

CLASS 5

Dailies 7,501 to 15,000

EDITORIAL WRITING

■ **First Place:** Don Rogers, Vail Daily
 ■ **Second Place:** Staff, Glenwood Springs Post Independent
 ■ **Third Place:** Dave Perry, Aurora Sentinel and Daily Sun

NEWS STORY

■ **First Place:** Tom Ross, Steamboat Pilot & Today
 ■ **Second Place:** Shane Benjamin, Durango Herald
 ■ **Third Place:** Scott Condon, The Aspen Times

FEATURE STORY

■ **First Place:** Harriet Hamilton, Summit Daily News
 ■ **Second Place:** Thomas Munro, Durango Herald
 ■ **Third Place:** Jake Harkins, Aurora Sentinel and Daily Sun

SPORTS STORY

■ **First Place:** Nate Peterson, The Aspen Times
 ■ **Second Place:** Devan O'Neil, Summit Daily News
 ■ **Third Place:** Aaron Unterreiner, Durango Herald

SPORTS EVENT STORY

■ **First Place:** Nate Peterson, The Aspen Times
 ■ **Second Place:** Bryan Gallegos, Grand Junction Free Press
 ■ **Third Place:** Melinda Mawdsley, Steamboat Pilot & Today

BUSINESS STORY

■ **First Place:** Dale Shrull, Glenwood Springs Post Independent
 ■ **Second Place:** Debbie Bell, Canon City Daily Record
 ■ **Third Place:** Boyd Fletcher and J.C. O'Connell, Aurora Sentinel and Daily Sun

AGRICULTURE STORY

■ **First Place:** Janet Urquhart, The Aspen Times
 ■ **Second Place:** Naomi Havlen, The Aspen Times
 ■ **Third Place:** Sharon Sullivan, Grand Junction Free Press

EDUCATION STORY

■ **First Place:** Mike Laurence, Steamboat Pilot & Today
 ■ **Second Place:** Bobby Magill, Glenwood Springs Post Independent
 ■ **Third Place:** Nicole Frey, Vail Daily

STORY-PICTURE COMBINATION

■ **First Place:** Tyler Arroyo and Tom Ross, Steamboat Pilot & Today
 ■ **Second Place:** Shane Benjamin and Jerry McBride, Durango Herald
 ■ **Third Place:** Chuck Slothower, Jesse Alderman and Jerry McBride, Durango Herald

DEADLINE NEWS REPORTING

■ **First Place:** Nicole Formosa, Kristen Anderson and Ryan Slabaugh, Summit Daily News
 ■ **Second Place:** Nicole Frey, Vail Daily
 ■ **Third Place:** Dennis Webb, Glenwood Springs Post Independent

CLASS 5 SWEEPSTAKES WINNERS

Advertising:
Steamboat Pilot & Today

Photo & Design:
Steamboat Pilot & Today

Editorial:
Aspen Times

General Excellence:
Steamboat Pilot & Today

SERIES

■ **First Place:** Mike Lawrence, Tom Ross, Jayme Elrod, Tyler Arroyo and Brent Boyer, Steamboat Pilot & Today
 ■ **Second Place:** Joe Hanel, Durango Herald
 ■ **Third Place:** Bryan Gallegos, Grand Junction Free Press

SUSTAINED COVERAGE

■ **First Place:** Dale Rodebaugh, Ann Butler, Chuck Slothower, Thomas Munro and Jesse Harlan Alderman, Durango Herald
 ■ **Second Place:** Staff, The Aspen Times
 ■ **Third Place:** Staff, Steamboat Pilot & Today

SPECIAL SECTION

■ **First Place:** Staff, Steamboat Pilot & Today
 ■ **Second Place:** Staff, Vail Daily
 ■ **Third Place:** Tom Sluis, Austin Richardson, Karla Sluis, Keith Alewine, Jerry McBride, Yodit Gidney, Rebecca Droke, Durango Herald

SERIOUS COLUMN WRITING

■ **First Place:** Andy Stone, The Aspen Times
 ■ **Second Place:** Jake Harkins, Aurora Sentinel and Daily Sun
 ■ **Third Place:** Don Rogers, Vail Daily

HUMOROUS COLUMN WRITING

■ **First Place:** Steve Beauregard, Grand Junction Free Press
 ■ **Second Place:** Dave Perry, Aurora Sentinel and Daily Sun
 ■ **Third Place:** Heidi Rice, Glenwood Springs Post Independent

SPORTS COLUMN WRITING

■ **First Place:** Jon Maletz, The Aspen Times
 ■ **Second Place (tie):** Nate Peterson, The Aspen Times
 ■ **Second Place:** Roger Marolt, The Aspen Times

PUBLIC SERVICE

■ **First Place:** Staff, Steamboat Pilot & Today
 ■ **Second Place:** Staff, Aurora Sentinel and Daily Sun
 ■ **Third Place:** Staff, Grand Junction Free Press

HEADLINE WRITING

■ **First Place:** Karla Sluis, Durango Herald
 ■ **Second Place:** Dave Perry, Aurora Sentinel and Daily Sun
 ■ **Third Place:** Bob Ward, The Aspen Times

NEWS PHOTOGRAPH

■ **First Place:** Jerry McBride, Durango Herald
 ■ **Second Place:** Paul Conrad, The Aspen Times
 ■ **Third Place:** Mark Fox, The Aspen Times

FEATURE PHOTOGRAPH

■ **First Place:** Kara Pearson, Glenwood Springs Post Independent
 ■ **Second Place:** Sharon Sullivan, Grand Junction Free Press
 ■ **Third Place:** Shanon Davidson, Aurora Sentinel and Daily Sun

SPORTS PHOTOGRAPH

■ **First Place:** Greg Reed, Grand Junction Free Press
 ■ **Second Place:** Preston Utley, Vail Daily
 ■ **Third Place:** Jerry McBride, Durango Herald

PHOTO ESSAY

■ **First Place:** Jerry McBride, Durango Herald
 ■ **Second Place:** Rebecca Droke, Durango Herald
 ■ **Third Place:** Mark Fox, The Aspen Times

NEWS PAGE DESIGN

■ **First Place:** Meg Wortman, Steamboat Pilot & Today
 ■ **Second Place:** Jayme Elrod, Steamboat Pilot & Today
 ■ **Third Place:** Brian Peterson, Durango Herald

FEATURE PAGE DESIGN

■ **First Place:** Nuria Moya, Glenwood Springs Post Independent
 ■ **Second Place:** Dawn Beagn, Vail Daily
 ■ **Third Place:** Jason Smith, Summit Daily News

EDITORIAL LAYOUT AND DESIGN

■ **First Place:** Staff, Vail Daily
 ■ **Second Place:** Staff, Durango Herald
 ■ **Third Place:** Staff, Steamboat Pilot & Today

INFORMATIONAL GRAPHIC

■ **First Place:** Keith Alewine, Durango Herald
 ■ **Second Place:** Meg Wortman, Steamboat Pilot & Today
 ■ **Third Place:** Jayme Elrod, Steamboat Pilot & Today

BLACK AND WHITE AD

■ **First Place:** Graham Danzoll, Vail Daily
 ■ **Second Place:** Alejandro Ursino, The Aspen Times
 ■ **Third Place:** Shelly Bisbee, Steamboat Pilot & Today

USE OF COLOR IN AN AD

■ **First Place:** Amy Sowards, Summit Daily News
 ■ **Second Place:** Jason Smith, Summit Daily News
 ■ **Third Place:** Su Lum, The Aspen Times

SMALL SPACE AD

■ **First Place:** Katie Frank, The Aspen Times
 ■ **Second Place:** Amy Sowards, Summit Daily News
 ■ **Third Place:** Gayle Johnson, The Aspen Times

AUTOMOTIVE AD

■ **First Place:** Christy Woodland, John Boyan and Melanie Handl, Steamboat Pilot & Today
 ■ **Second Place:** Brady Sutherland, Durango Herald
 ■ **Third Place:** Lark Guenther, Glenwood Springs Post Independent

REAL ESTATE AD

■ **First Place:** Karen Gilchrist and Melanie Handl, Steamboat Pilot & Today
 ■ **Second Place:** Karen Gilchrist and John Boyan, Steamboat Pilot & Today
 ■ **Third Place:** Christine Maggi, The Aspen Times

ADVERTISING SPECIAL SECTION

■ **First Place:** Alison Mirani and Ad Staff, Steamboat Pilot & Today
 ■ **Second Place:** Matt Sandberg and Lance Fahrney, Vail Daily
 ■ **Third Place:** Wren Wertin and Patrick Connolly, Vail Daily

ADVERTISING CAMPAIGN

■ **First Place:** Deb Proper and Andrew Bisbee, Steamboat Pilot and Today
 ■ **Second Place:** Kip Tingle and Andrew Bricklin, Vail Daily
 ■ **Third Place:** Kerry Crimmons and Melanie Handl, Steamboat Pilot & Today

ADVERTISING LAYOUT AND DESIGN

■ **First Place:** Ad Production Staff, The Aspen Times
 ■ **Second Place:** Staff, Grand Junction Free Press
 ■ **Third Place:** Fran Reinier and Ad Staff, Steamboat Pilot & Today

NEWSPAPER PROMOTION

■ **First Place:** Barbara New and Staff, The Aspen Times
 ■ **Second Place:** Bryna Larsen and John Boyan, Steamboat Pilot & Today
 ■ **Third Place:** Samantha Johnston, Steamboat Pilot & Today

CIRCULATION PROMOTION

■ **First Place:** Bryna Larsen and John Boyan, Steamboat Pilot & Today
 ■ **Second Place:** Steve Balgenorth, Steamboat Pilot & Today
 ■ **Third Place:** Alejandro Ursino, The Aspen Times