

# BNC Winners by MNA Name

## MNA Name

### Albert Lea Tribune

First Place	Editorial Page as a Whole	Dailies under 10,000	
First Place	Best Advertisement	All Dailies	Stacey Bahr
Second Place	General Excellence	Dailies under 10,000	
Second Place	Special Section	All Dailies	

### Alexandria - The Echo Press

First Place	Innovative Online Advertising	All Weeklies	Jenny Wagner & Shelly Beaulieu
First Place	Advertising Campaign	All Individuals	Nichole Roell & Stacy Haaven
First Place	Website	Weeklies over 5,000	
First Place	Best Advertisement	Weeklies over 5,000	Deb Zens, Karla Mikkelson & Izzy Rusch
First Place	Headline Writing	Weeklies over 5,000	
Honorable Mention	Institutional Advertisement	Weeklies over 2,500	Deb Zens, Karla Mikkelson & Izzy Rusch
Second Place	Design Portfolio	All Weeklies	Karla Mikkelson
Second Place	Innovative Online Advertising	All Weeklies	Nichole Roell & Jody Hanson
Second Place	Editorial Page as a Whole	Weeklies over 5,000	
Second Place	Best Advertisement	Weeklies over 5,000	Nichole Roell & Izzy Rusch

### Anoka County Union

First Place	Feature Photo	Weeklies 2,501-5,000	Eric Hagen
Second Place	Portrait and Personality	Weeklies 2,501-5,000	Tammy Sakry
Second Place	Best Use of Multimedia	Weeklies over 2,500	

### Apple Valley - Thisweek Apple Valley

Second Place	News Photo	Weeklies over 5,000	Rick Orndorf
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### Austin Daily Herald

First Place	Special Section	All Dailies	
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### Bemidji - The Bemidji Pioneer

First Place	Arts & Entertainment Story	All Dailies	Laurie Swenson
Second Place	Typography & Design	Dailies under 10,000	
Second Place	Sports Reporting	Dailies under 10,000	
Second Place	General Reporting	Dailies under 10,000	
Second Place	Editorial Page as a Whole	Dailies under 10,000	

### Blaine - Blaine Spring Lake Park Life

First Place	General Reporting	Weeklies up to 1,500	
First Place	Investigative Reporting	Weeklies up to 2,500	Sue Austreng, Elyse Kaner & Jason Olson
First Place	Arts & Entertainment Story	Weeklies up to 1,500	Elyse Kaner
First Place	Category X	Weeklies up to 2,500	
First Place	Social Issues Story	Weeklies up to 1,500	Elyse Kaner
Second Place	Best Use of Multimedia	Weeklies up to 2,500	

### Blooming Prairie Times

Second Place	Category X	Weeklies up to 2,500	
Second Place	Editorial Page as a Whole	Weeklies up to 1,500	

**Blue Earth - Faribault County Registe**

Honorable Mention	Best Magazine	All Weeklies	
Honorable Mention	Special Section	Weeklies over 2,500	
Second Place	Best Magazine	All Weeklies	

**Brainerd Dispatch**

First Place	Self-Promotion or House Ad	All Dailies	Lisa Henry
Second Place	Website	All Dailies	

**Buffalo - Wright County Journal-Pres**

First Place	Portrait and Personality	Weeklies over 5,000	Heather Reinhart
First Place	Sports Photo	Weeklies over 5,000	Heather Reinhart

**Burnsville - Thisweek Burnsville/Eag**

First Place	Feature Photo	Weeklies over 5,000	Rick Orndorf
Second Place	Self-Promotion or House Ad	Weeklies over 2,500	Ellen Reiersen

**Cambridge - Isanti County News**

First Place	Human Interest Story	Weeklies over 5,000	Elizabeth Sias
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**Cass Lake Times**

Second Place	Columnist	Weeklies up to 1,500	Allan Olson
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**Chanhassen Villager**

First Place	Social Issues Story	Weeklies over 5,000	Unsie Zuege
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**Chaska Herald**

First Place	Social Issues Story	Weeklies 2,501-5,000	Mark W. Olson
First Place	Typography & Design	Weeklies 2,501-5,000	
First Place	Headline Writing	Weeklies 2,501-5,000	
Second Place	Photo Story	Weeklies 2,501-5,000	Mark W. Olson

**Chatfield News**

First Place	Human Interest Story	Weeklies up to 1,500	Lisa Brainard
Second Place	Photo Story	Weeklies up to 1,500	Gretchen Mensink Lovejoy

**Cottage Grove - South Washington C**

Second Place	General Reporting	Weeklies 2,501-5,000	
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**Delano Herald Journal**

Honorable Mention	Human Interest Story	Weeklies 1,501-2,500	Ryan Gueningsman
Second Place	Sports Photo	Weeklies 1,501-2,500	Matt Kane

**Detroit Lakes Tribune**

First Place	Photo Story	Weeklies 2,501-5,000	Brian Basham
First Place	Institutional Advertisement	Weeklies over 2,500	Mary Brenk
First Place	Human Interest Story	Weeklies 2,501-5,000	Brian Wierima
First Place	Category X	Weeklies over 2,500	
First Place	Best Use of Multimedia	Weeklies over 2,500	
First Place	Best Advertisement	Weeklies 2,501-5,000	DL Newspapers Staff
First Place	Government/Public Affairs Reporting	All Weeklies	Paula Quam
First Place	Use of Photography as a Whole	Weeklies 2,501-5,000	
First Place	Sports Story	Weeklies over 2,500	Brian Wierima
Second Place	Website	Weeklies 2,501-5,000	
Second Place	Institutional Advertisement	Weeklies over 2,500	Mary Brenk & Luanna Lake
Second Place	Advertising Campaign	All Individuals	Dave Aune
Second Place	Best Use of Video	Weeklies over 2,500	
Second Place	Sports Photo	Weeklies 2,501-5,000	Brian Wierima
Second Place	Best Advertisement	Weeklies 2,501-5,000	Connie Klopka & Luanna Lake
Second Place	Best Use of Social Media	Weeklies over 2,500	
Second Place	Human Interest Story	Weeklies 2,501-5,000	Brian Basham
Second Place	Advertising Excellence	Weeklies 2,501-5,000	

**Detroit Lakes-Becker County Record**

Honorable Mention	Sports Story	Weeklies over 2,500	Brian Basham
Second Place	Government/Public Affairs Reporting	All Weeklies	Nate Bowe

**Duluth News Tribune**

First Place	Columnist	All Dailies	Sam Cook
First Place	Local Breaking News Coverage	All Dailies	Jana Hollingsworth
First Place	Social Issues Story	All Dailies	Brandon Stahl
First Place	Editorial Page as a Whole	Dailies 10,000 and over	
First Place	Website	All Dailies	
First Place	Investigative Reporting	All Dailies	Brandon Stahl & Mark Stodghill
First Place	Feature Photo	All Dailies	Clint Austin
Honorable Mention	Feature Photo	All Dailies	Clint Austin
Honorable Mention	Sports Photo	All Dailies	Bob King
Honorable Mention	Arts & Entertainment Story	All Dailies	Christa Lawler
Second Place	Government/Public Affairs Reporting	All Dailies	John Myers
Second Place	Editorial Portfolio	All Dailies	
Second Place	Headline Writing	All Dailies	
Second Place	Use of Photography as a Whole	Dailies 10,000 and over	
Second Place	Human Interest Story	Dailies 10,000 and over	Jana Hollingsworth

**Edina Sun Current**

First Place	Arts & Entertainment Story	Weeklies over 5,000	Katie Mintz
Second Place	Feature Photo	Weeklies over 5,000	Katie Mintz
Second Place	Sports Reporting	Weeklies over 5,000	

**Elbow Lake-Grant County Herald**

Honorable Mention	Best Advertisement	Weeklies 1,501-2,500	Anne O'Flynn
Second Place	Human Interest Story	Weeklies 1,501-2,500	Chris Ray

**Elk River - Star News**

Second Place	Website	Weeklies over 5,000	
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**Ely - Ely Timberjay**

First Place	Freedom of Information Award	All Newspapers	
First Place	Use of Photography as a Whole	Weeklies up to 1,500	
First Place	Editorial Page as a Whole	Weeklies up to 1,500	
Second Place	General Reporting	Weeklies up to 1,500	
Second Place	Investigative Reporting	Weeklies up to 2,500	Marshall Helmberger
Second Place	Typography & Design	Weeklies up to 1,500	
Second Place	Sports Reporting	Weeklies up to 1,500	
Second Place	Arts & Entertainment Story	Weeklies up to 1,500	Scott Stowell

**Fairmont-Sentinel**

First Place	Classified Ad Section	All Dailies	
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**Fargo/Moorhead - The Forum**

First Place	Sports Reporting	Dailies 10,000 and over	
First Place	Use of Photography as a Whole	Dailies 10,000 and over	
First Place	News Photo	All Dailies	David Samson
First Place	Design Portfolio	All Dailies	Erin Crommett
First Place	Human Interest Story	Dailies 10,000 and over	Mila Koumpilova
First Place	Headline Writing	All Dailies	
First Place	Herman Roe Editorial Writing Award	All Newspapers	Jack Zaleski
First Place	Category X	All Dailies	
First Place	Advertising Excellence	Dailies 10,000 and over	
Honorable Mention	Sports Story	All Dailies	Ryan Clark
Second Place	Use of Information Graphics & Graphic Illustrations	All Dailies	Troy Becker
Second Place	Freedom of Information Award	All Newspapers	
Second Place	Typography & Design	Dailies 10,000 and over	
Second Place	Arts & Entertainment Story	All Dailies	Shane Mercer
Second Place	Press Photographer's Portfolio	All Dailies	David Samson
Second Place	Best Use of Social Media	All Dailies	
Second Place	Editorial Page as a Whole	Dailies 10,000 and over	
Second Place	Business Story	All Dailies	Marino Eccher

**Faribault Daily News**

First Place	Best Magazine	All Dailies	
First Place	Sports Reporting	Dailies under 10,000	
First Place	Use of Photography as a Whole	Dailies under 10,000	
First Place	New Journalist of the Year	All Dailies	Joseph Lindberg
Honorable Mention	Human Interest Story	Dailies under 10,000	Joseph Lindberg
Second Place	Best Use of Multimedia	All Dailies	
Second Place	Category X	All Dailies	

**Farmington - Thisweek Farmington/**

First Place	Columnist	Weeklies over 5,000	Larry Werner
Honorable Mention	Government/Public Affairs Reporting	All Weeklies	Laura Adelman
Second Place	Columnist	Weeklies over 5,000	Aaron Vehling
Second Place	Category X	Weeklies over 2,500	

**Farmington Independent**

First Place	Website	Weeklies 1,501-2,500	
First Place	General Reporting	Weeklies 1,501-2,500	
First Place	General Excellence	Weeklies 1,501-2,500	

**Floodwood - Portage News**

First Place	Sports Photo	Weeklies up to 1,500	John Grones
First Place	Photo Story	Weeklies up to 1,500	John Grones
Honorable Mention	Use of Photography as a Whole	Weeklies up to 1,500	
Second Place	Sports Photo	Weeklies up to 1,500	John Grones
Second Place	Press Photographer's Portfolio	All Weeklies	John Grones
Second Place	Best Advertisement	Weeklies up to 1,500	John Grones
Second Place	Feature Photo	Weeklies up to 1,500	John Grones
Second Place	Human Interest Story	Weeklies up to 1,500	Paul Gregersen
Second Place	Special Section	Weeklies up to 2,500	

**Forest Lake Times**

Second Place	Advertising Excellence	Weeklies over 5,000	
Second Place	Local Breaking News Coverage	Weeklies over 5,000	Cliff Buchan

**Fosston - The Thirteen Towns**

Second Place	Feature Photo	Weeklies 1,501-2,500	J. Reed Anderson
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**Glencoe - The McLeod County Chron**

First Place	Self-Promotion or House Ad	Weeklies over 2,500	Jessica Bolland
Second Place	Herman Roe Editorial Writing Award	All Newspapers	Rich Glennie
Second Place	Editorial Page as a Whole	Weeklies 2,501-5,000	

**Hastings Star Gazette**

First Place	Portrait and Personality	Weeklies 2,501-5,000	Chad Richardson
Second Place	Explanation of News Operations or Newspaper Ethics	All Newspapers	
Second Place	News Photo	Weeklies 2,501-5,000	Chad Richardson

**Henning - Citizen's Advocate**

First Place	News Photo	Weeklies up to 1,500	Chad Koenen
First Place	Business Story	Weeklies up to 1,500	Chad Koenen

**Hibbing Daily Tribune**

Honorable Mention	Government/Public Affairs Reporting	All Dailies	Kelly Grinsteinner
Second Place	Human Interest Story	Dailies under 10,000	Kelly Grinsteinner

**Hinckley News**

First Place	News Photo	Weeklies 1,501-2,500	Ailene Croup
Second Place	Advertising Excellence	Weeklies 1,501-2,500	

**Hutchinson Leader**

First Place	Best Magazine	All Weeklies	
First Place	Use of Photography as a Whole	Weeklies over 5,000	
First Place	Use of Color in Advertising	Weeklies over 2,500	Christine Dammann & Marne Long
First Place	Business Story	Weeklies over 5,000	Jorge Sosa
First Place	Advertising Excellence	Weeklies over 5,000	
First Place	News Photo	Weeklies over 5,000	Terry Davis
First Place	Local Breaking News Coverage	Weeklies over 5,000	Doug Hanneman, Terry Davis, Jorge Sosa & Kay Johnson
First Place	Typography & Design	Weeklies over 5,000	
Honorable Mention	Photo Story	Weeklies over 5,000	Doug Hanneman
Second Place	Use of Color in Advertising	Weeklies over 2,500	Christine Dammann & Marne Long
Second Place	General Reporting	Weeklies over 5,000	
Second Place	Headline Writing	Weeklies over 5,000	
Second Place	Editorial Portfolio	All Weeklies	
Second Place	Business Story	Weeklies over 5,000	Doug Hanneman

**Isle - Mille Lacs Messenger**

First Place	Columnist	Weeklies 2,501-5,000	Rob Passons
Second Place	Sports Story	Weeklies over 2,500	Rob Passons
Second Place	Business Story	Weeklies 2,501-5,000	Rob Passons
Second Place	Classified Ad Section	Weeklies over 2,500	

**Jackson County Pilot**

First Place	Photo Story	Weeklies 1,501-2,500	Ryan Brinks
First Place	Human Interest Story	Weeklies 1,501-2,500	Justin R. Lessman
First Place	Columnist	Weeklies 1,501-2,500	Justin R. Lessman
First Place	Business Story	Weeklies 1,501-2,500	Justin R. Lessman
Second Place	Editorial Page as a Whole	Weeklies 1,501-2,500	
Second Place	Sports Story	Weeklies up to 2,500	Dan Condon
Second Place	Local Breaking News Coverage	Weeklies 1,501-2,500	Ryan Brinks

**Jordan Independent**

First Place	Use of Photography as a Whole	Weeklies 1,501-2,500	
Second Place	General Reporting	Weeklies 1,501-2,500	
Second Place	Use of Information Graphics & Graphic Illustrations	Weeklies up to 2,500	Mathias Baden, David Schueller & Design Staff

**MNAName****Kenyon Leader**

First Place	Website	Weeklies up to 1,500	
First Place	Best Use of Video	Weeklies up to 2,500	
First Place	Headline Writing	Weeklies up to 1,500	
Second Place	Portrait and Personality	Weeklies up to 1,500	Terri Washburn
Second Place	Advertising Excellence	Weeklies up to 1,500	

**Kimball - Tri-County News**

First Place	Self-Promotion or House Ad	Weeklies up to 2,500	Sue A. Hughes
First Place	Best Advertisement	Weeklies up to 1,500	Jean Doran Matua
Second Place	Self-Promotion or House Ad	Weeklies up to 2,500	Sue A. Hughes
Second Place	News Photo	Weeklies up to 1,500	Danielle Brower
Second Place	Website	Weeklies up to 1,500	

**La Crescent - Houston County News**

First Place	Social Issues Story	Weeklies 1,501-2,500	Ryan Henry
Second Place	Use of Photography as a Whole	Weeklies 1,501-2,500	

**Lakefield Standard**

Honorable Mention	Feature Photo	Weeklies up to 1,500	Mike Jordan
Second Place	Business Story	Weeklies up to 1,500	Justin R. Lessman

**Le Center Leader**

Honorable Mention	Sports Photo	Weeklies up to 1,500	Pat Beck
Second Place	Headline Writing	Weeklies up to 1,500	

**Le Sueur News-Herald**

First Place	Sports Reporting	Weeklies up to 1,500	
Second Place	General Excellence	Weeklies up to 1,500	

**Litchfield Independent Review**

First Place	Sports Reporting	Weeklies 2,501-5,000	
First Place	Arts & Entertainment Story	Weeklies 2,501-5,000	Brent Schacherer
First Place	Editorial Page as a Whole	Weeklies 2,501-5,000	
Second Place	Use of Photography as a Whole	Weeklies 2,501-5,000	
Second Place	Headline Writing	Weeklies 2,501-5,000	

**Little Falls - Morrison County Record**

First Place	Classified Ad Section	Weeklies over 2,500	
Second Place	General Excellence	Weeklies over 5,000	

**Mankato - The Free Press**

First Place	General Reporting	Dailies 10,000 and over	
First Place	Use of Color in Advertising	All Dailies	Kellie Blanchard
First Place	Lynn Smith Community Leadership	All Newspapers	
Second Place	Best Magazine	All Dailies	
Second Place	Use of Color in Advertising	All Dailies	Ginny Bergerson
Second Place	Investigative Reporting	All Dailies	Mark Fischenich

**Maple Lake Messenger**

Second Place	News Photo	Weeklies 1,501-2,500	Theresa Andrus
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**MNAName****Marshall Independent**

First Place	Typography & Design	Dailies under 10,000	
First Place	Sports Story	All Dailies	Matt Dahlseid
Honorable Mention	Design Portfolio	All Dailies	Aaron Schlemmer
Second Place	Institutional Advertisement	All Dailies	Derek Jensen

**McGregor - The Voyageur Press of**

First Place	Typography & Design	Weeklies up to 1,500	
First Place	Advertising Excellence	Weeklies up to 1,500	
Second Place	Use of Photography as a Whole	Weeklies up to 1,500	

**Melrose Beacon**

First Place	Feature Photo	Weeklies 1,501-2,500	Carol Moorman
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**Minneapolis - Southwest Journal**

First Place	General Excellence	Weeklies over 5,000	
Second Place	Typography & Design	Weeklies over 5,000	
Second Place	Human Interest Story	Weeklies over 5,000	Nick Halter

**Minneapolis - The Journal**

First Place	Best Use of Social Media	Weeklies over 2,500	
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**Minnetonka /Deeplaven / Hopkins**

First Place	Sports Reporting	Weeklies over 5,000	
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**Morris Sun Tribune**

First Place	Sports Photo	Weeklies 2,501-5,000	Nancy Woodke
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**New Ulm - The Journal**

Second Place	Feature Photo	All Dailies	Steve Muscatello
Second Place	Best Advertisement	All Dailies	Becky Wilbrecht & Matt Irwin
Second Place	Advertising Excellence	Dailies under 10,000	
Second Place	Classified Ad Section	All Dailies	
Second Place	Use of Photography as a Whole	Dailies under 10,000	

**North Branch - ECM Post Review**

First Place	Local Breaking News Coverage	Weeklies 1,501-2,500	Jon Tatting
First Place	Best Use of Multimedia	Weeklies up to 2,500	
Second Place	Portrait and Personality	Weeklies 1,501-2,500	Victoria Dahlin
Second Place	Website	Weeklies 1,501-2,500	

**North St. Paul - Ramsey County Revi**

First Place	Columnist	Weeklies up to 1,500	Heather Edwards
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**Northfield News**

First Place	Best Use of Video	Weeklies over 2,500	
First Place	Business Story	Weeklies 2,501-5,000	Jacqueline A. Pavek
First Place	Special Section	Weeklies over 2,500	
First Place	General Reporting	Weeklies 2,501-5,000	
First Place	Editorial Portfolio	All Weeklies	
First Place	Advertising Excellence	Weeklies 2,501-5,000	
Honorable Mention	Press Photographer's Portfolio	All Weeklies	Shane Kitzman
Second Place	Investigative Reporting	Weeklies over 2,500	David Henke
Second Place	Columnist	Weeklies 2,501-5,000	Shane Kitzman
Second Place	Typography & Design	Weeklies 2,501-5,000	
Second Place	Sports Reporting	Weeklies 2,501-5,000	

**Norwood Young America Times**

First Place	Sports Photo	Weeklies 1,501-2,500	Paul Downer
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**Olivia - Renville County Register**

First Place	Best Advertisement	Weeklies 1,501-2,500	Adam Hoogenakker & Brooke Eischens
Second Place	Social Issues Story	Weeklies 1,501-2,500	Shelby Lindrud
Second Place	Business Story	Weeklies 1,501-2,500	Susan Williams

**Osakis Review**

Honorable Mention	General Reporting	Weeklies up to 1,500	
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**Owatonna People's Press**

First Place	Explanation of News Operations or Newspaper Ethics	All Newspapers	
First Place	Innovative Online Advertising	All Dailies	Kerri Pohlner & Deb Theisen
First Place	Advertising Excellence	Dailies under 10,000	
First Place	General Reporting	Dailies under 10,000	
Second Place	Design Portfolio	All Dailies	Jason Schmucker
Second Place	New Journalist of the Year	All Dailies	Ashley Peterson

**Park Rapids Enterprise**

First Place	News Photo	Weeklies 2,501-5,000	Connie Carmichael
Second Place	Local Breaking News Coverage	Weeklies 2,501-5,000	Sarah Smith

**Parkers Prairie - The Parkers Prairie I**

First Place	Press Photographer's Portfolio	All Weeklies	Jakki Wehking
First Place	Best Use of Social Media	Weeklies up to 2,500	
First Place	General Excellence	Weeklies up to 1,500	

**Paynesville - The Paynesville Press**

Honorable Mention	Arts & Entertainment Story	Weeklies 1,501-2,500	Michael Jacobson
Second Place	Institutional Advertisement	Weeklies up to 2,500	Andrew Enninga
Second Place	Arts & Entertainment Story	Weeklies 1,501-2,500	Michael Jacobson

**MNAName****Pelican Rapids Press**

First Place	Classified Ad Section	Weeklies up to 2,500	
First Place	Advertising Excellence	Weeklies 1,501-2,500	
First Place	Portrait and Personality	Weeklies 1,501-2,500	Jeff Meyer
First Place	Arts & Entertainment Story	Weeklies 1,501-2,500	Louis Hoglund
Second Place	Best Advertisement	Weeklies 1,501-2,500	Jeff Meyer
Second Place	Sports Reporting	Weeklies 1,501-2,500	
Second Place	Headline Writing	Weeklies 1,501-2,500	
Second Place	Columnist	Weeklies 1,501-2,500	Louis Hoglund
Second Place	General Excellence	Weeklies 1,501-2,500	

**Pequot Lakes - Lake Country Echo**

Honorable Mention	Human Interest Story	Weeklies 2,501-5,000	Pete Mohs
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**Pipestone County Star**

First Place	Local Breaking News Coverage	Weeklies 2,501-5,000	Debra Fitzgerald, Jennifer Burris, John Draper & Kyle Kuphal
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**Preston / Lanesboro - Republican-Le**

Honorable Mention	Photo Story	Weeklies up to 1,500	Lisa Brainard & Larry Johnson
Second Place	Local Breaking News Coverage	Weeklies up to 1,500	Lisa Brainard, David Phillips & Melissa Vander Plas

**Prior Lake American**

Honorable Mention	General Excellence	Weeklies over 5,000	
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**Red Wing Republican Eagle**

First Place	Investigative Reporting	Weeklies over 2,500	Mike Longaecker
First Place	Editorial Page as a Whole	Weeklies over 5,000	
Second Place	Special Section	Weeklies over 2,500	
Second Place	Photo Story	Weeklies over 5,000	Stacy Bengs

**Robbinsdale / Crystal / New Hope /**

Second Place	New Journalist of the Year	All Weeklies	Anna Woodwick
Second Place	Social Issues Story	Weeklies over 5,000	Susan Webber

**Rochester - Post-Bulletin**

First Place	Editorial Portfolio	All Dailies	
First Place	Best Use of Multimedia	All Dailies	
First Place	Best Use of Video	All Dailies	
First Place	Photo Story	All Dailies	Ken Klotzbach
Second Place	Columnist	All Dailies	John Weiss
Second Place	General Excellence	Dailies 10,000 and over	
Second Place	Sports Reporting	Dailies 10,000 and over	
Second Place	Social Issues Story	All Dailies	Jeffrey Pieters
Second Place	Photo Story	All Dailies	Elizabeth Nida

**Shakopee Valley News**

First Place	Website	Weeklies 2,501-5,000	
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**Spring Valley Tribune**

First Place	Feature Photo	Weeklies up to 1,500	David Phillips
First Place	Institutional Advertisement	Weeklies up to 2,500	Lisa Vaupel
Second Place	Use of Color in Advertising	Weeklies up to 2,500	Lisa Vaupel

**St. Cloud Times**

First Place	Best Use of Social Media	All Dailies	
First Place	Typography & Design	Dailies 10,000 and over	
First Place	Institutional Advertisement	All Dailies	Gary Schlickemayer
First Place	General Excellence	Dailies 10,000 and over	
First Place	Use of Information Graphics & Graphic Illustrations	All Dailies	Lisa Mueller
First Place	Portrait and Personality	All Dailies	Dave Schwarz
First Place	Press Photographer's Portfolio	All Dailies	Jason Wachter
First Place	Sports Photo	All Dailies	Dave Schwarz
First Place	Business Story	All Dailies	Adam Couzens
Honorable Mention	Investigative Reporting	All Dailies	Kirsti Marohn
Honorable Mention	Use of Color in Advertising	All Dailies	Angel Amundson
Second Place	Self-Promotion or House Ad	All Dailies	Theresa Erdman
Second Place	Local Breaking News Coverage	All Dailies	Dave Aeikens
Second Place	Sports Story	All Dailies	Andy Rennecke
Second Place	Lynn Smith Community Leadership	All Newspapers	
Second Place	Advertising Excellence	Dailies 10,000 and over	
Second Place	Innovative Online Advertising	All Dailies	Gary Schlickemayer
Second Place	Portrait and Personality	All Dailies	Jason Wachter
Second Place	Best Use of Video	All Dailies	

**St. Louis Park Sun Sailor**

Second Place	Arts & Entertainment Story	Weeklies over 5,000	Seth Rowe
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**St. Peter Herald**

First Place	Sports Reporting	Weeklies 1,501-2,500	
First Place	Editorial Page as a Whole	Weeklies 1,501-2,500	
Second Place	Best Use of Video	Weeklies up to 2,500	

**Tracy Headlight-Herald**

First Place	Headline Writing	Weeklies 1,501-2,500	
First Place	Use of Color in Advertising	Weeklies up to 2,500	April DeSchepper
Honorable Mention	Use of Photography as a Whole	Weeklies 1,501-2,500	

**Two Harbors - Lake County News-Ch**

First Place	Typography & Design	Weeklies 1,501-2,500	
First Place	Use of Information Graphics & Graphic Illustrations	Weeklies up to 2,500	Matt Suoja
First Place	Sports Story	Weeklies up to 2,500	Mike Creger
Honorable Mention	Business Story	Weeklies 1,501-2,500	Mike Creger
Honorable Mention	News Photo	Weeklies 1,501-2,500	Brittany Berrens
Second Place	Photo Story	Weeklies 1,501-2,500	Mike Creger

**Tyler Tribute**

First Place	Local Breaking News Coverage	Weeklies up to 1,500	Robert Wolfington, Michele Rowell, Chuck Hunt & Sandy Hansen
Second Place	Classified Ad Section	Weeklies up to 2,500	

**Virginia - Mesabi Daily News**

First Place	Human Interest Story	Dailies under 10,000	Jesse White
First Place	Government/Public Affairs Reporting	All Dailies	Bill Hanna
First Place	General Excellence	Dailies under 10,000	
Second Place	Sports Photo	All Dailies	Mark Sauer

**Wabasso Standard**

First Place	Special Section	Weeklies up to 2,500	
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**Waconia Patriot**

Second Place	Arts & Entertainment Story	Weeklies 2,501-5,000	Todd Moen
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**Waseca County News**

First Place	New Journalist of the Year	All Weeklies	Jordan Osterman
Honorable Mention	Best Use of Video	Weeklies over 2,500	
Second Place	Social Issues Story	Weeklies 2,501-5,000	Ruth Ann Hager

**Waterville - Lake Region Life**

Second Place	Social Issues Story	Weeklies up to 1,500	Lisa Ingebrand
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**Wayzata - Lakeshore Weekly News**

Second Place	Use of Photography as a Whole	Weeklies over 5,000	
Second Place	Portrait and Personality	Weeklies over 5,000	Mark Trockman
Second Place	Sports Photo	Weeklies over 5,000	Mark Trockman

**Westbrook Sentinel/Tribune**

First Place	Portrait and Personality	Weeklies up to 1,500	Tom Merchant
Honorable Mention	Portrait and Personality	Weeklies up to 1,500	Tom Merchant

**White Bear Lake - White Bear Press**

First Place	Photo Story	Weeklies over 5,000	Paul Dols
Honorable Mention	Advertising Campaign	All Individuals	Alicia Streiber

**Willmar - West Central Tribune**

Honorable Mention	Special Section	All Dailies	
Second Place	General Reporting	Dailies 10,000 and over	

**Windom - Cottonwood County Citize**

First Place	General Excellence	Weeklies 2,501-5,000	
Second Place	Feature Photo	Weeklies 2,501-5,000	Dave Fjeld

**Winona Post**

First Place	General Reporting	Weeklies over 5,000	
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**Woodbury / South Maplewood Revi**

First Place	Design Portfolio	All Weeklies	Nik VanDenMeerendonk
First Place	Use of Information Graphics & Graphic Illustrations	Weeklies over 2,500	Nik VanDenMeerendonk
Second Place	Use of Information Graphics & Graphic Illustrations	Weeklies over 2,500	Nik VanDenMeerendonk

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**Woodbury Bulletin**

Second Place                  General Excellence                                  Weeklies 2,501-5,000

**Worthington Daily Globe**

Second Place                  News Photo                                  All Dailies                                  Brian Korthals