

MISSOURI INTERSCHOLASTIC PRESS ASSOCIATION

MIPPA

ANNUAL CONTEST PACKET: 2011-2012 SCHOOL YEAR

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POSTMARK DEADLINE FOR ALL ENTRIES: FEB. 15
except Student Journalist of the Year: **due JAN. 17**

ENROLLMENT CLASSIFICATIONS

MIPA ANNUAL COMPETITION

Names of the member schools (received to date) & their enrollment figures:

Large Schools (1600+) – 13 to date

Central High School, Springfield - 1643
Central High School, St. Joseph – 1600
Francis Howell High School, St. Charles – 1775
Francis Howell Central High School – St. Charles – 1850
Francis Howell North High School – St. Charles – 1842
Jefferson City High School – 1800
Kirkwood High School – 1675
Liberty High School – 1800
Park Hill High School, Kansas City – 1600
Park Hill South High School, Riverside – 1600
Pattonville High School, Maryland Heights – 1800
Rock Bridge High School, Columbia – 1867
Truman High School, Independence - 1700

Medium Schools (800-1599) – 23 schools

Clayton High School – 855
Columbia Area Career Center – (These students are from Rock Bridge & Hickman High schools – they have been in Large School category in the past.)
Festus Senior High School – 987
Glendale High School, Springfield – 1303
Harrisonville High School - 910
Helias Catholic High School, Jefferson City – 800
Ladue Horton Watkins High School, St. Louis – 1242
Lebanon High School – 1500
North Kansas City High School – 1500
Oak Park High School, Kansas City – 1320
Platte County High School, Platte City – 1000
Raytown High School – 1380

Rockhurst High School, Kansas City – 1090
Rolla High School – 985
Ruskin High School, Kansas City – 1200
St. Clair High School – 800 (approx.)
Staley High School, Kansas City – 1350
University City High School – 950
Van Horn High School, Independence – 805
Washington High School – 1500
Webster Groves High School – 1340
Willard High School – 1300
William Chrisman High School, Independence – 1500

Small Schools (1-799) – 8 schools to date

Boonville High School – 550
Center High School, Kansas City – 623
Lawson High School – 405
Liberty North High School – 736
MICDS (Mary Institute/St. Louis Country Day) - 600
St. Teresa's Academy, Kansas City – 560
Visitation Academy, St. Louis – 328
Warsaw High School – 400

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As schools continue to join MIPA there may be additions in each of the categories. If your school has been omitted from the list, please contact . . .

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Please send your portfolio to:

Rod Howe, CJE; Westside High School, 8701 Pacific Street, Omaha, NE 68114

Please send a card to MIPA letting us know your portfolio has been sent:

Doris Barnhart, Missouri School of Journalism, 132 Neff Annex, Columbia, MO 65211-1200

Guidelines for High School Journalist of the Year Application

The Missouri Interscholastic Press Association is again sponsoring a High School Journalist of the Year competition in conjunction with the Journalism Education's National Journalist of the Year competition. The winning Missouri entry is presented a monetary scholarship by MIPA and is entered in the national competition. Scholarship Funds from JEA -- \$5,000 for the top winner, and \$2,000 each for four runners-up—are released when a student enrolls in a college journalism program. Guidelines for entries are as follows:

Guidelines for entry:

- ◆ Be a graduating high school senior.

The Missouri selection committee does NOT require the following JEA criteria but obviously the committee is impressed with a candidate who also happens to meet these:

- ◆ Be planning to study journalism and/or mass communications in college and to pursue a journalism and/or communications career.
- ◆ Have at least 3.0 GPA on a 4.0 scale.
- ◆ Have participated in high school journalism for at least two years.

Submit examples of work showing one or more of the following characteristics:

- 1) Quality and diversity of reporting, writing, photography, design, etc.
- 2) Skilled and creative use of media contest – writing, production, photography, etc.
- 3) Inquiring mind and investigative persistence resulting in in-depth study or studies of issues important to the local high school audience, high school students in general, or society.
- 4) Courageous and responsible handling of responsible issues – local or societal, despite threat of censorship.
- 5) Variety of journalistic experiences, each handled in a quality manner – newspaper, yearbook, broadcast, etc.
- 6) Sustained and commendable work with community media.

Procedure for a student entering the contest:

- ◆ Complete the official entry form.
- ◆ Write a self-analytical evaluation of your “journalistic life,” using your most creative form.
- ◆ An action photo of you doing something journalistic – interviewing someone, taking a photograph, designing a page, doing a broadcast standup or talking to your staff. Winners’ photos will be used in JEA publications.
- ◆ Samples of your work carefully selected to show your quality and diversity of reporting, writing, photography, design, broadcast, online media, etc.
- ◆ Submit an official copy of your transcript, opened and presented as part of portfolio.
- ◆ Give these to your adviser.
- ◆ A self-addressed, padded envelope large enough to hold your portfolio and bearing enough postage to cover the cost of mailing should be included your portfolio is to be returned.

Procedure for the student’s journalism adviser:

- ◆ Help the student secure three or four letters of recommendation from:
 - 1) Yourself, the adviser.
 - 2) Other teachers who know his/her leadership and journalistic abilities.
 - 3) Others with whom he/she has worked.
 - 4) The principal is a desirable source for a letter, but is not absolutely necessary.
- ◆ Collect from the student the entry form, self-evaluation, and portfolio.

Mail to: Rod Howe, CJE; Westside High School, 8701 Pacific Street, Omaha, NE 68114

Guidelines for preparation of the portfolio:

The applicant must include the following in a portfolio:

- ◆ Entry material should not exceed 46 one-side or 23 two-sided sheets of 8 ½" by 11" paper.
- ◆ All pages should be inserted into a three-ring binder designed to hold letter-size paper. Plastic sheet protectors are acceptable. All letters should be opened and included as part of the 46 pages.
- ◆ The self-analytical evaluation may include the answer to such questions as:
 - ◆ How do you feel about journalism?
 - ◆ How did you get started in journalism?
 - ◆ What have you had to go through to achieve?
 - ◆ What have you contributed to journalism?
 - ◆ What are your journalism plans for the future?
- ◆ The self-evaluation should be long enough for the judges to reach a decision as to your creative qualifications and short enough not to be redundant (and boring).
- ◆ Three or four letters of recommendation are typically sufficient.
- ◆ A letter from the Principal is desirable but not absolutely necessary.
- ◆ An official copy of the student's transcript must be enclosed.
- ◆ Samples of work should be carefully selected. Provide judges with a good cross-section of your best work rather than everything ever produced. Date, name of publication, and relevance should be on the page with the sample.
- ◆ Include samples showing one or more of the characteristics listed under qualifications for entry. They should be grouped according to what they represent, and these groupings should be labeled.
 1. Skilled and creative use of media content – writing, production, photography, etc.
 2. Inquiring mind and investigative persistence resulting in in-depth study or studies of issues important to the local high school audience, high school students in general or society.
 3. Courageous and responsible handling of sensitive issues – local or societal – despite threat of censorship.
 4. Variety of journalistic experiences, each handled in a quality manner -- newspaper, yearbook, broadcast, photography, Web design, other design work, community and other outside-of-school journalistic work, etc.)
 5. Sustained and commendable work with community media.
- ◆ At least one issue of your newspaper or magazine or photocopies of relevant spreads from your yearbook (not the entire book) should be included so that the judges can see the context of your work. Audio and/or video tape (CD, DVD, Mini DV) should accompany an entry that focuses on broadcast work. Broadcast tape, limited to fifteen (15) minutes) should be cued to the work the judges should view or hear, and should have your name on the tape case.
- ◆ Photocopies of letters, clippings, and art are acceptable; however, original prints of photographs should accompany entries based on published pictures.
- ◆ A self-addressed, padded envelope large enough to hold the entry and bearing enough postage to cover the cost of mailing should be included if the entry is to be returned.

CHECKLIST

- ◆ Entry form
- ◆ Official transcript, opened and presented as part of portfolio (1-2 pages)
- ◆ Self-analytical explanation of your "journalistic life" (1+ pages)
- ◆ 3 or 4 letters of recommendation
- ◆ Portfolio in a three-ring binder showing examples of your best published or broadcast work
- ◆ Self-addressed, large padded envelope with adequate postage for return of your portfolio.
- ◆ Personal photo (1 page)

Questions: Call the Doris Barnhart, MIPA office at 573-882-6031 or Anna Romero at 573-882-2422.

Previous Student Journalists of the Year

- 1969 - Nancy Lewis, Kirkwood High School
- 1970 - Erica Chaney, Charleston High School
- 1971 - William Abrams, Horton Watkins (Ladue) High School, St. Louis
- 1972 - Charles Dunn, Mountain Grove High School
- 1973 - Rory Riddler, St. Charles High School
Becky Whisner, Warrensburg High School
Linda Ann Whelan, Monroe City High School
- 1974 - David LaGesse, St. Charles High School
Jay Leve, Horton Watkins (Ladue) High School, St. Louis
- 1975 - Ann Robinson, Scotland County R-I, Memphis
Nancy Ruhling, Kirkwood High School
- 1976 - Karen Wallensak, Kirkwood High School
Rhonda Metheny, Central High School, Cape Girardeau
- 1977 - Nathaniel Brown, Hickman High School, Columbia
Tom Reese, Kirkwood High School
Joy Howard, Truman High School, Independence
- 1978 - Wendy Kafoury, St. Charles High School
Chris Schipke, Kirkwood High School
- 1979 - Amanda (Mandy) Blanck, Boonville High School
Claudia Kauffman, Center High School, Kansas City
- 1980 - Mark Grimm, Central High School, Cape Girardeau
Kathy Morris, Hickman High School, Columbia
- 1981 - Cliff Cokington, Truman High School, Independence
Steve McCall, Hazelwood West High School
- 1982 - John Goodman, Jefferson City High School
Jordan Smith, William Chrisman High School, Independence
- 1983 - Mary Schulte, Washington High School
- 1984 - Diane Mittler, Kirkwood High School
- 1985 - Joe Barloon, Rockhurst High School, Kansas City
Kyle John, Truman High School, Independence
Teresa Schmedding, Mexico High School
- 1986 - Brad Ward, Scott City High School
- 1987 - Sherry L. Stanton, Platte County High School, Platte City
- 1988 - Jeff Fields, Center High School, Kansas City
- 1989 - Catherine Pegram, William Chrisman High School, Independence
- 1990 - Avani Kherdekar, Mt. Vernon High School
Daniel Berg, Horton Watkins (Ladue) High School, St. Louis
- 1991 - Michael K. Griffin, Kirkwood High School
- 1992 - Audrey Nell Reed, Francis Howell North High School, St. Charles
- 1993 - Jeffrey C. McMurray, Truman High School, Independence
- 1994 - Kristen Aggeler, Hickman Mills High School, Kansas City
- 1995 - Amy Ann Corsale, Liberty High School
- 1996 - Nora Katherine Radley, Francis Howell North High School, St. Charles
- 1997 - Margaret Marie Heger, Ladue Horton Watkins High School, St. Louis
- 1998 - Lisa Royse, Jefferson City High School
- 1999 - Ann Kettenbrink, Jefferson City High School
- 2000 - Rachel Felix, Park Hill High School
- 2001 - Blythe Terrell, Kirkwood High School
- 2002 - Christopher Young, California High School
- 2003 - Kalen Ponche, Francis Howell North High School, St. Charles
- 2004 - Lauren Miller, Mexico High School
- 2005 - Sarah Handelman, Park Hill South High School
- 2006 - Danielle Karstens, Francis Howell North High School
- 2007 - Tess Olsen, Hickman High School, Columbia
- 2008 - Kelly Moffitt, Clayton High School
- 2009 - Tyler Cacek, Rock Bridge High School, Columbia
- 2010 - Johanna Mayer, Washington High School
- 2011 - Morgan Said, St. Teresa's Academy

JOURNALISM TEACHER OF YEAR

MIPA ANNUAL COMPETITION

TO: HIGH SCHOOL EDITORS

We are informing you of a chance to recognize your journalism teacher/adviser achievements and to nominate your choice for Missouri Journalism Teacher of the Year.

Your nomination materials must include

- Your nomination letter, not to exceed 5 pages
- Recommendation from principal
- Teacher's one-page resume
- Current Picture of Teacher
- One copy of publication for each medium the teacher advises
- Self-addressed stamped postcard for us to acknowledge receipt of your nomination materials

Mail nomination materials to:

Rod Howe, CJE; Westside High School; 8701 Pacific Street; Omaha, NE 68114

Mail a card to MIPA office to let us know your packet has been sent:

Doris Barnhart, MIPA, Missouri School of Journalism, 132 Neff Annex, Columbia, MO 65211-1200

Your nomination letter should include how this teacher contributed to journalism excellence in your school and raised the level of your journalism program. Please be specific and consider such points as

- What has this teacher done to increase your desire to continue in journalism
- How has he/she increased respect for your publication
- At what level do they support and promote journalism education on a local and state level and increased awareness in the community of the importance of a free press
- How do they continue to increase their professional competence

In selecting the Teacher of the Year, you need to show specifically what your teacher has done. Do your best writing and proofread very carefully. The credentials of the Missouri Journalism Teacher of the Year will be sent to the national competition in June.

Missouri has had National High School Journalism Teachers of the Year: Opal Eckert, Maryville, 1963; Virginia Woodring, Springfield, 1969; Ron Clemons, Truman, Independence, 1977; Homer L. Hall, Kirkwood, 1982 (plus a UMC grad, Wayne Brasler, of the University of Chicago Lab School, 1981). A number of our teachers also have been honored as finalists or semi-finalists.

Do not plan to keep your nomination secret from your adviser. Let the adviser know of the nomination and do whatever it takes to ensure that your adviser will personally attend our MIPA Journalism Day on Wednesday, April 7th. We plan to recognize all nominees. If you have any questions or problems, call Doris Barnhart at 573-882-6031.

Above all, be accurate and adhere to the deadline. It's quite a job to put together a good nomination, and we sincerely appreciate the willingness of many MIPA editors to do so. If that includes you, please accept our thanks in advance. Without a doubt, we're proud of Missouri's high school journalists and the teachers who train them!

Sincerely,

Anna Romero, Executive Director
Missouri Interscholastic Press Association

QUESTIONS FOR THE APPLICANT

1. How many years have you taught high school journalism and advised a newspaper or newsmagazine? Describe your background in journalism and/or journalism education. Do you plan to teach journalism or advise a student publication next year?
2. Do you advise the newspaper, newsmagazine, web paper, yearbook or other school publications? How many students are involved in each publication? Briefly describe your typical work session and your role in producing school publications?
3. How many journalism courses did you teach during the current school year? Please summarize course content, length, number of credits and the number of students who completed each course.
4. How have you developed or improved the journalism courses now offered in your school?
5. Please describe your efforts to recruit minority students into journalism class(es) and to work for the school newspaper. Describe successes at incorporating diversity into coverage.
6. How many times during the current school year was the newspaper published?
7. Did any of your publications or student staffers win local, state, regional and/or national awards during the current school year? Please elaborate.
8. Have you won any personal recognition awards for your achievements as a journalism teacher or publications adviser during the current school year? Please list them.
9. Please describe any activities you have planned in cooperation with the local newspaper. In general, what have you done to demonstrate to your students how their school journalism activities relate to journalism in the professional sector?
10. Have you published articles or books on scholastic journalism and journalism education in the past year? Please list the titles, publications and dates.
11. Do you teach media workshops for other journalism educators? Please elaborate.
12. Are you or have you been an officer in a local, regional, state or national journalism organization? Please elaborate.
13. Briefly outline your philosophy of student press rights. Describe any instances in the current school year when this philosophy was challenged or supported by your school administrator, the local professional press or the community.
14. How do you teach your students about ethical journalistic decision-making?

Missouri Teacher of the Year – Year by Year

1970 – Ron Clemons, Truman High School, Independence
1971 – Charlotte Bell Conley, Kirkwood High School
1972 – Mar'Lyn Cowan, Parkview High School, Springfield
1973 – H.L. Hall, Kirkwood North Junior High School
1974 – Helen Brakke-Buel, Jefferson City Senior High School)
1975 – Linda Smith Puntney, William Chrisman High School, Independence
1976 – Elizabeth Ray, Adrian High School
1977 – Opal Heatherly, Westport High School
1978 – Howard Emerson, Hazelwood Central High School
1979 – Elizabeth Lockhart, Central High School, Cape Girardeau
1980 – Deanna Armstrong, Park Hill High School, Kansas City
1981 – Al Hoffmeyer, Carrollton High School
1982 – W. Michael Brown, William Chrisman High School, Independence
(currently at Grandview High School)
1983 – Carole Wall, Grandview High School
1984 – Mary Lu Foreman, Center Senior High School, Kansas City
1985 – Diane Boyle, Parkway Central High School, Chesterfield
1986 – Kathy Craghead, Mexico High School
1987 – Marcia Johnson, Park Hill High School, Kansas City
1988 – Sandy Newcomer, Mount Vernon High School
1989 – Chris McMenemy, Liberty High School
1990 – Anita Campbell, Warsaw High School
1991 – Debbie Von Behren, Mansfield High School
1992 – Jan Morgan, Advance High School
1993 – Mark Bubalo, Rockhurst High School, Kansas City
1994 – Jan Hensel, Liberty High School
1995 – Karen Black, Hickman Mills High School, Kansas City
1996 – Bill Hankins, Oak Park High School, Kansas City
1997 – Robin Fuemmeler Stover, Rock Bridge High School, Columbia
1998 – Karen Ray, Glendale High School, Springfield (currently at Jefferson City Senior High School)
1999 – Lisa Scroggs, Jefferson City Senior High School
2000 – Marci Pieper, Clayton High School
2001 – Bruce Schneider, Parkway South High School, St. Louis
2002 – Beth Ann Brady, Ladue Horton Watkins High School, St. Louis
2003 – Marc Russell, Lee's Summit High School
2004 – Terry Durnell, Lee's Summit North High School
2005 - Nancy Freeman, Clayton High School
2006 – Karla Thompson, Lee's Summit High School
2007 – Stephanie Carey, Boonville High School
2008 – Eric Thomas, St. Teresa's Academy, Kansas City
2009 – Christina Geabhart, Oak Park High School, Kansas City
2010 – Matthew Schott, Francis Howell Central High School
2011 – Ben Merithew, Truman High School, Independence

Note: If you have information to update the status of some of our previous Teacher of the Year recipients, we'd appreciate you letting us know.

ADMINISTRATOR OF THE YEAR

MIPA ANNUAL COMPETITION

To recognize an administrator who has done outstanding service for journalism, a teacher may nominate him or her. Explain the kind of support given, so the judge may make his/her decision. For example, an administrator may have helped build a strong journalism program or may have defended the program from criticism. The administrator may have fought battles for the school press, may have provided exceptional or out-of-the ordinary resources for the program; be sure the reason for nomination is clear. Also provide a resume or brief biographical sketch (education, professional experience, etc.). (His or her secretary may have one.) Also, send a "mug shot."

Teacher making nomination _____

School _____

Name of Administrator _____

Title _____

School address _____

Please put justification for nomination on separate sheets. You may include letters of endorsement, as from student editors, professional news executives, etc. **Mail to:** Rod Howe, CJE; Westside High School, 8701 Pacific Street, Omaha, NE 68114

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Previous Administrator of the Year Award Recipients

- 1970 - Armin H. Bueker, Superintendent, Marshall
- 1971 - W. L. Bowden, Principal, North Kirkwood High School, Kirkwood
- 1972 - Marvin E. Fleming, Principal, Jefferson City Senior High School (deceased)
- 1973 - Hal Johnson, Superintendent, Adrian Public Schools
- 1974 - LeRoy Brown, Principal, Truman High School, Independence
- 1975 - Walter Bruens, Superintendent, Harrisonville Public Schools
- 1976 - Bud Routh, Principal, Camdenton High School
- 1977 - William G. McCrary, Principal, Grandview High School
- 1978 - Donald Duchek, Principal, Kirkwood High School
- 1979 - Dr. Robert Blaine, Principal, Blue Springs High School
- 1980 - H. Mitchell Hanna, Principal, Maryville High School
- 1981 - Dahlman J. Davis, Principal, Odessa High School and Thomas Herrick, Principal, William Chrisman High School,
- 1982 - Donald Shull, Superintendent, Raymore-Peculiar Public Schools
- 1983 - Dean Collopy, Principal, Center High School, Kansas City
- 1984 - Dr. Gary Chesley, Assistant Principal, Parkway Central High School
- 1985 - William Gist, Principal, Hillcrest High School, Springfield
- 1986 - William McCrary, Larry Downing and Keith Tempel, Grandview High School
- 1987 - R.C. Ramsey, Principal, Savannah High School
- 1988 - Ed Ferguson, Superintendent, Mexico Public Schools
- 1989 - Franklin McCallie, Principal, Kirkwood High School
- 1990 - Dr. Clark Cilek, Principal, St. Charles West High School
- 1991 - Dr. Larry Humphries, Francis Howell North High School, St. Charles, Principal of the Year
Dr. Thomas Keating, Kirkwood R-7 Schools, Superintendent of the Year
- 1992 - Dr. John Laurie, Principal, Hillcrest High School, Springfield
- 1993 - Molly J. Clemons, Vice-Principal, Truman High School, Independence
- 1994 - Robert Perry, Superintendent, Mansfield School District
- 1996 - Terry Salfan, Associate Principal, Hazelwood Central High School, Florissant
- 1997 - Don Hugo, Principal, Clayton High School
- 1998 - Dr. Robert Watkins, Superintendent, Independence School District
- 1999 - Gary Drummond, Principal, Rockwood Summit School District
- 2000 - Bennie Cain, Principal, Oak Park High School
- 2001 - Dr. Richard Pemberton, Principal, Jefferson City High School
- 2002 - Dr. Don Senti, District Superintendent, Clayton High School and Joe Petrich, Principal, Waynesville Middle School
- 2003 - Dwight Jones, Principal, Boonville High School
- 2005 - David Laughlin, Rockhurst High School, Kansas City
- 2006 - Dr. Phil Wright, Liberty High School
- 2007 - Dr. Darlene Jones, Principal, Francis Howell North High School
- 2008 - Dr. Kathy Ritter, Principal, Rock Bridge High School, Columbia
- 2009 - Dr. Keith Shahan, Headmaster, John Burroughs School, St. Louis
- 2010 - Dr. Fred Skretta, Principal, Oak Park High School
- 2011 - Dr. David Holley, Kirkwood High School, Kirkwood

THE TAFT AWARD

MIPA ANNUAL COMPETITION

In 1981, Dr. Robert Knight, then director of MIPA, nominated Associate Dean William H. Taft of the Missouri School of Journalism for a Special Award, for his continuing and outstanding service to scholastic journalism. (He had evaluated more than 10,000 yearbooks for MIPA, thousands of books for National School Yearbook Association; directed two editions of a Newspaper Fund Summer Institute; served as director of Summer Media Workshop (then called High School Publications Workshop); developed a correspondence study version of Journalism 380 "High School Journalism"; plus writing helpful articles for the MIPA News-gram and speaking at MIPA Events.) It was decided at that time that the Special Award would be renamed the "Taft Award."

Other recipients:

- 1982 - H. L. Hall, Kirkwood High School
- 1983 - Ron Clemons, Truman High School, Independence
- 1984 - Earl English, Dean Emeritus, School of Journalism
- 1985 - Helen Brakke-Buel, Jefferson City Senior High School
- 1986 - UMC Extension Division
- 1987 - Greater St. Louis Association of Black Journalists
- 1988 - Doris Barnhart, School of Journalism
- 1989 - Molly Clemons, then: Palmer Junior High School, Independence
- 1990 - Virginia Woodring, Springfield
- 1991 - Howard Emerson, Hazelwood School District
- 1992 - Dr. Robert P. Knight (given posthumously)
- 1993 - Elizabeth Lockhart, Cape Girardeau
- 1994 - Kathy Craghead, Mexico High School
- 1995 - Mary Lu Foreman, Kansas City
- 1996 - Sandy Newcomer, Macks Creek High School
- 1997 - Opal Eckert, Retired
- 1998 - Bill Hankins, Oak Park High School
- 1999 - Dean Mills, Dean, Missouri School of Journalism
- 2000 - Bruce Schneider, Parkway South High School
- 2001 - Diane Boyle, Parkway Central High School, Chesterfield
- 2002 - Missouri Press Association and Doug Crews, Executive Director
- 2005 - John G. "Jack" Hodgson, Oklahoma State University
- 2006 - Karen Black, Hickman Mills High School
- 2008 - Susan Newburger, Park Hill South High School
- 2010 - Marc Russell, Lee's Summit High School

We invite you write a nomination letter for any person or group giving outstanding service to scholastic journalism and/or to MIPA and mail to: Doris Barnhart, MIPA, Missouri School of Journalism, 132 Neff Annex, Columbia, MO 65211-1200

KNIGHT AWARD

MIPA ANNUAL COMPETITION

For Service to Scholastic or Minority Journalism and/or for Furthering Student Freedom of Expression in Missouri

Nominee(s): _____

Nominated by: _____

Reasons for selecting this person(s) (If necessary, attach supporting documents to this form)

Send this form and supporting documentation to: Doris Barnhart, MIPA, Missouri School of Journalism, 132 Neff Annex, Columbia, MO 65211-1200

NEWSPAPER INDIVIDUAL CONTEST

MIPA ANNUAL COMPETITION

Read these rules carefully. If you do not adhere to these rules, entries will be subject to disqualification.

GENERAL RULES:

1. Only material prepared for the current school year newspapers and online news websites can be entered.
2. All entries must be student work.
3. If you want acknowledgement of receipt of your entries by the judge, enclose a self-addressed, stamped postcard.

ENTRY PREPARATION RULES

4. All newspaper entries must be actual articles from/or tear sheets cut from the newspaper.
5. Identify each entry with a completed Awards Entry sheet

ENTRY LIMIT INFORMATION

1. The limit of entries that may be submitted by any school is 15.
2. The entries must fall into the categories as listed on the entry blank.
3. You may submit any number of entries in any category or categories as long as the total number of entries does not exceed 15.
4. There is no limit on the number of entries submitted by one student, as long as the total number of entries does not exceed 15.

DEADLINE AND MAILING RULES

1. Mail entries flat in a sealed envelope and send them via first class or priority mail.
2. Entries must be postmarked by the deadline at the bottom of the page. NO EXCEPTIONS. Plan ahead for bad weather or delays.
3. We cannot assume responsibility for entries that are misaddressed or lost in the mail.
4. The date stamped by the Post Office supersedes your school postage meter date.
5. We will return all judged entries to you at Journalism Day, along with any certificates. If you are unable to attend Journalism Day these items will be mailed back to you at your expense.

Entries will be submitted directly to the individual in the appropriate MIPA enrollment category.

Enrollment Classification

Mail directly to:

Large Senior high schools

**Howard Spanogle
19 Stony Ridge
Asheville, NC 28804-1858**

Medium Senior High Schools (Schools A-P)

**Greg Jackson
201A Oaklawn Ave.
Fayette, MO 65248**

Medium Senior High Schools (Schools Q-Z)

**Teresa Taylor Williams
1890 Crestwood Lane
Muskegon, MI 49441**

Small Senior High Schools

**Cathy McCandless
18 Covent Garden Ct.
Dardenne Prairie, MO 63368**

Entry Categories for Individual Newspaper Competition

1. News Story

Coverage of event or topic that is newsworthy at time of publication.

2. Editorial

Opinion piece which represents newspaper's stand on a topic.

3. Feature Story

Exploration of a topic, event or person, which may or may not be highly timely, but usually is high in emotion or human interest.

4. Sports Writing

Includes events, season wrap-ups and sports feature stories.

5. Regular Column, Sports Column or Review Column

Opinion piece which represents one writer's opinion about an event, topic or issue. Columns must appear regularly and run under a byline. Must submit two examples.

6. Cartoon/Art/Infographic

Student-produced illustration (all art must be completely original; do not use, even in altered form, other artists' characters. Art can be computer-generated, but the illustration may not be from a clip art collection.) Submit a tear sheet.

7. Single Page Design

Submit entire page tear sheet.

8. Center Page Spread Design

Submit tear sheets of entire center spread.

9. Advertisement

Ad must be student-produced, but limited use of appropriate clip art is permissible so long as the overall effort is clearly the student's work.

10. In-Depth Article/Series

May be the work of one student or a team of students; entry may be one story, several stories appearing in one issue (and intended as a unit, e.g., a page) or in a sequence of issues, as long as articles have a central, unifying theme. Any story submitted as part of a series may not be entered in any other category (feature, news, etc.).

MIPA Individual Newspaper Contest - List of Entrants

School:	Publication:
City:	Adviser:
NOTE: If you are not yet a member of MIPA, please contact us immediately at: MIPA, Mo. School of Journalism, 132 Neff Annex, Columbia, MO 65211 Phone: (573) 882-6031. CONTEST LIMITED TO MIPA MEMBERS.	CONTEST CLASSIFICATION: Entries will be rated with those from schools of similar enrollments per MSHSAA figures. See page 1 for your classification.

Enrollment Classification: Large Medium Small

List entries in category order and indicate the number below. Use the category # to designate the type of entry column below.

1. News Story # of entries: _____	6. Cartoon/Art/Infographic # of entries _____
2. Editorial # of entries: _____	7. Single Page Design # of entries _____
3. Feature Story # of entries: _____	8. Center Page Spread Design # of entries _____
4. Sports Writing # of entries _____	9. Advertisement # of entries _____
5. Regular Column, Sports Column or Review Column # of entries _____	10. In-depth Article/Series # of entries _____
TOTAL Entries (15 Maximum) _____	

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Original entry form to be mailed to MIPA office.

NEWSPAPER INDIVIDUAL ENTRY

MIPA Awards Entry

Entry # (please circle below)

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10 • 11 • 12 • 13 • 14 • 15

Headline or Identification:

Student Name(s):

School Name:

Name of City:

Date of Publication:

School Category: (please circle below)

- Large Senior High School
- Medium Senior High School
- Small Senior High School

Contest Category: (please circle below)

1. News Story
2. Editorial
3. Feature Story
4. Sports Writing
5. Regular Column, Sports Column or Review Column
6. Cartoon/Art/Infographic
7. Single Page Design
8. Center Page Spread Design
9. Advertisement
10. In-Depth Article/Series

NEWSPAPER INDIVIDUAL ENTRY

MIPA Awards Entry

Entry # (please circle below)

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10 • 11 • 12 • 13 • 14 • 15

Headline or Identification:

Student Name(s):

School Name:

Name of City:

Date of Publication:

School Category: (please circle below)

- Large Senior High School
- Medium Senior High School
- Small Senior High School

Contest Category: (please circle below)

1. News Story
2. Editorial
3. Feature Story
4. Sports Writing
5. Regular Column, Sports Column or Review Column
6. Cartoon/Art/Infographic
7. Single Page Design
8. Center Page Spread Design
9. Advertisement
10. In-Depth Article/Series

OVERALL NEWSPAPER CONTEST

MIPA ANNUAL COMPETITION

Read these rules carefully. If you do not adhere to these rules, entries will be subject to disqualification.

General Rules:

1. Complete and send in entry blank with entries.
2. Submit two sets of three different issues of your newspaper/newsmagazine for evaluation. One issue must be an early issue (Sept. or Oct.), and the other two issues may be any you wish. Entries are to be mailed via first class or priority mail.
3. A second set of the same issues, plus a copy of the entry form, should be sent to: **Doris Barnhart, MIPA, 132 Neff Annex, Columbia, MO 65211-1200**
4. If you want, send a copy of last year's critique to the judge. This would help the judge AND you.
5. The experts will mail annotated publication and the publication guidebooks to MIPA. We will return all judged entries to you at Journalism Day, along with any certificates. If you are unable to attend Journalism Day these items will be mailed back to you at your expense.

MAILING RULES:

6. If you want acknowledgement of receipt of your entries by the judge, enclose a self-addressed, stamped postcard.
7. Please mail via first class mail or priority mail.
8. All entries must be postmarked no later than the deadline at the bottom of the page.
9. In mailing, fold, do not roll, the publication issues.

IMPORTANT:

10. **Non-printed MIPA Honors Ratings:** If an adviser requests it in writing ahead of the actual critiquing, the publications' MIPA Honors Rating will not be printed or announced by MIPA. An MIPA Honors Rating certificate will still be awarded and sent to the publication.
11. **New Advisers' MIPA Honors critiques:** Advisers in their first or second year of advising may request a publication's MIPA Honors Rating not be printed or announced, and the adviser also may request that an Honors Rating not be assigned.

Overall Newspaper/Newsmagazine Competition entries are to be submitted directly to the individual listed below:

Contest Classification

Mail directly to:

Large high schools

**Kate Carlisle
7 West Masonic View Ave
Alexandria, VA 22301**

Medium Senior High Schools (Schools A-P)

**Jake Sherlock
4886 Sonata Dr. Apt. D
Colorado Springs, CO 80918**

Medium Senior High Schools (Schools Q-Z)

**Sara Turley
Bryant Flick and Sara Turley
5401 E. Van Buren, #3092
Phoenix, AZ 85008**

Small Senior High Schools

**Teresa Taylor Williams
1890 Crestwood Lane
Muskegon, MI 49441**

MIPA OVER-ALL NEWSPAPER/NEWSMAGAZINE CONTEST OFFICIAL ENTRY BLANK

If you have any questions, please call us: (573) 882-6031. **Contest is limited to MIPA members.**

NOTE: *Submit Individual Newspaper entries under separate cover to the appropriate judge. This form is for Over-All Newspaper/News magazine entry only. We recommend you enclose a self-addressed stamped postcard with your entries so the judge can acknowledge receipt of your entry.*

Enrollment Classification: Large Medium Small

Type of Newspaper Classification: Newsmagazine All other sizes

Distribution method: Staff Distribution Page in Local Paper

Name of publication _____ School _____
School address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Person to contact if judge has questions:

Name _____ Phone (____) _____

1. Frequency of publication (check one):

- weekly
- bi-weekly
- every three weeks
- monthly
- fewer than 8 issues per school year.

2. Indicate the percentage of work in these categories:

	write copy	write heads	photos	type- setting	layout design	paste-up	printing
Students	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Adviser	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Printer/pro	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

3. Printing method: (check one)

Letterpress _____ Offset _____ Laser _____ Photo copier _____ Page in local paper _____

4. Are there any special circumstances the expert should know? (Aspects you especially want help with? Coverage in other issues than the three submitted? etc.)

DEADLINE: All entries must be **postmarked no later than the deadline at the bottom of the page.**

- I am a 1st or 2nd year adviser and wish an "Unpublished Rating" on this critique.
- I am not a 1st or 2nd year adviser but want a "Unpublished Rating".

Date of entry _____ Adviser's signature _____

See rules for directions on mailing.

SUBMIT A COPY OF THIS FORM WITH YOUR ENTRY

Original entry form to be mailed to MIPA office.

OVERALL ONLINE NEWS SITE CONTEST

MIPA ANNUAL COMPETITION

Read these rules carefully. If you do not adhere to these rules, entries will be subject to disqualification.

General Rules:

1. Complete and send in entry blank with entries.
2. If you want, send a copy of last year's critique to the judge. This would help the judge AND you.
3. The experts will mail comments to MIPA. We will return comment to you at Journalism Day, along with any certificates. If you are unable to attend Journalism Day these items will be mailed back to you at your expense.

MAILING RULES:

4. If you want acknowledgement of receipt of your entries by the judge, enclose a self-addressed, stamped postcard.
5. Please mail via first class mail or priority mail.
6. All entries must be postmarked no later than the deadline at the bottom of the page.

IMPORTANT:

7. **Non-printed MIPA Honors Ratings:** If an adviser requests it in writing ahead of the actual critiquing, the publications' MIPA Honors Rating will not be printed or announced by MIPA. An MIPA Honors Rating certificate will still be awarded and sent to the publication.
8. **New Advisers' MIPA Honors critiques:** Advisers in their first or second year of advising may request a publication's MIPA Honors Rating not be printed or announced, and the adviser also may request that an Honors Rating not be assigned.

MIPA Overall Online News Site Contest

School:	Online Publication Name:
Adviser Name:	Site URL:
NOTE: If you are not yet a member of MIPA, please contact us immediately at: MIPA, Mo. School of Journalism, 132 Neff Annex, Columbia, MO 65211 Phone: (573) 882-6031. CONTEST LIMITED TO MIPA MEMBERS.	CONTEST CLASSIFICATION: Entries will be rated with those from schools of similar enrollments per MSHSAA figures. See school enrollments for your classification.

Enrollment Classification: Large Medium Small

MIPA Use Only	Entry No.	Type of Entry	Webmaster Name(s) - Please list full names for all students.	Website Name/Other Identification
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Overall Online entries are judged on the following criteria: design, navigation, writing/editing, graphics and interactivity.

Person to contact if judge has questions:

Name _____ Phone () _____

Are there any special circumstances the expert should know? (Aspects you especially want help with? Content, navigation, design, etc.)

Date of entry _____ Adviser's signature _____

_____ I am a 1st or 2nd year adviser and wish an "Unpublished Rating" on this critique.

_____ I am not a 1st or 2nd year adviser but want an "Unpublished Rating".

SUBMIT THIS FORM (NO NEED TO PRINT OUT WEBPAGE) TO:

Steven Welliver
408 Haight Street
San Francisco, CA 94117

We recommend you enclose a self-addressed stamped postcard with your entry so the judge can acknowledge receipt of your entry.

If you have any questions, please contact Doris Barnhart, MIPA, School of Journalism,
132 Neff Annex, Columbia, MO 65211 (573-882-6031)

A copy of entry form to be mailed to MIPA office.

YEARBOOK INDIVIDUAL CONTEST

MIPA ANNUAL COMPETITION

Read these rules carefully. If you do not adhere to these rules, entries will be subject to disqualification.

General Rules:

1. Only material prepared for the current school year yearbook can be entered.
2. All entries must be student work.
3. If you want acknowledgement of receipt of your entries by the judge, enclose a self-addressed, stamped postcard.

Deadline and Mailing Rules:

1. The entry packet must be postmarked by **the date at the bottom of the page.**
2. The date postmarked by the Post Office supersedes the school postage meter date.
3. Plan ahead for bad weather or other delays.
4. Do not mail packet to MIPA; it will be disqualified.
5. Mail packet to the judge in the correct classification, based on school size, from the attached list.
6. Mail entries flat in an envelope via First Class/Priority Mail.

15-Entry Limit Information:

1. Each school can send 15 entries
2. Entries must be placed in one of the 12 categories.
3. There is no limit to the number of the 15 entries that can be placed in any category.
4. There is no limit to the number of the 15 entries that can be from one student.

Entry Submission Requirements:

1. Each entry must have a completed entry form attached.
2. No handwritten copy, etc. will be judged.
3. The completed List of Entrants (see enclosed) must be sent to **Doris Barnhart, MIPA, Missouri School of Journalism, 132 Neff Annex, Columbia, MO 65211-1200**
4. A copy of the List of Entrants must be sent in the entry packet to the judge.

Individual Yearbook Competition entries are to be submitted directly to the individual in the appropriate MIPA enrollment category:

Enrollment Classification

Mail directly to:

Large Schools – Senior high schools newspaper

**Minerva Howard
609 Seymour Road
Columbia, MO 65203**

Medium Senior High Schools (Schools A-P)

**Sue Brimer-Jones
923 Locust
Boonville, MO 65233**

Medium Senior High Schools (Schools Q-Z)

**Lesley Grissum
744 W Melrose St apt #1
Chicago, IL 60657**

Small Senior High Schools

**Merle Dieleman
5495 White Post Road
Bettendorf, IA 52722**

Entry Categories for Individual Yearbook Competition

1. Overall theme/concept:

Please choose four of the following to submit: cover, endsheet(s), title page, opening and/or closing spread, divider spread, or graphic treatment(s) that help to explain theme or concept of the yearbook.

2. Theme/concept copy:

Any single copy which explains or illustrates your theme or concept.

3. Academic design:

Double-page spread that covers the academic day or curriculum-related subjects.

4. Student life design:

Double-page spread that covers activities that do not occur during the traditional academic day and are not part of school-sponsored clubs/organizations (i.e., school play, homecoming, trends, etc.).

5. Sports design:

Double-page spread which covers a sport or sports feature (i.e. team coverage, alternative sports feature, etc.)

6. Portrait page design:

Double-page spread where mugs are placed on at least one of the pages.

7. Organizations design:

Double page spread that covers extracurricular activities that are school sponsored.

8. Academic reporting:

Article on academics or curriculum-related subjects.

9. Student life reporting:

Article on activities that are not part of the academic day or activities that are not part of school-sponsored clubs/organizations (i.e. school play, homecoming, trends, etc.)

10. Sports reporting:

Any sports article or sports feature (i.e. game coverage or sports personality).

11. Organizations reporting:

Article about extra-curricular activities that are school related (including clubs).

12. Best Overall Coverage:

This should be one completed spread of the yearbook. Photography, reporting and design will be considered. Photos can be placed on the page, or the proposed photos can be described by the captions written and placed to explain the reason/action of the photos.

MIPA Individual Yearbook Contest - List of Entrants

School: _____	Publication: _____
City: _____	Adviser: _____
NOTE: If you are not yet a member of MIPA, please contact us immediately at: MIPA, Mo. School of Journalism, 132 Neff Annex, Columbia, MO 65211 Phone: (573) 882-6031. CONTEST LIMITED TO MIPA MEMBERS.	CONTEST CLASSIFICATION: Entries will be rated with those from schools of similar enrollments per MSHSAA figures. See page 1 for your classification.

Enrollment Classification: Large Medium Small

List entries in category order and indicate the number below. Use the category # to designate the type of entry column below.

1. Overall Theme/Concept # of entries: _____	7. Organizations Design # of entries _____
2. Yearbook Theme/ Concept Copy # of entries _____	8. Academic Reporting # of entries _____
3. Academic Design # of entries _____	9. Student Life Reporting # of entries _____
4. Student Life Design # of entries _____	10. Sports Reporting # of entries _____
5. Sports Design # of entries _____	11. Organizations Reporting # of entries _____
6. Portraits Page Design # of entries _____	12. Best Overall Coverage # of entries _____
TOTAL ENTRIES (15 MAXIMUM) _____	

MIPA Use Only	Type of Entry	Student Name(s) - Please list full names for all students	Headline/Other Identification
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Original entry form to be mailed to MIPA office.

YEARBOOK INDIVIDUAL ENTRY

MIPA Awards Entry

Entry # (please circle below)

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Identification/Description of photo:

Student Name(s):

School Name:

Name of City:

Date of Publication:

School Category: (please circle below)

Large Senior High School
Medium Senior High School
Small Senior High School

Contest Category: (please circle below)

1. Overall Theme / Concept
2. Yearbook Theme / Concept Copy
3. Academic Design
4. Student Life Design
5. Sports Design
6. Portraits Page Design
7. Organizations Design
8. Academic Reporting
9. Student Life Reporting
10. Sports Reporting
11. Organizations Reporting
12. Best Overall Coverage

YEARBOOK INDIVIDUAL ENTRY

MIPA Awards Entry

Entry # (please circle below)

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Identification/Description of photo:

Student Name(s):

School Name:

Name of City:

Date of Publication:

School Category: (please circle below)

Large Senior High School
Medium Senior High School
Small Senior High School

Contest Category: (please circle below)

1. Overall Theme / Concept
2. Yearbook Theme / Concept Copy
3. Academic Design
4. Student Life Design
5. Sports Design
6. Portraits Page Design
7. Organizations Design
8. Academic Reporting
9. Student Life Reporting
10. Sports Reporting
11. Organizations Reporting
12. Best Overall Coverage

PHOTOJOURNALISM INDIVIDUAL CONTEST

MIPA ANNUAL COMPETITION

Read these rules carefully. If you do not adhere to these rules, entries will be subject to disqualification.

GENERAL RULES:

1. Only material prepared for current school year publications can be entered.
2. All entries must be student work.
3. If you want acknowledgement of receipt of your entries by the judge, enclose a self-addressed, stamped postcard.

ENTRY PREPARATION RULES

4. Print photos at least 3 x 5 inches, no larger than 8 x 10. All photos, including digital photos, are to be printed on photo-grade paper.
5. Mount photos on plain white paper. **NO MOUNTING BOARDS.**
6. Identify each entry with a completed Awards Entry sheet
7. For newspaper entries, include tear sheet of issue in which the photo ran **IN ADDITION TO THE PRINT OF THE PHOTO.**
8. For category 6 include tear sheet(s) or spread prints **IN ADDITION TO THE PRINTS OF THE PHOTOS.**
9. Print photos cropped as they will appear in the yearbook or as they appeared in the newspaper or will appear in the yearbook.

ENTRY LIMIT INFORMATION

10. The limit of entries that may be submitted by any school is 15.
11. The entries must fall into the categories as listed on the entry blank.
12. You may submit any number of entries in any category or categories as long as the total number of entries does not exceed 15.
13. There is no limit on the number of entries submitted by one student, as long as the total number of entries does not exceed 15.

DEADLINE AND MAILING RULES

14. Mail entries flat in a sealed envelope and send them via first class or priority mail. .
15. Entries must be postmarked no later than **the date at the bottom of the page.** **NO EXCEPTIONS.** Plan ahead for bad weather or delays.
16. We cannot assume responsibility for entries that are misaddressed or lost in the mail.
17. The date stamped by the Post Office supersedes your school postage meter date.
18. See attached list for the correct category for your school. All entries are to be mailed to one judge, but will be judged according to category.

ENTRY SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS:

19. Prepare a List of Entrants on the form provided. Enclose a copy of this list to the judge.
20. Send the original to Doris Barnhart, MIPA, Missouri School of Journalism, 132 Neff Annex, Columbia, MO 65211-1200.

We will return all judged entries to you at Journalism Day, along with any certificates. If you are unable to attend Journalism Day these items will be mailed back to you at your expense.

MAIL ENTRIES TO:

Photo: Large Senior High Schools

Robin Potts
139 Castleton Drive
Harvest, AL 35749

Photo: Medium Senior High Schools (Schools A-P)

Maggie Voss
1200 Treadwell St. #228
Austin, TX 78704

Medium Senior High Schools (Schools Q-Z)

Rod Howe
9052 Meadow Drive
Omaha, NE 68114

Small Senior High Schools

Jake Sherlock
4886 Sonata Dr. Apt. D
Colorado Springs, CO 80918

Entry Categories for Individual Photojournalism Competition

- 1. News Photo:**
Photograph of a school, community or national news event.
- 2. Academic Photo:**
Taken in class or covering activity of the curriculum.
- 3. Creative & Artistic:**
NOT PHOTO ILLUSTRATION: Taken to evoke an emotional mood. May include photographs such as scenery or still life.
- 4. Organization Photo:**
(non-sports) - Taken of the activity of a club or other organized group.
- 5. Personality / Portrait:**
Photograph--either posed or candid--showcasing the personality or newsworthy aspect of a person or group of people.
- 6. Photo Essay or Story:**
NOT A PORTFOLIO: A collection of photos that is unified as a **story** (creates a visual narrative about an event or person) or **essay** (creates a collection of photos on a theme).
- 7. Sports Action Photograph:**
Active photo of athletic competition
- 8. Sports Feature Photograph:**
Photograph of emotional response to athletic competition by fans, athletes, coaches or other people involved.
- 9. Photo Illustration:**
Digital or darkroom manipulation of an image or a group of images to illustrate a concept

MIPA Individual Photojournalism Contest - List of Entrants

School:	Publication:
City:	Adviser:
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Enrollment Classification: Large Medium Small

List entries in category order and indicate the number below. Use the category # to designate the type of entry column below.

1. News Photo # of entries _____	6. Photo Essay or Story # of entries _____
2. Academic Photo # of entries _____	7. Sports Action # of entries _____
3. Creative/Artistic # of entries _____	8. Sports Feature # of entries _____
4. Organization Coverage # of entries _____	9. Photo Illustration # of entries _____
5. Portrait / Personality # of entries _____	TOTAL ENTRIES (15 MAXIMUM) _____

MIPA Use Only	Entry No.	Type of Entry	Student Name(s) - Please list full names for all students	Headline/Other Identification
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Original entry form to be mailed to MIPA office.

PHOTO INDIVIDUAL ENTRY

MIPA Awards Entry

Entry # (please circle below)

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10 • 11 • 12 • 13 • 14 • 15

Identification/Description of photo:

Student Name(s):

School Name:

Name of City:

Date of Publication:

School Category: (please circle below)

Large Senior High School
Medium Senior High School
Small Senior High School

Contest Category: (please circle below)

1. News Photo
2. Academic Photo
3. Creative/Artistic
4. Organization (non-sports)
5. Portrait/Personality
6. Photo Essay or Story
7. Sports Action
8. Sports Feature
9. Photo Illustration

PHOTO INDIVIDUAL ENTRY

MIPA Awards Entry

Entry # (please circle below)

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10 • 11 • 12 • 13 • 14 • 15

Identification/Description of photo:

Student Name(s):

School Name:

Name of City:

Date of Publication:

School Category: (please circle below)

Large Senior High School
Medium Senior High School
Small Senior High School

Contest Category: (please circle below)

1. News Photo
2. Academic Photo
3. Creative/Artistic
4. Organization (non-sports)
5. Portrait/Personality
6. Photo Essay or Story
7. Sports Action
8. Sports Feature
9. Photo Illustration

DIVERSITY INDIVIDUAL CONTEST

MIPA ANNUAL COMPETITION

PURPOSE:

To show journalistic excellence in handling topics involving diverse groups such as ethnic, gender, people with disabilities, different classes of people (poverty), Gays, Lesbians, Bisexuals and Transgender individuals, senior citizens, people of different religious backgrounds and international people. Some items may create awareness, while others foster understanding. Winning entries should show how diverse topics are handled in sensitive, interesting ways and how stereotypes can be avoided in your school and/or community.

Consideration will also be given to work involving non-mainstream (different) groups like “nerds, brains, druggies, preppies, punkers, smokers, etc. Perhaps you might have work involving unwed mothers, suicide attempters, etc.

GENERAL RULES:

1. Each school may enter a total of eight (8) items, drawn from work produced by its students in school newspaper, yearbook, radio, or TV.
2. Each entry must have been produced in a school setting (not an outside workshop or seminar, for example) but it may involve subject matter outside the school.
3. In no instance may the total from the school exceed eight (8) entries, no matter what combination of media (all from one media or a combination from all). Double entries are not allowed unless it is in the category of yearbook “Best Overall Coverage.”

MAILING RULES:

4. Prepare a list of entrants on the form provided. Enclose a copy of this list to the judge. **Send the original to Doris Barnhart, MIPA, Missouri School of Journalism, 132 Neff Annex, Columbia, MO 65211-1200.**
5. **We will return all judged entries to you at Journalism Day, along with any certificates. If you are unable to attend Journalism Day these items will be mailed back to you at your expense.**
6. **All entries must be postmarked by the date at the bottom of the page.**

Complete form and mail to: Tony Balandran
c/o MIPA School of Journalism
132 Neff Annex
Columbia, MO 65211-1200

MIPA Diversity (Multicultural) Awareness Contests - List of Entrants

School: _____	
City: _____	Adviser: _____
NOTE: If you are not yet a member of MIPA, please contact us immediately at: MIPA, Mo. School of Journalism, 132 Neff Annex, Columbia, MO 65211 Phone: (573) 882-6031. CONTEST LIMITED TO MIPA MEMBERS.	CONTEST CLASSIFICATION: Entries will be rated with those from schools of similar enrollments per MSHSAA figures. See page 1 for your classification.

Enrollment Classification: Large Medium Small

Each school may enter a total of eight (8) items, drawn from items produced by its students in school newspaper, yearbook, radio or TV. Each must have been produced in a school setting (not an outside workshop or seminar, for example) but it may involve subject matter outside the school.

In NO instance may the total from the school exceed eight (8) entries, no matter what combination of media (all from newspaper, 6 from yearbook & 2 from radio, etc.) *Double entries are not allowed unless it is in the category of overall coverage.*

1. Newspaper # of entries _____	3. Radio # of entries _____
2. Yearbook # of entries _____	4. TV # of entries _____
TOTAL ENTRIES (15 maximum) _____	

MIPA Use Only	Type of Entry	Student Name(s) Please list full names for all students.	Headline/Other Identification
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Enclose a copy of this list to the judge.

Send the original to:

Doris Barnhart, MIPA, School of Journalism, 132 Neff Annex, Columbia, MO 65211

DIVERSITY INDIVIDUAL ENTRY

MIPA Awards Entry

Entry # (please circle below)

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Identification/Description/Headline of entry:

Student Name(s):

School Name:

Name of City:

Date of Publication:

School Category: (please circle below)

- Large Senior High School
- Medium Senior High School
- Small Senior High School

DIVERSITY INDIVIDUAL ENTRY

MIPA Awards Entry

Entry # (please circle below)

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Identification/Description/Headline of entry:

Student Name(s):

School Name:

Name of City:

Date of Publication:

School Category: (please circle below)

- Large Senior High School
- Medium Senior High School
- Small Senior High School

TELEVISION INDIVIDUAL CONTEST

MIPA ANNUAL COMPETITION

Read these rules carefully. If you do not adhere to these rules, entries will be subject to disqualification.

General Rules:

1. All submitted pieces must have been aired between August 2011 and the postmark date at the bottom of the page to the entire school via web, in-school system, etc..
2. Entries must be submitted on DVD that is readable by any standard DVD player.
3. Because there are still so few schools that have TV programming, schools are not yet classified by enrollment.
4. Be sure to label all entries, including student name, category, story title, school name and city.
5. All entries must be student work.
6. If you want acknowledgement of receipt of your entries by the judge, enclose a self-addressed, stamped postcard.

Deadline and Mailing Rules:

1. The entry packet must be postmarked by **the date at the bottom of the page.**
2. The date postmarked by the Post Office supersedes the school postage meter date.
3. Plan ahead for bad weather or other delays.
4. Do not mail packet to MIPA; it will be disqualified.
5. Mail entries in sealed envelope either first class or priority mail with "TV Entry" written on the outside.
6. Mail entries flat in an envelope via First Class/Priority Mail.
7. **We will return all judged entries to you at Journalism Day, along with any certificates. If you are unable to attend Journalism Day these items will be mailed back to you at your expense.**
8. Send television entries to:

**Stacey Woelfel
KOMU TV
5550 Highway 63 South
Columbia, MO 65201**

Categories:

- 1) **News Story Short Form** -- 2 minutes max;
- 2) **News Story Long Form** -- 4 minutes max
- 3) **Human Interest Feature Story** --3 minutes max;
- 4) **Sports News Story** -- 3 minutes max;
- 5) **Sports Feature Story** -- 3 minutes max;
- 6) **Sports Highlight** -- 3 minutes max
- 7) **Show Opening** -- for any show, 45 seconds max;
- 8) **Coverage of a sports event:** live or live-on-tape -- 5 minutes maximum of continuous coverage;
- 9) **Commercial** -- 30 seconds maximum original material
- 10) **PSA** -- 30 seconds maximum, original material;
- 11) **Overall show-announcements**-time limit no more than 30 minutes -- judge reserves the right watch no more than 15 minutes -- live/pre-recorded -- no compilation shows.
- 12) **Overall Show-magazine** -- time limit no more than 30 minutes -- judge reserves the right to watch no more than 15 minutes. Shows must be as they originally aired. No compilation shows.

MIPA Individual Television Contest - List of Entrants

School:	
City:	Adviser:
NOTE: If you are not yet a member of MIPA, please contact us immediately at: MIPA, Mo. School of Journalism, 132 Neff Annex, Columbia, MO 65211 Phone: (573) 882-6031. CONTEST LIMITED TO MIPA MEMBERS.	CONTEST CLASSIFICATION: Entries will be rated with those from schools of similar enrollments per MSHSAA figures. See page 1 for your classification.

Enrollment Classification: Large Medium Small

List entries in category order and indicate the number below. Use the category # to designate the type of entry column below.

TELEVISION CONTEST	
1. News Story Short Form 2 minute max News Story Long Form - 4 minute max # of entries _____	5. Coverage of a sports event: live or on tape - 5 minutes maximum of continuous coverage. # of entries _____
2. Human Interest Feature Story 3 min max # of entries _____	6. Commercial (30 sec maximum – original material) # of entries _____
3. Sports News Story 3 minute max Sports Feature Story 3 minute max Sports Highlight 3 minute max # of entries _____	7. PSA 30 seconds maximum, original material # of entries _____ 8. Overall Show-announcements 30 minutes max – # of entries _____
4. Show Opening any show, 45 seconds max # of entries _____	9. Overall Show-magazine 30 minutes max # of entries _____ Total Entries _____

MIPA Use Only		Type of Entry	Student Name(s) - Please list full names for all students.	Headline/Other Identification
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Individual Division

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Enclose a copy of this list to the judge.

Send the original to:

Doris Barnhart, MIPA, School of Journalism, 132 Neff Annex, Columbia, MO 65211

RADIO INDIVIDUAL CONTEST

MIPA ANNUAL COMPETITION

Read these rules carefully. If you do not adhere to these rules, entries will be subject to disqualification.

General Rules:

1. Do not use masking tape on CDs for packing. Tape sticks and can damage discs.
2. We recommend you enclose a self-addressed stamped postcard with your entries so the judge can acknowledge receipt of your entries.
3. All the individual contests call for single stories or items—or excerpts of them—none of which is to exceed the time listed.
4. **IMPORTANT:** If the finished product of an individual entry (news story, play by play, etc.) exceeds five minutes, please limit your entry to no more than a five-minute excerpt.
5. All broadcasts must be students' own work. Quoted material must be attributed.

Category Rules:

1. You are entitled to submit a total of eight (8) individual broadcasting entries. Each entry must fall into one of the eight categories listed.
2. You may enter only one entry per category (e.g. one news story, one feature story, etc.) and a maximum of eight entries total (assuming you enter all eight categories).
3. No limitation is placed on the number of categories in which an individual student may have work submitted.

Categories:

1. News story (not program)
2. feature story (not program)
3. broadcast editorial
4. sports story
5. sports play-by-play
6. advertising
7. over-all

Submission Rules:

1. On individual entries, type label on CD container and disc, stating: Name of student(s), contest category, brief name of item, name of school and city and date item was broadcast. Also indicate "Individual Broadcast Entry" on container.
2. **EACH ENTRY SHOULD BE ON A SEPARATE CD** (for example, submit eight discs if you have eight individual entries).
3. We strongly prefer that you submit CDs in mpeg, m4a, or mp3 format.
4. Because there are so few schools that have a broadcast station or program, there is no need to classify schools by enrollment, as with the newspaper and yearbook contests.
5. Mail broadcast entries in a sealed envelope, either first class or priority mail, with "Broadcast Entry" written on the outside.
6. We will return all judged entries to you at Journalism Day, along with any certificates. If you are unable to attend Journalism Day these items will be mailed back to you at your expense."
7. Entries must be postmarked no later than **the date at the bottom of the page.**
8. Send radio entries to:

Stacey Woelfel
KOMU TV
5550 Highway 63 South
Columbia, MO 65201

MIPA Individual Radio Contest - List of Entrants

School:	
City:	Adviser:
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List entries in category order and indicate the number below. Use the category # to designate the type of entry column below.

RADIO CONTEST

1. News Story # of entries _____	5. Sports play-by-play # of entries _____
2. Feature Story # of entries _____	6. Advertising # of entries _____
3. Broadcast Editorial # of entries _____	7. Over-All # of entries _____
4. Sports Story # of entries _____	TOTAL ENTRIES (1 per category) _____

MIPA Use Only	Entry No.	Type of Entry	Student Name(s) - Please list full names for all students.	Headline/Other Identification
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