

**2004 GCPA BETTER NEWSPAPER CONTEST**  
Awards to be announced at Press Institute in Macon on  
Saturday, Feb. 5, 2005.

**INDIVIDUAL AWARDS**

**Impact Award** - sponsored by The Atlanta Journal-Constitution  
Atteka Abdou – Six Mile Post – Floyd College

**Best Column**

**2-Year College Division**

- 3rd Jason Sapp – Six Mile Post – Floyd College
- 2nd Miguel Fuller – The South Georgian – South Georgia College
- 1st Mary Grace Cary – The Stallion – Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College

**4-Year College Division**

- 3rd Jessica Clary – District – Savannah College of Art & Design
- 2nd Mari McGrath – District – Savannah College of Art & Design
- 1st John Coleman – Campus Carrier – Berry College

**Best Review**

**2-Yr. Division**

- 3rd Ashley Morris – Six Mile Post – Floyd College
- 2nd Jack Howland – The Compass – Gainesville College
- 1st Kelsi Thiessen – The Stallion – Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College

**4-Yr. Division**

- 3rd Sarah Weinreich – Campus Carrier – Berry College
- 2nd Brian Shreve – The Colonnade – Georgia College and State University
- 1st Frank Bologna – District – Savannah College of Art & Design

**Best Editorial or Feature Photograph**

**2 Yr. Division**

- 3rd Joanna Selman - Six Mile Post - Floyd College
- 2nd Scott Childs – The Stallion – Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College
- 1st Scott Childs – The Stallion – Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College

**4-Yr. Division**

- 3rd Staff – District – Savannah College of Art & Design
- 2nd Chiaw Pang – District – Savannah College of Art & Design
- 1st Ashley Williamson – Campus Carrier – Berry College

**Best Sports Photograph**

**2-Yr. Division**

- 3rd Larius Johnson - The Stallion – Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College
- 2nd Jack Howland – The Compass – Gainesville College
- 1st Rick Climer – Six Mile Post – Floyd College

#### 4-Yr. Division

- 3rd LaVene Bell – The George-Anne – Georgia Southern University
- 2nd Rick Winters – The Lion’s Roar – Piedmont College
- 1st Brian O’Connor – The George-Anne – Georgia Southern University

#### **Best News Photograph**

##### 2-Yr. Division

- 3rd Shon McCray – The Stallion – Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College
- 2nd Kelly Hester – The Compass – Gainesville College
- 1st Scott Childs – The Stallion – Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College

##### 4-Yr. Division

- 3rd Laura Gorkes – The Campus Carrier – Berry College
- 2nd Richard L. Johnson – The Sentinel – Kennesaw State University
- 1st Rick Winters – The Lion’s Roar – Piedmont College

#### **Best Sports Story**

##### 2-Yr. Division

- 3rd Stephanie McCombs – Six Mile Post – Floyd College
- 2nd Lindy Dugger – Six Mile Post – Floyd College
- 1st Jacob Pomrenke – The Compass – Gainesville College

##### 4-Yr. Division

- 3rd Jeremy Wood – Campus Carrier – Berry College
- 2nd Jenna Kubesch – The Colonnade – Georgia College and State University
- 1st Matt Stubbs – The Spectator – Valdosta State University

#### **Best Entertainment Feature**

##### 2-Yr. Division

- 3rd Brittany Smith – The South Georgian – South Georgia College
- 2nd Jen Guzman and Daniel Shippey – The Stallion – Abraham Baldwin Agricultural Coll.
- 1st Shon McCroy – The Stallion – Abraham Baldwin Agricultural Coll.

##### 4-Yr. Division

- 3rd Staff – The Matrix - Macon State College
- 2nd Jason Kofke – District – Savannah College of Art & Design
- 1st Derek Wallace – The Sentinel – Kennesaw State University

#### **Best Feature Story**

##### 2-Yr. Division

- 3rd Jennifer McLeod – Gordon College Press – Gordon College
- 2nd Michael Maw – The Stallion – Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College
- 1st Bobby Moore – Six Mile Post – Floyd College

##### 4-Yr. Division

- 3rd Alan Clarke – The Maroon Tiger – Morehouse College
- 2nd Bo Shell – The Colonnade – Georgia College and State University
- 1st Amanda Permenter – The George-Anne – Georgia Southern University

#### **Best Editorial or Editorial Series**

##### 2-Yr. Division

- 3rd Mary Grace Cary – The Stallion – Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College
- 2nd Elizabeth Fields – The Compass – Gainesville College
- 1st Michele Hester – The Compass – Gainesville College

4-Yr. Division

- 3rd T. A. Glanton – The Spectator – Valdosta State University
- 2nd Lyle Rubin – The Emory Wheel – Emory University
- 1st Joy Fethe - Campus Carrier – Berry College

**Best News Article Based on Objective Reporting**

2-Yr. Division

- 3rd Sam Chapman – Six Mile Post – Floyd College
- 2nd Bobby Moore – Six Mile Post – Floyd College
- 1st Michele Hester – Compass – Gainesville College

4-Yr. Division

- 3rd Deborah Barnes – Matrix – Macon State College
- 2nd Ryan Cole – The District – Savannah College of Art & Design
- 1st Amy Smith – Campus Carrier – Berry College

**Best News Article Based on Interpretive or Investigative Reporting**

2-Yr. Division

- 3rd J. D. Sumner – The Stallion – Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College
- 2nd Lindy Dugger – Six Mile Post – Floyd College
- 1st Blake Duncan – The Compass – Gainesville College

4-Yr. Division

- 3rd Richard L. Johnson – The Sentinel – Kennesaw State University
- 2nd April Reed – The Colonnade – Georgia College & State University
- 1st Deborah Barnes and Hannah Marney – The Matrix – Macon State College

**Best Newspaper Website**

4-Yr. Division

- 3rd Six Mile Post – Floyd College
- 2nd The South Georgian – South Georgia College
- 1st District – Savannah College of Art & Design

**Improvement Award**

2-Yr. Division

- 3rd No Winner
- 2nd Six Mile Post – Floyd College
- 1st The Stallion – Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College

4-Yr. Division B

- 3rd District – Savannah College of Art & Design
- 2nd Campus Carrier – Berry College
- 1st The Profile – Agnes Scott College

4-Yr. Division A

- 3rd The Technique – Georgia Institute of Technology
- 2nd The Spectator – Valdosta State University
- 1st The Sentinel – Kennesaw State University

### **General Photography Excellence**

#### **2-Yr. Division**

- 3rd Six Mile Post - Floyd College
- 2nd The Stallion – Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College
- 1st The Compass – Gainesville College

#### **4-Yr. Division B**

- 3rd The District – Savannah College of Art & Design
- 2nd The Colonnade – Georgia College and State University
- 1st Campus Carrier – Berry College

#### **4-Yr. Division A**

- 3rd The George-Anne – Georgia Southern University
- 2nd The Spectator – Valdosta State University
- 1st The Technique – Georgia Institute of Technology

### **General Advertising Excellence**

#### **2-Yr. Division**

- 3rd The Stallion – Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College
- 2nd Six Mile Post – Floyd College
- 1st The South Georgian – South Georgia College

#### **4-Yr. Division B**

- 3rd District – Savannah College of Art and Design
- 2nd Campus Carrier – Berry College
- 1st The Colonnade – Georgia College and State University

#### **4-Yr. Division A**

- 3rd The Spectator – Valdosta State University
- 2nd The George-Anne – Georgia Southern University
- 1st The West Georgian – State University of West Georgia

### **Layout and Design Excellence**

#### **2-Yr. Division**

- 3rd The Compass – Gainesville College
- 2nd The Stallion - Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College
- 1st The South Georgian – South Georgia College

#### **4-Yr. Division B**

- 3rd The Colonnade – Georgia College and State University
- 2nd The Lion’s Roar – Piedmont College
- 1st Campus Carrier – Berry College

#### **4-Yr. Division A**

- 3rd The Sentinel – Kennesaw State University
- 2nd The Technique – Georgia Institute of Technology
- 1st The George-Anne - Georgia Southern University

### **Best Campus Community Service - Editorial Excellence**

#### **2-Yr. Division**

- 3rd Six Mile Post - Floyd College
- 2nd The Stallion - Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College
- 1st The South Georgian – South Georgia College

4-Yr. Division B

- 3rd The Matrix – Macon State College
- 2nd Campus Carrier – Berry College
- 1st The Colonnade – Georgia College and State University

4-Yr. Division A

- 3rd The Sentinel – Kennesaw State University
- 2nd The George- Anne – Georgia Southern University
- 1st The Technique – Georgia Institute of Technology

**Best Campus Community Service- Sports**

2-Yr. Division

- 3rd The Stallion - Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College
- 2nd Six Mile Post - Floyd College
- 1st The Compass – Gainesville College

4-yr. Division B

- 3rd The Colonnade – Georgia College and State University
- 2nd Campus Carrier - Berry College
- 1st The Maroon Tiger – Morehouse College

4-yr. Division A

- 3rd The George-Anne – Georgia Southern University
- 2nd The Technique – Georgia Institute of Technology
- 1st The Sentinel – Kennesaw State University

**Best Community Service - Features**

2-Yr. Division

- 3rd Six Mile Post – Floyd College
- 2nd The Compass – Gainesville College
- 1st The South Georgian – South Georgia College

4-Yr. Division B

- 3rd The Colonnade – Georgia College and State University
- 2nd District – Savannah College of Art & Design
- 1st Campus Carrier – Berry College

4-Yr. Division A

- 3rd The Sentinel – Kennesaw State University
- 2nd The George-Anne – Georgia Southern University
- 1st The Technique – Georgia Institute of Technology

**Best Campus Community Service - News**

2-Yr. Division

- 3rd Six Mile Post - Floyd College
- 2nd The Stallion - Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College
- 1st The Compass – Gainesville College

4-Yr. Division B

- 3rd The Alchemist – Brenau University
- 2nd The Colonnade – Georgia College and State University
- 1st Campus Carrier – Berry College

4-Yr. Division A

- 3rd The West Georgian – State University of West Georgia
- 2nd The Technique – Georgia Institute of Technology
- 1st The Emory Wheel – Emory University

**GENERAL EXCELLENCE**

2-Yr. Division

- 3rd The Compass – Gainesville College
- 2nd The South Georgian – South Georgia College
- 1st The Stallion - Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College

4-yr. Division B

- 3rd District – Savannah College of Art & Design
- 2nd The Colonnade – Georgia College and State University
- 1st Campus Carrier – Berry College

4-yr. Division A

- 3rd The Sentinel – Kennesaw State University
- 2nd The George-Anne - Georgia Southern University
- 1st The Technique – Georgia Institute of Technology