

2007 NDNA Better Newspaper Contest Award Winners

Special Awards

NIE Teacher of the Year

Virginia Deitz
Bennett Elementary School
Fargo, ND

NIE Newspaper of the Year

Bonnie Clark
The Forum

Rookie Reporter of the Year (tie)

Lorraine Jacobson
Sargent County Teller
Milnor, ND

Erin Hevern
The Daily News
Wahpeton, ND

Community Service

Second Place
Bismarck Tribune
Jeans Day
Lynae Hanson & Shawn Decker

First Place
Grand Forks Herald

First Amendment

Second Place

McLean County Independent
Kallberg series
Jill Denning Gackle

First Place

The Forum

General Excellence

1-1,000

--> **General Excellence**

Third Place

McClusky Gazette

Second Place

Velva Area Voice

First Place

Lake Metigoshe Mirror

1,001-1,999

--> **General Excellence**

Third Place

Griggs County Courier

Second Place

News-Monitor

First Place

Mandan News

2,000 or more --> **General Excellence**

Third Place

Turtle Mountain Star

Second Place (tie)

Beulah Beacon

Walsh County Record

First Place

Pierce County Tribune

12,000 or less --> **General Excellence**

Third Place

Williston Herald

Second Place

The Daily News, Wahpeton

First Place

Jamestown Sun

12,001 or more --> **General Excellence**

Third Place

Minot Daily News

Second Place

Grand Forks Herald

First Place

The Forum

Sweepstakes

1-1,000 --> **Sweepstakes**

Winner!
Velva Area Voice

1,001-1,999 --> **Sweepstakes**

Winner!
Mandan News

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

Winner!
Walsh County Record

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

Winner!
Dickinson Press

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

Winner!
The Forum

Congrats to all the contest winners!

**Next year:
123rd Annual Convention
May 7-9, 2009
Radisson Hotel, Bismarck**