

## Associate Newspaper Contest

Class	RKDivision	Winner	Newspaper	Name of Entry	Writer or Photographer
Graphics	Associate	3rd Place	Capital Press	Vulnerable specieis, Behemoth blades	Randy Wrighthouse
Graphics	Associate	2nd Place	Smoke Signals	Tomanowos	Samuel Briggs III
Graphics	Associate	1st Place	Our Town	Migrating your media	Tavis Bettoli Lotten
Design	Associate	2nd Place	Capital Press	Design-Capital Press	Randy Wrighthouse
Design	Associate	1st Place	Smoke Signals	Smoke Signals design	Justin Phillips and Samuel Briggs III
Best Editorial Column	Associate	3rd Place	Capital Press	Carl Sampson editorials	Carl Sampson
Best Editorial Column	Associate	2nd Place	Our Town	James Day - Football memories, Unexpected Path, Making history	James Day
Best Editorial Column	Associate	1st Place	Our Town	A Slice of the Pie - Sorting, Proposed, and The gift - 3	Melissa Wagoner
Best Feature Writing	Associate	3rd Place	Capital Press	"Quinoa researcher aids African farmers," published on Sept. 29, 2023.	Matthew Weaver
Best Feature Writing	Associate	2nd Place	Smoke Signals	'No more stolen sisters'	Danielle Harrison
Best Feature Writing	Associate	1st Place	Our Town	Giving a familiar face a story	Melissa Wagoner
Best News Writing	Associate	3rd Place	Our Town	Homeless summit	James Day
Best News Writing	Associate	2nd Place	Capital Press	"EPA vulnerable species pilot" published Oct. 20, 2023	Don Jenkins
Best News Writing	Associate	1st Place	Smoke Signals	ODFW approves MOA expanding Tribal hunting and fishing rights	Danielle Harrison
Best News Photo	Associate	3rd Place	Smoke Signals	2023 Veterans Powwow	Michelle Alaimo
Best News Photo	Associate	2nd Place	Smoke Signals	ODFW approves MOA expanding Tribal hunting and fishing rights	Michelle Alaimo
Best News Photo	Associate	1st Place	Smoke Signals	Graduated	Michelle Alaimo
Target Audience Publication General Excellenc	Associate	3rd Place	Our Town	Our Town	Staff
Target Audience Publication General Excellenc	Associate	2nd Place	Capital Press	Jan. 27, July 21 and Oct. 20, 2023, editions of the	Staff
Target Audience Publication General Excellenc	Associate	1st Place	Smoke Signals	Smoke Signals general excellence	Smoke Signals staff

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Best Special Section or Issue	Group E	3rd Place	The Chronicle	Class Acts: Graduation Edition 2023	Chronicle staff
Best Special Section or Issue	Group E	2nd Place	John Day Blue Mountain Eagle	Explore Grant County	Staff
Best Special Section or Issue	Group E	1st Place	The Chronicle	Fall Sports Preview 2023	Pierre Weil and Noel Nash
Best Special Section or Issue	Group D	3rd Place	West Linn Tidings	West Linn Graduation 2023	Staff
Best Special Section or Issue	Group D	2nd Place	Keizertimes	Keizertimes Football Preview 2023	Staff
Best Special Section or Issue	Group D	1st Place	Keizertimes	Keizertimes KeizerFEST 2023	Staff
Best Special Section or Issue	Group C	3rd Place	Lake Oswego Review	Amazing Kids	Staff
Best Special Section or Issue	Group C	2nd Place	Beaverton - Tigard Times	Pamplin Amazing Neighbors	Staff
Best Special Section or Issue	Group C	1st Place	Lake Oswego Review	Salute to Veterans	Staff
Best Special Section or Issue	Group B	3rd Place	Klamath Falls Herald & News	Twice as Nice -- Henley, Lost River claim state football	Gene Warnick
Best Special Section or Issue	Group B	2nd Place	The News-Register	2023-24 Yamhill Valley Visitors Guide	News-Register staff
Best Special Section or Issue	Group B	1st Place	Astoria Daily Astorian	Our Coast	Lissa Brewer, John Bruijn, Lydia Ely, staff
Best Special Section or Issue	Group A/AA	3rd Place	Grants Pass Daily Courier	Summer Adventures	Staff
Best Special Section or Issue	Group A/AA	2nd Place	The News-Review	Veterans Day	Staff
Best Special Section or Issue	Group A/AA	1st Place	Grants Pass Daily Courier	A to Z: Your Guide to Josephine County	Staff
Best Coverage of Business or Economic Issue	Group EF	3rd Place	Malheur Enterprise	Weather is changing ... so are onion farmers	Caitlin Looby, Pat Caldwell, Shreya Agrawal
Best Coverage of Business or Economic Issue	Group EF	2nd Place	Malheur Enterprise	Reload stunner: New figures all for \$10 million	Pat Caldwell
Best Coverage of Business or Economic Issue	Group EF	1st Place	The Canyon Weekly	Freres technology survives 10-story earthquake test	James Day
Best Coverage of Business or Economic Issue	Group D	3rd Place	Enterprise Wallowa County Chieftain	The Price of Predation	Bill Bradshaw
Best Coverage of Business or Economic Issue	Group D	2nd Place	West Linn Tidings	Is there an affordable housing project in West Linn's	Holly Bartholomew
Best Coverage of Business or Economic Issue	Group D	1st Place	Wilsonville Spokesman	Wilsonville in space	Kaelyn Cassidy
Best Coverage of Business or Economic Issue	Group C	3rd Place	Madras Pioneer	GTN Pipeline expands into Jefferson County	Kiva Hanson
Best Coverage of Business or Economic Issue	Group C	2nd Place	Beaverton - Tigard Times	Not quite as easy as pie: Banning's Restaurant reopens	Ray Pitz
Best Coverage of Business or Economic Issue	Group C	1st Place	Newberg Graphic	A legend in film and wine	Gary Allen
Best Coverage of Business or Economic Issue	Group B	3rd Place	Gresham Outlook	Sasquatch Shuttle wants to fix traffic jam	Christopher Keizur
Best Coverage of Business or Economic Issue	Group B	2nd Place	Baker City Herald	Focus on fungus	Jayson Jacoby
Best Coverage of Business or Economic Issue	Group B	1st Place	Baker City Herald	Fearing the frost	Jayson Jacoby
Best Coverage of Business or Economic Issue	Group A/AA	3rd Place	The Oregonian	Cannabis Crash	Mike Rogoway
Best Coverage of Business or Economic Issue	Group A/AA	2nd Place	The East Oregonian	Raising the bar: Pendleton's upscale trend	Berit Thorson, John Tillman, Dakota Castets-Didier

Best Coverage of Business or Economic Issue	Group A/AA	1st Place	Mid-Valley Media	Business concerns in the mid-Willamette Valley: Downtown, manufacturing and agriculture	Kosisochukwu Ugwuode, Cody Mann, Shayla Escudero
Best Editorial	Group DE	3rd Place	Enterprise Wallowa County Chieftain	Wallowa County Chieftain editorials	Mike McInally
Best Editorial	Group DE	2nd Place	West Linn Tidings	Best editorial	Patrick Malee
Best Editorial	Group DE	1st Place	Malheur Enterprise	Our view: Smith left a mess; Here's how our team tracked poverty; It's time for county to cut losses	Les Zaitz
Best Editorial	Group C	3rd Place	Columbia Gorge News	Shooting incident raises community concerns	Chelsea Marr
Best Editorial	Group C	2nd Place	The Central Oregonian	Throwback, Listening, DOGAMI	Jason Chaney
Best Editorial	Group C	1st Place	Columbia Gorge News	Vote yes	Trisha Walker
Best Editorial	Group B	3rd Place	Rogue Valley Times	Rogue Valley Times best editorial submissions	Robert Galvin
Best Editorial	Group B	2nd Place	Astoria Daily Astorian	Our View	Astorian staff
Best Editorial	Group B	1st Place	The News-Register	Time for refresher course on transparency in public	Steve Bagwell
Best Editorial	Group AA	3rd Place	The East Oregonian	Best Editorial	Andrew Cutler
Best Editorial	Group AA	2nd Place	Grants Pass Daily Courier	Editorials by Scott Stoddard	Scott Stoddard
Best Editorial	Group AA	1st Place	Mid-Valley Media	Editorials from the DH and GT	Penny Rosenberg
Best Editorial	Group A	1st Place	The Oregonian	Editorials by Helen Jung	Helen Jung
Best Editorial Page	Group CD	3rd Place	West Linn Tidings	Best editorial page	Staff
Best Editorial Page	Group CD	2nd Place	Wilsonville Spokesman	Best editorial page	Staff
Best Editorial Page	Group CD	1st Place	The Central Oregonian	Feb. 14, Feb. 21, June 20	Jason Chaney
Best Editorial Page	Group B	3rd Place	Rogue Valley Times	Rogue Valley Times editorial pages	Robert Galvin
Best Editorial Page	Group B	2nd Place	Baker City Herald	6/24/23; 11/14/2023; 12/12/2023	Jayson Jacoby
Best Editorial Page	Group B	1st Place	La Grande Observer	Best Editorial Page	Andrew Cutler
Best Editorial Page	Group A/AA	3rd Place	The Oregonian	The Oregonian Editorial Pages	Helen Jung
Best Editorial Page	Group A/AA	2nd Place	Grants Pass Daily Courier	Daily Courier editorial pages	Scott Stoddard
Best Editorial Page	Group A/AA	1st Place	Mid-Valley Media	Albany Democrat-Herald/ Corvallis Gazette-Times editorial page	Penny Rosenberg
Best Educational Coverage	Group E	3rd Place	John Day Blue Mountain Eagle	After 'retiring' from Grant School District, Louis Dix in hunt for Myrtle Point superintendent job	Justin Davis
Best Educational Coverage	Group E	2nd Place	Malheur Enterprise	Vale district pulls student yearbook over cover words	Steven Mitchell
Best Educational Coverage	Group E	1st Place	Malheur Enterprise	Promoting the Promise	Pat Caldwell
Best Educational Coverage	Group D	3rd Place	Sandy Post	Teacher of the Year	Brit Allen
Best Educational Coverage	Group D	2nd Place	West Linn Tidings	The last straw?	Mac Larsen
Best Educational Coverage	Group D	1st Place	Keizertimes	Chemeketa Coverage Edition - Keizertimes 11-03-23	Staff
Best Educational Coverage	Group C	3rd Place	Forest Grove News-Times	Forest Grove students, school district say return of SROs a success	Nicholas LaMora

Best Educational Coverage	Group C	2nd Place	Beaverton - Tigard Times	Hazelbrook Middle School terrorized by threats	Lauren Bishop, Geoffrey Pursinger
Best Educational Coverage	Group C	1st Place	Lake Oswego Review	'It isn't going away'	Mac Larsen
Best Educational Coverage	Group B	3rd Place	The News-Register	Curious by nature	Starla Pointer
Best Educational Coverage	Group B	2nd Place	The News-Register	Crash Course	Starla Pointer
Best Educational Coverage	Group B	1st Place	Rogue Valley Times	'Whole new chapter': Crater band hopes to shed its hand-me-downs through fundraising	Buffy Pollock
Best Educational Coverage	Group AA	3rd Place	Mid-Valley Media	Albany school district revisits how to handle controversial topics	Hans Boyle
Best Educational Coverage	Group AA	2nd Place	Grants Pass Daily Courier	Single-occupancy restrooms are coming to schools across Three Rivers district	Shaun Hall
Best Educational Coverage	Group AA	1st Place	The East Oregonian	Challenged: LGBTQ+ books raise concerns in Helix	Berit Thorson
Best Educational Coverage	Group A	3rd Place	The Oregonian	Can't read	Julia Silverman
Best Educational Coverage	Group A	2nd Place	The Oregonian	PPS teacher strike fallout	Julia Silverman
Best Educational Coverage	Group A	1st Place	Bend Bulletin	'WE ARE TEACHING IN A WAR ZONE'	Noemi Arellano-Summer
Best Enterprise Reporting	Group EF	3rd Place	The Canyon Weekly	Recovery - Focus on Forest, Relationships, Community Service, Education, Future	James Day, Stephen Floyd
Best Enterprise Reporting	Group EF	2nd Place	John Day Blue Mountain Eagle	Thrown to the Wolves	Neil Nisperos
Best Enterprise Reporting	Group EF	1st Place	Malheur Enterprise	No End in Sight, sidebars; continuing coverage	Les Zaitz, Pat Caldwell, Steven Mitchell
Best Enterprise Reporting	Group D	3rd Place	Sandy Post	In the hot seat	Pamplin Media Group staff
Best Enterprise Reporting	Group D	2nd Place	West Linn Tidings	Bill series	Holly Bartholomew
Best Enterprise Reporting	Group D	1st Place	West Linn Tidings	Farley series	Holly Bartholomew
Best Enterprise Reporting	Group C	3rd Place	Forest Grove News-Times	Back to life	Ray Pitz
Best Enterprise Reporting	Group C	2nd Place	Lake Oswego Review	Lake Oswego insurance provider recommends closing trails; Down the drain?;	Corey Buchanan
Best Enterprise Reporting	Group C	1st Place	Forest Grove News-Times	Slowing a 'biological wildfire'	Lauren Bishop
Best Enterprise Reporting	Group B	3rd Place	Astoria Daily Astorian	Medix struggles to meet response time requirements	Nicole Bales
Best Enterprise Reporting	Group B	2nd Place	The News-Register	Reality & Response -- Homelessness in Yamhill County	Scott Unger
Best Enterprise Reporting	Group B	1st Place	Rogue Valley Times	DANGER OF CARING series: The death of Bobbie	Buffy Pollock
Best Enterprise Reporting	Group AA	3rd Place	The News-Review	Stardust Motel	Scott Carroll
Best Enterprise Reporting	Group AA	2nd Place	Grants Pass Daily Courier	Medford cut homeless camping on public land by 70%. Here's how they did it.	Vickie Aldous
Best Enterprise Reporting	Group AA	1st Place	Grants Pass Daily Courier	Gospel Rescue Mission shelter is less than half full	Vickie Aldous
Best Enterprise Reporting	Group A	3rd Place	The Statesman-Journal	Salem Police killed people at higher rate than other Oregon cities over last decade. Why?	Whitney Woodworth

Best Enterprise Reporting	Group A	2nd Place	The Oregonian	OLCC scandal	Noelle Crombie, Ted Sickinger
Best Enterprise Reporting	Group A	1st Place	The Oregonian	Bias Crimes in Oregon	Aimee Green
Best Feature Story General	Group E	3rd Place	The Chronicle	Burleson: Biggest story ever told in Cottage Grove	Ron Hartman
Best Feature Story General	Group E	2nd Place	The Chronicle	Recounting peaks and valleys of the Pacific Crest Trail	Ron Hartman
Best Feature Story General	Group E	1st Place	John Day Blue Mountain Eagle	Nightmare on Main Street	Neil Nisperos
Best Feature Story General	Group D	3rd Place	Enterprise Wallowa County Chieftain	A Touch of Zen	Bill Bradshaw
Best Feature Story General	Group D	2nd Place	Wilsonville Spokesman	'You can still be a mom'	Kaelyn Cassidy
Best Feature Story General	Group D	1st Place	Wilsonville Spokesman	'It can happen'	Kaelyn Cassidy
Best Feature Story General	Group C	3rd Place	The Central Oregonian	Juniper Removal	Jason Chaney
Best Feature Story General	Group C	2nd Place	Columbia County Spotlight	Frank Weber at 99	Scott Keith
Best Feature Story General	Group C	1st Place	Lake Oswego Review	'The missing piece'	Corey Buchanan
Best Feature Story General	Group B	3rd Place	Rogue Valley Times	50-Year Quest: Sutherlin woman continues the search for brother lost in Vietnam	Buffy Pollock
Best Feature Story General	Group B	2nd Place	Rogue Valley Times	'The best ideas': Fire survivors know what fire	Erick Bengel
Best Feature Story General	Group B	1st Place	La Grande Observer	July 22—Wrestling with a bear	Isabella Crowley
Best Feature Story General	Group AA	3rd Place	Mid-Valley Media	At one Corvallis park, workers clear a dam by day; beavers return at night	Alex Powers
Best Feature Story General	Group AA	2nd Place	The News-Review	A day on the fireline	Drew Winkelmaier
Best Feature Story General	Group AA	1st Place	Grants Pass Daily Courier	'I just choose not to suffer'	Nick Morgan
Best Feature Story General	Group A	3rd Place	The Oregonian	Hot dog town	Samantha Swindler
Best Feature Story General	Group A	2nd Place	The Statesman-Journal	Salmon catch the 'fish taxi' as Corps plans billions to save iconic fish, keep dams	Zach Urness
Best Feature Story General	Group A	1st Place	The Oregonian	Family's Loss	Tom Hallman Jr.
Best Feature Personality	Group E	3rd Place	Malheur Enterprise	Final tribute	Les Zaitz
Best Feature Personality	Group E	2nd Place	The Chronicle	Nobody walks the walk quite like Holub family	Ron Hartman
Best Feature Personality	Group E	1st Place	John Day Blue Mountain Eagle	The Accidental Barber	Neil Nisperos
Best Feature Personality	Group D	3rd Place	Wilsonville Spokesman	Quilting joy	Kaelyn Cassidy
Best Feature Personality	Group D	2nd Place	Enterprise Wallowa County Chieftain	Healing the Wounds of War	Bill Bradshaw
Best Feature Personality	Group D	1st Place	Wilsonville Spokesman	Brick by brick	Kaelyn Cassidy
Best Feature Personality	Group C	3rd Place	Forest Grove News-Times	A more personal touch to meeting St. Nick	Nicholas LaMora
Best Feature Personality	Group C	2nd Place	Lake Oswego Review	'A sense of duty'	Corey Buchanan
Best Feature Personality	Group C	1st Place	Beaverton - Tigard Times	All about acceptance	Ray Pitz
Best Feature Personality	Group B	3rd Place	Baker City Herald	A sniper's story	Jayson Jacoby
Best Feature Personality	Group B	2nd Place	Rogue Valley Times	WinCo Betty finally gets to retire	Buffy Pollock
Best Feature Personality	Group B	1st Place	Rogue Valley Times	Retiring Judge Joe Charter reflects on the 'anti-court'	Erick Bengel

Best Feature Personality	Group AA	3rd Place	Grants Pass Daily Courier	Drowning victims were former outfitters with deep	Chris Bristol
Best Feature Personality	Group AA	2nd Place	The East Oregonian	From mean streets to Main Street	Yasser Marte
Best Feature Personality	Group AA	1st Place	The News-Review	Helena - Falling through the cracks	Scott Carroll
Best Feature Personality	Group A	3rd Place	The Oregonian	Barry Sutton obituary	Tom Hallman Jr.
Best Feature Personality	Group A	2nd Place	The Oregonian	The deputy	Tom Hallman Jr.
Best Feature Personality	Group A	1st Place	The Oregonian	Principal's Gift	Tom Hallman Jr.
Best Headline Writing	OPEN	3rd Place	The News-Register	Curious by nature, and more	Racheal Winter
Best Headline Writing	OPEN	2nd Place	Rogue Valley Times	Headlines on OSF's second act, dairy label bill, postal service plan and button overload	Robert Galvin
Best Headline Writing	OPEN	1st Place	Grants Pass Daily Courier	Headlines by Scott Stoddard	Scott Stoddard
Best Lifestyle Coverage	Group E	3rd Place	John Day Blue Mountain Eagle	"The Long Way"	Bennett Hall
Best Lifestyle Coverage	Group E	2nd Place	The Chronicle	Athletic Director Series	Pierre Weil
Best Lifestyle Coverage	Group E	1st Place	Malheur Enterprise	Children of Poverty series	Staff
Best Lifestyle Coverage	Group D	3rd Place	Keizertimes	Spotlight on Keizer's doers - Keizertimes 01-27-23	Lyndon Zaitz, Robin Barney
Best Lifestyle Coverage	Group D	2nd Place	Wilsonville Spokesman	Watching Wilsonville's wildlife	Kaelyn Cassidy
Best Lifestyle Coverage	Group D	1st Place	Wilsonville Spokesman	Time to regroup	Kaelyn Cassidy
Best Lifestyle Coverage	Group C	3rd Place	Lake Oswego Review	Best of both worlds?	Corey Buchanan
Best Lifestyle Coverage	Group C	2nd Place	Columbia Gorge News	New statues arrive at Mt. Adams Buddhist Temple	Flora Gibson
Best Lifestyle Coverage	Group C	1st Place	Columbia Gorge News	Pacific Northwest Search and Rescue utilizes new Marine Patrol team	Laurel Brown
Best Lifestyle Coverage	Group B	3rd Place	Rogue Valley Times	Bodies on the Greenway: Bear Creek Greenway has become a thoroughfare for drugs and death	Buffy Pollock
Best Lifestyle Coverage	Group B	2nd Place	Rogue Valley Times	Jackson County's only licensed psilocybin manufacturer in R&D phase	Erick Bengel
Best Lifestyle Coverage	Group B	1st Place	Rogue Valley Times	Primary care emergency: Southern Oregon is short of Veterinarian shortage	Erick Bengel
Best Lifestyle Coverage	Group AA	3rd Place	The News-Review	Team brings medical care to homeless in Grants Pass	Drew Winkelmaier
Best Lifestyle Coverage	Group AA	2nd Place	Grants Pass Daily Courier	'I just choose not to suffer'	Vickie Aldous
Best Lifestyle Coverage	Group AA	1st Place	Grants Pass Daily Courier	Homeless	Nick Morgan
Best Lifestyle Coverage	Group A	3rd Place	The Oregonian	There's a new, underground fine dining experience in Farmworkers	Gosia Wozniacka
Best Lifestyle Coverage	Group A	2nd Place	Bend Bulletin	Outdoor dangers; Beyond pay and benefits; Death	Janay Wright
Best Lifestyle Coverage	Group A	1st Place	The Oregonian	Local column	Gosia Wozniacka
Best Local Column	Group E	3rd Place	The Chronicle	Justin Davis	Michael Dunne
Best Local Column	Group E	2nd Place	The Chronicle		Noel Nash
Best Local Column	Group E	1st Place	John Day Blue Mountain Eagle		If More than 3 names type: Staff

Best Local Column	Group C	3rd Place	Forest Grove News-Times	"Funding shortfall could cost Hillsboro; Ducks, Beavers may be at odds; There's no 'I' in football	Wade Evanson
Best Local Column	Group C	2nd Place	The Central Oregonian	Cell phone, Throw Away, Christmas in Australia	Jason Chaney
Best Local Column	Group C	1st Place	The Central Oregonian	Winter storm, Seeking bass, AI in photography	Lon Austin
Best Local Column	Group B	3rd Place	Rogue Valley Times	Thinking Out Loud column	Robert Galvin
Best Local Column	Group B	2nd Place	La Grande Observer	Best Local Column-KB	Karrine Brogoitti
Best Local Column	Group B	1st Place	Astoria Daily Astorian	Writer's Notebook	Steve Forrester
Best Local Column	Group AA	3rd Place	The East Oregonian	Best Local Column-AC	Andrew Cutler
Best Local Column	Group AA	2nd Place	The East Oregonian	Besl local column	Tammy Malgesini
Best Local Column	Group AA	1st Place	Grants Pass Daily Courier	Scott Stoddard columns	Scott Stoddard
Best Local Column	Group A	3rd Place	The Oregonian	Why Tho?	Lizzy Acker
Best Local Column	Group A	2nd Place	Bend Bulletin	Dropping In	David Jasper
Best Local Column	Group A	1st Place	The Oregonian	Letter from the Editor	Therese Bottomly
Best Sports Story	Group E	3rd Place	The Chronicle	Ready to repeat: Springfield star Romero-Ah Sam shoots even higher	Pierre Weil
Best Sports Story	Group E	2nd Place	The Chronicle	Chasing history: Springfield's own taking state by storm at Marist	Pierre Weil
Best Sports Story	Group E	1st Place	John Day Blue Mountain Eagle	Lady Pro soccer seeks to establish tradition	Justin Davis
Best Sports Story	Group D	3rd Place	Keizertimes	Putting pen to paper - Keizertimes 04-28-23	Joshua Manes
Best Sports Story	Group D	2nd Place	West Linn Tidings	Back to back	Jackson Naugle
Best Sports Story	Group D	1st Place	Wilsonville Spokesman	Jack of all trades	Jackson Naugle
Best Sports Story	Group C	3rd Place	Columbia Gorge News	Grads set new heights	Noah Noteboom
Best Sports Story	Group C	2nd Place	The Central Oregonian	Biggest Week Ever?	Lon Austin
Best Sports Story	Group C	1st Place	Columbia Gorge News	Embrace Disability	Noah Noteboom
Best Sports Story	Group B	3rd Place	The News-Register	Rosenberg officially out	Dylan Wilhelm
Best Sports Story	Group B	2nd Place	Rogue Valley Times	Let's hear it for the girls: Southern Oregon-area wrestlers win nine of 14 titles	Kris Henry
Best Sports Story	Group B	1st Place	Baker City Herald	Top Dawgs	Jayson Jacoby
Best Sports Story	Group AA	3rd Place	The East Oregonian	Finding peace one step at a time	Annie Fowler
Best Sports Story	Group AA	2nd Place	The East Oregonian	Echo rallies to beat Joseph for 1A 6-man football title	Annie Fowler
Best Sports Story	Group AA	1st Place	The East Oregonian	Umatilla teacher loses battle with cancer	Annie Fowler
Best Sports Story	Group A	3rd Place	The Oregonian	Beach volleyball	James Crepea
Best Sports Story	Group A	2nd Place	The Oregonian	Travis Bazzana	Joe Freeman
Best Sports Story	Group A	1st Place	Eugene Register-Guard	Coach pressured player to medically retire, transfer.	Chris Hansen
Best Spot News Coverage	Group EF	3rd Place	The Chronicle	Annis earns milestone victory as Thurston's first 3-	Pierre Weil

Best Spot News Coverage	Group EF	2nd Place	Malheur Enterprise	County, MCDC; County demands; Smith agrees	Steven Mitchell, Pat Caldwell
Best Spot News Coverage	Group EF	1st Place	Malheur Enterprise	A death in Ontario	Pat Caldwell, Steven Mitchell, Les Zaitz
Best Spot News Coverage	Group D	3rd Place	Keizertimes	Jespersen shares idea for staff daycare - Keizertimes	Madi Leitz
Best Spot News Coverage	Group D	2nd Place	Wilsonville Spokesman	Valentine's Day shooting	Kaelyn Cassidy
Best Spot News Coverage	Group D	1st Place	Keizertimes	Keizer's invisible population - Keizertimes 12-08-23	Quinn Stoddard
Best Spot News Coverage	Group C	3rd Place	Beaverton - Tigard Times	Deputy critically wounded in shooting	Lauren Bishop, Aurora Biggers, Ray Pitz
Best Spot News Coverage	Group C	2nd Place	Beaverton - Tigard Times	Hazelbrook Middle School terrorized by threats	Lauren Bishop, Geoffrey Pursinger
Best Spot News Coverage	Group C	1st Place	Lake Oswego Review	'We're not gonna let it go'	Mac Larsen
Best Spot News Coverage	Group B	3rd Place	Rogue Valley Times	Judge refuses to dismiss cases, rails against failure of public defender system	Kevin Opsahl
Best Spot News Coverage	Group B	2nd Place	Astoria Daily Astorian	Transit district to suspend operations	Ethan Myers
Best Spot News Coverage	Group B	1st Place	Rogue Valley Times	Tragedy on the Oregon Coast: Local dad dies in fall trying to save boys	Buffy Pollock
Best Spot News Coverage	Group AA	3rd Place	Grants Pass Daily Courier	Smith River Complex fire coverage	Vickie Aldous, Scott Stoddard, Julie Anderson
Best Spot News Coverage	Group AA	2nd Place	The East Oregonian	'Swatting' calls prompt school lockdown, emergency	Dakota Castets-Didier
Best Spot News Coverage	Group AA	1st Place	Grants Pass Daily Courier	Fugitive Dead After Hourslong Standoff	Chris Bristol, Scott Stoddard
Best Spot News Coverage	Group A	3rd Place	The Oregonian	Good Sam shooting	Maxine Bernstein, Austin De Dios
Best Spot News Coverage	Group A	2nd Place	The Statesman-Journal	Live coverage of the Liberty Fire in south Salem	Zach Urness and Dianne Lugo
Best Spot News Coverage	Group A	1st Place	Bend Bulletin	Man who allegedly planned shooting arrested	Anna Kaminski
Best Writing	Group E	3rd Place	John Day Blue Mountain Eagle	Three stories	Neil Nisperos
Best Writing	Group E	2nd Place	Malheur Enterprise	Vanished; Tribute; Smith bails	Les Zaitz
Best Writing	Group E	1st Place	John Day Blue Mountain Eagle	Three stories	Bennett Hall
Best Writing	Group D	3rd Place	West Linn Tidings	Mac Larsen Best Writing	Mac Larsen
Best Writing	Group D	2nd Place	Wilsonville Spokesman	Kaelyn Cassidy best writing	Kaelyn Cassidy
Best Writing	Group D	1st Place	West Linn Tidings	Best writing Holly Bartholomew	Holly Bartholomew
Best Writing	Group C	3rd Place	Columbia Gorge News	Bookmobile/community works/new executive	Trisha Walker
Best Writing	Group C	2nd Place	Beaverton - Tigard Times	All about acceptance; A Christmas love story; Sherwood voters elect Thornton	Ray Pitz
Best Writing	Group C	1st Place	Lake Oswego Review	Mac Larsen Best Writing	Mac Larsen
Best Writing	Group B	3rd Place	Rogue Valley Times	ROC Court reflections, fire survivors' ideas and remembering Dennis Richardson	Erick Bengel



Best Writing	Group B	2nd Place	Rogue Valley Times	Responders remember Alameda Fire, Teen Hero and Medford father's Greenway gripes	Buffy Pollock
Best Writing	Group B	1st Place	Baker City Herald	A sniper's story; Schools are the heart...; The enduring attraction...	Jayson Jacoby
Best Writing	Group AA	3rd Place	Grants Pass Daily Courier	Stories by Vickie Aldous	Vickie Aldous
Best Writing	Group AA	2nd Place	Grants Pass Daily Courier	Columns and editorials by Scott Stoddard	Scott Stoddard
Best Writing	Group AA	1st Place	Grants Pass Daily Courier	Chris Bristol stories	Chris Bristol
Best Writing	Group A	3rd Place	The Oregonian	Tom Hallman Jr.	Tom Hallman Jr.
Best Writing	Group A	2nd Place	The Oregonian	Samantha Swindler features	Samantha Swindler
Best Writing	Group A	1st Place	Bend Bulletin	STRONGER THAN EVER	Suzanne Roig
Public Service Journalism	OPEN	3rd Place	Malheur Enterprise	Children of Poverty: A 5-part series	Staff
Public Service Journalism	OPEN	2nd Place	The Oregonian	OLCC scandal	Noelle Crombie, Ted Sickinger
Public Service Journalism	OPEN	1st Place	Rogue Valley Times	Danger of Caring series: The death of Bobbie Kolada	Buffy Pollock
Best Story of the Year	Group AA	2nd Place	Mid-Valley Media	Sweet Home: A city is trying to do right but unhoused people are dying	Shayla Escudero, Alex Powers
Best Story of the Year	Group AA	1st Place	Grants Pass Daily Courier	'I Just Choose Not To Suffer'	Nick Morgan
Best Story of the Year	Group A	3rd Place	The Oregonian	Civil commitment	Nicole Hayden
Best Government Coverage	Group E	2nd Place	The Chronicle	Creswell City Council backpedals on appointment of unhoused woman	Amanda Lurey
Best Government Coverage	Group E	1st Place	John Day Blue Mountain Eagle	Resignations, recriminations	Justin Davis
Best Government Coverage	Group D	3rd Place	Sandy Post	Aquatic center demo	Brit Allen
Best Government Coverage	Group D	2nd Place	Sandy Post	In the hot seat	Pamplin Media Group staff
Best Government Coverage	Group D	1st Place	West Linn Tidings	West Linn weighing camping ordinance change	Holly Bartholomew
Best Government Coverage	Group C	3rd Place	Lake Oswego Review	Best Government Coverage LO Review	Corey Buchanan
Best Government Coverage	Group C	2nd Place	Madras Pioneer	Water plant project begins in Warm Springs	Kiva Hanson
Best Government Coverage	Group C	1st Place	Beaverton - Tigard Times	'Zoom bombing' disrupts council meeting	Lauren Bishop
Best Government Coverage	Group B	3rd Place	The News-Register	'As long as it takes'"Yamhill COunty employees starts 'historic' strike after contract impasse	Paul Daquilante
Best Government Coverage	Group B	2nd Place	Rogue Valley Times	Families, Rep. Marsh say response to caregiver deaths is unacceptable	Buffy Pollock
Best Government Coverage	Group B	1st Place	Astoria Daily Astorian	Fire districts on the North Coast near breaking point	Ethan Myers
Best Government Coverage	Group AA	3rd Place	The East Oregonian	If you give it, they will come	Phil Wright
Best Government Coverage	Group AA	2nd Place	Mid-Valley Media	Corvallis City Council to consider ousting one of its	Kosisochukwu Ugwuode
Best Government Coverage	Group AA	1st Place	Grants Pass Daily Courier	Board pulls county public notices from Daily Courier	Shaun Hall and Scott Stoddard

Best Government Coverage	Group A	1st Place	The Statesman-Journal	Oregon Employment Department COVID-19 benefits back pay issues	Dianne Lugo
Best Page One Design	Group E	3rd Place	The Chronicle	Feb. 16; Sept. 7; Nov. 30	Erin Tierney-Heggenstaller
Best Page One Design	Group E	2nd Place	Malheur Enterprise	Page One designs	Scotta Callister
Best Page One Design	Group E	1st Place	John Day Blue Mountain Eagle	Three front pages	Randy Wrighthouse
Best Page One Design	Group D	3rd Place	Sandy Post	Sandy front page 1, Sandy front page 2, Sandy front	Tiffany O'Dell
Best Page One Design	Group D	2nd Place	West Linn Tidings	West Linn Tidings	Staff
Best Page One Design	Group D	1st Place	Enterprise Wallowa County Chieftain	Best Page One Design	Andy Nicolais
Best Page One Design	Group C	3rd Place	Forest Grove News-Times	Forest Grove News-Times front page design	Staff
Best Page One Design	Group C	2nd Place	The Central Oregonian	Jan. 24, April 11, August 29	Jason Chaney
Best Page One Design	Group C	1st Place	Lake Oswego Review	Lake Oswego Review	Staff
Best Page One Design	Group B	3rd Place	Rogue Valley Times	Page ones: Salmonfly hatch, Crater High band uniforms and responders recall Almeda Fire	Rogue Valley Times staff
Best Page One Design	Group B	2nd Place	La Grande Observer	Grant Purdum, Samantha Stipler, Gary West	If More than 3 names type: Staff
Best Page One Design	Group B	1st Place	The News-Register	News-Register	Racheal Winter
Best Page One Design	Group AA	3rd Place	The News-Review	Page 1 design	Nathan A. Miller
Best Page One Design	Group AA	2nd Place	Grants Pass Daily Courier	Grants Pass Daily Courier front pages designed by Scott Stoddard	Scott Stoddard
Best Page One Design	Group AA	1st Place	The East Oregonian	Best Page One Design	Andy Nicolais
Best Page One Design	Group A	3rd Place	The Oregonian	Trump booked	Staff
Best Page One Design	Group A	2nd Place	The Oregonian	Homeless toll	Staff
Best Page One Design	Group A	1st Place	The Oregonian	Hate Crimes	Staff
Best Graphics	OPEN	3rd Place	Mid-Valley Media	Taken from India on false pretense	Krishna Mathias
Best Graphics	OPEN	2nd Place	The Chronicle	Creswell Yard Sale Map 2023	Staff
Best Graphics	OPEN	1st Place	Grants Pass Daily Courier	Poll Results	Scott Stoddard
Best Feature Photo	Group DE	3rd Place	The Chronicle	Bridge in fall	Bob Williams
Best Feature Photo	Group DE	2nd Place	The Chronicle	July 4 fireworks	Bob Williams
Best Feature Photo	Group DE	1st Place	West Linn Tidings	Getting in the holiday spirit	Jonathan House
Best Feature Photo	Group C	3rd Place	Beaverton - Tigard Times	Festival of Balloons	Jaime Valdez
Best Feature Photo	Group C	2nd Place	Forest Grove News-Times	Singing in the rain	Jaime Valdez
Best Feature Photo	Group C	1st Place	Columbia Gorge News	Bear enjoys cooling off at the watering hole off the Mosier Plateau trail last summer	Laurel Brown
Best Feature Photo	Group B	3rd Place	Rogue Valley Times	Central Point fourth-grader makes slime to help his	Jamie Lusch
Best Feature Photo	Group B	2nd Place	Rogue Valley Times	Southern Oregon the site of the last great train	Jamie Lusch
Best Feature Photo	Group B	1st Place	The News-Register	A Haunting Loss	Rachel Thompson

Best Feature Photo	Group AA	3rd Place	The News-Review	Goats	Will Geschke
Best Feature Photo	Group AA	2nd Place	The East Oregonian	Renaissance Faire	Yasser Marte
Best Feature Photo	Group AA	1st Place	Grants Pass Daily Courier	Honoring the fallen	Scott Stoddard
Best Feature Photo	Group A	3rd Place	Bend Bulletin	Fourth of July fun	Andy Tullis
Best Feature Photo	Group A	2nd Place	The Oregonian	Nutcracker	Beth Nakamura
Best Feature Photo	Group A	1st Place	Bend Bulletin	SKI and SURF	Joe Kline
Best News Photo	Group E	3rd Place	The Chronicle	MLK Day	Bob Williams
Best News Photo	Group E	2nd Place	John Day Blue Mountain Eagle	Cowboy Up: ICA Rodeo brings plenty of Old West-style spectacle to the Grant County Fair	Neil Nisperos
Best News Photo	Group E	1st Place	The Chronicle	Egg Hunt	Bob Williams
Best News Photo	Group D	3rd Place	Wilsonville Spokesman	Valentine's Day shooting victim still hospitalized	Jaime Valdez
Best News Photo	Group D	2nd Place	West Linn Tidings	A Wild Ride	J. Brian Monihan
Best News Photo	Group D	1st Place	West Linn Tidings	West Linn Graduation	Jonathan House
Best News Photo	Group C	3rd Place	Beaverton - Tigard Times	Camping in the city	Jaime Valdez
Best News Photo	Group C	2nd Place	Forest Grove News-Times	School is back in session	Jaime Valdez
Best News Photo	Group C	1st Place	Beaverton - Tigard Times	Family anxious for news on Gaza hostages	Jaime Valdez
Best News Photo	Group B	3rd Place	Rogue Valley Times	Controlled burn sends smoke up near Ashland	Jamie Lusch
Best News Photo	Group B	2nd Place	The News-Register	Steel for the bridge	Rusty Rae
Best News Photo	Group B	1st Place	Rogue Valley Times	Armed man arrested after standoff	Jamie Lusch
Best News Photo	Group AA	3rd Place	The News-Review	Tyee fire	Will Geschke
Best News Photo	Group AA	2nd Place	The News-Review	RHS graduation	Nathan A. Miller
Best News Photo	Group AA	1st Place	Grants Pass Daily Courier	Fire Scramble	Scott Stoddard
Best News Photo	Group A	3rd Place	The Statesman-Journal	"This is a sad day": Fire determined to be arson damages downtown church	Abigail Dollins
Best News Photo	Group A	2nd Place	The Oregonian	Funeral for Eskender	Mark Graves
Best News Photo	Group A	1st Place	Bend Bulletin	Residents prepare for county, city plans to remove	Dean Guernsey
Best Photo Essay	Group E	3rd Place	The Chronicle	Dia de los Muertos	Bob Williams
Best Photo Essay	Group E	2nd Place	John Day Blue Mountain Eagle	A golden celebration: Canyon City celebrates its boomtown roots with '62 Days	Neil Nisperos
Best Photo Essay	Group E	1st Place	The Chronicle	Holiday essay	Bob Williams
Best Photo Essay	Group D	3rd Place	Wilsonville Spokesman	No place like home	Jaime Valdez
Best Photo Essay	Group D	2nd Place	West Linn Tidings	A wild ride	J. Brian Monihan, Diego G Diaz
Best Photo Essay	Group D	1st Place	Keizertimes	Game On - Keizertimes 08-25-23	Joshua Manes
Best Photo Essay	Group C	3rd Place	Madras Pioneer	Airshow of the Cascades	Kiva Hanson, Tony Ahern, Staff
Best Photo Essay	Group C	2nd Place	Beaverton - Tigard Times	There's nothing like it	Jaime Valdez

Best Photo Essay	Group C	1st Place	The Central Oregonian	Crooked River Roundup	Lon Austin
Best Photo Essay	Group B	3rd Place	Rogue Valley Times	Bringing home the crown: Cascade Christian claims state 3A basketball title	Andy Atkinson
Best Photo Essay	Group B	2nd Place	La Grande Observer	Best Photo Essay-IC	Isabella Crowley
Best Photo Essay	Group B	1st Place	Rogue Valley Times	Preemptive strike on wildfires: Lomakatsi Restoration Project conducts prescribed burn outside Ruch	Jamie Lusch
Best Photo Essay	Group AA	3rd Place	Mid-Valley Media	Homelessness in Grants Pass	Jess Hume-Pantuso
Best Photo Essay	Group AA	2nd Place	Grants Pass Daily Courier	Memorial Day commemoration	Scott Stoddard
Best Photo Essay	Group AA	1st Place	Grants Pass Daily Courier	"I Just Choose Not to Suffer"	Scott Stoddard
Best Photo Essay	Group A	3rd Place	The Oregonian	Whitewashing Albina	Beth Nakamura, Mark Friesen
Best Photo Essay	Group A	2nd Place	Bend Bulletin	Stronger than Ever	Dean Guernsey
Best Photo Essay	Group A	1st Place	Eugene Register-Guard	Death doulas, volunteers help Oregonians die on their own terms	Chris Pietsch
Best Sports Photo	Group DE	3rd Place	West Linn Tidings	Lions Soar	John Lariviere
Best Sports Photo	Group DE	2nd Place	The Chronicle	SHS champs	Pierre Weil
Best Sports Photo	Group DE	1st Place	The Chronicle	THS dejection	Bob Williams
Best Sports Photo	Group C	3rd Place	Beaverton - Tigard Times	Here comes the clash	Jaime Valdez
Best Sports Photo	Group C	2nd Place	Lake Oswego Review	Mia Brahe-Pedersen runs 11 flat in girls 100 at state	Raleigh Emerson
Best Sports Photo	Group C	1st Place	The Central Oregonian	Tied Down	Lon Austin
Best Sports Photo	Group B	3rd Place	The News-Register	Neck and neck	Rachel Thompson
Best Sports Photo	Group B	2nd Place	Rogue Valley Times	5A TRACK: Crater boys land 2nd at state	Andy Atkinson
Best Sports Photo	Group B	1st Place	The News-Register	Rams rugby in the rain	Rachel Thompson
Best Sports Photo	Group AA	3rd Place	The East Oregonian	Ryder Sanford	Yasser Marte
Best Sports Photo	Group AA	2nd Place	The News-Review	South Douglas Rodeo	Will Geschke
Best Sports Photo	Group AA	1st Place	The News-Review	Softball	Nathan A. Miller
Best Sports Photo	Group A	3rd Place	The Oregonian	Baseball	Sean Meagher
Best Sports Photo	Group A	2nd Place	Bend Bulletin	SISTERS RODEO BRINGS FANS, FUN, FIRST TIMERS FROM NEAR AND FAR	Andy Tullis
Best Sports Photo	Group A	1st Place	The Oregonian	Dame Time	Sean Meagher
Best Overall Web Site	OPEN	3rd Place	The Oregonian	OregonLive	The Oregonian/OregonLive staff
Best Overall Web Site	OPEN	2nd Place	The News-Review	Website	Staff
Best Overall Web Site	OPEN	1st Place	Rogue Valley Times	Rogue Valley Times website	Rogue Valley Times staff
Best Web Project	Group A	3rd Place	Eugene Register-Guard	Death doulas, volunteers help Oregonians die on their own terms	Gannett staff

Best Web Project	Group A	2nd Place	The Oregonian	Whitewashing Albina	Rob Davis, Beth Nakamura, Mark Friesen
Best Web Project	Group A	1st Place	The Oregonian	The Forgotten Four	Fedor Zarkhin, Beth Nakamura, Mark Friesen
Best Online Multimedia Element	OPEN	3rd Place	The Chronicle	Celebrating Martin Luther King Jr.	Bobby Stevens
Best Online Multimedia Element	OPEN	2nd Place	The Oregonian	Albina changes	Mark Friesen
Best Online Multimedia Element	OPEN	1st Place	Mid-Valley Media	A Place to Sleep podcast, Episode 7 -- Grants Pass	Shayla Escudero
Best Online Coverage of Breaking News	Group C	2nd Place	Columbia Gorge News	Tunnel 5 Fire	Staff
Best Online Coverage of Breaking News	Group C	1st Place	Columbia Gorge News	Shot Fired, Police Standoff	staff