

Missourian In Education

1st Place

31 Best Coverage of Community/People/Lifestyles

Washington Missourian Weekend

2nd Place

7 Best News or Feature Series

Washington Missourian Weekend

Dawn Kitchell and Patty Brinker

One World: Their Story

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Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

10-F Best Feature Photograph

Webster-Kirkwood Times

Diana Linsley

Zentangle Painters

1st Place

29 Best Story About the Outdoors

Webster-Kirkwood Times

Marty Harris

Open Space

1st Place

9-S Best Columnist - Serious

Webster-Kirkwood Times

Dwight Bitikofer

From The Publisher's Desk

2nd Place

7 Best News or Feature Series

Webster-Kirkwood Times

Dwight Bitkofer

Brownhurst

3rd Place

17 Best Sports News Story or Package

Webster-Kirkwood Times

Rick Frese

Kirkwood Football

3rd Place

28 Best Story About Education

Webster-Kirkwood Times

Jaime Mowers

Mr. Wojak

3rd Place

1 General Excellence

Webster-Kirkwood Times

Dwight Bitikofer

General Excellence

3rd Place

20 Best Special Section

Webster-Kirkwood Times

Randy Drilingas and Kevin Murphy

Community Days

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Award Winner(s)

Newspaper
Place

50-N Best Ad Idea or Promotion of the Newspaper

West Plains Daily Quill

Carla Bean, Vicki Johnson, Vicky Rutter, Darla Evins and Sharon Essary

\$50 Cash

1st Place

58 Best Special Section

West Plains Daily Quill

Staff

Fair Tab

2nd Place

68 Best Coverage of Community/People/Lifestyles

West Plains Daily Quill

Staff

Lifestyles

2nd Place

50-N Best Ad Idea or Promotion for the Newspaper

West Plains Daily Quill

Carla Bean

It's Zizzer All The Time

3rd Place

60 Best Local Business Coverage

West Plains Daily Quill

Staff

Quill Business

3rd Place

58 Best Special Section

West Plains Daily Quill

Staff

Breast Cancer

HM

67 Best Story About History

West Plains Daily Quill

Allison Wilson

Lake Tragedy

HM