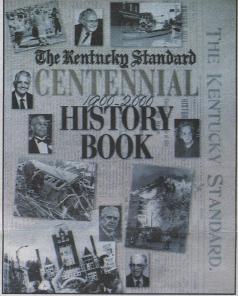


2002 Advertising Contest





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Weekly Class 1

Category 1 - DEPARTMENT/ DISCOUNT/JEWELRY STORES First Place - FLEMINGSBURG GAZETTE, Debbie McCord/Tisha Thomas Good color, different size of fonts, eye

catching.
Second Place - FULTON LEADER, Rita Mitchell/Al Shannon
Like the frame border, elegant look.
Third Place - FULTON LEADER, Rita Mitchell/William Mitchell

Mitchell/William Mitchell Like the rings leading the eye to the message. Eye-catching.

Category 2 - AUTOMOTIVE

First Place - GRAYSON JOURNAL ENQUIRER, Jeremy Cox Good color, nice processed color. A lot of info that's easy to read. Clarity of photos good!

Category 3 - HARDWARE/ APPLIANCE STORES

First Place - GRAYSON JOURNAL ENQUIRER, Jeremy Cox Like the overlay. So much depth. Good use of screens for a black and white. A bit of color would have been good. Second Place - MCLEAN COUNTY NEWS, Janice Miller / John Shelton Good subtleties, red is eye-catching. Simple to read, enough info. Third Place - MCLEAN COUNTY NEWS, Janice Miller / John Shelton Kept it simple. What are you going to say about a water heater (hope you appreciate this advertiser)!

Category 4 - FINANCIAL First Place - FLEMINGSBURG GAZETTE, Debbie McCord/Tisha Thomas

Good use of color. Nice offset of info.
Conveys feeling of stoicism.
Second Place - FULTON LEADER, Rita
Mitchell/Al Shannon
Quick message, caught eye, don't have
to do a lot of reading.
Third Place - FLEMINGSBURG
GAZETTE, Debbie McCord/Tisha
Thomas

Stacking of fonts, different sizes, skipped from top to telephone number to logo though. Lots of words.

Category 5 - PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

First Place - FLEMINGSBURG GAZETTE, Debbie McCord/Tisha Thomas

Sharp and simple. Gets your attention. Artwork says it all, good white space. Second Place - MCLEAN COUNTY NEWS, Teresa Revlett/John Shelton Stands out, like the dated look, shows the longevity of company.

Third Place - TIE - FLEMINGSBURG GAZETTE, Debbie McCord/Tisha

fonts, short and simple.
Second Place - MCLEAN COUNTY
NEWS, Teresa Revlett/John Shelton
Item in color, targeting kids. Effective,
full. Like backgrounds.
Third Place - MCLEAN COUNTY
NEWS, Teresa Revlett/John Shelton
Cute title. Graphic is funny. Simple layout.

Category 7 - FURNITURE First Place - FLEMINGSBURG

GAZETTE, Debbie
McCord/Tisha Thomas
Second Place - FLEMINGSBURG GAZETTE,
Debbie McCord/Tisha
Thomas
Third Place - FLEMINGSBURG GAZETTE,
Susan Allison/Tisha
Thomas
Honorable Mention FULTON LEADER, Rita
Mitchell/Al Shannon

Category 8 - REAL ESTATE First Place - FLEMINGS-BURG GAZETTE, Tisha Thomas Good farm photos and use of reverse to keep reading.

reading.
Second Place - FLEMINGSBURG GAZETTE,
Debbie McCord/Tisha
Thomas
Original photo, good use

Third Place - FLEM-INGSBURG GAZETTE, Tisha Thomas

of bold.

Category 9 - CLOTH-ING STORES

space. Pretty busy.

First Place - MCLEAN COUNTY NEWS, Teresa Revlett/John Shelton Simple, good black and white.

Second Place - FULTON LEADER, Rita Mitchell/Al Shannon Good graphic for small ad, 25% of name stands out. Third Place - FULTON LEADER, Rita Mitchell/William Mitchell

Category 10 - MULTIPLE ADVERTISER/"SIG" PAGE First Place - CAMPBELL COUNTY RECORDER, Staff So cute, so simple it's deceptive. Diaper focal point well done.

work. Nice color combination. Third Place - FULTON LEADER, Rita Mitchell/Al Shannon

Second Place - FLEMINGSBURG

GAZETTE, Debbie McCord/Tisha

Thomas

Ads in balls a good idea. Easy page to look at (for no photos and graphics).

Nice set up. Sigs don't detract from art-

Category 11 - CREATIVE USE OF NEWSPAPER First Place - MCLEAN COUNTY

NEWS, Staff
Only entry fitting the criteria.

Category 12 - ENTERTAINMENT/

First Place - FLEMINGSBURG GAZETTE, Tisha Thomas Cool font, nice artwork, easy to read. Simple. Second Place - FULTON LEADER, Rita

Mitchell/Al Shannon
Caught the eye, good use of white

Space.
Third Place - FLEMINGSBURG
GAZETTE, Debbie McCord/Tisha
Thomas

Simple, good use of heavy black with white space. This is effective.

Category 13 - SPECIAL SECTIONS First Place - CAMPBELL COUNTY RECORDER, Staff

Great idea. Cover and content eyecatching. Hard to put down. Articles looked interesting. Like modular ads, ads were interesting, not same font, good creativity.

Second Place - CAMPBELL COUNTY RECORDER, Staff

Layout is easy on eye, not too cluttered. Advertising did good job of making a publisher's dream come true.

Third Place - FULTON LEADER, Rita Mitchell/Al Shannon
Love the cover Good layout simple.

Love the cover. Good layout, simple,



The staff of the Campbell County Recorder won first place in the Weekly Class 1 multiple advertiser/"Sig" page category with this ad. "So cute, so simple it's deceptive," the judges said. "Diaper focal point well done."

Like the fonts and use of white space. Third Place - TIE - FLEMINGSBURG GAZETTE, Debbie McCord/Tisha Thomas

Font large enough for everyone to read, like the top a lot. Color could have been better.

Category 6 - FOOD/DRUG/LIQUOR First Place - FLEMINGSBURG GAZETTE, Debbie McCord/Tisha Thomas

Nice color, border is perfect. Good



The Flemingsburg Gazette won first place with this ad in the professional services category. The Gazette took first in General Excellence among Weekly Class 1 papers.



yet striking. Good depth to photography. Local content, nice use of space in pagination. Ads are different.

Weekly Class 1 automotive category. The judges said: "Good color, nice processed color. A lot of info that's easy to read. Clarity of photos good!"

Category 14 - GROUP PROMO-TIONS

First Place - FULTON LEADER, Rita Mitchell/Al Shannon Good use of space. One of a few times centered copy works. Nice head. Second Place - FULTON LEADER, Rita Mitchell/Al Shannon Like the graphic, easy to see, like the base at bottom of ad.

Category 15 - HOLIDAY GREETING

First Place - FLEMINGSBURG GAZETTE, Debbie McCord/Tisha Thomas

Artist's work draws you into photo. Nice Christmas feeling. Good use of heavy black.

Second Place - GREENUP COUNTY NEWS, Jeremy Cox

Cozy winter feel. Holiday feel, nice color.

Third Place - MCLEAN COUNTY NEWS, Teresa Revlett/John Shelton Like background with other graphics. Nice work for a funeral home. Nice local remembrance and service to community.

Honorable Mention -MCLEAN COUNTY NEWS, Teresa Revlett/John Shelton Graphics are nice, good color. Try leaving logos black,

Category 16 - AGRICUL-TURE/LAWN AND GAR-DEN First Place - FLEMINGS-

BURG GAZETTE, Debbie McCord/Tisha Thomas Great border. Good font to go with it. Background of color, stands out. Second Place - GRAYSON JOURNAL ENQUIRER, Jeremy Cox Right hand graphic with logo simple clean message. Third Place - MCLEAN COUNTY NEWS, Janice Miller/John Shelton Simple clean ad.

Category 17 - DISPLAY ADVERTISING Certificate of Merit -MCLEAN COUNTY NEWS

Category 18 - SPECIAL
PUBLICATIONS
NO ENTRIES

Category 19 - BEST USE OF COLOR First Place - FLEMINGSBURG GAZETTE, Debbie McCord/Tisha Thomas

Lots of different color, around the border keeps you in the ad. Second Place - FLEMINGSBURG GAZETTE, Debbie McCord/Tisha Thomas

Good blend, clean, like the background. Smooth with lots of

Third Place - FLEMINGSBURG GAZETTE, Debbie McCord/Tisha Thomas

Looks like a light is on, pulls you into the ad.

Honorable Mention - FLEMING-BURG GAZETTE, Debbie McCord/Tisha Thomas Mixture of color well done.

Category 20 - BEST AD SERIES First Place - MCLEAN COUNTY NEWS, Janice Miller/John Shelton Nice introduction of employees, good background on photography.

Category 21 - GENERAL MISCELLANEOUS

First Place - MCLEAN COUNTY NEWS, Janice Miller/John Shelton Very cute. Creative. Good font, nice use of photo. Nice border, ads dominates the page. Very nice. Second Place - MCLEAN COUNTY

Second Place - MCLEAN COUNTY NEWS, Janice Miller/John Shelton Great graphic. Draws attention, then brings you into copy. Good use of black

Third Place - FLEMINGSBURG GAZETTE, Debbie McCord/Tisha Thomas

Good 3-sided way with graphic. Good graphic in general.

Category 22 - SPORTING GOODS/ATHLETICS

First Place - MCLEAN COUNTY NEWS, Janice Miller/John Shelton Good border. Clever and it pulls the whole ad together. Second Place - FLEMINGSBURG GAZETTE, Tisha Thomas

Category 23 - SPECIAL EVENTS
First Place - GRAYSON JOURNAL
ENQUIRER, Jeremy Cox
Nice orange screen down the side,
brings out the rest of the ad. Nice use
of starburst.

Second Place - MCLEAN COUNTY NEWS, Teresa Revlett/Janice Miller/John Shelton

Clean and simple cover. Simple message throughout, easy to read. Third Place - MCLEAN COUNTY



The McLean County News won first place among Weekly Class 1 papers in the sporting good/athletics category. The paper won second in General Excellence. NEWS, Teresa Revlett/Janice Miller/John Shelton Clean photo, good cover, layout nice use of white space. Nice photos throughout. Good thinking to make news photos look old.

Category 25 - BEST NEWSPAPER PROMOTION

First Place - MCLEAN COUNTY NEWS, Staff

Clean ad, good use of white space, nice use of matching picture holder with border corners.

Second Place - MCLEAN COUNTY NEWS, Staff

Nice background and good way to display several categories.

Category 1 - DEPARTMENT/

Weekly Class 2

DISCOUNT/JEWELRY STORES
First Place - CADIZ RECORD, Becky
Boggess/Jennifer Wallace
Small but very effective. Black border
sets off well. Simply effective!
Second Place - BEREA CITIZEN, Teresa
Scenters

Artwork in black band effective. Third Place - BEREA CITIZEN, Kristi Johnson

Nice message, art and font.

Category 2 - AUTOMOTIVE

First Place - CADIZ RECORD, Becky Boggess/Jennifer Wallace Easy to read. Interesting use of pastels. Second Place - CITIZEN VOICE & TIMES, Karen Willis/Earline Arvin Good color registration, showing the savings in red star burst is a good touch.

Third Place - SPRINGFIELD SUN. Kim

Third Place - SPRINGFIELD SUN, Kim Hupman

Red really stands out. Very clean for car ad when lots of info is needed.

Category 3 - HARDWARE/ APPLIANCE STORES

First Place - HENRY COUNTY LOCAL, Tiffany Clark Clean, not crowded. Clean graphics. Second Place - CADIZ RECORD, Cindy Mitchell/Jennifer Wallace Clear message.

Third Place - CADIZ RECORD, Becky Boggess/Jennifer Wallace Cute graphics, nice layout.

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Category 4 - FINANCIAL

First Place -TIE - BÉREA CITIZEN, Teresa Scenters

Easy to understand, bold art, offers are attractive.

First Place - TIE - TOMPKINSVILLE NEWS, Sonja Carrow

Nice layout, separation very nice Second Place - SPENCER MAGNET, Debbie Bussell

The offer made me look again, good ad.



Category 5 - PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

First Place - BEREA CITIZEN, Kristi Johnson

Simply stated. Effective use of image. Says it all.

Second Place - CADIZ RECORD, Becky Boggess/Jennifer Wallace Good use of art for business with great

name Third Place - OWENTON NEWS HER-ALD, Carrie Bennett

Nice touch to use person in home in

Honorable Mention - CADIZ

RECORD, Becky Boggess/Jennifer Wallace Funny concept.

Category 6 - FOOD/DRUG/LIQUOR First Place - CLAY CITY TIMES, Lisa

Great layout! Good choice of type face. Love the advertisers logo. Second Place - SPRINGFIELD SUN, Shorty Lassiter/Kim Hupman Dynamic use of art for the holiday.

Easy to read. Third Place - OWENTON NEWS HERALD, Carrie Bennett Great layout for grocery ad. Clean not busy!

Category 7 - FURNITURE First Place - BEREA CITI-ZEN, Teresa Scenters Good use of negative space, eye catching. Second Place - CADIZ RECORD, Becky Boggess/Jennifer Wallace Gets a lot of information across. Beautiful ad, maybe color next time. Third Place - CADIZ RECORD, Becky Boggess/Jennifer Wallace Cluttered and confusing, but eye-catching and a show stopper. Upside down text made me look twice, nice ad

Category 8 - REAL ESTATE First Place - TIE - BEREA CITIZEN, Shane Seals Good use of negative space to cut through the clutter. First Place - TIE - CADIZ RECORD, Cindy Mitchell/Jennifer Wallace Wonderful layout, easy ad to read.

Second Place - TIE - HENRY COUNTY LOCAL, Tiffany Clark Second Place - TIE - CADIZ RECORD, Cindy Mitchell/Jennifer Wallace Third Place - CUMBERLAND COUN-TY NEWS, Billy N. Guffey

Category 9 - CLOTHING STORES First Place - CITIZEN VOICE & TIMES, Karen Willis/Earline Arvin Great use of color, conveys message! Second Place - SPRINGFIELD SUN. Shorty Lassiter/Kim Hupman Artwork makes ad Third Place - CITIZEN VOICE & TIMES, Karen Willis/Earline Arvin

Simple.

SUN, Shorty Lassiter/Kim Hupman

ensures reader participation, color ensures purchase of news paper. The background color was too much!!

Second Place - CITIZEN VOICE & TIMES, Karen Willis/Earline Arvin

Good display for advertisers! Love the use of local kids in art work.

The Springfield Sun won first place in the entertainment/dining category with this ad. NET, Debbie Bussell

Category 11 - CREATIVE USE OF

NEWSPAPER First Place - TIE - CADIZ RECORD,

Vvron Mitchell Just wonderful idea.

First Place - TIE - SPRINGFIELD SUN. Kim Hupman

Clean simple presentation of message. Easy to read. Second Place - TIE - CADIZ RECORD,

Jennifer Wallace Graphic and color say it all for the

message. Second Place - TIE - HENRY COUNTY LOCAL, Tiffany Clark

Nice incentive, good ad. Third Place - TIE - BEREA CITIZEN, Shane Seals

Easy and guick to understand mes-

Third Place - TIE - CADIZ RECORD, Jennifer Wallace

Category 10 - MULTIPLE ADVERTISER/"SIG" PAGE First Place - SPRINGFIELD

Great "Sig" page! Each ad

Third Place - SPENCER MAG-

Nice change for holiday wishes. Good

Category 13 - SPECIAL SECTIONS First Place - CADIZ RECORD, Staff Front cover had everything for a festival. Theme of pigs good job. Easy to read. Good piece. Good advertising percentage, big section!! Second Place - SPRINGFIELD SUN,

HALF COURT SPORTS

BAR & GRILL

(859) 336-3809

FRIDAY, APRIL 20th

r on Ice Cold Draft Beer - 754 Anyth KAROAKE - Fri. & Sot. Nights

grand Opening
Celebration!

\$ 1.00 BEER

Shorty Lassiter/Kim Hupman Front to back cover very original. Good color. Young feel to section. Third Place - SPENCER MAGNET.

Staff

Good service to community. Good use of space in pagination. Easy to keep and endure

Category 14 - GROUP PROMOTIONS

First Place - LARUE COUNTY HER-ALD NEWS, Melissa Nalley/Stephanie Hornback

Good incorporation of color into all ads. Page flows well. Good use of black and white with blue.

Category 15 - HOLIDAY GREETING

Category 12 - ENTER-TAINMENT/ DINING

First Place - SPRING-FIELD SUN, Shorty Lassiter/Kim Hupman Eye-catching with good graphics. Second Place - CUM-BERLAND COUNTY NEWS, Billy N. Guffey Good concept, well executed Third Place - TOMP-KINSVILLE NEWS.

Sonja Carrow Funny. Good message You won't forget it.



This ad won first place in the Weekly Class 2 special events category for the Berea Citizen. The paper finished third in General Excellence among Weekly

ADS

First Place - BEREA CITIZEN, Teresa Scenters

Simple, clean, striking, one color very

Second Place - SPRINGFIELD SUN,

The Record

The Cadiz Record won first for creative use of the

newspaper among Weekly Class 2 papers. The Record took first in General Excellence in its class.

Shorty Lassiter/Kim Hupman

TY NEWS, Bruce Henson

Mitchell/Jennifer Wallace

AND GARDEN

with color.

NEWS, Sonja Carrow

Various boxes flow.

Great color name in a simple way. The

Third Place - CUMBERLAND COUN-

Good use of reverse in shape of tree.

Category 16 - AGRICULTURE/LAWN

First Place - CADIZ RECORD, Cindy

Nice heads. Good background. Good

separation of boxes. Four work togeth-

er well, make tractors sound good.

Might try black and white on bottom

graphic. Could have used some help

Second Place - TOMPKINSVILLE

Neat, clean. Good use of gray scale.

font was great. White dove a plus.

HERALD NEWS, Melissa Nalley/Stephanie Hornback the ad. Third Place - TIE - SPRINGFIELD

SUN, Shorty Lassiter/Kim Hupman

Category 17 - DISPLAY ADVERTISING

COUNTY LOCAL, Staff Good use of reverse. Like elements beside copy. Good margin between columns, easy to read. IZEN, Staff

Really like the artwork on top of categories. Nice display ads. Different borders with good margins keep the page clean.

MAGNET, Susan Collins Like column width. Easy to read. Good head to page. Good separation between ads.

RECORD, Staff Good local content. Tight writing. Like the modular layout. Informative. Lots of info. Stories not too long. Second Place - SPRING-FIELD SUN, Shorty

Third Place - CRITTENDEN PRESS,

how they broke up the team info. Like the band

First Place - CADIZ RECORD, Cindy Mitchell/Jennifer Wallace

into ad. Good mix with black and white. Didn't overdo the purple. Nice background for cars

Second Place - SPRINGFIELD SUN, Kim Hupman

Yellow well done! Perfect background

Third Place - TIE - LARUE COUNTY Good use of pumpkins, brought out

Eye catching. (Like the ad

next to it!!)

First Place - HENRY

Second Place - BEREA CIT-

Third Place - SPENCER

Category 18 - SPECIAL **PUBLICATIONS** First Place - CADIZ

Lassiter/Kim Hupman Section has a local feel. Layout is good, ads are not boring or run together. Money maker. Lots of info, stories and photos

Brian Hunt

So many photos, not much text. Like

Category 19 - BEST USE OF COLOR

Even color. Blends well, draws reader

to bring out other colors. Third Place - CLAY CITY TIMES, Alanna Aldridge/Earline Arvin Bricks are great. Good use of black between bricks. Good process color on

Category 20 - BEST AD SERIES First Place - CADIZ RECORD, Jennifer Wallace

Different artwork, catchy. All are good ads. Titles are good size. Nice space in each. Good connection from one week to the next.

Second Place - SPRINGFIELD SLIN Kim Hupman

All ads are good. Depicts different services for customers. Good use of heavy black and reverse.

Third Place - SPENCER MAGNET, Debbie Bussell

Star business of the month, good idea. Nice background. Good value for \$4.20 a week.

Category 21 - GENERAL MISCELLANEOUS

First Place - CADIZ RECORD, Jennifer Wallace

Nice screen on background. Good head. Not too busy. Second Place - SPRINGFIELD SUN, Shorty Lassiter/Kim Hupman Like stone background. Tab stands out with words.

Third Place - SPRINGFIELD SUN, Shorty Lassiter/Kim Hupman Ad sends relaxing message. Like background.

Category 22 - SPORTING GOODS/ATHLETICS

First Place - SPRINGFIELD SUN, Shorty Lassiter/Kim Hupman Funny, very clever. Photography so bad it makes you wonder what's going on. Gets you to the tube, kept us laughing. Good luck Brady Bunch! Second Place - OWENTON NEWS HERALD, Carrie Bennett/Lisa Hensley Like wildlife photo. Reverse type well done against dark photo.

Third Place - BEREA CITIZEN, Teresa Scenters

Clever idea. Funny, simple. Gets to the point, makes you read the whole idea.

Category 23 - SPECIAL EVENTS First Place - BEREA CITIZEN, Teresa

White space catches the graphic. You want to read this ad. Very simple and eye catching. Second Place - OWENTON NEWS

HERALD, Carrie Bennett Like the content and the graphic. Fonts led you through the ad. Top is eyecatching. Pictures are self explanatory Third Place - OWENTON NEWS HER-ALD, Carrie Bennett Leaning photo leads you to copy. Simple and clean, short and sweet. Is Carrie looking for a job? Honorable Mention - HENRY COUN-TY LOCAL, Tiffany Clark Artwork kept us reading the ad. Lots of info, laid out easy to read.

Category 25 - BEST NEWSPAPER PROMOTION

First Place - OWENTON NEWS HER-ALD, Carrie Bennett Content against background well done. Like the graphic. Nice looking, good use of black and white artwork Second Place - OWENTON NEWS HERALD, Carrie Bennett Good concept, funny, cute. Draws you into the advertising message. Third Place - OWENTON NEWS HER-ALD, Carrie Bennett Head fonts and dimes catch eye. Good

Category 1 - DEPARTMENT/

work!!

use of different size of fonts. Good

DISCOUNT/JEWELRY STORES

First Place - CYNTHIANA DEMO-CRAT, Sabra Oller/Suzie Fryman Nice separation of offers, very attractive ad.

Second Place - WOODFORD SUN, Margie Holbrook/Ann Routt Nice layout, could use some color. Offers nicely presented. Prices are clearly shown, nice to have all that space to use.

Third Place - CYNTHIANA DEMO-CRAT, Sabra Oller/Suzie Fryman Eye-catching, maybe some prices on

Honorable Mention - BENTON TRI-BUNE COURIER, Lori Andrus/Melissa Vinson

Could have used some emphasis on pricing.

Honorable Mention - JESSAMINE

JOURNAL, Peggy Adkins/Sharon Bailey

Needs some color, otherwise nice lay-

Category 2 - AUTOMOTIVE First Place - JESSAMINE JOURNAL, Peggy Adkins/Sharon Bailey Cool graphics, lots of info well presented. Nice color, a little busy. Second Place - BUTLER COUNTY BANNER, Chuck Pagoria Unified theme, interesting color pallet.

ADVOCATE, Lisa Turner Nice layout, would have used real photos of appliances.

Category 4 - FINANCIAL First Place - JESSAMINE JOURNAL, Peggy Adkins/Linda Wiley

> Second Place HARRODSBURG HERALD, Cathy Caton circa 1960 'bankers," bold "community" ad. Like the older photos, great touch. Third Place - BEN-TON TRIBUNE COURIER. Vanessa Feagin Shows me the money. Nice clean benefit. Honorable Mention -ANDERSON NEWS, Rusty Kiser Nice. Honorable Mention - JES-SAMINE JOUR-NAL, Peggy

Category 5 - PRO-FESSIONAL SERVICES First Place - JES-SAMINE JOUR-NAL, Peggy Adkins/Sharon Bailey Nice concept.

Effective message for a difficult business to advertise for. Nice job of a notoriously difficult category. Second Place - CYNTHIANA DEMO-CRAT, Trish Jenkins/Suzie Fryman Clean, elegant friendly. Nice job. Third Place - JESSAMINE JOURNAL, Dave Eldridge Clean, crisp images. Good use of color.

Good layout. Honorable Mention - UNION COUN-

TY ADVOCATE, Lisa Turner Honorable Mention - ANDERSON NEWS, Rusty Kiser

Clearly offers "something I want," benefit tag line, ties in with 9-11-01.

So cool to see these

truck. Nice separation of information. Adkins/Linda Color works even in small images. Wiley Second Place - UNION COUNTY Simple. ADVOCATE, Lisa Turner Good message to a specific audience. Stands out for originality in its catego-

Linda Wiley

Third Place - IESSAMINE IOURNAL. Peggy Adkins/Dave Eldridge Great offer, clean ad in a cluttered category. Nice clean message and layout. Honorable Mention - BUTLER COUN-TY BANNER, Chuck Pagoria

Category 9 - CLOTHING STORES First Place - BENTON TRIBUNE COURIER, Lori Andrus/Melissa Vinson

Nice layout, good copy flow around photo. Nice font. Strong photo, good "usefulness." A little busy but nice. Second Place - BENTON TRIBUNE COURIER, Lori Andrus/Melissa Romantic photo, artsy type, looks upscale. Third Place - MT. STERLING ADVO-CATE, Jo Ann Halsey Big bold offer.

Category 6 - FOOD/DRUG/LIQUOR First Place - CYNTHIANA DEMO-CRAT, Trish Jenkins/Suzie Fryman Great layup, or should I say layout. Nice color. Second Place - UNION COUNTY ADVOCATE, Lisa Turner Could have used color otherwise nice

Third Place - ANDERSON NEWS, Rusty Kiser Clean and simple "national band" goes

Category 7 - FURNITURE

ADVOCATE, Jo Ann Halsey

Category 8 - REAL ESTATE

First Place - JESSAMINE JOURNAL,

Good use of "color intensive" double

layout.

local.

First Place - JESSAMINE JOURNAL, Peggy Adkins/Sharon Bailey Full color wins out. Wood background art a nice touch. Nice color. Second Place - JESSAMINE JOURNAL, Peggy Adkins/Sharon Bailey In a weak category, the best presentation of prices. Good bold prices Third Place - ANDERSON NEWS, Rusty Kiser Among the entries this was the only one showing much originality of design, but the content is weak Honorable Mention - MT. STERLING

8th Annual **Anderson County** Burgoo Festival * Exciting Rides Great Food * Lots of fun for the entire family Bracelet Special Thursday Night Only! Ride all rides unlimited 6-10 p.m. \$10 per person September 27-30 American Legion Fairgrounds The Anderson News won first with this ad in the special events category among Weekly Class 3 papers. The News won third place in General Evcellence among its class

Casey's Rides

Category 10 - MULTIPLE ADVERTISER/"SIG" PAGE First Place - CYNTHIANA DEMO-CRAT Staff Good color, lots of advertiser participation. Second Place - CYNTHIANA DEMO-CRAT, Staff Cool idea, "interesting" graphics. Third Place - BENTON TRIBUNE COURIER, Valera Gore/Krystal Stevenson Good community spirit. Honorable Mention - JESSAMINE JOURNAL, Peggy Adkins/Sharon Bailey

Excellence among its class.

Category 11 - CREATIVE USE OF

Good color, nice use of art.

THE NEWSPAPER First Place - ANDERSON NEWS, Don White/Rusty Kiser Good series. All ads together combined for solid use of self promotion with use of humor. Love the series, color and theme Great!! Second Place - HARRODSBURG HER-ALD, Staff Third Place - ANDERSON NEWS,

Rusty Kiser Good informative ad. Nice layout. A

lot of info, well-presented.



A lot of white space, which is good. Maybe a bit more color. Third Place - JESSAMINE JOURNAL, Peggy Adkins/Sharon Bailey Jello jump is creative, good use of color and art. A little busy but nice.

Category 3 - HARDWARE/ **APPLIANCE STORES**

First Place - BUTLER COUNTY BAN-NER, Joe K. Morris Eye catching, straight to a sports fans heart. Wonderful good head with a graphic that "matches" well. Second Place - UNION COUNTY



This bank ad won first place for The Jessamine Journal in the financial category among papers in Weekly Class 3.

Category 12 -ENTERTAINMENT/DINING

First Place - JESSAMINE JOURNAL, Dave Eldridge

Very eye-catching, nice full page. Bold. I get what its all about immediately. Second Place - BENTON TRIBUNE COURIER, Sabrina Grazer/Melissa Vinson

Nice use of art and fonts in black and white.

Third Place - WOODFORD SUN, Margie Holbrook/Ann Routt Good idea to have exhibit in restaurant

Category 13 - SPECIAL SECTIONS First Place - JESSAMINE JOURNAL, Staff

Excellent in size and scope. Print quality is very good. Use of color throughout a plus. Wonderful editorial content, very reader friendly.

Second Place - JESSAMINE JOURNAL, Staff

Excellent reproduction of color. A section that is a keeper, wonderful print quality.

Third Place - JESSAMINE JOURNAL, Staff Great concept. Its a keeper. Honorable Mention -

LEBANON ENTER-PRISE, Staff Honorable Mention - JES-SAMINE JOURNAL, Staff

Category 14 - GROUP PROMOTIONS

First Place - JESSAMINE JOURNAL, Peggy Adkins/Linda Wiley Colorful and busy, but nice

Second Place - CYNTHI-ANA DEMOCRAT, Sabra Oller/Joyce Wilson Third Place - HARRODS-BURG HERALD Cathy Caton

Using booth layout proves informative for the event.

Category 15 - HOLIDAY GREETING ADS

First Place - HARRODS-BURG HERALD, Jackie Larkins

Simple, effective, dramatic. Just awesome!!
Beautiful ad/insert?
Second Place - JESSAMINE JOURNAL,

Peggy Adkins/Sharon Bailey Colorful. Third Place - BENTON TRIBUNE COURIER. Lori Andrus/Melissa

Vinson Honorable Mention - BENTON TRI-BUNE COURIER, Sabrina Grazer/Melissa Vinson Honorable Mention - JESSAMINE

JOURNAL, Peggy Adkins/Sharon Bailey

Category 16 - AGRICULTURE/LAWN AND GARDEN

First Place - JESSAMINE JOURNAL, Peggy Adkins/Linda Wiley Clean presentation of a lot of info. Great use of full price, nice and clean. Second Place - HARRODSBURG HERALD, Cathy Caton

Cute space use.
Third Place - CYNTHIANA DEMOCRAT, Sabra Oller/Suzie Fryman
Honorable Mention - JESSAMINE
JOURNAL, Peggy Adkins/Linda Wiley

Category 17 - CLASSIFIED PAGE/SECTION First Place - ANDERSON NEWS, Rita Adams

Nice full classified section.
Second Place - UNION COUNTY
ADVOCATE, Carrie Hayes
Eight column format is good, flows
nice.

Third Place - JESSAMINE JOURNAL, Linda Wiley

Six column format not bad. Honorable Mention - LEBANON ENTERPRISE, Eva Jo Nugent/Anne Gibbs

Nice flow, maybe smaller class headings?

Category 18 - SPECIAL PUBLICATIONS

Certificate of Merit - BUTLER COUNTY BANNER, Joe K. Morris

Category 19 - BEST USE OF COLOR First Place - JESSAMINE JOURNAL, Peggy Adkins/Sharon Bailey Colors show up beautifully on black background. Grouping on trucks makes it easy to read.

makes it easy to read. Second Place - HARRODSBURG HER-ALD, Jackie Larkins

ALD, Jackie Larkins
Arresting color combination
unexpected at this season.
Simple picture and message
during a troubled year.
Third Place - LEBANON
ENTERPRISE, Mary Anne
Blair/Mary May
Excellent seasonal art, good

Excellent seasonal art, good idea to group banks together.

Category 20 - BEST AD SERIES

First Place - ANDERSON NEWS, Don White/Rusty Kiser

Love the series not only funny but makes you look forward to more. Second Place - MT. STER-LING ADVOCATE, Jo Ann

Halsey Instantly recognizable, local folks for local shops. Third Place - CYNTHIANA DEMOCRAT, Trish Jenkins/Suzie Fryman Instantly recognizable, and

Category 21 - GENERAL MISCELLANEOUS First Place - JESSAMINE JOURNAL, Dave Eldridge Good color, and good message. Nice layout.

Second Place - JESSAMINE

memorable.

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JOURNAL, Peggy Adkins/Sharon Bailey

Clean graphics. Less is more...nice supportive ad.

Third Place - CYNTHIANA DEMO-CRAT, Trish Jenkins/Suzie Fryman Very elegant.

Category 22 - SPORTING GOODS/ATHLETICS

First Place - JESSAMINE JOURNAL, Sharon Bailey

Love that offer. Ad really stands out, makes reader look at ad.

Category 23 - SPECIAL EVENTS

First Place - TIE - JESSAMINE JOUR-NAL, Linda Wiley

A little busy, but nice color. A lot of information, but well presented.
First Place - TIE - ANDERSON NEWS, Rusty Kiser

Second Place - MT. STERLING ADVO-CATE, Jo Ann Halsey

Good use of white space, nice message. Easy to understand and get the message right away.

Third Place - MT. STERLING ADVO-



The Benton Tribune-Courier won first place in the clothing stores category among Weekly Class 3 papers with this ad.

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CATE, Jo Ann Halsey
Good use of space and novelty border.

Category 25 - BEST NEWSPAPER PROMOTION

First Place - ANDERSON NEWS, Staff Clean use of art and fonts, nice look. Second Place - CYNTHIANA DEMO-CRAT, Suzie Fryman

Simple but effective layout and message.

Third Place - OLDHAM ERA, Mary Johnson Good use of photos.

Multi-Weekly

Category 1 - DEPARTMENT/ DISCOUNT/JEWELRY STORES

First Place - KENTUCKY STANDARD, Madeline Downs/Deborah Hutchins Excellent use of color draws eye immediately to it on page. Loose diamonds give it contemporary pizzazz. Second Place - APPALACHIAN NEWS EXPRESS, Tracie Vanderbeck/Mary

Beautiful graphically soul in simplicity. Third Place - SHELBYVILLE SEN-TINEL NEWS, Carlene Miller/Ginny Tatum

Good border, unique appearance.

Category 2 - AUTOMOTIVE

First Place - KENTUCKY STANDARD, Madeline Downs/Deborah Hutchins Well executed. Good use of color and theme.

Second Place - APPALACHIAN NEWS EXPRESS, Pam Kidd/Emma Burchett Good concept. A car ad without cars. Third Place - TIE - KENTUCKY STANDARD, Joan Hardin/Deborah Hutchins

Clean and neat. Copy points made well. Something for everyone; many concepts, well organized. Third Place - TIE - BIG SANDY NEWS, Randy Hale/Tammy Goble Like the photos of employees. Nice touch.

Category 3 - HARDWARE/ APPLIANCE STORES

First Place - MOREHEAD NEWS, Dianna Nipp

Clean, neat, conveyed message well. Second Place - MOREHEAD NEWS, Jeremy Cox Good, simple clear message. Third Place - APPALACHIAN NEWS EXPRESS, Danny Coleman/Emma Burchett

Good use of color. Makes up for busy ad.

Category 4 - FINANCIAL
First Place - KENTUCKY STANDARD,
Madeline Downs/Deborah Hutchins



The Appalachian News-Express won first in best newspaper promotion among multi-weekly papers with this special section devoted to its renovation and expansion.

duction. All the info you need.
Second Place - PULASKI NEWS JOUR-NAL, Stuart Arnold/Lisa Rowell
Clever idea, good color. Like the "smudged" letters.
Third Place - MOREHEAD NEWS,
Staff

Clean and elegant piece. Good repro-

Good, clean ad. Not overcrowded as you see elsewhere.

Category 5 - PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

First Place - KENTUCKY STANDARD, Melinda Campbell/Deborah Hutchins Eye-catching, but doesn't shout. Nice choice of colors and photos. Second Place - SHELBYVILLE SEN-TINEL NEWS, Victoria Schreiner/Angela Richardson Simple yet elegant. Draws eye on page. Nice choice of fonts. Third Place - SHELBYVILLE SEN-TINEL NEWS, Victoria Schreiner Bold art and graphics.

Category 6 - FOOD/DRUG/LIQUOR

First Place - TIE - FLOYD COUNTY TIMES, Willie Conley Shows local employees and specials. Good specials to bring in traffic. First Place - TIE - BIG SANDY NEWS, Randy Hale/Jama Trivett Tough ad for a tough sale. Nice job.

Category 7 - FURNITURE First Place - APPALACHI-AN NEWS EXPRESS, Diana Meade/Terry May. Nice colors, like bedpost coming up above ad. Clean. Second Place - KENTUCKY STANDARD, Rachael Downs/Deborah Hutchins Beautiful colors. Nicely laid out.

out.
Third Place - KENTUCKY
STANDARD, Madeline
Downs/Deborah Hutchins
Eye-popping colors, well
laid out.

Category 8 - REAL ESTATE

First Place - CENTRAL KENTUCKY NEWS JOUR-NAL, Melinda Cox/Becky McCorvey Good graphics, eye appealing pictures.

Second Place - MOREHEAD NEWS, Staff

Good use of black and white sketches and photos.

Third Place - SHELBY-VILLE SEN-TINEL NEWS, Lora North/Bill Campbell

Very comprehensive Home Guide for the market.

Category 9 - CLOTHING STORES First Place - APPALACHIAN NEWS EXPRESS, Wally Jewell Good graphic call to action. Second Place - FLOYD COUNTY TIMES, Willie Conley

Good photo.

Category 10 - MULTIPLE ADVERTISER/"SIG" PAGE

First Place - APPALACHIAN NEWS EXPRESS, Danny Coleman/Mary Dye Good graphics, and design. Good community service.

Second Place - APPALACHIAN NEWS EXPRESS, Staff

Eye-catching use of artwork. Good printing.

Third Place - APPALACHIAN NEWS EXPRESS, Staff

Fascinating originality. Good use of color.

Category 11 - CREATIVE USE OF THE NEWSPAPER

First Place - KENTUCKY STANDARD, Joan Hardin/Deborah Hutchins A class act. The brown was well-chosen, giving it a nostalgic look. Beautiful, absolutely. Second Place - KENTUCKY STAN-

Second Place - KENTUCKY STAN-DARD, Joan Hardin/Deborah Hutchins

Well chosen art, beautifully printed, a great concept. Love the background. Could easily have been first. You beat yourselves!
Third Place - KENTUCKY STAN-

DARD, Laura Calvert-Smith Good colors. Great cause. Maybe a tad busy.

Category 12 - ENTERTAINMENT DINING

First Place - MOREHEAD NEWS, Staff Would get us to the store. Nice use of white space.

Second Place - FLOYD COUNTY TIMES, Becky Crum Good looking food. Nice colors. Third Place - SHELBYVILLE SEN-TINEL NEWS, Lora North/Ginny Tatum



The Shelbyville Sentinel-News won first in the agriculture/lawn and garden category among multi-weekly papers with this ad.

Good art, well put together.

Category 13 - SPECIAL SECTIONS First Place - KENTUCKY STANDARD, Staff

Very comprehensive. Good organization and looks great. Presents positive and attractive view of the county Second Place - KENTUCKY STAN-DARD, Staff

Good creative idea. Well executed. A lot of compilation of material. Good involvement and interest for communi-

ty at holidays. Lot's of color adds to section.

Category 14 - GROUP PRO-MOTIONS

Certificate of Merit - SHEL-BYVILLE SENTINEL NEWS.

Category 15 - HOLIDAY **GREETING ADS**

First Place - SHELBYVILLE SENTINEL NEWS, Victoria Schreiner/Ginny Tatum Great concept. Is true greeting, not only for sales. Second Place - MOREHEAD NEWS, Jeremy Cox Very crisp. Nice graphic. Third Place - FLOYD COUN-TY TIMES, Becky Crum Nicely done. Nice looking.

Category 16 - AGRICUL-TURE/LAWN AND GAR-DEN

First Place - SHELBYVILLE SENTINEL NEWS, Victoria Schreiner/Ginny Tatum Clever. Not what you'd expect for a business of this sort. Simple. Second Place - SHEL-BYVILLE SENTINEL NEWS,

Carlene Miller/Angela Richardson Lot in this ad, but easy to

read. Print is large enough Third Place - SHELBYVILLE SENTINEL NEWS, Carlene Miller/Bill Campbell

Good use of black and white. Easy to

Category 17 - CLASSIFIED PAGE/SECTION

First Place - SHELBYVILLE SENTINEL NEWS, Judy James/Becky Block Bold heading, sets the page off.
Second Place - APPALACHIAN NEWS EXPRESS, Gwen Miller Good headers. Third Place - CENTRAL KENTUCKY

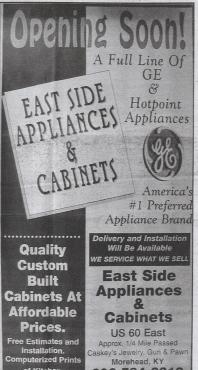
NEWS JOURNAL, Tracy Perkins/Wilma Abell Good use of photos on cover page

Category 18 - SPECIAL **PUBLICATIONS**

First Place - KENTUCKY STANDARD, Staff

Big project, well done. Very complete. Good tie in design with newspaper look retained.

Second Place - KENTUCKY STAN-DARD, Staff



hardware/appliance/electronics stores Nice show book with good advertisers Third Place - CENTRAL KENTUCKY

The Morehead News won first place among multi-weekly papers with this entry in the

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nputerized Prints

of Kitchen.

NEWS JOURNAL, Staff Good localized publication with local ad support. Excellent for locals and

Category 19 - BEST USE OF COLOR First Place - MOREHEAD NEWS, Jeremy Cox

Absolutely fantastic, with subtle use of colors. Photos within leaves. Very

imaginative and clean. Very good printing. Second Place - SHELBYVILLE SEN-TINEL NEWS, Victoria Schreiner/Ginny Tatum Borders, type match colors of uniform. Good photos, community oriented. Good theme ad.

Third Place - SHELBYVILLE SEN-TINEL NEWS, Victoria Schreiner/Bill Campbell

Excellent color, didn't use obvious Christmas colors. Excellent use of color in a small space ad.

Category 20 - BEST AD SERIES

First Place - APPALACHIAN NEWS EXPRESS, Danny Coleman/Tammy

Wonderful idea, executed well. Kid's graphics and colors show up well on

page. Second Place - APPALACHIAN NEWS EXPRESS, Wally Jewell/Emma Burchett

Good photos, well laid out. Not exactly on register on first one. Third Place - APPALACHIAN NEWS EXPRESS, Wally Jewell Stand out colors, like the longhorns.

Category 21 - GENERAL **MISCELLANEOUS**

First Place - APPALACHIAN NEWS EXPRESS, Terry May/Pam Cline Wow! Great idea! Love those hearts. Second Place - MOREHEAD NEWS, Jack McNeely

Sure sells the heck out of your area. Nicely executed. Almost a first. Third Place - TIE - APPALACHIAN NEWS EXPRESS, Scotty Thacker Great ad, super art, tough category. Third Place - TIE - BIG SANDY NEWS, Randy Hale/Tammy Goble

Category 22 - SPORTING GOODS/ATHLETICS

First Place - TIE - APPALACHIAN NEWS EXPRESS, Danny Coleman/Emma Burchett Keep on truckin'! Strong art played well. Good typography. First Place - TIE - BIG SANDY NEWS, Randy Hale Marjie Hale Second Place - APPALACHIAN NEWS EXPRESS, Danny Coleman/Emma Burchett Third Place - KENTUCKY STAN-DARD, Laura Calvert-Smith

We liked the art, we're hooked! Category 23 - SPECIAL EVENTS

First Place - MOREHEAD NEWS, Jeremy Cox Great photo montage. Good looking

ad. Second Place - SHELBYVILLE SEN-TINEL NEWS, Lora North/Ginny Tatum

Simple clean graphics, good use of color. Third Place - MOREHEAD NEWS,

Good graphic, ad concept.

Category 25 - BEST NEWSPAPER PROMOTION

First Place - APPALACHIAN NEWS EXPRESS, Staff

Very comprehensive look at the area and the newspaper's impact on it.
Second Place - APPALACHIAN NEWS EXPRESS, Tammy McCoy Good informational presentation. Third Place - APPALACHIAN NEWS EXPRESS, Danny Coleman/Tammy McCoy

Good seasonal promotion Category 1 - DEPARTMENT/

Daily Class 1

DISCOUNT/JEWELRY STORES First Place - HENDERSON GLEANER. Nancy Hamilton

Nice use of type and color. Eye-catching.

Second Place - MURRAY LEDGER & TIMES, Slone Hutchison Good use of clip, works with copy. Third Place - MADISONVILLE MES-SENGER, Jamie Patterson Use of photos over scroll, loses 3-D effect. Makes me want to visit the store.

Category 2 - AUTOMOTIVE First Place - MURRAY LEDGER &

TIMES, Slone Hutchison Nice use of "less is more." Leaves are a little overwhelming. Second Place - MADISONVILLE MES-

SENGER, Jamie Patterson/Mary Anne

Liked the white space. Clean and organized.

Third Place - HENDERSON GLEAN-ER. Heidi Musser/Dan Fischer Color really pops. Good presswork.

Category 3 - HARDWARE/ **APPLIANCE STORES** First Place - MURRAY LEDGER &

TIMES, Slone Hutchison Love the flowers! Nice clip border,

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good use of color. Second Place - HENDERSON GLEAN-ER, Shannon Royster Makes appliance stand out. Clean and organized. Off the wall graphics Third Place - MURRAY LEDGER & TIMES, Janet Walker Clean, well organized. Black copy gets lost in blue.

Category 4 - FINANCIAL First Place - HENDERSON GLEANER, Nancy Hamilton Great ad campaign. Effective composition. Dynamic. Conveys the message. Second Place - DANVILLE ADVO-CATE MESSENGER, Jerry Dunn/Jenny Upton Nice use of color. Should have been in the "series" category. Good photo

Third Place - HENDERSON GLEAN-ER, Nancy Hamilton Comp work not quite as good as first place winner.

Category 5 - PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

choice.

First Place - DANVILLE ADVOCATE MESSENGER, Karen Ross/Jane Cox Commands your attention. Nice layout, color use and design. It works!!

Second Place - HENDERSON GLEAN- First Place - MURRAY LEDGER & ER, Janet Morgan

Clean, well organized. Somewhat boring. Good use of cleaner and use of screen type.

Third Place - DANVILLE ADVOCATE MESSENGER, Karen Ross/Jane Cox Color makes it pop. Fun, fun, fun. Genius use of magenta on yellow to create red, without registration issues. Honorable Mention - DANVILLE ADVOCATE MESSENGER, Karen Ross/Jenny Upton

Clever ad and copy. Adorable photo.

Category 6 - FOOD/DRUG/LIQUOR First Place - DANVILLE ADVOCATE MESSENGER, Susan Greene/Jenny Upton

To the point, not overbearing. Original. Second Place - HENDERSON GLEAN-ER, Janet Morgan/Ruth A. Risley Clean. Great for black and white. Like

Third Place - DANVILLE ADVOCATE MESSENGER, Susan Greene/Jenny

Nice layout, great color choices.

Category 7 - FURNITURE First Place - MADISONVILLE MES-SENGER, Jamie Patterson/Tim Trice

Simple, yet to the point and very classy. Second Place - HENDERSON GLEANER, Nancy Hamilton/Joey Samples

Good production, clean look. Third Place - HENDERSON GLEANER, Nancy Hamilton/T.J. Pfingston Not your average furniture ad.

Category 8 - REAL ESTATE First Place - HENDERSON GLEANER, Angela Mulherin/Matt Padgett Nice use of Photoshop. Good use of ghosting. Somewhat cluttered.

Second Place - MURRAY LEDGER & TIMES, Janet Walker Color is eye-catching and springy. House address only reduces clutter.

Third Place - DANVILLE ADVOCATE MESSENGER, Robert Cunningham/Jenny Upton

Nice balloons. Celebratory feeling. Color type adds interest to

Category 9 - CLOTHING STORES

TIMES, Janet Walker Unique. Creative. Second Place - DANVILLE ADVO-CATE MESSENGER, Karen Ross/Donna Kissick Cute photo. Clean ad. Third Place - HENDERSON GLEAN-ER, Nancy Hamilton/Ruth Ann Risley Cute tie in with photo and headline. Too busy.

Category 10 - MULTIPLE ADVERTISER/"SIG" PAGE

First Place - DANVILLE ADVOCATE MESSENGER, Staff/Jenny Upton Great use of color and shadowing. Followed theme through. Second Place - MURRAY LEDGER & TIMES, Staff Color and artwork leave good feeling.

Third Place - MURRAY LEDGER & TIMES, Staff Fun!!!

Category 11 - CREATIVE USE OF THE NEWSPAPER

First Place - DANVILLE ADVOCATE MESSENGER, Mike Elliott/Jenny Upton Production good. Second Place - DANVILLE ADVO-CATE MESSENGER, Mike Elliott/Jenny Upton

Nice theme and way to thank readers. Third Place - HENDERSON GLEAN-ER, Staff

Simple and impressive.

Category 12 - ENTERTAINMENT/ DINING

First Place - WINCHESTER SUN. Teresa Mobley/Karen Combs Popped off the page. Nice use of border, fits the theme. Second Place - DANVILLE ADVO-CATE MESSENGER, Robert Cunningham

Would like to see this as a quarter page ad. Would help size issue on script font. Breakout works well. Nice play on gray. Like the signs. Third Place - MADISONVILLE MES-

SENGER, Melanie Revnolds/Tim Trice Different. Good graphics.

Category 13 - SPECIAL SECTIONS First Place - MURRAY LEDGER &

TIMES, Staff Consistent quality. Nice balance of ads

to editorial. Local content in ads. Good use of color.

Second Place - HENDERSON GLEAN-ER, Staff



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The Danville Advocate-Messenger won first place honors for group promotions among Daily Class 1 papers. This and several other awards helped the Advocate-Messenger cap-ture first place in General Excellence in its class.

to go the extra mile In today's hurry-up world, isn't it nice to know there is a bank with people who care enough to take time to take

She doesn't hesitate

bank with people who care enough to take time to care of you? That's Liz Smith — a customer service representative and teller at The Murray Bank.

Over the fourteen years that Liz has been involved in banking in the community, she has learned a lot about the needs of the folks she serves, and she doesn't bestate to go the extra mile to meet those needs. Just like she enjoys taking time to stroll with her "best pal," Mandy, Liz enjoys taking time for her customers.

Liz is just one more reason The Murray Bank is how banking should be!



The Murray Ledger & Times wo The Murray Ledger & Times won first place honors for this entry in the best ad series category among papers in Daily Class 1. The judges said: "Good quality, clean design, good copy writing." good copy writing.

Smaller ad to editorial ratio. Color quality not as good. Consistent good quality of ads. Great content and idea. Third Place - MURRAY LEDGER & TIMES, Staff Not quite the consistency in quality. Modular layout works well. High ad to editorial content.

Honorable Mention - HENDERSON GLEANER, Staff Good design on all ads. Well thought

out layout.

Category 14 - GROUP **PROMOTIONS**

First Place - DANVILLE ADVOCATE MESSENGER, Mike Elliott/Jenny

Graphics complete page. Color photos add to nice layout.
Second Place - MADISONVILLE MES-

SENGER, Cindi Ashby/Mary Anne

Graphics need cleaning.
Third Place - DANVILLE ADVOCATE MESSENGER, Karen Ross/Jenny Upton

Category 15 - HOLIDAY GREETING

First Place - DANVILLE ADVOCATE MESSENGER, Karen Ross/Jane Cox Original idea, cute graphics, good production. Works well, smart work Second Place - HENDERSON GLEAN-ER, Janet Morgan/Ruth Ann Risley Great photo!! Good use of photo and copy. Ad is hard to follow, chopped up. Third Place - DANVILLE ADVOCATE MESSENGER, Mike Elliott/Jenny Upton Nice color. Good self promotion.

Category 16 - AGRICULTURE/LAWN

AND GARDEN

First Place - MADISONVILLE MES-SENGER, Mary Crawford/Tim Trice Outstanding!! Makes you want to work in your yard. Date gets lost. Second Place - MADISONVILLE MES-SENGER, Cindi Ashby/Mary Anne

Beautiful color. Shading and color take you through the ad. Third Place - DANVILLE ADVOCATE

MESSENGER, Robert Cunningham/Jenny Upton Very pretty ad. Attention getting photo. Good color combo.

Category 17 - CLASSIFIED PAGE/SECTION

First Place - WINCHESTER SUN, Missy Tipton Second Place - WINCHESTER SUN, Dolores Willis/Angie Ballard

Category 18 - SPECIAL **PUBLICATIONS**

First Place - MADISONVILLE MES-SENGER, Debbie Littlepage Great presentation. Second Place - DANVILLE ADVO-CATE MESSENGER, Susan Greene

Category 19 - BEST USE OF COLOR First Place - MADISONVILLE MES-SENGER, Jamie Patterson/Mary Anne

Siria Great use of soft color. Grabs attention, gets point across.

Second Place - DANVILLE ADVO-CATE MESSENGER, Karen Ross/Donna Kissick

Shoots fun, everything a fair should be. Third Place - MADISONVILLE MES-SENGER, Cindi Ashby/Mary Anne

Subtle and warm.

Category 20 - BEST AD SERIES First Place - MURRAY LEDGER &

TIMES, Slone Hutchison Excellent campaign. Good quality, clean design, good copy writing. Second Place - WINCHESTER SUN, Carol S. Parker/Terah Shelton Money maker. Good idea. Busy, but blue readers help. Third Place - MADISONVILLE MES-

SENGER, Debbie Littlepage/Mary Anne Siria

Good idea! Stands out, good color choice. Revenue producing?

Category 21 - GENERAL MISCELLANEOUS

First Place - MADISONVILLE MES-SENGER, Jamie Patterson/Mary Anne

Good use of photos. Nice color choices. Second Place - DANVILLE ADVO-CATE MESSENGER, Robert Cunningham/Jenny Upton Nice patriotic theme, good color choic-

es and lavout. Third Place - MADISONVILLE MES-SENGER, Debbie Littlepage/Tim Trice Liked the "spot light" idea. Nice lay-

Category 22 - SPORTING GOODS/ATHLETICS

First Place - MADISONVILLE MES-SENGER, Staff Dynamic cover. Lots of ads, good value to reader. Good layout. Second Place - MADISONVILLE MES-SENGER, Jeff Anderson/Debbie Littlepage Light on advertising.
Third Place - MADISONVILLE MES-

SENGER, Jeff Anderson/Staff Nice use of photos, quality somewhat below the other two

Category 23 - SPECIAL **EVENTS**

First Place - WINCH-ESTER SUN, Staff Nice use of color throughout. Eye catching, nice series, good workmanship and qual-

Second Place -DANVILLE ADVO-CATE MESSENGER. Jerry Dunn/Jenny Upton Good designer at work. Good use of space. Third Place -DANVILLE ADVO-CATE MESSENGER.

Karen Ross/Donna Kissick Colorful and festive.

Category 25 - BEST NEWSPAPER PRO-MOTION

First Place - MADISONVILLE MES-SENGER, Staff Clever idea, cute ads. We plan to copy

your idea. Genius!!! Second Place - MADISONVILLE MES-SENGER, Staff

Nice layout, good use of photos and color.

Third Place - WINCHESTER SUN, Betty Berryman/Terah Shelton Nice color & photo shopping.

Category 1 - DEPARTMENT/ DISCOUNT/IEWELRY STORES

First Place - ELIZABETHTOWN

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NEWS ENTERPRISE, Jennifer Cobb/Melinda Brown

Nice. Keeps your attention from top to bottom. Nice sexy eyes at top of ad made you look at ad verses strong

color on page. Second Place - LOUISVILLE COURIER JOURNAL, Denise Henneman/Juanita

Nice, classy ad. Great color. Simple. Makes the sale.

Independent

The Ashland Daily Independent won first place for holiday greeting ads among papers in Daily Class 2

Third Place - ASHLAND DAILY INDE-PENDENT, Tony Adkins Nice half page black and white layout. Reproduction should have been clear-

Honorable Mention - KENTUCKY NEW ERA, Jimmy Hart/Donna Cumbee

Nice ad, need to update artwork or overlay on great photo.

Category 2 - AUTOMOTIVE First Place - LEXINGTON HERALD LEADER, Kendal Butler Beautiful ad. Clean. Second Place - ELIZABETHTOWN NEWS ENTERPRISE, Portia Oldham/Bill Mathers Very nice ad. Not cluttered.

Third Place - LEXINGTON HERALD LEADER, Kay Wilson Very classy ad

Category 3 - HARDWARE/APPLI-ANCE STORES

First Place - LEXINGTON HERALD LEADER, Rebecca Dixon

Wow! Terrific registration, great use of white space. Cried to be read!! Number one by far!!!

Second Place - ELIZABETHTOWN NEWS ENTERPRISE, Sarah Phelps/Melinda Brown

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Great photo, clear overlay. Simple layout makes every element cohesive. Third Place - BOWLING GREEN DAILY NEWS, Terri Mercer Picked a good photo to display tile. Inset photo doesn't compete. Good lay-

Honorable Mention - BOWLING GREEN DAILY NEWS, Mark Mahagan We have never seen a full page sewing machine ad. Our compliments!! Nice black and white layout.

Category 4 - FINANCIAL

First Place - ELIZABETHTOWN NEWS ENTERPRISE, Jennifer Cobb/Melinda Brown The ad says it all! Great color, layout, message. Definitely number one!! Second Place - ELIZABETHTOWN NEWS ENTERPRISE, Jennifer Cobb/Susan McCrobie Use of spot color brings eye to ad. Excellent layout. Third Place - ELIZABETHTOWN NEWS ENTERPRISE, Martha

Farmer/Sonya Foster Nice use of strong color. Good layout. Easy message must appeal to large audience.

Honorable Mention - BOWLING GREEN DAILY NEWS, Mark Mahagan Strong headline, lots of contrast. Bold and to the point.

Category 5 - PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

First Place - LEXINGTON HERALD LEADER, Kendal Butler Very humorous and eye-catching. Second Place - KENTLICKY NEW ERA, Kristi Harkins/Regina Henderson Nice border, personal. Third Place - ELIZABETHTOWN NEWS ENTERPRISE, Susan McCrobie/Cris Thomas Comical, clever. Honorable Mention - ELIZABETH-TOWN NEWS ENTERPRISE, Sara Phelps/Jamie Kerr Eye-catching, colorful. Honorable Mention - KENTUCKY NEW ERA, Kristi Harkins/Regina Henderson Very serene. Picture says a lot. Clean

Category 6 - FOOD/DRUG/LIQUOR First Place - LEXINGTON HERALD LEADER, Chuck Mullins How much fun can one ad have?! Great layout, makes you laugh. Great use of color.

ad.

Second Place - KENTUCKY NEW ERA, Jimmy Hart/Donna Cumbee Great layout. Background creative, nice registration.

Third Place - OWENSBORO MESSEN-GER INQUIRER, Hope Kuegel/Vickie

Good layout. Right picture too yellow and busy

GER INOUIRER, Hope Kuegel/Vickie Nelson

Very classy looking.

Category 8 - REAL ESTATE First Place - LEXINGTON HERALD LEADER, Teresa Vandermolen Dynamic layout. Large home photos don't compete. Good use of color.

> Second Place - BOWL-ING GREEN DAILY NEWS, Andrea Dennis Good size photos. Clear. Group photo gives sense of "team." Nice display. Great registration. Dynamic layout. Color didn't overwhelm vou.

> Third Place -LOUISVILLE COURIER JOURNAL, Cindy Richards/Sharon Deadwyler Overall message terrific. Has good top of mind awareness. A lot of information in small package. Honorable Mention -JOURNAL, Cindy

Category 9 - CLOTH-ING STORES

Richards/Sharon Deadwyler

First Place - KEN-TUCKY NEW ERA. Kelly Willig/Kelly Austin This is the best ad I have ever seen!!! It has it all. Second Place - KEN-TUCKY NEW ERA, Kelly Willig/Kelly Austin Great use of color. Brave use of color. Nice lay-

out. Great lips!!! Third Place - OWENSBORO MESSEN-GER INQUIRER, Hope Kuegel/Vickie Nelson

Sexy photo says it all! Honorable Mention - BOWLING GREEN DAILY NEWS, Leighann Whitaker

Fun children's writing ad. Honorable Mention - LOUISVILLE COURIER JOURNAL, Katie Hale/Juanita Turpin Great use of six inches

Category 10 - MULTIPLE ADVERTISER/"SIG" PAGE First Place - ELIZABETHTOWN NEWS ENTERPRISE, Betty Nall/Bill

A very good concept, incorporation of younger people. Second Place - ASHLAND DAILY INDEPENDENT, Kellie Gussler A new idea with the "Homecoming" theme. All advertisers are appropriate. Third Place - KENTUCKY NEW ERA, Staff

Good content, good money maker. A little busy but well placed. Honorable Mention - PADUCAH SUN, Staff

Great idea.

Category 11 - CREATIVE USE OF THE NEWSPAPER

First Place - OWENSBORO MESSEN-GER INQUIRER, Barbara Bennett/John Shelton Definitely eye-catching. Second Place - ELIZABETHTOWN NEWS ENTERPRISE, Susan McCrobie/Cris Thomas Good idea. Third Place - ASHLAND DAILY INDE-LOUISVILLE COURIER PENDENT, Angie Lewis Clarifies services, good ad.

Category 12 - ENTERTAINMENT/ DINING

First Place - LOUISVILLE COURIER JOURNAL, Staff Clean, classy, unique, great designer. Second Place - PADUCAH SUN, Teresa Cope/Le Parker Jumps out at reader. Lots of info without clutter. Third Place - ASHLAND DAILY INDE-PENDENT, Angie Lewis Very original, great idea. A little too cluttered with info though Honorable Mention - PADUCAH SUN, Debbie Carter/Amy Chase Well placed info. Good throughout. Honorable Mention - PADUCAH SUN, Johnny Blazing/Amy Chase Jumps out, can't miss. Good artwork A lot of info.

Category 13 - SPECIAL SECTIONS First Place - LOUISVILLE COURIER IOURNAL, Staff Very well laid out. Content and printing, a very nice edition. Second Place - LOUISVILLE COURIER JOURNAL, Kenny Hildenbrand/Darren Hauss An original idea.



8th Grade (1 opening) (1 opening) nt today 270-885-2417

HERITAGE CHRISTIAN ACADEMY 885-2417 n Isn't Expensive, It's "Pri

The Kentucky New Era in Hopkinsville took firstplace honors with this entry in the general/miscellan-eous category among papers in Daily Class 2.

DAILY INDEPENDENT, Mary Goldy Great black and white ad. Ad floats nicely in designated space drawing eye to advertiser.

Category 7 - FURNITURE First Place - LEXINGTON HERALD LEADER, Kay Wilson Neat, organized, put together well. Second Place - LEXINGTON HERALD LEADER, Savannah Hinds Very neat. Third Place - OWENSBORO MESSEN-

Third Place - OWENSBORO MESSEN-GER INQUIRER, Special Publications Department A creative idea. Nice ads.

Honorable Mention - LOUISVILLE COURIER JOURNAL, Staff An excellent publication! Honorable Mention - OWENSBORO MESSENGER INQUIRER, Special Publications Department Top quality. A lot of advertising.

Category 14 - GROUP **PROMOTIONS**

First Place - LEXINGTON HERALD LEADER, Chuck Mullins Color caught our eye when looking at all entries. Ad on back page cinched first place. Nice paper. Second Place - LOUISVILLE COURIER JOURNAL, Patricia Griffin/Sharon Deadwyler Great color/registration!! Not your typical back to school ad. At first glance we didn't connect "Back to the Books with ad." Our suggestion would be to continue orange around to and right side of ad. Third Place - PADUCAH SUN, Patrice Hoffman/Le Parker Nice ads. Subtle and clean. Good photos, but typical piece.

Category 15 - HOLIDAY GREETING ADS

First Place - ASHLAND DAILY INDE-PENDENT, Kellie Gussler Excellent, excellent layout, printing econd Place - ASHLAND DAILY

INDEPENDENT, Cindy Thompson Wonderful idea Third Place - KENTUCKY NEW ERA,

Debbie Mabry/Donna Cumbee Honorable Mention - ELIZABETH-TOWN NEWS ENTERPRISE, Susan McCrobie/Cris Thomas Beautiful artwork.

Category 16 - AGRICULTURE/LAWN AND GARDEN

First Place - LEXINGTON HERALD LEADER, Kay Wilson

Wow!! I have never thought of using a cabbage for background. Color registration excellent. Number one by leaps and bounds.

Second Place - ELIZABETHTOWN NEWS ENTERPRISE, Martha Farmer/Sonya Foster Great, eye-catching art. Nice toe to advertiser's name. Easy to read. Third Place - BOWLING GREEN DAILY NEWS, Andrea Dennis/Terri Mercer

Nice clean black and white ad. Good message. Headline caught our attention. Try to sell color for next year.

Category 17 - CLASSIFIED PAGE/SECTION

First Place - ELIZABETHTOWN NEWS ENTERPRISE, Classified Staff Very strong sections. Great ad, layout, easy to read, large amount of information.

Second Place - LEXINGTON HERALD LEADER, Savannah Hinds Good entertaining section. Must appeal to both genders and all ages Third Place - LEXINGTON HERALD LEADER, Julie Lowe Great covers. Ads don't live up to cover appeal.

Category 18 - SPECIAL **PUBLICATIONS**

First Place - ASHLAND DAILY INDE-PENDENT, Kellie Gussler Cover is dynamic! Ads are extremely creative. Printing is excellent. Our suggestion is to sell it for the "Senior Citizens Market," too. Number one due to seamless move to another sales product. Caught the attention of others judging different categories Second Place - PADUCAH SUN.

Kristal D. Stallion Eye catching cover. Editorial content index on cover creates interest to open and read. Strong ad content. Layout keeps interest. Third Place KENTUCKY NEW ERA, Janet Hall Great introduction to community. Good ad content. Predictable. Honorable Mention -OWENSBORO MESSENGER INQUIRER, Special Publications Department Strong cover. Nice on newsprint. Good message Needs to be inserted.

Category 19 -BEST USE OF

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First Place - LEXINGTON HERALD LEADER, Kay Wilson Our definite favorite ad layout of all ads we have judged today!! Most creative, good layout for an unusual advertisement. Second Place - OWENSBORO MES-SENGER INQUIRER, Kathleen Hensley/John Shelton Great design. Great choice of color. Ties new media into newspaper, giving newspaper its earned foundation. Third Place - OWENSBORO MESSEN-GER INQUIRER, Hope Kuegel/Vickie Great layout! Sharp photos. Balloon photos compliment furniture photos. Very clean, fun to read. Honorable Mention - KENTUCKY NEW ERA, Kelly Willig/Kelly Austin Great use of unusual color.

Category 20 - BEST AD SERIES First Place - ELIZABETHTOWN NEWS ENTERPRISE, Tracy

Levesque/Jamie Kerr Very informative, consistent. Second Place - LEXINGTON HERALD LEADER, Rebecca Dixon Clever!

Third Place - KENTUCKY NEW ERA, Ianet Hall

Nice layout, informative Honorable Mention - BOWLING GREEN DAILY NEWS, Terri Mercer Nice ad, different, clean and eye-catch-

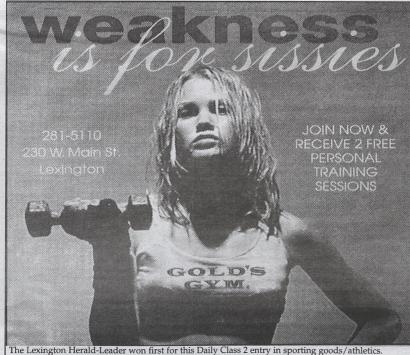
Category 21 - GENERAL MISCELLANEOUS

First Place - KENTUCKY NEW ERA, Jimmy Hart/Donna Cumbee Contrast of single goldfish is great. It stands out, gets point across. Colors are unusual, but work. Good concept. Second Place - KENTUCKY NEW ERA, Jimmy Hart/Donna Cumbee Simple but oh so effective. You didn't load up with unnecessary print, et Third Place - OWENSBORO MESSEN-GER INQUIRER, Vickie Nelson Very good combination of color and black and white. Purple print is very effective. Well thought out.

Category 22 - SPORTING GOODS/ATHLETICS

First Place - LEXINGTON HERALD LEADER, Julie Lowe For a 2x3 the design overpowered other ads in category. Everyone would find this ad appealing. Second Place - OWENSBORO MES-SENGER INQUIRER, Hope

Kuegel/Vickie Nelson



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Great layout, not cluttered but has good contrast. Ad design directs eye to important info. Easy to read. Third Place - ASHLAND DAILY INDE-PENDENT, Kellie Gussler Wow! Nice registration. This ad would definitely bring high readership through all ages.

Category 23 - SPECIAL EVENTS
First Place - ELIZABETHTOWN
NEWS ENTERPRISE, Jennifer
Cobb/Melinda Brown
Very colorful, but doesn't overpower
message. An excellent job.
Second Place - ELIZABETHTOWN
NEWS ENTERPRISE, Portia
Oldham/Bill Mathers
Fun page. Good use of color. Bit busy
at bottom.
Third Place - ELIZABETHTOWN
NEWS ENTERPRISE, Classified Staff

Great idea to color up classified ads.

Good execution. Category 25 - BEST NEWSPAPER PROMOTION First Place - KENTUCKY NEW ERA, Kelly Austin Good promotion for teens. Excellent use of color. Second Place - ELIZABETHTOWN NEWS ENTERPRISE, Michelle McGuffin/Jamie Kerr Good concept leading to promotion payoff. Third Place - OWENSBORO MESSEN-GER INQUIRER, Special Publications Department Excellent layout make this promotion

Best TMC Product

work.

Weekly Division
First Place - CYNTHIANA DEMOCRAT, Staff
Powerful ad presentations, very full of reading and "dreaming of buying" material. Very comprehensive.
Second Place - APPALACHIAN NEWS EXPRESS, Staff
Good color, interesting marriage of ads and editorial.
Third Place - CENTRAL KENTUCKY NEWS JOURNAL, Staff
Loved photos of businesses on back of coupons. Good information, good content for TMC.

Daily Division
First Place - MADISONVILLE MESSENGER, Staff
Great overall look, nice appeal!
Second Place - OWENSBORO MESSENGER INQUIRER, Special
Publication Department
Third Place - PADUCAH SUN, Chris

Associates Division

Lawrence
Category 1 - DEPARTMENT/
DISCOUNT/JEWELRY STORES
First Place - WILLIAMSON DAILY
NEWS, Misty Rife
Excellent use of color, layout balanced.
Second Place - WILLIAMSON DAILY
NEWS, Misty Rife
Creative way to feature Valentine Day
and jewelry. Excellent use of color by
Using % at red to make pink and red.

and jewelry. Excellent use of color by using % at red to make pink and red. Third Place - WILLIAMSON DAILY NEWS, Krista Stanley Good use of space with creative and featured advertiser.

Category 2 - AUTOMOTIVE
First Place - WILLIAMSON DAILY
NEWS, Krista Stanley
Krisp, clean, easy to grasp concept.
Very appropriate for times, red, white and blue.
Second Place - WILLIAMSON DAILY
NEWS, Renee Kessler
Design original, more variation in color. Better organization in layout would have increased points.
Third Place - WILLIAMSON DAILY

NEWS, Renee Kessler Excellent use of white space. Unique spin in reaching a larger customer base with expanded product. Copy or header creative.

Honorable Mention - WILLIAMSON

Honorable Mention - WILLIAMSON DAILY NEWS, Krista Stanley Color used well.

Category 3 - HARDWARE/ APPLIANCE STORES

First Place - WILLIAMSON DAILY
NEWS, Misty Rife
Creative use of space. Copy presented
in a balanced clean format.
Second Place - WILLIAMSON DAILY
NEWS, Misty Rife
Outstanding border, good use of
screens, reverse and font style. Easy to

Third Place - WILLIAMSON DAILY NEWS, Leslie Dotson

Layout style using boxes draws attention. Easy to read, good mixture of fonts.

Category 4 - FINANCIAL First Place - WILLIAMSON DAILY NEWS, Krista Stanley Ad presented well because it was so copy intensive, still easy to read. Terrific border for financial ad. Second Place - WILLIAMSON DAILY NEWS, Krista Stanley Well balanced layout, soothing color production of photos and logo. Blurred hurt overall look of ad. Missing photo makes ad look incomplete. Third Place - WILLIAMSON DAILY NEWS, Misty Rife Photo had trusting feel, \$ border concept good for CPA. Market appeal.

Category 5 - PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

First Place - WILLIAMSON DAILY
NEWS, Leslie Dotson
Graduated screen unique and eyecatching. Use of reverse for location
makes it easy for market base to read.
Second Place - WILLIAMSON DAILY
NEWS, Misty Rife
Marbling and bold font, white space
make ad have reader appeal! Excellent
follow through on information present-

ed.
Third Place - WILLIAMSON DAILY
NEWS, Krista Stanley
Efficient use of advertiser space with
creative concept. More info about
product needed: hours, phone number and address

Category 6 - FOOD/DRUG/LIQUOR First Place - Murray State News, Joanna Conklin

Good screening, use of shapes and reversals picture tied all three products together.

Second Place - WILLIAMSON DAILY

NEWS, Misty Rife

Striped background draws attention. Different star burst add character, photos show inventory, good font. Third Place - WILLIAMSON DAILY NEWS, Leslie Dotson Message stood, didn't get lost in product info. Balanced very well for all info included.

Category 7 - FURNITURE First Place - WILLIAMSON DAILY NEWS, Krista Stanley Event well featured, concept illustrated visually great overall. Could have been color.

Second Place - WILLIAMSON DAILY

NEWS, Krista Stanley Product photos crisp and clear. Creative heading ties on to product well. Third Place - WILLIAMSON DAILY NEWS, Krista Stanley Great idea. Pricing in reverse and font easy to read and illustrates sale well. Good theme, poor production. Needed to be lightened and improved.

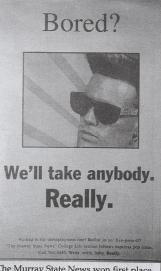
Category 8 - REAL ESTATE
First Place - WILLIAMSON DAILY
NEWS, Krista Stanley
Fantastic theme idea. Concept easily
understood, very reader friendly. Great
quality of pictures, even in black and
white. Good use of space. Easy on the

Second Place - RUSSELL REGISTER, Judy York/Julie Roy Color illustrates slogan and theme well. Good production, quality and

balance. Third Place - RUSSELL REGISTER, Julie Roy

Production good, easy to read, no header, needed concept. Header should have been moved to top for better layout.

Category 9 - CLOTHING STORES First Place - WILLIAMSON DAILY NEWS, Krista Stanley Color and style had good reader appeal. Good show of inventory and



The Murray State News won first place in the best use of the newspaper category among associate member papers.

not overwhelming. Works well for customer and creates desire to shop there. Second Place - WILLIAMSON DAILY NEWS, Misty Rife

Crisp, clean illustrated concept. Ad creates urgency, quick and to the point. Third Place - WILLIAMSON DAILY NEWS, Krista Stanley Displays a lot of info well. Color is a plus and gives reader quick highlights. Top loses appeal, needs different font, border not really appropriate.

Category 10 - MULTIPLE ADVERTISER/"SIG" PAGE First Place - KENTUCKY KERNEL, Staff

Original creative concept.
Second Place - WILLIAMSON DAILY
NEWS, Staff
Excellent advertiser support.
Checkered idea keeps ad in belance.

Checkered idea keeps ad in balance, easy to read. Has reader appeal. Third Place - WILLIAMSON DAILY NEWS, Staff

Background color presents theme well. Each ad presented well. Doesn't run together. Advertisers' product presented well.

Category 11 - CREATIVE USE OF THE NEWSPAPER

First Place - MURRAY STATE NEWS, Ryan Brooks/Laura Deaton/Loree Stark

Funny, eye-catching, creative original idea

Second Place - WILLIAMSON DAILY NEWS, Staff

Great use of color, reader and advertiser appeal. Clean layout.

Third Place - BUTLER COUNTY POST, Josh Keown

Great creative use in small space. Heart warming.

Category 12 - ENTERTAINMENT/ DINING First Place - WILLIAMSON DAILY

NEWS, Krista Stanley
Border illustrates theme effectively in
small space. Reverse works well as
contrast with white space.
Second Place - MURRAY STATE
NEWS, Fall Staff
Attention grabbing. Lacks detail of
product on sale.
Third Place - WILLIAMSON DAILY
NEWS, Krista Stanley
Sells product well in small space. Bold
illustration on phone number. Easy to
read. Customer friendly.

Category 13 - SPECIAL SECTIONS First Place - COLLEGE HEIGHTS HERALD, Staff

Good editorial and ad content. Well balanced. Specific to category. Second Place - KENTUCKY KERNEL, Staff

Good section, however tabloid might have been more reader friendly and have more appeal. Third Place - COLLEGE HEIGHTS

Third Place - COLLEGE HEIGHTS HERALD, Staff

Great advertising support! Cover had attention grabbing appeal. Honorable Mention - WILLIAMSON DAILY NEWS, Staff

Good idea, needs more advertising support.

Category 14 - GROUP PROMOTIONS

First Place - WILLIAMSON DAILY NEWS, Misty Rife Original theme, graphic design very

progressive. Good use of comprehensive store directory. One stop shopping.

Second Place - WILLIAMSON DAILY NEWS, Staff Original use of border creates appeal-

ing concept. Easy to read and reader/advertiser friendly. Advertisers combined well.

Third Place - WILLIAMSON DAILY NEWS, Misty Rife/Krista Stanley Great header font. Vertical and horizontal presentation. Production of logos clean.

Category 15 - HOLIDAY GREETING

ADS
First Place - WILLIAMSON DAILY
NEWS, Leslie Dotson
Great use of black and white with
color. Beautiful illustration.
Second Place - WILLIAMSON DAILY
NEWS, Krista Stanley
Concept, layout and color are terrific.
Production of logo and photos hurt the

Third Place - FARMER'S PRIDE, Susan Tucker

Less is more!! Illustrated idea in a creative stylish form.

Category 16 - AGRICULTURE/LAWN AND GARDEN

First Place - FARMER'S PRIDE, Susan Tucker/Kent Sparks
Color on seal draws consumer to quality of product. Contrast of reverse and white space makes ad easy to read.
Second Place - FARMER'S PRIDE, Kent Sparks/Susan Tucker
Consistent presentation, good use of graphic, reverse and screen. Border is clean and appealing.

Third Place - WILLIAMSON DAILY NEWS, Misty Rife Highlight significant information at top. Easy for advertiser to understand.

Category 17 - CLASSIFIED PAGE/SECTION

First Place - FARMER'S PRIDE, Susan Tucker/Kent Sparks
Layout balance, spacing between lines make ad reader friendly.
Second Place - COLLEGE HEIGHTS
HERALD, Scarlett Blandford
Headers classify and identify product well. Fonts large enough to read line.
Third Place - WILLIAMSON DAILY
NEWS, Paula Hayes
Marble header appealing. House ads displayed good info for advertising in

classified. Columns too close together.

Category 18 - SPECIAL PUBLICATIONS

Certificate Of Merit - FARMER'S PRIDE, Staff

Category 19 - BEST USE OF COLOR First Place - WILLIAMSON DAILY NEWS, Krista Stanley Good photo quality. Bright colors. Second Place - WILLIAMSON DAILY

NEWS, Misty Rife Crisp, clean border. Good contrast of color and white space.

Third Place - WILLIAMSON DAILY NEWS, Leslie Dotson Photos could be brighter, great border.

Category 20 - BEST AD SERIES

First Place - KENTUCKY KERNEL, Amanda Steyn Ads clean, good follow through. Second Place - WILLIAMSON DAILY NEWS, Renee Kessler

Info comprehensive. Pictures appealing. Color would have raised level of appeal.

Third Place - KENTUCKY KERNEL, Amanda Stevn

Appealing to both reader and advertiser. Good concept of game. To improve

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maybe list game information only once, not in every ad.

Category 21 - GENERAL MISCELLANEOUS

First Place - KENTUCKY KERNEL, Amanda Steyn Clever idea, attention getting! Second Place - MURRAY STATE NEWS, Spring Staff Attention grabbing, sign post artwork is great! Third Place - RUSSELL REGISTER, Julie Roy Crisp, clean, good font variation.

Category 22 - SPORTING GOODS/ATHLETICS

First Place - KENTUCKY KERNEL, Amanda Steyn Great use of photo and copy. Reader friendly. Photo grabs attention. Second Place - KENTUCKY KERNEL, Amanda Steyn Photo gets attention. Third Place - WILLIAMSON DAILY NEWS, Staff Great pull-out, production needs work.

Category 23 - SPECIAL EVENTS First Place - WILLIAMSON DAILY NEWS, Staff

Each ad stands out, heading makes it springy. Graphics needed work. Second Place - MURRAY STATE NEWS, Spring Staff Third Place - FARMER'S PRIDE, Susan Tucker/Kent Sparks

Category 25 - BEST NEWSPAPER PROMOTION

First Place - WILLIAMSON DAILY NEWS, Renee Kessler Promotes community involvement. Second Place - WILLIAMSON DAILY NEWS, Renee Kessler Photo says it all. Third Place - WILLIAMSON DAILY NEWS, Sandra Hurley Attention getting.

About the cover

Vertical ad, top to bottom, left, The Danville Advocate-Messenger won first place for professional services in Daily Class 1. Top, left, The Kentucky Standard won first for its history book in the special publications category in the multi-weekly class. Top right, The Cadiz Record won first among Weekly Class 2 papers for its entry in best ad series

Bottom, left, the staff of The Campbell County Recorder took first-place honors in the special section category among Weekly Class 1 papers. This section highlighted the 60th anniversary of World War II. Bottom, right, The Cynthiana Democrat scores a first-place victory with this entry in the food and drug category among Weekly Class 3 papers.

GENERAL EXCELLENCE WINNERS

