

**MASTER LIST
2012 UT/TPA NEWSPAPER CONTEST**

GROUP I

Best Education Reporting

1. The Erwin Record
2. Chester County Independent
3. The Portland Leader
4. Ashland City Times
5. The Bartlett Express

Sports Writing

1. The Portland Leader
2. Ashland City Times
3. Cannon Courier
4. Carroll County News-Leader
5. Herald and Tribune

Best Sports Photograph

1. Ashland City Times
2. The Erwin Record
3. The News Leader
4. The Camden Chronicle
5. Chester County Independent

Make-Up and Appearance

1. The Erwin Record
2. The Bledsonian-Banner
3. The Portland Leader
4. The News Leader
5. Independent Herald

Best Special Issue or Section

1. The Courier News
2. The Tomahawk
3. The News Leader
4. The Portland Leader
5. The Erwin Record

Best Website

1. Independent Herald
2. Ashland City Times
3. The Portland Leader
4. Herald and Tribune
5. Lake County Banner

Community Lifestyles

1. The Erwin Record
2. Herald and Tribune
3. Carroll County News-Leader
4. Independent Herald
5. Chester County Independent

Best Personal Column

1. The Tomahawk
2. Chester County Independent
3. The Tomahawk
4. Independent Herald
5. The Erwin Record

Best Personal Humor Column

1. Carroll County News-Leader
2. The Erwin Record
3. The Milan Mirror-Exchange
4. Chester County Independent
5. The Milan Mirror-Exchange

Local Features

1. The Erwin Record
2. Mt. Juliet News
3. Herald and Tribune
4. The Millington Star
5. The Portland Leader

Best Single Feature

1. Macon County Times
2. The Erwin Record
3. Independent Herald

4. Chester County Independent
5. The Tomahawk

Best Feature Photograph

1. Cannon Courier
2. The Erwin Record
3. The Portland Leader
4. Carroll County News-Leader
5. The Milan Mirror-Exchange

Headline Writing

1. Cannon Courier
2. The Portland Leader
3. The Camden Chronicle
4. The Erwin Record
5. Chester County Independent

Editorials - Meeman winner

1. The Portland Leader
2. Independent Herald
3. Carroll County News-Leader
4. The Milan Mirror-Exchange
5. Chester County Independent

Best Single Editorial - Meeman winner

1. Herald and Tribune
2. Independent Herald
3. Herald and Tribune
4. The News Leader
5. The Portland Leader

Public Service - Meeman winner

1. Chester County Independent
2. The Tomahawk
3. Mt. Juliet News
4. Herald and Tribune
5. The Millington Star

Best Spot News Coverage

1. Herald and Tribune

2. Herald and Tribune
3. The Portland Leader
4. Ashland City Times
5. Mt. Juliet News

Best News Reporting

1. The Milan Mirror-Exchange
2. Independent Herald
3. Mt. Juliet News
4. Ashland City Times
5. The Milan Mirror-Exchange

Best News Photograph

1. The Milan Mirror-Exchange
2. Cannon Courier
3. Independent Herald
4. Lake County Banner
5. Lake County Banner

Investigative Reporting

1. Herald and Tribune
2. The Portland Leader
3. Mt. Juliet News
4. Herald and Tribune
5. The Tomahawk

GROUP II

Best Education Reporting

1. Pulaski Citizen
2. Robertson County Times
3. The Advocate and Democrat
4. Manchester Times
5. Gallatin News Examiner

Sports Writing

1. Pulaski Citizen
2. The Standard Banner
3. The Dickson Herald
4. Independent Appeal
5. Weakley County Press

Best Sports Photograph

1. Carthage Courier
2. The Advocate and Democrat
3. The Dickson Herald
4. The Standard Banner
5. The LaFollette Press

Make-Up and Appearance

1. The Leader
2. The Standard Banner
3. The Courier
4. The Herald-News
5. The Rogersville Review

Best Special Issue or Section

1. Gallatin News Examiner
2. The Standard Banner
3. Manchester Times
4. The Herald-News
5. The Leader

Best Website

1. Manchester Times
2. The Daily News
3. Carthage Courier
4. Memphis Business Journal
5. The Rogersville Review

Community Lifestyles

1. The Leader
2. Carthage Courier
3. Pulaski Citizen
4. Grainger Today
5. The Elk Valley Times

Best Personal Column

1. Gallatin News Examiner
2. The Advocate and Democrat
3. The LaFollette Press

4. The Leader
5. The LaFollette Press

Best Personal Humor Column

1. Grainger Today
2. The Advocate and Democrat
3. Memphis Business Journal
4. The LaFollette Press
5. Hickman County Times

Local Features

1. The Leader
2. Memphis Business Journal
3. The Standard Banner
4. Gallatin News Examiner
5. Grainger Today

Best Single Feature

1. The Daily News
2. The LaFollette Press
3. Gallatin News Examiner
4. The Standard Banner
5. The Courier

Best Feature Photograph

1. Carthage Courier
2. Grainger Today
3. The Rogersville Review
4. Gallatin News Examiner
5. The Standard Banner

Headline Writing

1. The Rogersville Review
2. The Courier
3. Independent Appeal
4. Grainger Today
5. Pulaski Citizen

Editorials - Meeman winner

1. Memphis Business Journal

2. Manchester Times
3. Grainger Today
4. The LaFollette Press
5. The Rogersville Review

Best Single Editorial - Meeman winner

1. Grainger Today
2. Grainger Today
3. Memphis Business Journal
4. Manchester Times
5. The Courier

Public Service - Meeman winner

1. Gallatin News Examiner
2. Hickman County Times
3. Grainger Today
4. The Standard Banner
5. The Rogersville Review

Best Spot News Coverage

1. Manchester Times
2. The Daily News
3. The Standard Banner
4. Pulaski Citizen
5. The Leader

Best News Reporting

1. Gallatin News Examiner
2. Grainger Today
3. The Dickson Herald
4. The Standard Banner
5. Grainger Today

Best News Photograph

1. Robertson County Times
2. The Courier
3. Pulaski Citizen
4. Carthage Courier
5. Manchester Times

Investigative Reporting

1. Gallatin News Examiner
2. Gallatin News Examiner
3. Hickman County Times
4. The Herald-News
5. Grainger Today

GROUP III

Best Education Reporting

1. Union City Daily Messenger
2. Southern Standard
3. The Daily Post-Athenian
4. The Wilson Post
5. The Tullahoma News

Sports Writing

1. The Mountain Press
2. The Newport Plain Talk
3. Union City Daily Messenger
4. Southern Standard
5. The Tullahoma News

Best Sports Photograph

1. The Lebanon Democrat
2. The Mountain Press
3. The Newport Plain Talk
4. The Daily Post-Athenian
5. Shelbyville Times-Gazette

Make-Up and Appearance

1. Shelbyville Times-Gazette
2. Southern Standard
3. The Herald Chronicle
4. The Paris Post-Intelligencer
5. The Wilson Post

Best Special Issue or Section

1. Shelbyville Times-Gazette
2. Union City Daily Messenger
3. Crossville Chronicle

4. The Lebanon Democrat
5. The Newport Plain Talk

Best Website

1. The Wilson Post
2. Shelbyville Times-Gazette
3. Union City Daily Messenger
4. Roane County News
5. Southern Standard

Community Lifestyles

1. The Mountain Press
2. Shelbyville Times-Gazette
3. The Wilson Post
4. The Daily Post-Athenian
5. Southern Standard

Best Personal Column

1. Shelbyville Times-Gazette
2. The Daily Post-Athenian
3. Shelbyville Times-Gazette
4. Roane County News
5. Crossville Chronicle

Best Personal Humor Column

1. Southern Standard
2. The Daily Post-Athenian
3. The Newport Plain Talk
4. Southern Standard
5. Union City Daily Messenger

Local Features

1. The Tullahoma News
2. Shelbyville Times-Gazette
3. The Newport Plain Talk
4. Southern Standard
5. Crossville Chronicle

Best Single Feature

1. Southern Standard

2. The Lebanon Democrat
3. The Herald Chronicle
4. Roane County News
5. The Mountain Press

Best Feature Photograph

1. The Daily Post-Athenian
2. Union City Daily Messenger
3. The Wilson Post
4. Southern Standard
5. Southern Standard

Headline Writing

1. Shelbyville Times-Gazette
2. Union City Daily Messenger
3. The Lebanon Democrat
4. The Wilson Post
5. Southern Standard

Editorials - Meeman winner

1. Southern Standard
2. Shelbyville Times-Gazette
3. The Paris Post-Intelligencer
4. The Daily Post-Athenian
5. The Wilson Post

Best Single Editorial - Meeman winner

1. The Mountain Press
2. The Daily Post-Athenian
3. The Mountain Press
4. Shelbyville Times-Gazette
5. Southern Standard

Public Service - Meeman winner

1. Shelbyville Times-Gazette
2. Southern Standard
3. The Newport Plain Talk
4. The Wilson Post
5. The Lebanon Democrat

Best Spot News Coverage

1. Southern Standard
2. The Mountain Press
3. The Newport Plain Talk
4. Shelbyville Times-Gazette
5. The Tullahoma News

Best News Reporting

1. Southern Standard
2. Shelbyville Times-Gazette
3. The Newport Plain Talk
4. The Lebanon Democrat
5. Union City Daily Messenger

Best News Photograph

1. Roane County News
2. Southern Standard
3. Roane County News
4. The Newport Plain Talk
5. Southern Standard

Investigative Reporting

1. Shelbyville Times-Gazette
2. The Wilson Post
3. no award
4. no award
5. no award

GROUP IV

Best Education Reporting

1. Herald-Citizen
2. The Daily News Journal
3. The Jackson Sun
4. Johnson City Press
5. Cleveland Daily Banner

Sports Writing

1. The Greeneville Sun
2. The Daily Herald
3. The Jackson Sun

4. Johnson City Press
5. Cleveland Daily Banner

Best Sports Photograph

1. Cleveland Daily Banner
2. Elizabethton Star
3. Johnson City Press
4. Herald-Citizen
5. The Leaf-Chronicle

Make-Up and Appearance

1. Johnson City Press
2. The Jackson Sun
3. The Daily Times
4. Bristol Herald Courier
5. The Greeneville Sun

Best Special Issue or Section

1. Cleveland Daily Banner
2. Elizabethton Star
3. The Jackson Sun
4. The Daily News Journal
5. The Leaf-Chronicle

Best Website

1. Elizabethton Star
2. Johnson City Press
3. The Leaf-Chronicle
4. The Daily News Journal
5. The Daily Herald

Community Lifestyles

1. The Leaf-Chronicle
2. The Daily Times
3. Cleveland Daily Banner
4. Citizen Tribune
5. The Daily Herald

Best Personal Column

1. Cleveland Daily Banner

2. The Daily Herald
3. Bristol Herald Courier
4. The Daily Times
5. The Jackson Sun

Best Personal Humor Column

1. The Greeneville Sun
2. The Jackson Sun
3. The Greeneville Sun
4. The Daily Times
5. The Daily Herald

Local Features

1. Cleveland Daily Banner
2. Johnson City Press
3. The Daily News Journal
4. Bristol Herald Courier
5. The Jackson Sun

Best Single Feature

1. Herald-Citizen
2. The Daily Herald
3. Bristol Herald Courier
4. Johnson City Press
5. The Daily Herald

Best Feature Photograph

1. The Daily Times
2. The Leaf-Chronicle
3. Elizabethton Star
4. The Jackson Sun
5. Herald-Citizen

Headline Writing

1. Johnson City Press
2. The Daily Times
3. The Greeneville Sun
4. Bristol Herald Courier
5. The Daily Herald

Editorials - Meeman winner

1. The Leaf-Chronicle
2. The Daily Herald
3. The Jackson Sun
4. Cleveland Daily Banner
5. Elizabethton Star

Best Single Editorial - Meeman winner

1. The Daily Herald
2. The Daily News Journal
3. The Jackson Sun
4. The Daily News Journal
5. The Leaf-Chronicle

Public Service - Meeman winner

1. The Leaf-Chronicle
2. Cleveland Daily Banner
3. The Greeneville Sun
4. The Daily Herald
5. The Daily Times

Best Spot News Coverage

1. Bristol Herald Courier
2. The Jackson Sun
3. The Greeneville Sun
4. The Daily Herald
5. The Jackson Sun

Best News Reporting

1. The Greeneville Sun
2. The Daily Herald
3. Citizen Tribune
4. The Jackson Sun
5. The Daily News Journal

Best News Photograph

1. The Daily Herald
2. The Leaf-Chronicle
3. Bristol Herald Courier
4. The Jackson Sun
5. The Daily Times

Investigative Reporting

1. The Jackson Sun
2. The Daily Times
3. Elizabethton Star
4. The Jackson Sun
5. The Daily News Journal

GROUP V

Best Education Reporting

1. The Tennessean
2. Chattanooga Times Free Press
3. The Commercial Appeal
4. no award
5. no award

Sports Writing

1. The Tennessean
2. The Commercial Appeal
3. Chattanooga Times Free Press
4. News Sentinel
5. no award

Best Sports Photograph

1. Chattanooga Times Free Press
2. The Tennessean
3. News Sentinel
4. Kingsport Times-News
5. Kingsport Times-News

Make-Up and Appearance

1. News Sentinel
2. The Commercial Appeal
3. Chattanooga Times Free Press
4. The Tennessean
5. no award

Best Special Issue or Section

1. The Tennessean

2. Chattanooga Times Free Press
3. News Sentinel
4. The Commercial Appeal
5. no award

Best Website

1. The Tennessean
2. Chattanooga Times Free Press
3. The Commercial Appeal
4. News Sentinel
5. no award

Community Lifestyles

1. The Commercial Appeal
2. The Tennessean
3. News Sentinel
4. Chattanooga Times Free Press
5. no award

Best Personal Column

1. Chattanooga Times Free Press
2. Chattanooga Times Free Press
3. News Sentinel
4. News Sentinel
5. The Tennessean

Best Personal Humor Column

1. The Commercial Appeal
2. The Tennessean
3. The Tennessean
4. Chattanooga Times Free Press
5. Chattanooga Times Free Press

Local Features

1. Chattanooga Times Free Press
2. The Tennessean
3. The Commercial Appeal
4. no award
5. no award

Best Single Feature

1. The Tennessean
2. The Commercial Appeal
3. Chattanooga Times Free Press
4. The Commercial Appeal
5. The Tennessean

Best Feature Photograph

1. The Commercial Appeal
2. Kingsport Times-News
3. The Tennessean
4. The Commercial Appeal
5. Chattanooga Times Free Press

Headline Writing

1. The Commercial Appeal
2. Chattanooga Times Free Press
3. News Sentinel
4. Kingsport Times-News
5. The Tennessean

Editorials - Meeman winner

1. The Tennessean
2. The Commercial Appeal
3. Chattanooga Times Free Press
4. Kingsport Times-News
5. no award

Best Single Editorial - Meeman winner

1. News Sentinel
2. The Tennessean
3. The Commercial Appeal
4. News Sentinel
5. The Commercial Appeal

Public Service - Meeman winner

1. News Sentinel
2. The Tennessean
3. Chattanooga Times Free Press
4. The Commercial Appeal
5. no award

Best Spot News Coverage

1. The Tennessean
2. Chattanooga Times Free Press
3. News Sentinel
4. The Commercial Appeal
5. News Sentinel

Best News Reporting

1. The Tennessean
2. Chattanooga Times Free Press
3. The Commercial Appeal
4. News Sentinel
5. Kingsport Times-News

Best News Photograph

1. Chattanooga Times Free Press
2. Chattanooga Times Free Press
3. News Sentinel
4. The Commercial Appeal
5. The Commercial Appeal

Investigative Reporting

1. The Tennessean
2. The Commercial Appeal
3. News Sentinel
4. The Tennessean
5. News Sentinel

GROUPS I, II AND III

Best Graphics and/or Illustrations

1. The Standard Banner
2. Herald and Tribune
3. Southern Standard
4. Independent Appeal
5. Pulaski Citizen

Promotion of Newspapers

1. Southern Standard

2. Herald and Tribune
3. Shelbyville Times-Gazette
4. Grainger Today
5. Carthage Courier

GROUPS IV AND V

Best Graphics and/or Illustrations

1. News Sentinel
2. Chattanooga Times Free Press
3. The Commercial Appeal
4. The Tennessean
5. The Daily Times

Promotion of Newspapers

1. Chattanooga Times Free Press
2. The Daily Times
3. Elizabethton Star
4. The Daily Herald
5. The Greeneville Sun

DAILIES

Sunday Editions

1. News Sentinel
2. The Commercial Appeal
3. The Tennessean
4. Chattanooga Times Free Press
5. Bristol Herald Courier

GENERAL EXCELLENCE

Group I: Herald and Tribune

Group II: Grainger Today, Gallatin News Examiner (tie)

Group III: Southern Standard

Group IV: The Jackson Sun

Group V: The Tennessean