

2008 NDNA Better Newspaper Contest Award Winners

News/Editorial/Web Awards

Reporting

1-1,000

--> **Reporting**

Honorable Mention

The Gleaner

Northwood was given another friendly lift

Edith Lee

Third Place

The Gleaner

Aneta woman faces starvation

Karen Bilden

Second Place

Lake Metigoshe Mirror

Bottineau County man resigns

Jason Nordmark

First Place

Lake Metigoshe Mirror

Fore Metigoshe

James C. Falcon

1,001-1,999

--> **Reporting**

Honorable Mention

Kenmare News

Morning fog

Caroline Downs

Third Place

Griggs County Courier

It could be worse

Jon Flatland & Tommy Wells

Second Place

The Sargent County Teller

Rutland man badly burned

Holly Jessen

First Place

Cavalier County Republican

Hemp

Amy Freier

2,000 or more --> Reporting

Honorable Mention

McKenzie County Farmer
Housing crunch hurting city's growth
Tina Foreman

Third Place

Walsh County Record
Debate continues on adult entertainment issue
Mike Alan Steinfeldt

Second Place

McLean County Independent
Growth spurring construction spike
Stu Merry

First Place

The Journal
Students disciplined for web forum
Cecile Wehrman

12,000 or less --> Reporting

Honorable Mention

Jamestown Sun
Subzero ordeal
Jackie Hyra

Third Place

Williston Herald
The search continues
Alta Mayhugh

Second Place

Valley City Times-Record
ND an important caucus state Parties say
Jay Stephenson

First Place

Jamestown Sun
State e-mail
Janell Cole

12,001 or more --> **Reporting**

Honorable Mention

The Forum
Race report ignored?
Kim Winnegge

Third Place

Grand Forks Herald
The cost of compassion
Tu-Uyen Tran

Second Place

Grand Forks Herald
The house that Majid built
Chuck Haga

First Place

The Forum
Are your children in good hands?
Mila Koumpilova & Brittany Lawonn

Reporting Series

1-1,000 --> **Reporting Series**

Second Place

Lake Metigoshe Mirror
Building violation
Jason Nordmark

First Place

Lake Metigoshe Mirror
Bank robbery
James C. Falcon

1,001-1,999 --> **Reporting Series**

Honorable Mention

News-Monitor
HHS Board
Kathleen Leinen

Third Place

The Sargent County Teller
Restructuring series
Holly Jessen

Second Place

News-Monitor
Spare Time Bar
Staff

First Place

Tioga Tribune
Knutson Arrest
Brenda Rohde & Jessica Sandberg

2,000 or more --> **Reporting Series**

Honorable Mention

The Journal
Nursing home closure
Cecile Wehrman

Third Place

McKenzie County Farmer
Oil activity increasing
Tina Foreman

Second Place

McLean County Independent
Surprise-rise
Stu Merry

First Place

Walsh County Record
Man trying to locate his kids
Todd Morgan

12,000 or less --> **Reporting Series**

Third Place

The Daily News, Wahpeton
Medal of Honor
Anna Jauhola

Second Place

Dickinson Press
Drought Dilemma
John Odermann

First Place

Williston Herald
Staying a step ahead
Patricia Campbell

12,001 or more --> **Reporting Series**

Third Place

Bismarck Tribune
Bullying online harassment
Sara Kincaid & Jenny Michael

Second Place (tie)

Bismarck Tribune
Memorial Bridge
Brian Gehring

The Forum
Home Explosion
Mike Nowatzki

First Place

The Forum
Underage Drinking
Teri Finneman

Feature Reporting

1-1,000

--> Feature Reporting

Honorable Mention (tie)

Mountrail County Record

Teens minister

Marvin Baker

McLean County Journal

A Good Childhood

Allan Tinker

Third Place

McLean County Journal

Heart of a gravedigger

Brenda L. Shelkey

Second Place

Lake Metigoshe Mirror

9 decades of music

Glenore Larson Gross

First Place

Center Republican

Feeling the hand of God

Kathy Tandberg

1,001-1,999

--> Feature Reporting

Honorable Mention

Hillsboro Banner

Prayers answered

Michelle McLean

Third Place

Kenmare News

Sindy Keller donates kidney

Caroline Downs

Second Place

Tioga Tribune

Emergency

Cecile Wehrman

First Place

The Sargent County Teller

Rathert's Collection

Holly Jessen

2,000 or more --> **Feature Reporting**

Honorable Mention

Beulah Beacon
Happiest Fisherman
Kathy Tandberg

Third Place

McKenzie County Farmer
Horrors of war still haunt
Tina Foreman

Second Place

The Journal
Seismograph Soldiers
Cecile Wehrman

First Place

Walsh County Record
All torn up
Mike Alan Steinfeldt

12,000 or less --> **Feature Reporting**

Honorable Mention

The Daily News, Wahpeton
Working together in tight spots
Erin C. Hevern

Third Place

Dickinson Press
A local celebrity: Jurgenson finds fame on the radio
Ashley Martin

Second Place

Jamestown Sun
Launch site
Toni Pirkel

First Place

Jamestown Sun
Local hunter gets rare kill
Keith Norman

12,001 or more --> **Feature Reporting**

Honorable Mention

The Forum
Native educators scarce
Mila Koumpilova

Third Place

The Forum
A Chain of Thanks
Dave Roepke

Second Place

The Forum
Finding Fatherhood
Ann Arbor Miller

First Place

Bismarck Tribune
Aging of the Guard
Tony Spilde

Feature Reporting Series

1-1,000 --> **Feature Reporting Series**

Second Place

Underwood News
Reclamation
Julie Arbach

First Place

Velva Area Voice
Shop at home
Cindy Kittelson

1,001-1,999 --> **Feature Reporting Series**

Second Place

Tioga Tribune
Rehab Week
Brenda Rohde

First Place

Kenmare News
Hartland Wind Farm
Caroline Downs

2,000 or more --> **Feature Reporting Series**

Third Place

The Journal
Seismic Circus
Cecile Wehrman

Second Place

Beulah Beacon
Celiac disease
Kathy Tandberg

First Place

Pierce County Tribune
Country Schools
Edie Wurgler

12,000 or less --> **Feature Reporting Series**

Honorable Mention

Dickinson Press
Bucking the trend
John Odermann

Third Place

Valley City Times-Record
Local gardeners series
Jean Schlegel

Second Place

Jamestown Sun
Discovering Dakota
Logan C. Adams

First Place

Dickinson Press
Teacher Series
Linda Sailer

12,001 or more --> **Feature Reporting Series**

Third Place

Bismarck Tribune
The best of times, the worst of times
Karen Herzog

Second Place

The Forum
Garbage challenge
Kim Winnegge

First Place

The Forum
Students of Sobriety
Mila Koumpilova

Government Reporting

1-1,000

--> **Government Reporting**

Third Place

Velva Area Voice

Velva commission talks about funding

Cindy Kittelson

Second Place

Center Republican

Road issues

Kathy Tandberg

First Place

Lake Metigoshe Mirror

Schools miss progress goals

John Rosinski

1,001-1,999

--> **Government Reporting**

Honorable Mention

The Leader-News

Park board fined

Danielle Abbott

Third Place

Tioga Tribune

Water plant

Brenda Rohde

Second Place (tie)

Hillsboro Banner

Questions answered

Michelle McLean

New Town News

Vandalism Complaints

Marvin Baker

First Place

News-Monitor

Laptop

Kathleen Leinen

2,000 or more --> **Government Reporting**

Third Place

Walsh County Record
Tough budget decisions around the corner
Mike Alan Steinfeldt

Second Place

McLean County Independent
Bats return to courthouse
Stu Merry

First Place

The Herald Press
Measure proposes decrease in representation
Heather Knodel Melson

12,000 or less --> **Government Reporting**

Honorable Mention

Dickinson Press
Residents voice their opinions
Ashley Martin

Third Place

Dickinson Press
A look at Measure 1 from both sides
John Odermann

Second Place

The Daily News, Wahpeton
Commissioners debate withholding own pay raise
Jennifer Johnson

First Place

Jamestown Sun
Man helped bring down Blunt
Janell Cole

12,001 or more --> **Government Reporting**

Third Place

Bismarck Tribune
What are the rights of the missing
Jenny Michael

Second Place

Grand Forks Herald
Starving for help
Kevin Bonham

First Place

The Forum
No roof of protection
Mike Nowatzki

Government Reporting Series

1-1,000 --> **Government Reporting Series**

Third Place

McClusky Gazette
Sheridan County holds equalization meeting
Allan Tinker

Second Place

Velva Area Voice
Sunset Financing
Cindy Kittelson

First Place

Lake Metigoshe Mirror
Lakeshore property
Jason Nordmark

1,001-1,999 --> **Government Reporting Series**

Second Place

The Leader-News
Tax equalization/Tax increase
Brenda L. Shelkey

First Place

Kenmare News
Northwest Area Water Supply- NAWs
Caroline Downs

2,000 or more --> **Government Reporting Series**

Honorable Mention

The Journal
Illegal meeting
Cecile Wehrman

Third Place

Turtle Mountain Star
911
John Rosinski & James C. Falcon

Second Place

Turtle Mountain Star
Rollette Co. Jail Closure
James C. Falcon

First Place

Walsh County Record
Man trying to locate kids
Todd Morgan

12,000 or less --> **Government Reporting Series**

Third Place

Williston Herald
More time is set aside
Patricia Campbell

Second Place

Dickinson Press
Road to the BAC
John Odermann

First Place

Jamestown Sun
Van Bedaf Dairy Farm
Jackie Hyra

12,001 or more --> **Government Reporting Series**

Second Place

The Forum
Who will fill these shoes?
Teri Finneman

First Place

The Forum
Up center investigative report- Power Play
Helmut Schmidt

Spot News

1,001-1,999 --> **Spot News**

First Place

News-Monitor
Leinen Fire
Kathleen Leinen

2,000 or more --> **Spot News**

Honorable Mention

McKenzie County Farmer
Email scam targets Watford City woman's computer
Tina Foreman

Third Place

Walsh County Record
Fire claims life of Grafton man
Chris Larson

Second Place

Turtle Mountain Star
Homes destroyed
Jason Nordmark

First Place

The Journal
Lumberyard Fire
Cecile Wehrman

12,000 or less --> **Spot News**

Third Place

Valley City Times-Record
Morning storm raises havoc
Nikki Laine Zinke

Second Place

Jamestown Sun
Rain, Rain
Katie Ryan

First Place

Williston Herald
Elderly woman rescued from burning house
LeAnn Eckroth

12,001 or more --> **Spot News**

Honorable Mention

The Forum
Was he looking for help?
Mike Nowatzki

Third Place

The Forum
Lift truck nails Moorhead bridge
Dave Olson, Teri Finneman, & Amy Dalrymple

Second Place

Bismarck Tribune
Gold nuggets from the Soil
Lauren Donovan

First Place

The Forum
3 days, 3 crashes, 1 death
Mike Nowatzki

Business News Reporting

1-1,000 --> **Business News Reporting**

Second Place

McClusky Gazette
Oilfield Expansion
Allan Tinker

First Place

Velva Area Voice
Mellowing Out
Cindy Kittelson

1,001-1,999 --> **Business News Reporting**

Third Place

The Leader-News
Washburn Business Stands Test of Time
Danielle Abbott

Second Place

Kenmare News
Zeltingers buy Wes's
Caroline Downs

First Place

Tioga Tribune
Oil slow down
Jessica Sandberg

2,000 or more --> **Business News Reporting**

Second Place

Walsh County Record
Massage by Brooke now open
Chris Larson

First Place

The Journal
Bakken Estimate
Cecile Wehrman

12,000 or less --> **Business News Reporting**

Honorable Mention

Williston Herald
Theater renovations update a piece of Williston's past
Kate Kliner

Third Place

Jamestown Sun
Goodrich creates high-tech system to handle freight
Toni Pirkel

Second Place

Dickinson Press
Businesses cope with rising gas, wheat prices
Ashley Martin

First Place

Jamestown Sun
Turning rags into riches
Katie Ryan

12,001 or more --> **Business News Reporting**

Third Place

Grand Forks Herald
A lake summer showdown
Mike Brue

Second Place

Grand Forks Herald
Harvesting wind
Kevin Bonham

First Place

The Forum
More than food for fuel
Jon Knutson

Sports Page/Section

1-1,000 --> **Sports Page/Section**

First Place

Velva Area Voice
Sports Section
Cindy Kittelson

1,001-1,999 --> **Sports Page/Section**

Honorable Mention

New Rockford Transcript
Sports Page
Erik Gjovik

Third Place

Hillsboro Banner
Sports Page
Neil O. Nelson

Second Place

Steele County Press
Sports Page
Staff

First Place

News-Monitor
Sports Page
Kathleen Leinen

2,000 or more --> **Sports Page/Section**

Honorable Mention

The Journal
Sports Page
Steve Andrist

Third Place

Turtle Mountain Star
Sports Page
Jason Nordmark

Second Place

Walsh County Record
Sports Page
Mike Alan Steinfeldt

First Place

Pierce County Tribune
Sports Page
Matt Mullally

12,000 or less --> **Sports Page/Section**

Honorable Mention

Williston Herald
Sports Page
Sean Pitman

Third Place

Dickinson Press
Sports Page
Dustin Monke & Chris Aarhus

Second Place

Valley City Times-Record
Sports Page
Mark Potts

First Place

Jamestown Sun
Sports Page
Staff

12,001 or more --> **Sports Page/Section**

Honorable Mention

Grand Forks Herald
Sports Page
Staff

Third Place

Minot Daily News
Sports Page
Staff

Second Place

Bismarck Tribune
Sports Page
Staff

First Place

The Forum
Sports Page
Staff

Sports Reporting

1-1,000 --> **Sports Reporting**

Honorable Mention

Lake Metigoshe Mirror
Are you ready for some MSU-B Football?
James C. Falcon

Third Place

McLean County Journal
Trojans second in state
Tim Hanson

Second Place

Mountrail County Record
Young Harriers perform like seasoned veterans
Marvin Baker

First Place

Velva Area Voice
Aggies are state runner up
Cindy Kittelson

1,001-1,999 --> **Sports Reporting**

Honorable Mention

Mandan News

Is it nature?

Brian L. Gray

Third Place

The Leader-News

Miner netters nip

Brenda L. Shelkey

Second Place

New Town News

Disqualifications

Marvin Baker

First Place

The Leader-News

Running straight

Danielle Abbott

2,000 or more --> **Sports Reporting**

Third Place

Walsh County Record

Spoilers bounce back

Chris Larson

Second Place

McKenzie County Farmer

Dream Comes True

Neal A. Shipman

First Place

Walsh County Record

Demers to forgo senior season

Mike Alan Steinfeldt

12,000 or less --> **Sports Reporting**

Honorable Mention

Williston Herald

Success together

Alan Reed

Third Place

Jamestown Sun

Holen sets career

Scott Throlson

Second Place

Valley City Times-Record

"B" Baseball

Mark Potts

First Place

Williston Herald

Tetons gun down Pioneers

Sean Pitman

12,001 or more --> **Sports Reporting**

Third Place

Grand Forks Herald
The Empire Falls
Kevin Fee

Second Place

Grand Forks Herald
Great West finds common ground
Wayne Nelson

First Place

The Forum
Dividing Lines
Heath Hotzler

Sports Reporting Series

1,001-1,999 --> **Sports Reporting Series**

Third Place

The Leader-News
Miners capture 2nd
Brenda L. Shelkey

Second Place

Steele County Press
Inside the Helmet
Robert Slocum

First Place

News-Monitor
Hankinson girls basketball
Kathleen Leinen

2,000 or more --> **Sports Reporting Series**

Third Place

McLean County Independent
Mavericks are state-bound!
Stu Merry

Second Place

Turtle Mountain Star
Back-to-Back champs
John Rosinski

First Place

Walsh County Record
Spoilers are great at state
Mike Alan Steinfeldt

12,000 or less --> **Sports Reporting Series**

Second Place

Dickinson Press
Dickinson state volleyball coaches
Dustin Monke

First Place

Jamestown Sun
Rebels stellar season
Michael Savaloja

12,001 or more --> **Sports Reporting Series**

Third Place

Bismarck Tribune
Demons stories
Lou Babiarz

Second Place

Minot Daily News
MSU at NAIA Nationals
Michael Linnell

First Place

Grand Forks Herald
UND's Division 1 economics
Tom Miller

Sports Feature

1,001-1,999 --> **Sports Feature**

Honorable Mention

Hillsboro Banner
Learning experienced
Neil O. Nelson

Third Place

Hazen Star
Stepping out of the shadows
Robyn Rohde

Second Place

The Leader-News
Pete Moe
Danielle Abbott

First Place

Cavalier County Republican
Manson
Dennis Thromdset

2,000 or more --> Sports Feature

Third Place

McKenzie County Farmer
Schulz takes her game to the next level
Robin Wark

Second Place

Walsh County Record
Fairdale Bulldogs 1957 Basketball Champs
Mike Alan Steinfeldt

First Place

Turtle Mountain Star
Wrestling with history
Jason Nordmark

12,000 or less --> Sports Feature

Honorable Mention

Jamestown Sun
Wading the way
Scott Throlson

Third Place

Dickinson Press
Budget Guzzling
Chris Aarhus

Second Place

The Daily News, Wahpeton
Big Bear
Scott Sorum

First Place

Dickinson Press
Back on the Mat
Dustin Monke

12,001 or more --> Sports Feature

Honorable Mention

The Forum
Seeking his stride
Heath Hotzler

Third Place

The Forum
Iron Will, Iron Man
Jeff Kolpack

Second Place

The Forum
Basketball's heart and soul
Ann Arbor Miller

First Place

Minot Daily News
Vanishing stripes
Craig Haupert

Sports Column

1-1,000 --> **Sports Column**

First Place

Mountrail County Record
Upside Down Under
Marvin Baker

1,001-1,999 --> **Sports Column**

Second Place

News-Monitor
3rd at state
Kathleen Leinen

First Place

Hazen Star
Where's the love
Robyn Rohde

2,000 or more --> **Sports Column**

First Place

Walsh County Record
History of kicking
Mike Alan Steinfeldt

12,000 or less --> **Sports Column**

Honorable Mention

Dickinson Press
Play-off loss
Dustin Monke

Third Place

Williston Herald
Williston High Graduate News
Sean Pitman

Second Place

Valley City Times-Record
Bye Bye Brad
Mark Potts

First Place

The Daily News, Wahpeton
Bias
Scott Sorum

12,001 or more --> **Sports Column**

Third Place

The Forum

Let's stop being bumpkins

Mike McFeely

Second Place

Bismarck Tribune

Worth all the effort

Steve Thomas

First Place

Minot Daily News

Enough is enough

Michael Linnell

Editorial

1-1,000 --> **Editorial**

Second Place

McClusky Gazette

Cattails and Synergy

Allan Tinker

First Place

Lake Metigoshe Mirror

Bailout for "Mac" and "Mae"

Jason Nordmark

1,001-1,999 --> **Editorial**

Honorable Mention

Griggs County Courier

Fight the economic crunch

Jon Flatland

Third Place

Kenmare News

Gimme Some

Terry Froseth

Second Place

Hillsboro Banner

Choose to be informed

Michelle McLean

First Place

Hillsboro Banner

Never had a fighting chance

Neil O. Nelson

2,000 or more --> **Editorial**

Honorable Mention

Pierce County Tribune
Office head should be up to voters
Matt Mullally

Third Place

Walsh County Record
Health care
Todd Morgan

Second Place

Turtle Mountain Star
Removal, resignation are right
Jason Nordmark

First Place

McKenzie County Farmer
The solution to controlling the Park's elk population
Neal A. Shipman

12,000 or less --> **Editorial**

Third Place

Valley City Times-Record
The Mighty
Nikki Laine Zinke

Second Place

Jamestown Sun
Be smart
Staff

First Place

Dickinson Press
Tax surprise
Jennifer McBride

12,001 or more --> **Editorial**

Third Place

The Forum
Get serious
Jack Zaleski

Second Place

Grand Forks Herald
Dorgan scores
Mike Jacobs

First Place

Bismarck Tribune
Oscar Zero
John Irby

Editorial Page

1-1,000 --> **Editorial Page**

Second Place

Center Republican

Editorial Page

Kathy Tandberg

First Place

Lake Metigoshe Mirror

Editorial Page

Jason Nordmark

1,001-1,999 --> **Editorial Page**

Second Place

News-Monitor

Editorial Page

Kathleen Leinen

First Place

Hillsboro Banner

Editorial Page

Staff

2,000 or more --> **Editorial Page**

Honorable Mention

Beulah Beacon

Editorial Page

Staff

Third Place

Turtle Mountain Star

Editorial Page

Staff

Second Place

Walsh County Record

Editorial Page

Staff

First Place

Pierce County Tribune

Editorial Page

Staff

12,000 or less --> **Editorial Page**

Third Place

Williston Herald
Editorial Page
Staff

Second Place

Dickinson Press
Editorial Page
Jennifer McBride

First Place

Jamestown Sun
Editorial Page
Kathy Steiner & Logan Adams

12,001 or more --> **Editorial Page**

Third Place

The Forum
Editorial Page
Jack Zaleski

Second Place

Bismarck Tribune
Editorial Page
Ken Rogers

First Place

Grand Forks Herald
Editorial Page
Tom Dennis

Standing News Fronts

12,000 or less --> **Standing News Fronts**

Honorable Mention

Devils Lake Journal
Winter Sports Preview
David Gregory

Third Place

Valley City Times-Record
Gas prices hit home
Nikki Laine Zinke

Second Place

Dickinson Press
Accent - Becoming Aware of Hunger
Linda Sailer

First Place

The Daily News, Wahpeton
Vines of the Valley
Erin C. Hevern

12,001 or more --> **Standing News Fronts**

Third Place

Grand Forks Herald
Tornadoes' Toll
Melinda Lavine

Second Place

Grand Forks Herald
Obama wins
Staff

First Place

Grand Forks Herald
Local hotel market grows
Bobbi Berberich

Agricultural Coverage

1-1,000 --> **Agricultural Coverage**

Honorable Mention

McClusky Gazette
Slip and a save
Allan Tinker

Third Place

Lake Metigoshe Mirror
CRP Acres
James C. Falcon

Second Place

Mountrail County Record
Cereal grain harvest
Marvin Baker

First Place

Velva Area Voice
Boom or Bust
Cindy Kittelson

1,001-1,999 --> **Agricultural Coverage**

Third Place

Tioga Tribune
Elevator Pour
Brenda Rohde

Second Place

News-Monitor
VeraSun
Kathleen Leinen

First Place

Burke County Tribune
Dry Conditions
Kiara Crosby

2,000 or more --> **Agricultural Coverage**

Honorable Mention

The Herald Press
High prices, high cost, high risk
Heather Knodel Melson

Third Place

Walsh County Record
Seasonal drought possible
Chris Larson

Second Place

McKenzie County Farmer
Crops, pastures hurting for moisture
Tina Foreman

First Place

McLean County Independent
Rain brings hope to farmers, ranchers
Stu Merry

12,000 or less --> **Agricultural Coverage**

Second Place

Valley City Times-Record
Boom year in Ag
Jean Schlegel

First Place

Dickinson Press
Farm families of NW NoDak
John Odermann

12,001 or more --> **Agricultural Coverage**

Honorable Mention

Grand Forks Herald
Farms, ranches under attack
Ryan Bakken

Third Place

Grand Forks Herald
Country vet
Ann Bailey

Second Place

Bismarck Tribune
Winter-grazing has worked wonders
Lauren Donovan

First Place

The Forum
Dairy Decline
Jon Knutson

Personal Column- Serious

1-1,000

--> **Personal Column- Serious**

Second Place

The Gleaner

Dakota Breeze

Delphine Draxton

First Place

Velva Area Voice

In my humble opinion

Cindy Kittelson

1,001-1,999

--> **Personal Column- Serious**

Honorable Mention (tie)

Hazen Star

A faded smile

Chris Gessele

The Sargent County Teller

Hear Tell

Holly Jessen

Third Place

The Leader-News

War Zone

Brenda L. Shelkey

Second Place

Kenmare News

There is giving

Caroline Downs

First Place

New Town News

Upside down under

Marvin Baker

2,000 or more --> **Personal Column- Serious**

Honorable Mention

McLean County Independent
Something to Stu about
Stu Merry

Third Place

Beulah Beacon
Young Guns
Jackie Long

Second Place

The Journal
Whines & Roses
Cecile Wehrman

First Place

Walsh County Record
Dear John
Todd Morgan

12,000 or less --> **Personal Column- Serious**

Third Place

Jamestown Sun
Why N.D.?
Logan C. Adams

Second Place

The Daily News, Wahpeton
Only Certain Thing
Erin C. Hevern

First Place

Valley City Times-Record
Father's Day
Steve Browne

12,001 or more --> **Personal Column- Serious**

Honorable Mention

The Forum
Smoking
John Lamb

Third Place

Grand Forks Herald
Corruption
Mike Jacobs

Second Place

Grand Forks Herald
Oil Will
Doreen Yellow Bird

First Place

The Forum
Mayor's Comments
Matthew Von Pinnon

Personal Column- Humorous

1-1,000 --> **Personal Column- Humorous**

First Place

Mountrail County Record
Upside Down Under
Marvin Baker

1,001-1,999 --> **Personal Column- Humorous**

Honorable Mention

Hillsboro Banner
Scrabble Son
Michelle McLean

Third Place

The Leader-News
Scrooge 101
Brenda L. Shelkey

Second Place

Mandan News
I love vacations- but do they love me?
Brian L. Gray

First Place

Bowman County Pioneer
Pobody's nerfect
Cliff Larimer

2,000 or more --> **Personal Column- Humorous**

Honorable Mention

Turtle Mountain Star
Three-D: Exclusive Club
Jason Nordmark

Third Place

Walsh County Record
One of those days
Todd Morgan

Second Place

Turtle Mountain Star
The lessons of small-town living
Sara Mickelson

First Place

Turtle Mountain Star
The quintessential game of hot potato
John Rosinski

12,000 or less --> Personal Column- Humorous

Third Place

Devils Lake Journal

Cat Sitting

Sue Kraft-Fischer

Second Place

Dickinson Press

The Legend

John Odermann

First Place

Valley City Times-Record

Got Zucchini?

Carla Kelly

12,001 or more --> Personal Column- Humorous

Honorable Mention

Bismarck Tribune

Following Rooney

John Irby

Third Place

The Forum

Enough

John Lamb

Second Place

Bismarck Tribune

I propose

Kelly Hagen

First Place

Grand Forks Herald

Toilet Humor

Ryan Bakken

Special News Section

1,001-1,999 --> **Special News Section**

Honorable Mention

Hillsboro Banner
State Champions
Neil O. Nelson

Third Place

Cavalier County Republican
Rendezvous Region Tour Guide
Staff

Second Place

Steele County Press
Fall Sports
Staff

First Place

New Rockford Transcript
125th Anniversary- Souvenir Issue
Transcript Staff

2,000 or more --> **Special News Section**

Third Place

The Journal
The changing face of economic development
Journal Staff

Second Place

Walsh County Record
Agriculture: the root of our communities
Staff

First Place

Turtle Mountain Star
Twisters in the Turtle Mountains
Jason Nordmark & Staff

12,000 or less --> **Special News Section**

Honorable Mention

Jamestown Sun
Fresh
Staff

Third Place

Valley City Times-Record
Agriculture - Spring 2008
Staff

Second Place

Valley City Times-Record
Explore the Sheyenne
Nikki Laine Zinke

First Place

Dickinson Press
Outdoors Section
John Odermann

12,001 or more --> **Special News Section**

Honorable Mention

Bismarck Tribune
The River
Ken Rogers & Sarah Walker

Third Place

The Forum
20 under 40
Forum Staff

Second Place

Bismarck Tribune
Progress 2008
Ken Rogers & Mindy Gonzales

First Place

Minot Daily News
The Hometown Magazine
Minot Daily News Staff

Section/Feature Fronts Design Excellence

1-1,000 --> **Section/Feature Fronts Design Excellence**

Second Place

Velva Area Voice
Graduation 2008
Cindy Kittelson

First Place

Lake Metigoshe Mirror
April 30
Jason Nordmark

1,001-1,999

--> [Section/Feature Fronts Design Excellence](#)

Honorable Mention

Cavalier County Republican

Ag Outlook

Marlo Miller

Third Place

Tioga Tribune

Christmas Tab

Staff

Second Place

News-Monitor

Section/Feature Front

Kathleen Leinen

First Place

Griggs County Courier

Section/Feature Front

Staff

2,000 or more

--> [Section/Feature Fronts Design Excellence](#)

Honorable Mention

Turtle Mountain Star

Section/Feature Front

Jason Nordmark

Third Place

Walsh County Record

Section/Feature Front

John Morgan

Second Place

Walsh County Record

Section/Feature Front

Staff

First Place

Walsh County Record

Section/Feature Front

Jackie Thompson

12,000 or less

--> [Section/Feature Fronts Design Excellence](#)

Second Place

Dickinson Press

Section/Feature Front

Linda Sailer

First Place

Valley City Times-Record

Section/Feature Front

Nikki Laine Zinke

12,001 or more --> **Section/Feature Fronts Design Excellence**

Honorable Mention

Grand Forks Herald
Section/Feature Front
Melinda Lavine

Third Place

The Forum
Section/Feature Front
Rob Beer

Second Place

Bismarck Tribune
Section/Feature Front
Mindy Gonzales

First Place

The Forum
Section/Feature Front
Erin Crommett

Front Page Design Excellence

1-1,000 --> **Front Page Design Excellence**

Honorable Mention

Mountrail County Record
Front Page Design
Staff

Third Place

Lake Metigoshe Mirror
Front Page Design
Jason Nordmark

Second Place

Underwood News
Front Page Design
Lori Gefroh

First Place

Velva Area Voice
Front Page Design
Cindy Kittelson

1,001-1,999 --> **Front Page Design Excellence**

Third Place

News-Monitor
Front Page Design
Kathleen Leinen

Second Place (tie)

New Town News
Front Page Design
Staff

Steele County Press
Front Page Design
Staff

First Place

Hillsboro Banner
Front Page Design
Neil O. Nelson

2,000 or more --> **Front Page Design Excellence**

Honorable Mention

Pierce County Tribune
Front Page Design
Staff

Third Place

The Journal
Front Page Design
Steve Andrist

Second Place

McKenzie County Farmer
Front Page Design
Neal A. Shipman

First Place

Walsh County Record
Front Page Design
Staff

12,000 or less --> **Front Page Design Excellence**

Honorable Mention

Valley City Times-Record
Front Page Design
Nikki Laine Zinke

Third Place

Williston Herald
Front Page Design
Alan Reed

Second Place

Jamestown Sun
Front Page Design
Kathy Steiner

First Place

Dickinson Press
Front Page Design
Linda Sailer

12,001 or more --> **Front Page Design Excellence**

Honorable Mention

Bismarck Tribune
Front Page Design
Copy Desk

Third Place

Minot Daily News
Front Page Design
Shelly Bryant

Second Place

Grand Forks Herald
Front Page Design
Alyssa Shivek

First Place

The Forum
Front Page Design
Neil Mulka

Headline

1-1,000 --> **Headline**

Second Place

Lake Metigoshe Mirror
One-der Woman
Jason Nordmark

First Place

Velva Area Voice
Answer is blowin'
Cindy Kittelson

1,001-1,999 --> **Headline**

Third Place

New Rockford Transcript
Party
Erik Gjovik

Second Place

Burke County Tribune
Combining
Kathy Beard

First Place

News-Monitor
Flush
Kathleen Leinen

2,000 or more --> **Headline**

Third Place

Walsh County Record
Oh, Deere
Randy Thompson

Second Place

Walsh County Record
World Curling "Rocks the Ralph"
Chris Larson

First Place

Turtle Mountain Star
A bunch of Ricky Bobbys'
Jason Nordmark

12,000 or less --> **Headline**

Third Place

Williston Herald
Dogs are getting more than a bone
Alan Reed

Second Place

Jamestown Sun
What's Up? Art
Kathy Steiner

First Place

Valley City Times-Record
Surprise! You're the mayor of Leal, again!
Nikki Laine Zinke

12,001 or more --> [Headline](#)

Honorable Mention

Grand Forks Herald
Enter "Span Man"
Tyler Shoberg

Third Place

Bismarck Tribune
Shear terror? Ewe wouldn't think so.
Michael Shirek

Second Place

Grand Forks Herald
Protest draws doves, hawks and one rooster
Kirsten Stromsodt

First Place

Grand Forks Herald
Trio of Cheeto banditos caught orange-handed
Dale Stensgaard

[Best Web Site](#)

1,001-1,999 --> [Best Web Site](#)

First Place

Burke County Tribune
www.endnews.com
Kathy Beard

2,000 or more --> [Best Web Site](#)

Second Place

McLean County Independent
www.bhgnews.com
Staff

First Place

McKenzie County Farmer
www.watfordcitynd.com
Neal A. Shipman

12,000 or less --> [Best Web Site](#)

Third Place

Williston Herald
www.willistonherald.com
Staff

Second Place

Dickinson Press
www.thedickinsonpress.com
Staff

First Place

Jamestown Sun
www.jamestownsun.com
Staff

12,001 or more --> **Best Web Site**

Second Place

The Forum
www.inforum.com
Staff

First Place

Bismarck Tribune
www.bismarcktribune.com
Staff

The Devil Made Me Do It- Editorial

--> **The Devil Made Me Do It- Editorial**

First Place

The Daily News, Wahpeton
Pulled Quote
Erin C. Hevern

Overall Design Excellence

1-1,000 --> **Overall Design Excellence**

Honorable Mention (tie)

McClusky Gazette
Janet Foster

Underwood News
Allan Tinker

Third Place

Center Republican
Staff

Second Place

Velva Area Voice
Cindy Kittelson

First Place

Lake Metigoshe Mirror
Jason Nordmark

1,001-1,999 --> **Overall Design Excellence**

Honorable Mention

Griggs County Courier
Staff

Third Place

New Rockford Transcript
Erik Gjovik

Second Place

Tioga Tribune
Staff

First Place

News-Monitor
Kathleen Leinen

2,000 or more --> **Overall Design Excellence**

Third Place (tie)

Turtle Mountain Star
Staff

Beulah Beacon
Staff

Second Place

The Journal
Staff

First Place

Walsh County Record
Staff

12,000 or less --> **Overall Design Excellence**

Honorable Mention

Williston Herald
Staff

Third Place

Valley City Times-Record
Staff

Second Place

Dickinson Press
Staff

First Place

Jamestown Sun
Staff

12,001 or more --> Overall Design Excellence

Honorable Mention

Grand Forks Herald
Staff

Third Place

Bismarck Tribune
Staff

Second Place

Minot Daily News
Staff

First Place

The Forum
Staff

Photo & Graphics Awards

News Photo

1-1,000

--> **News Photo**

Third Place

Velva Area Voice
Dakota's Freedom
Cindy Kittelson

Second Place

Mountrail County Record
Big Al
Marvin Baker

First Place

McLean County Journal
Small Child
Allan Tinker

1,001-1,999

--> **News Photo**

Third Place

News-Monitor
Divers
Kathleen Leinen

Second Place

Mandan News
Bridge Down
Rick Scharf

First Place

News-Monitor
Controlled Burn
Kathleen Leinen

2,000 or more

--> **News Photo**

Honorable Mention

McLean County Independent
Graduation Day
Cheryl Odden

Third Place

McLean County Independent
Serving it up
Cheryl Odden

Second Place

Beulah Beacon
Flag Ceremony
Kathy Tandberg

First Place

Walsh County Record
Keystone Pipeline
Mike Alan Steinfeldt

12,000 or less --> **News Photo**

Third Place

Jamestown Sun

Expo

John M. Steiner

Second Place

Dickinson Press

Calf roping

Beth Wischmeyer

First Place

Jamestown Sun

Billboard

John M. Steiner

12,001 or more --> **News Photo**

Third Place

Bismarck Tribune

Festive Fourth

Will Kincaid

Second Place

The Forum

DaLee Wilkinson

Jay Pickthorn

First Place

Grand Forks Herald

Presidential Election

Eric Hylden

Spot News Photo

1-1,000 --> **Spot News Photo**

Second Place

Velva Area Voice

Fire at Martin

Cindy Kittelson

First Place

Center Republican

Flick of cigarette

Kathy Tandberg

1,001-1,999 --> **Spot News Photo**

Honorable Mention

Griggs County Courier
Truck vs. Train
Jon Flatland

Third Place

Cavalier County Republican
Nekoma Fire
Lori Peterson

Second Place

News-Monitor
Firefighter
Kathleen Leinen

First Place

News-Monitor
Coming Home
Kathleen Leinen

2,000 or more --> **Spot News Photo**

Honorable Mention

Walsh County Record
Train derailment
Mike Alan Steinfeldt

Third Place

McKenzie County Farmer
Accident injures one
Tina Foreman

Second Place

Walsh County Record
House fire
Mike Alan Steinfeldt

First Place

The Journal
Lumberyard Fire
Don Anderson

12,000 or less --> **Spot News Photo**

Third Place

Jamestown Sun
Kettle fire
John M. Steiner

Second Place

Jamestown Sun
Tough landing
John M. Steiner

First Place

Williston Herald
Freight train crash
LeAnn Eckroth

12,001 or more --> **Spot News Photo**

Third Place

Grand Forks Herald
Fire scorches
Eric Hylden

Second Place

Grand Forks Herald
Tornadoes Toll
Eric Hylden

First Place

The Forum
Vernon Weigard
David Samson

Feature Photo

1-1,000 --> **Feature Photo**

Third Place

Lake Metigoshe Mirror
Nights to remember
Audrey Nordmark

Second Place

Lake Metigoshe Mirror
Lumber Jack Sr. & Jr.
Jason Nordmark

First Place

Lake Metigoshe Mirror
Hands up
Audrey Nordmark

1,001-1,999 --> **Feature Photo**

Honorable Mention

Hazen Star
"Dog" gone good time
Chris Gessele

Third Place

Tioga Tribune
Fans
Don Anderson

Second Place

The Leader-News
Lutefisk Traditions
Danielle Abbott

First Place

Mandan News
Custer Christmas
Rick Scharf

2,000 or more --> **Feature Photo**

Honorable Mention

McKenzie County Farmer

Dousing the flame

Neal A. Shipman

Third Place

Turtle Mountain Star

The Catch

John Rosinski

Second Place

Turtle Mountain Star

Bracing for the inevitable

Jason Nordmark

First Place

Turtle Mountain Star

The ups and downs of teaching

Jason Nordmark

12,000 or less --> **Feature Photo**

Honorable Mention

Jamestown Sun

Homecoming performance

John M. Steiner

Third Place

Dickinson Press

An apple a day

Jennifer McBride

Second Place

Jamestown Sun

Kindergarten Students - L'Amour Elementary

John M. Steiner

First Place

The Daily News, Wahpeton

The one year anniversary

Jennifer Johnson

12,001 or more --> **Feature Photo**

Third Place

Grand Forks Herald

Windows on the world

Jackie Lorentz

Second Place

Bismarck Tribune

In Hiding

Will Kincaid

First Place

The Forum

Red Hawks

David Samson

Sports Photo

1-1,000

--> **Sports Photo**

Honorable Mention (tie)

Lake Metigoshe Mirror
Barreling them over
James C. Falcon

Velva Area Voice
Kuntz Catch
Cindy Kittelson

Third Place

Lake Metigoshe Mirror
Punt return
Jason Nordmark

Second Place

Velva Area Voice
Weidler take down
Cindy Kittelson

First Place

Lake Metigoshe Mirror
Stefan Olson lines up a putt
Debbie Disher

1,001-1,999

--> **Sports Photo**

Third Place

Cavalier County Republican
WOW!
Kyla Krahn

Second Place

Hazen Star
Hazen kids wrestling
Robyn Rohde

First Place

Cavalier County Republican
Baseball
Larry Stokke

2,000 or more --> **Sports Photo**

Honorable Mention

Walsh County Record
300 Hurdles
Mike Alan Steinfeldt

Third Place

Turtle Mountain Star
Firestorm rush
Jason Nordmark

Second Place

Walsh County Record
Championship Basketball
Mike Alan Steinfeldt

First Place

The Journal
Air Attack
Don Anderson

12,000 or less --> **Sports Photo**

Honorable Mention

Williston Herald
Divide County's Nikita Haugenoe
Sean Pitman

Third Place

Valley City Times-Record
Autograph Session
Mark Potts

Second Place

The Daily News, Wahpeton
Tip Off
Scott Sorum

First Place

Jamestown Sun
Softball Celebration
John M. Steiner

12,001 or more --> **Sports Photo**

Honorable Mention

Bismarck Tribune

Home run slide

Mike McCleary

Third Place

Grand Forks Herald

State track & field meet

John Stennes

Second Place

The Forum

LaMoure & Turtle Lake Mercer

David Samson

First Place

The Forum

Western Illinois

Carrie Snyder

Picture Story

1-1,000 --> **Picture Story**

Honorable Mention

McClusky Gazette

Duck Banding

Allan Tinker

Third Place

Lake Metigoshe Mirror

Another 50 years

Jason Nordmark

Second Place

Center Republican

Old Settler's Day

Kathy Tandberg

First Place

Velva Area Voice

Park your art

Cindy Kittelson

1,001-1,999

--> [Picture Story](#)

Honorable Mention

The Leader-News

Bison Roundup

Danielle Abbott

Third Place

Griggs County Courier

Old Time Threshin' Bee

Scott Tranby

Second Place

Griggs County Courier

Binford Days

Jon Flatland

First Place (tie)

New Town News

Oil Boom

Marvin Baker

Mandan News

Buggies n' Blues

Sue B. Balcom

2,000 or more

--> [Picture Story](#)

Honorable Mention

McLean County Independent

Beach Party

Stu Merry

Third Place

Walsh County Record

Fair Memories

Mike Alan Steinfeldt

Second Place

Turtle Mountain Star

Dancing in the New Year

Jason Nordmark

First Place

Turtle Mountain Star

What nature hath wrought

Staff

12,000 or less --> **Picture Story**

Third Place

Dickinson Press
Preserving Heritage
Linda Sailer

Second Place

Valley City Times-Record
Operation Prom Night
Steve Browne

First Place

Jamestown Sun
High water - rain, rain
John M. Steiner

12,001 or more --> **Picture Story**

Honorable Mention

Grand Forks Herald
Ali's Arctic blast
Eric Hylden

Third Place

The Forum
Poster Guy
Ann Arbor Miller

Second Place

The Forum
Homeless for the holidays
Ann Arbor Miller

First Place

Bismarck Tribune
Aging of one guard
Mike McCleary

Pictorial Photo

1-1,000 --> **Pictorial Photo**

Third Place

Velva Area Voice
What a moose!
Cindy Kittelson

Second Place

Mountrail County Record
Big Al
Marvin Baker

First Place

Velva Area Voice
Just Buzzin' Along
Cindy Kittelson

1,001-1,999 --> **Pictorial Photo**

Honorable Mention

Mandan News

Bridge

Rick Scharf

Third Place

Mandan News

Rain Drop

Sue B. Balcom

Second Place

Griggs County Courier

Frosty lane

Jon Flatland

First Place

Steele County Press

Wind towers at sunset

Robert Slocum

2,000 or more --> **Pictorial Photo**

Third Place

Walsh County Record

On the lone Prairie

Mike Alan Steinfeldt

Second Place

Walsh County Record

Frosty Blanket

Mike Alan Steinfeldt

First Place

Walsh County Record

Welcome to North Dakota

Mike Alan Steinfeldt

12,000 or less --> **Pictorial Photo**

Third Place

Jamestown Sun

Final Salute

John M. Steiner

Second Place

Williston Herald

Grouse face off

Earle Dodd

First Place

Jamestown Sun

Jamestown Reservoir Sunset

Katie Ryan

12,001 or more --> **Pictorial Photo**

Honorable Mention

The Forum
Water colors
David Samson

Third Place

The Forum
Squirrel
Mike Vosburg

Second Place

The Forum
Frozen in time
David Samson

First Place

Grand Forks Herald
Ballerinas
Eric Hylden

Portrait Photo

1-1,000 --> **Portrait Photo**

Third Place

McClusky Gazette
Sarah Baker
Allan Tinker

Second Place

McClusky Gazette
Toby Kramer
Allan Tinker

First Place

McLean County Journal
Wes Weible
Allan Tinker

1,001-1,999 --> **Portrait Photo**

Honorable Mention

News-Monitor
Witch
Kathleen Leinen

Third Place

Hillsboro Banner
Anna & her 4-H Beef
Neil O. Nelson

Second Place

News-Monitor
Cooper
Kathleen Leinen

First Place

Steele County Press
Jerome & Fiddle
Robert Slocum

2,000 or more --> **Portrait Photo**

Third Place

The Herald Press
I'm getting nutt'n for Christmas
Edie Schell

Second Place

Walsh County Record
Bye Gone Days
Mike Alan Steinfeldt

First Place

McLean County Independent
Stub
Cheryl Odden

12,000 or less --> **Portrait Photo**

Honorable Mention

Jamestown Sun
Man of Heart
Katie Ryan

Third Place

Jamestown Sun
The Flutist
John M. Steiner

Second Place

Jamestown Sun
Ballet Skater
John M. Steiner

First Place

Valley City Times-Record
Circus time!
Jean Schlegel

12,001 or more --> **Portrait Photo**

Honorable Mention

Grand Forks Herald
Starving for help
Jackie Lorentz

Third Place

The Forum
Maison Schrum-Helmet
Michael Vosburg

Second Place

The Forum
Ryan Johnson
Mike Vosburg

First Place

Grand Forks Herald
Windfarmers
Eric Hylden

Agricultural Photo

1-1,000 --> **Agricultural Photo**

Third Place

Mountrail County Record
Wrapping up harvest
Marvin Baker

Second Place

Mountrail County Record
Cold horses
Marvin Baker

First Place

Mountrail County Record
Clever Yearling
Marvin Baker

1,001-1,999 --> **Agricultural Photo**

Honorable Mention

News-Monitor
Semis in line
Kathleen Leinen

Third Place

News-Monitor
Plow Down
Kathleen Leinen

Second Place

Griggs County Courier
Sunflower
Jon Flatland

First Place

Mandan News
Northern Lights Dairy
Sue B. Balcom

2,000 or more --> **Agricultural Photo**

Honorable Mention

McLean County Independent
Greenfield
Stu Merry

Third Place

McKenzie County Farmer
It takes teamwork
Neal A. Shipman

Second Place

Walsh County Record
Cool planting
Mike Alan Steinfeldt

First Place

McLean County Independent
Wheat Head
Stu Merry

12,000 or less --> **Agricultural Photo**

Honorable Mention

Williston Herald

Next!

Earle Dodd

Third Place

Dickinson Press

Good old days of farming

Linda Sailer

Second Place

Jamestown Sun

Collecting Pollen

John M. Steiner

First Place

Jamestown Sun

Calf birth

John M. Steiner

12,001 or more --> **Agricultural Photo**

Honorable Mention

The Forum

Grain Dryer

David Samson

Third Place

The Forum

Terry Babb

David Samson

Second Place

The Forum

Harvest - Combines

Ann Arbor Miller

First Place

The Forum

Switchgrass

Jay Pickthorn

Outdoor Recreational Photo

1-1,000

--> **Outdoor Recreational Photo**

Third Place

Lake Metigoshe Mirror
Wake up before school
Audrey Nordmark

Second Place

Lake Metigoshe Mirror
Taking flight
Audrey Nordmark

First Place

Lake Metigoshe Mirror
Footin' at Fifty
Jason Nordmark

1,001-1,999

--> **Outdoor Recreational Photo**

Honorable Mention

News-Monitor
Swimming lessons at Lidgerwood Pool
Kathleen Leinen

Third Place

Steele County Press
Moose among us
Robert Slocum

Second Place

Steele County Press
Through the lens (hawk close-up)
Robert Slocum

First Place

Mandan News
Something for everyone at Buggies n' Blues
Sue B. Balcom

2,000 or more --> **Outdoor Recreational Photo**

Honorable Mention

Walsh County Record
Big Splash Coming
Mike Alan Steinfeldt

Third Place

McKenzie County Farmer
Enjoying a day on the slopes
Neal A. Shipman

Second Place

McKenzie County Farmer
We have lift off
Neal A. Shipman

First Place

McLean County Independent
Pull
Stu Merry

12,000 or less --> **Outdoor Recreational Photo**

Honorable Mention

Jamestown Sun
Cool Dip
John M. Steiner

Third Place

Jamestown Sun
Full day fishing
John M. Steiner

Second Place

Dickinson Press
Hiking
Linda Sailer

First Place

Jamestown Sun
Waiting for treats
Katie Ryan

12,001 or more --> **Outdoor Recreational Photo**

Honorable Mention

Grand Forks Herald
Devils Lake Fishing Tournament
Eric Hylden

Third Place

The Forum
Ice Skaters
David Samson

Second Place

The Forum
Night fishing
David Samson

First Place

The Forum
Jezimay Watson
Jay Pickthorn

Informational Graphics

1,001-1,999 --> **Informational Graphics**

Second Place

New Rockford Transcript
Facts about the J-3
Erik Gjovik

First Place

Cavalier County Republican
Changes to your trash
Garrett Freier

2,000 or more --> **Informational Graphics**

Second Place

The Herald Press
Woo Hoo!
Edie Schell

First Place

McKenzie County Farmer
Watford City Roughrider Fund
Neal A. Shipman

12,001 or more --> Informational Graphics

Honorable Mention

The Forum
Up Center
Troy Becker

Third Place

The Forum
Cash for college
Gwen Lunski

Second Place

Bismarck Tribune
Fossil fuel emissions
Jason Lueder

First Place

Grand Forks Herald
The new R in school
Bobbi Berberich

Photo of the Year

--> **Photo of the Year**

The Jamestown Sun

Billboard Dude – Finishing Touches
John M. Steiner