

# 2017 Canadian Community Newspaper Awards | Concours des journaux régionaux canadiens Winners | Lauréats

## 101 - General Excellence | Excellence générale

### **Class 1011 - Circulation up to 1249**

#### **Best All-Round Newspaper**

- 1st - The Eastern Door, Kahnawake, QC
- 2nd - The Macleod Gazette, Fort Macleod, AB
- 3rd - The Hope Standard, Hope, BC

#### **Best Front Page**

- 1st - The Eastern Door, Kahnawake, QC
- 2nd - The Hope Standard, Hope, BC
- 3rd - The Macleod Gazette, Fort Macleod, AB

#### **Best Editorial Page**

- 1st - The Eastern Door, Kahnawake, QC
- 2nd - The Macleod Gazette, Fort Macleod, AB
- 3rd - The Hope Standard, Hope, BC

### **Class 1012 - Circulation 1250 to 1999**

#### **Best All-Round Newspaper**

- 1st - The Kincardine Independent, Kincardine, ON
- 2nd - The Pilot, Lewisporte, NL
- 3rd - The Roblin Review, Roblin, MB

#### **Best Front Page**

- 1st - The Pilot, Lewisporte, NL
- 2nd - The Kincardine Independent, Kincardine, ON
- 3rd - Osoyoos Times, Osoyoos, BC

#### **Best Editorial Page**

- 1st - The Roblin Review, Roblin, MB
- 2nd - Osoyoos Times, Osoyoos, BC
- 3rd - Advance, Melville, SK

#### **Blue Ribbon**

- Osoyoos Times, Osoyoos, BC
- New Hamburg Independent, New Hamburg, ON

## **Class 1013 - Circulation 2000 to 2999**

### **Best All-Round Newspaper**

- 1st - Gulf Islands Driftwood, Salt Spring Island, BC
- 2nd - Salmon Arm Observer, Salmon Arm, BC
- 3rd - County Echo, Haliburton, ON

### **Best Front Page**

- 1st - Salmon Arm Observer, Salmon Arm, BC
- 2nd - Gulf Islands Driftwood, Salt Spring Island, BC
- 3rd - The Compass, Carbonear, NL

### **Best Editorial Page**

- 1st - Gulf Islands Driftwood, Salt Spring Island, BC
- 2nd - County Echo, Haliburton, ON
- 3rd - Salmon Arm Observer Salmon Arm, BC

### **Blue Ribbon**

- The Chief, Squamish, BC
- Kivalliq News, NU

## **Class 1014 - Circulation 3000 to 3999**

### **Best All-Round Newspaper**

- 1st - The Mountaineer, Rocky Mountain House, AB
- 2nd - The St. Paul Journal, St. Paul, AB
- 3rd - Fort Frances Times, Fort Frances, ON

### **Best Front Page**

- 1st - The Mountaineer, Rocky Mountain House, AB
- 2nd - Temiskaming Speaker, New Liskeard, ON
- 3rd - Fort Frances Times, Fort Frances, ON

### **Best Editorial Page**

- 1st - The Mountaineer, Rocky Mountain House, AB
- 2nd - The St. Paul Journal, St. Paul, AB
- 3rd - The Barrhead Leader, Barrhead, AB

## **Class 1015 - Circulation 4000 to 6499**

### **Best All-Round Newspaper**

- 1st - The Yukon News, Whitehorse, YT
- 2nd - Question, Whistler, BC
- 3rd - Nunavut News/North, NU

### **Best Front Page**

- 1st - Question, Whistler, BC
- 2nd - The Yukon News, Whitehorse, YT
- 3rd - Nunavut News/North, NU

### **Best Editorial Page**

- 1st - Question, Whistler, BC
- 2nd - The Yukon News, Whitehorse, YT
- 3rd - Nunavut News/North, NU

## **Class 1016 - Circulation 6500 to 12499**

### **Best All-Round Newspaper**

- 1st - Pique News Magazine, Whistler & Pemberton, BC
- 2nd - LighthouseNOW Progress Bulletin, Lunenburg County, NS
- 3rd - Coast Reporter, Sechelt/Gibsons, BC

### **Best Front Page**

- 1st - Pique News Magazine, Whistler & Pemberton, BC
- 2nd - LighthouseNOW Progress Bulletin, Lunenburg County, NS
- 3rd - Olds Albertan, Olds, AB

### **Best Editorial Page**

- 1st - Coast Reporter, Sechelt/Gibsons, BC
- 2nd - LighthouseNOW Progress Bulletin, Lunenburg County, NS
- 3rd - Cochrane Eagle, Cochrane, AB

## **Class 1017 - Circulation 12500 to 24999**

### **Best All-Round Newspaper**

- 1st - Okotoks Western Wheel, Okotoks, AB
- 2nd - Penticton Western News, Penticton, BC
- 3rd - The Record, New Westminster, BC

### **Best Front Page**

- 1st - Penticton Western News, Penticton, BC
- 2nd - Lloydminster Source, Lloydminster, SK
- 3rd - The Record, New Westminster, BC

### **Best Editorial Page**

- 1st - Okotoks Western Wheel, Okotoks, AB
- 2nd - Penticton Western News, Penticton, BC
- 3rd - The News, Parksville/Qualicum Beach, BC

### **Blue Ribbon**

- Lloydminster Source, Lloydminster, SK
- The News, Parksville/Qualicum Beach, BC
- Goldstream News Gazette, Victoria, BC

## **Class 1018 - Circulation 25000 and over**

### **Best All-Round Newspaper**

- 1st - St. Albert Gazette, St. Albert, AB
- 2nd - Peace Arch News, Surrey, BC
- 3rd - Canadian Jewish News, Toronto, ON

### **Best Front Page**

- 1st - The Abbotsford News, Abbotsford, BC
- 2nd - The News, Maple Ridge-Pitt Meadows, BC
- 3rd - Vancouver Courier, Vancouver, BC

### **Best Editorial Page**

- 1st - Kitchener Post, Kitchener, ON
- 2nd - The Prince George Citizen, Prince George, BC
- 3rd - St. Albert Gazette, St. Albert, AB

## PREMIER AWARDS

### 201 - Best News Story | Meilleur reportage

#### *The Stephen Shaw Memorial Award*

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##### **Class 2011 - Circulation up to 3999**

- 1st - New Hamburg Independent, New Hamburg, ON – Scott Miller Cressman – “Wilmot council approves prime minister statues for Castle Kilbride”
- 2nd - The Westlock News, Westlock, AB - Sean Steels and Kevin Berger - “Flash Flood Submerges Town”
- 3rd - Powell River Peak, Powell River, BC – Dave Brindle - “Seniors take stand on meals”

##### **Class 2012 - Circulation 4000 - 12499**

- 1st - Huntsville Forester, Huntsville, ON – Roland Cilliers – “Homeless man dies after seeking refuge at still-closed shelter “
- 2nd - LighthouseNOW Progress Bulletin, Lunenburg County, NS – Michael Lee – “Racist Incidents at Forest Heights Community School”
- 3rd - The Yukon News, Whitehorse, YT – Ashley Joannou – “As eviction deadline looms, Casa Loma residents face uncertain future “
- 3rd - Rocky Mountain Outlook, Canmore/Kananaskis/Banff/Lake Louise, AB – Outlook Staff – “Shooting incident suspect arrested”

##### **Class 2013 - Circulation 12500 and over**

- 1st - Kamloops This Week, Kamloops, BC – Marty Hastings – “The message has to get out”
- 2nd - Grimsby Lincoln News, Grimsby, ON – Amanda Moore – “Bentley comfortable with progress of biodigester”
- 3rd - Northumberland News, Cobourg, ON – Todd McEwen – “Accused killer told to stay away from parents”

### 202 - Best Feature Story | Meilleur article de fond

##### **Class 2021 - Circulation up to 3999**

- 1st - County Echo, Haliburton, ON – Angela Long - “Robert Bateman says goodbye to piece of Haliburton”
- 2nd - Herald, Thamesville, ON – Heather Wright - “Thamesville Couple 'champions for children”
- 3rd - Oliver Chronicle, Oliver, BC – Lyonel Doherty - “Bullet in the Back”

##### **Class 2022 - Circulation 4000 to 12499**

- 1st - Pique News Magazine, Whistler & Pemberton, BC – Alison Taylor - “A journey to the edge of humanity”
- 2nd - The Williams Lake Tribune, Williams Lake, BC – Greg Sabatino - “Veteran shares story coping with PTSD”
- 3rd - Nelson Star, Nelson, BC – Bill Metcalfe - “Locals learn Arabic to welcome refugees”

**Class 2023 - Circulation 15000 and over**

- 1st - Orleans News, Orleans, ON – Brier Dodge - "Waiting for justice"
- 2nd - The Prince George Citizen, Prince George, BC – Frank Peebles - "I was just a rag doll"
- 3rd - North Shore News, North Vancouver/West Vancouver, BC – Jane Seyd - "A Heart Stops, and Help Rushes In"

**203 - Best Feature Series | Meilleure série d'articles de fond**

**Class 2031 - Circulation up to 3999**

- 1st - The Compass, Carbonear, NL – Andrew Robinson - "Tracking down heroes of the 1974 Ascension Collegiate fire"
- 2nd - Osoyoos Times, Osoyoos, BC - Richard McGuire and Keith Lacey - "Osoyoos starts planning for independent high school"
- 3rd - Blackfalds Life, Blackfalds, AB – Lisa Joy - "Lacombe Man Victim of Red Deer Creep Catchers"

**Class 2032 - Circulation 4000 - 12499**

- 1st - Yellowknifer, Yellowknife, NT – Shane Magee - "With fentanyl's rise, race is on to save lives"
- 2nd - The Yukon News, Whitehorse/Yukon Territory, YT – Maura Forrest - "Hospital situation is 'urgent,' officials agree, but solutions are scarce"
- 3rd - Cochrane Eagle, Cochrane, AB – Ryan McLeod - "A dark day in hockey"

**Class 2033 - Circulation 12500 and over**

- 1st - The Leader, Surrey/North Delta, BC – Kevin Diakiw and Evan Seal - "The faces of fentanyl"
- 2nd - North Shore News, North Vancouver/West Vancouver, BC – Jane Seyd - "The New Gold Rush"
- 3rd - Goldstream News Gazette, Victoria, BC – Katherine Engqvist - "On the ground in Haiti"

**204 - Outstanding Columnist | Meilleure chroniqueur**

*The George Cadogan Memorial Outstanding Columnist Award  
Sponsored by Cadogan Foundation Inc.*

**Class 2041 - Circulation open**

- 1st - Peterborough This Week, Peterborough, ON – Lois Tuffin - "Tuff Ink"
- 2nd - L'Acadie Nouvelle, Caraquet, NB - Pascal Raiche-Nogue
- 3rd - The Eastern Graphic, Montague, PE – Paul MacNeill - "Against the Tide"

**205 - Outstanding Reporter Initiative | Esprit journalistique exceptionnel**

**Class 2051 - Circulation up to 9999**

- 1st - The Yukon News, Whitehorse, YT – Maura Forrest - "Government hangs flood victims out to dry"
- 2nd - Yellowknifer, Yellowknife, NT – Shane Magee - "Complaint against RCMP in limbo"
- 3rd - The Chief, Squamish, BC – Jennifer Thuncher - "Government muses meddling in council"

**Class 2052 - Circulation 10000 and over**

- 1st - St. Albert Gazette, St. Albert, AB – Kevin Ma – “Particulate Matters”
- 2nd - The Now, Surrey/North Delta/White Rock, BC – Amy Reid – “The plight of Surrey's homeless”
- 3rd - Vancouver Courier, Vancouver, BC – Mike Howell – “Truth and transformation”

## 206 - Best National Editorial | Meilleur éditorial national

### *The Charles Hawkins Memorial Trophy*

#### *Sponsored by the Manitoba Community Newspapers Association*

#### **Class 2061 - Circulation up to 9999**

- 1st - The Carillon, Steinbach, MB – Grant Burr - “In fairness to Falk”
- 2nd - Manitoulin Expositor, Manitoulin Island, ON – Rick McCutcheon - “Great Lakes water must be returned”
- 3rd - Nunavut News/North, NU – Casey Lessard - “The result of Tootoo's departure from Cabinet”

#### **Class 2062 - Circulation 10000 and over**

- 1st - Cochrane Eagle, Cochrane, AB – Chris Puglia - “Easing the Pain”
- 2nd - North Shore News, North Vancouver/West Vancouver, BC – Jane Seyd - “Nerd Nation”
- 3rd - Goldstream News Gazette, Victoria, BC – Joel Tansey - “Trudeau’s Job Now Gets Tougher”

## 207 - Best Local Editorial | Meilleur éditorial local

### *Sponsored by Glacier Media Group*

#### **Class 2071 - Circulation up to 3999**

- 1st - Deh Cho Drum, Fort Simpson, NT – April Hudson - “Accountability needed in Cholo investigation”
- 2nd - The Saint Croix Courier, St. Stephen, NB – Kate Scott - “We're still struggling for gender equality”
- 3rd - The Fitzhugh, Jasper, AB – Paul Clarke - “Ending the stigma around suicide”

#### **Class 2072 - Circulation 4000 - 12499**

- 1st - NWT News/North, Northwest Territories, NT – James O’Connor - “Stop studying, start helping”
- 2nd - The Yukon News, Whitehorse/Yukon Territory, YT – John Thompson - “Nothing to look at here”
- 3rd - LighthouseNOW Progress Bulletin, Lunenburg County, NS – Emma Smith - “Where’s the water?”

#### **Class 2073 - Circulation 12500 and over**

- 1st - WE/WestEnder, Vancouver, BC – Grant Lawrence - “The dirty truth about Vancouver real estate”
- 2nd - The Chilliwack Progress, Chilliwack, BC – Greg Knill - “A matter of respect”
- 3rd - Caledon Enterprise, Caledon, ON – Robyn Wilkinson, Matthew Strader, Danielle Marr - “Protect our Protectors”

## 208 - Best Historical Story | Meilleur article historique

#### **Class 2081 - Circulation up to 3999**

- 1st - Trail Times, Trail, BC – Sheri Regnier - “Exhibit showcases Italian Canadians interned in WW2”
- 2nd - The Eastern Door, Kahnawake, QC – Steve Bonspiel - “A piece of history dismantled”

3rd - The Ashcroft-Cache Creek Journal, Ashcroft-Cache Creek, BC – Barbara Roden - “Camels in the Cariboo historical piece”

**Class 2082 - Circulation 4000 to 12499**

1st - Pique News Magazine, Whistler & Pemberton, BC – Braden Dupuis - “Language of the Land”  
2nd - Rocky Mountain Outlook, Canmore/Kananaskis/Banff/Lake Louise, AB – Tanya Foubert - “Canmore's first church celebrates 125 years”  
3rd - Oak Bay News, Oak Bay, BC – Christine van Reeuyk - “Wartime snapshots shared at Carlton House”

**Class 2083 - Circulation 12500 and over**

1st - Peninsula News Review, Sidney, BC – Carlie Connolly - “Story of North Saanich's Horth family”  
2nd - The Langley Times, Langley, BC – Dan Ferguson - “Remembering Sgt. Wright”  
3rd - St. Albert Gazette, St. Albert, AB – Doug Neuman - “Seven Hills: a popular destination for generations”

**209 - Best Headline Writing | Meilleur titre**

**Class 2091 - Circulation open**

1st - Canadian Jewish News, Toronto, ON  
2nd - The Yukon News, Whitehorse, YT - “Let them meet Kate”  
3rd - The Now, Surrey/North Delta/White Rock, BC

**210 - Best Local Cartoon | Meilleure bande dessinée locale**

**Class 2191 - Circulation up to 9999**

1st - Powell River Peak, Powell River, BC – Wendy Brown - “Business Licencing”  
2nd - Gulf Islands Driftwood, Salt Spring Island, BC – Dennis Parker - “Chicken Coop Airbnb”  
3rd - The Yukon News, Whitehorse/Yukon Territory, YT – Wyatt Tremblay - “Curbside wrestling”

**Class 2102 - Circulation 10000 and over**

1st - Vancouver Courier, Vancouver, BC – Geoff Olson - ““Van” cover”  
2nd - Stoney Creek News, Stoney Creek, ON – Mike Vukovich - “Christmas in the near future”  
3rd - Napanee Beaver, Napanee, ON – Tim Nimigan - “Our Town”

**211 - Best Spot News Photo Coverage | Meilleure photographie – Sur place**

**Class 2111 - Circulation up to 3999**

1st - New Hamburg Independent, New Hamburg, ON – Scott Miller Cressman - “Seasons Grande burns”  
2nd - Carstairs Courier, Carstairs, AB – Noel West - “Performance Goes Wrong”  
3rd - The Kincardine Independent, Kincardine, ON – Barb McKay - “Three men and a bear”

**Class 2112 - Circulation 4000 to 12499**

1st - The Yukon News, Whitehorse, YT – Joel Krahn - “Flood swimmer”



- 2nd - Ponoka News, Ponoka, AB – Jeffrey Keyden-Kaye - “Winter hazards”  
3rd - Rocky Mountain Outlook, Canmore/Kananaskis/Banff/Lake Louise, AB – Aryn Toombs -  
“Shooting incident”

**Class 2113 - Circulation 12500 and over**

- 1st - The Leader, Surrey/North Delta, BC – Boaz Joseph - “Man burned at homeless camp”  
2nd - Okotoks Western Wheel, Okotoks, AB – Brent Calver - “Fire at night”  
3rd - Goldstream News Gazette, Victoria, BC – Joel Tansey - “Armed suspect taken into custody after  
lengthy standoff”

**212 - Best News Feature Photo | Meilleure photographie – Reportage  
d’actualité**

**Class 2121 - Circulation up to 3999**

- 1st - Salmon Arm Observer, Salmon Arm, BC – Evan Buhler - “To the beat of the drum”  
2nd - The Mountaineer, Rocky Mountain House, AB – Laura Button - “Abraham Lake methane draws  
crowds”  
3rd - The Athabasca Advocate, Athabasca, AB – Joel Watson - “Fort McMurray fire aftermath”

**Class 2122 - Circulation 4000 to 12499**

- 1st - Cochrane Eagle, Cochrane, AB – Ryan McLeod - “One hell of an escort”  
2nd - Sooke News Mirror, Sooke, BC – Kevin Laird - “CRD celebrates salmon and new parkland”  
3rd - Cochrane Eagle, Cochrane, AB – Ryan McLeod - “Tactical training at St. Tim's”

**Class 2123 - Circulation 12500 and over**

- 1st - The Leader, Surrey/North Delta, BC – Evan Seal - “Pregnant and addicted”  
2nd - Oshawa This Week, Oshawa, ON – Ron Pietroniro - “New Rules Hurt Kids With Autism”  
3rd - St. Albert Gazette, St. Albert, AB – Chris Colbourne - “Tears For A Friend”

**213 - Best Feature Photo | Meilleure photographie – Reportage**

**Class 2131 - Circulation up to 3999**

- 1st - Aylmer Express, Aylmer, ON – Rob Perry - “Tractor Pull”  
2nd - Osoyoos Times, Osoyoos, BC – Richard McGuire - “Flyboarding through the night sky”  
3rd - The Macleod Gazette, Fort Macleod, AB – Frank McTighe - “So Close He Can Almost Taste It!”

**Class 2132 - Circulation 4000 to 12499**

- 1st - Rocky Mountain Outlook, Canmore/Kananaskis/Banff/Lake Louise, AB – Aryn Toombs -  
“Christmas underground”  
2nd - The Yukon News, Whitehorse, YT – Mike Thomas - “Swing adventure”  
3rd - Olds Albertan, Olds, AB – Noel West - “Skip A Rope”

**Class 2133 - Circulation 12500 and over**

- 1st - The News, Maple Ridge-Pitt Meadows, BC – Colleen Flanagan - “Fair features sitting swine”  
2nd - Langley Advance, Langley, BC – Heather Colpitts - “Farm fundraiser”

3rd - Goldstream News Gazette, Victoria, BC – Katherine Engqvist - “Santa takes some time for a special stop at VGH”

## 214 - Best Sports Photo | Meilleure photographie – Sport

### **Class 2141 - Circulation up to 3999**

- 1st - Salmon Arm Observer, Salmon Arm, BC – Evan Buhler - “In your face”
- 2nd - Salmon Arm Observer, Salmon Arm, BC – Evan Buhler - “Air Elijah”
- 3rd - Salmon Arm Observer, Salmon Arm, BC – Evan Buhler - “View from the hoop”

### **Class 2142 - Circulation 4000 to 12499**

- 1st - The Yukon News, Whitehorse, YT – Tom Patrick - “Splashdown”
- 2nd - Olds Albertan, Olds, AB – Joseph Ho - “Sliding Into Home”
- 3rd - Sooke News Mirror, Sooke, BC – Arnold Lim - “Punishing tackle”

### **Class 2143 - Circulation 12500 and over**

- 1st - Oshawa This Week, Oshawa, ON – Justin Greaves - “Summer in the city: Stars shine on Oshawa diamonds”
- 2nd - St. Albert Gazette, St. Albert, AB – Bryan Young - “A Cowboy's Life”
- 3rd - Mountain News, Hamilton, ON – Gord Bowes - “Tristian McCall-Mitchell of the Brantford Harlequins”

## 215 - Best Photo Essay | Meilleur essai photographique

### **Class 2151 - Circulation up to 3999**

- 1st - Inuvik Drum, Inuvik, NT – Stewart Burnett - “A dirty good time”
- 2nd - Powell River Peak, Powell River, BC – David Brindle - “Logger sports comes back big”
- 3rd - Salmon Arm Observer, Salmon Arm, BC – Evan Buhler - “Roots and Blues 2016”

### **Class 2152 - Circulation 4000 to 12499**

- 1st - The Yukon News, Whitehorse, YT – Peter Mather – “Traditional harvest”
- 2nd - Rocky Mountain Outlook, Canmore/Kananaskis/Banff/Lake Louise, AB – Aryn Toombs and Justin Brisbane – “20 Years”
- 3rd - Rocky Mountain Outlook, Canmore/Kananaskis/Banff/Lake Louise, AB – Aryn Toombs – “Into the blue”

### **Class 2153 - Circulation 12500 and over**

- 1st - Burlington Post, Burlington, ON – Nikki Wesley - “Bringing children’s literature to life ...”
- 2nd - Burlington Post, Burlington, ON – Nikki Wesley - “Soup’s on!”
- 3rd - North Shore News, North Vancouver/West Vancouver, BC – Lisa King and Kevin Hill - “Lest we forget”

## 216 - Best Photo Illustration | Meilleure photographie – Illustration

### *The George Holmes Memorial Trophy*

*Sponsored by the Holmes Family, Alberta*

**Class 2161 - Circulation open**

- 1st - Pique News Magazine, Whistler & Pemberton, BC – Jon Parris - “Backcountry Hut”
- 2nd - Pique News Magazine, Whistler & Pemberton, BC – Jon Parris - “The Big One”
- 3rd - The Prince George Citizen, Prince George, BC – Tyler Sabourin - “Hypnocat!”

**221 - Outstanding Community Service | Excellence en service communautaire**

**Class 2211 - Circulation up to 9999**

- 1st - La Liberté, St-Boniface, MB - “À la Une en direct et La Liberté vous invite”
- 2nd - Haldimand Press, Hagersville/Cayuga, ON - “Fire Prevention”
- 3rd - The Williams Lake Tribune, Williams Lake, BC - “Dirty Laundry Campaign”

**Class 2212 – Circulation 10000 and over**

- 1st - Okotoks Western Wheel, Okotoks, AB - “Western Wheel Cares”
- 2nd - Lloydminster Source, Lloydminster, SK - “Shop Local, Shop Lloyd”
- 3rd - Prince George Citizen, Prince George, BC - “Citizen Digital Archive”

**222 - Best Holiday Edition | Meilleure édition thématique - Fêtes**

*The Black Press Trophy*

*Sponsored by Black Press*

**Class 2221 - Circulation up to 3999**

- 1st - South Peace News, High Prairie, AB - “Best Holiday Edition”
- 2nd - Powell River, Peak Powell River, BC - “Christmas through their eyes”
- 3rd - Reminder, Flin Flon, MB - “Flin Flon Reminder”

**Class 2222 - Circulation 4000 to 12499**

- 1st - La Liberté, St-Boniface, MB - “Spécial Noël 2016”
- 2nd - Nunavut News/North, NU - “Nunavut Day”
- 3rd - The Carillon Steinbach, MB - “Best Holiday Edition”

**Class 2223 - Circulation 12500 and over**

- 1st - Langley Advance, Langley, BC - “Love: Start your own family traditions”
- 2nd - Canadian Jewish News, Toronto, ON - “Imagining the Jewish Future”
- 3rd - Delta Optimist, Delta, BC - “Delta Optimist”

**223 - Best Coverage of the Arts | Meilleure couverture artistique**

**Class 2231 - Circulation up to 9999**

- 1st - Nelson Star, Nelson, BC
- 2nd - Gulf Islands Driftwood, Salt Spring Island, BC

3rd - Rocky Mountain Outlook, Canmore/Kananaskis/Banff/Lake Louise, AB

**Class 2232 - Circulation 10000 and over**

- 1st - St. Albert Gazette, St. Albert, AB – “St. Albert Gazette arts coverage”
- 2nd - The Prince George Citizen, Prince George, BC – “The Alphabet Project”
- 3rd - Pique News Magazine, Whistler & Pemberton, BC – “Whistler arts”

**224 - Best Sports Coverage | Meilleure couverture sportive**

**Class 2241 - Circulation up to 3999**

- 1st - Salmon Arm Observer, Salmon Arm, BC
- 2nd - The Fitzhugh, Jasper, AB
- 3rd - Fort Frances Times, Fort Frances, ON

**Class 2242 - Circulation 4000 to 12499**

- 1st - The Yukon News, Whitehorse, YT
- 2nd - The Carillon, Steinbach, MB
- 3rd - Rocky Mountain Outlook, Canmore/Kananaskis/Banff/Lake Louise, AB

**Class 2243 - Circulation 12500 and over**

- 1st - News Advertiser, Ajax/Pickering, ON
- 2nd - St. Albert Gazette, St. Albert, AB
- 3rd - Cowichan Valley Citizen, Duncan, BC

**226 - Best Website | Meilleur site Web**

**Class 2261 - Circulation up to 3999**

- 1st - Powell River Peak, Powell River, BC - prpeak.com
- 2nd - The Eastern Door, Kahnawake, QC - www.easterndoor.com
- 3rd - South Peace News, High Prairie, AB - southpeacenews.com

**Class 2262 - Circulation 4000 to 12499**

- 1st - The Yukon News, Whitehorse, YT - yukon-news.com
- 2nd - Huntsville Forester, Huntsville, ON - muskokaregion.com
- 3rd - Manitoulin Expositor, Manitoulin Island, ON - manitoulin.ca

**Class 2263 - Circulation 12500 and over**

- 1st - Observer, Elmira-Woolwich, ON - www.ObserverXtra.com
- 2nd - Mountain News, Hamilton, ON - www.Hamiltonnews.com
- 3rd - Vancouver Courier, Vancouver, BC - vancourier.com

**227 - Best Multimedia Feature | Meilleur reportage multimédia**

**Class 2271 - Circulation up to 9999**

- 1st - The Packet, Clarenville, NL - “The 26 from the Southwest Arm”

2nd - The Athabasca Advocate, Athabasca, AB - "Magnificent River Rats Festival"

3rd - The Yukon News, Whitehorse, YT - "Burning away the winter blues"

**Class 2272 - Circulation 10000 and over**

1st - Canadian Champion, Milton, ON - "Premier comes to town"

2nd - Victoria News, Victoria, BC - "Royal Visit 2016"

3rd - The Morning Star, Vernon, BC - "A place to call home"

**231 - Best Canadian Forces Base Newspaper | Meilleure publication – Base militaire canadienne**

**Class 2311 - Circulation open**

1st - Lookout Newspaper and Creative Services, CFB Esquimalt, BC

2nd - Journal Adsum, CFB Valcartier, QC

3rd - Shilo Stag, CFB Shilo, MB

**SPECIAL COMPETITIONS**

**301 - Best Environmental Writing | Meilleur article sur l'environnement**

**Class 3011 - Circulation up to 9999**

1st - The Yukon News, Whitehorse/Yukon Territory, YT – Maura Forrest - "The curious case of the vanishing river"

2nd - Rocky Mountain Outlook, Canmore/Kananaskis/Banff/Lake Louise, AB – Cathy Ellis - "How humans affect wildlife"

3rd - The Yukon News, Whitehorse/Yukon Territory, YT – Ashley Joannou - "Getting' a charge out of the electric car"

**Class 3012 - Circulation 10000 and over**

1st - Pique News Magazine, Whistler & Pemberton, BC – Alison Taylor – "Weaving Whistler's web of life"

2nd - St. Albert Gazette, St. Albert, AB – Kevin Ma – "Trashing Morinville"

3rd - St. Albert Gazette, St. Albert, AB – Kevin Ma – "Particulate Matters"

**302 - Excellence in Rural Reporting | Excellence en journalisme rural**

**Class 3021 - Circulation open**

1st - Cochrane Eagle, Cochrane, AB – Jenna Dulewich - "Nowhere to go in Cochrane"

2nd - The Prince George Citizen, Prince George, BC – Christine Hinzmann - "One board at a time"

3rd - Prairie Post, Swift Current, SK – Ryan Dahlman – "Fundraiser from Tilley straight from the heart"

**303 - Best Business Writing | Meilleur article d'affaires**

**Class 3031 - Circulation up to 9999**

- 1st - The Interior News, Smithers, BC – Catherine Matheson – “Sidewalk to Nowhere”
- 2nd - Nunavut News/North, NU – Stewart Burnett – “Showdown over airline seats”
- 3rd - Yellowknifer, Yellowknife, NT – Jessica Davey-Quantick – “Opening day for Gahcho Kue”

**Class 3032 - Circulation 10000 and over**

- 1st - Kamloops This Week, Kamloops, BC – Cam Fortems - “Hop dreams”
- 2nd - Pique News Magazine, Whistler & Pemberton, BC – Eric Plummer - “A New Beginning”
- 3rd - Pique News Magazine, Whistler & Pemberton, BC – Brandon Barrett - “Firestarters”

**304 - Best Agricultural Edition | Meilleur numéro sur l’agriculture**

**Class 3041 - Circulation up to 9999**

- 1st - Aylmer Express, Aylmer, ON - “Aylmer Express 2016 Farm Edition”
- 2nd - The Eastern Graphic, Montague, PE - “Salute to Agriculture”
- 3rd - The St. Paul Journal, St. Paul, AB - “Ag Section”

**Class 3042 - Circulation 10000 and over**

- 1st - Cowichan Valley Citizen, Duncan, BC - “Ahead of the herd: Valley farmers adding value”
- 2nd - The Langley Times, Langley, BC - “HomeGrown”
- 3rd - The Chilliwack Progress, Chilliwack, BC - “Outlook Agriculture”

**305 - Best Agricultural Story | Meilleur article sur l’agriculture**

**Class 3051 - Circulation open**

- 1st - Kamloops This Week, Kamloops, BC – Jessica Wallace and Andrea Klassen - “Sticker Shock”
- 2nd - The Saint Croix Courier, St. Stephen, NB – Kathy Bockus - “Kids in the Coop”
- 3rd - The Times, Minden, ON – Angelica Ingram - “Budding farmer learns the ins and outs of potatoes”

## CAMPUS NEWSPAPER DIVISION

### 401 - Outstanding Campus Newspaper | Meilleur journal universitaire

#### Class 4011 - Circulation open

- 1st - Gazette, University of Western Ontario, ON
- 2nd - The Varsity, University of Toronto, ON
- 3rd - The Calgary Journal, Mount Royal University, AB

### 402 - Best Campus News Story | Meilleur article de journal universitaire

#### Class 4021 - Circulation open

- 1st - Gazette, University of Western Ontario, ON – Amy Skodak - “Pay as you go: RA salary fails to cover cost of living”
- 2nd - The Calgary Journal, Mount Royal University, AB – Jennifer Dorozio - “Online harassment takes Mount Royal student to ‘the darkest place’ she’s ever been”
- 3rd - The Varsity, University of Toronto, ON – Alex McKeen - “Daren Smith, Meric Gertler, Beyond Divestment”

### 403 - Best Campus Feature Story | Meilleur article de fond

#### Class 4031 - Circulation open

- 1st - The Ubyyssey, University of British Columbia, BC – Koby Michaels - “Ada's Atlantic adventure”
- 2nd - The Varsity, University of Toronto, ON – Sarah Niedoba and Danielle Klein - “A constitutional black hole”
- 3rd - The Ubyyssey, University of British Columbia, BC – Olamide Olaniyan - “Paddling upstream”

### 404 - Best Campus Photography | Meilleure photographie – Journal universitaire

#### Class 4041 - Circulation open

- 1st - The Weal, Southern Alberta Institute of Technology, AB – Amanda Richter - “Coming to Light”
- 2nd - The Ubyyssey, University of British Columbia, BC – Jeremy Johnson-Silvers - “Let's go”
- 3rd - Niagara News, Niagara College, ON – Jeremiah Link - “Woodcraft: Niagara College automotive student creates works of art out of wood”

### 405 - Best Campus Website | Meilleur site Web

#### Class 4051 - Circulation open

- 1st - The Ubyyssey, University of British Columbia, BC - ubyssey.ca
- 2nd - The Varsity, University of Toronto, ON - thevarsity.ca
- 3rd - The Cord, Wilfrid Laurier University, ON - www.thecord.ca