

2009 SPRING WRITING CONTEST

ADVERTISING

-Schools 175 & Over

1st – Samantha Jones, Sioux Falls Lincoln
2nd – Kayla Hoover, Brandon Valley
3rd – Samantha Jones, Sioux Falls Lincoln

-Schools under 175

None

ARTS REVIEW

-Schools 175 & Over

1st – Ellen Reinecke, Sioux Falls Lincoln
2nd – Zach Dresch, Sioux Falls O’Gorman
3rd – Eran Moore Rea, Sioux Falls Lincoln
HM – Sam Hurly, Sioux Falls Lincoln

-Schools under 175

1st – Chezni Rang, Estelline

CARTOONS

-Schools 175 & Over

1st – Esther Rainbow, Sioux Falls Lincoln
2nd – Breanna Westland, Brandon Valley
3rd – Cassy May, Brookings

-Schools under 175

1st – Travis Hollmann, Estelline
2nd – Jeremy Gorder, Estelline
3rd – Megan Taylor, Estelline

EDITORIALS

-Schools 175 & Over

1st – Michelle Wehbe, Brookings
2nd – Justin Farber, Watertown
3rd – Matt Aadland, Brookings

-Schools under 175

1st – Shannon LaJoie, Estelline
2nd – Elaina Bruna, Estelline
3rd – Jessica Derby, Estelline

FEATURE STORY

-Schools 175 & Over

1st – Megan Pakieser, Mitchell
2nd – Maggie Lawler, Sioux Falls O’Gorman
HM – Eran Moore Rea, Sioux Falls Lincoln

-Schools under 175

1st – Shannon LaJoie, Estelline
2nd – Katlin Ward, Estelline

FRONT PAGE LAYOUT

-Schools 175 & Over

1st – Ellen Reinecke, Sioux Falls Lincoln
2nd – Jessie Lunstra, Brandon Valley
3rd – Becca Anderson, Brookings

-Schools under 175

1st – Jessica Derby, Estelline

GENERAL INTEREST COLUMN/OPINION ARTICLE

-Schools 175 & Over

1st – Michelle Wehbe, Brookings
2nd – Brittany Kranz, Watertown
3rd – Cassy May, Brookings
HM – Eran Moore Rea, Sioux Falls Lincoln

-Schools under 175

1st – Shannon LaJoie, Estelline
2nd – Chris Prosch, Estelline

IN-DEPTH NEWS FEATURE

-Schools 175 & Over

1st – Eran Moore Rea, Sioux Falls Lincoln
2nd – Christina Engeman, Sioux Falls O’Gorman
3rd – Caiti Slattery, Sioux Falls Lincoln

-Schools under 175

None

INFOGRAPHICS

-Schools 175 & Over

1st – Sam Hurly, Sioux Falls Lincoln
2nd – Caiti Slattery, Sioux Falls Lincoln
3rd – Eran Moore Rea, Sioux Falls Lincoln
HM – Jon Vogl, Brookings

-Schools under 175

None

NEWSWRITING

- Schools 175 & Over

1st – Cody Jung, Brookings
2nd – Tanya Kapoor, Sioux Falls O’Gorman
3rd – Sam Hurly, Sioux Falls Lincoln
HM – Heather Johnson, Brandon Valley

-Schools under 175

1st – Elaina Bruna, Estelline
2nd – Shannon LaJoie, Estelline

PHOTO: NON-SCHOOL SUBJECT

-Schools 175 & Over

1st- Heather Johnson, Brandon Valley
2nd – Ellen Reinecke, Sioux Falls Lincoln
3rd – Tessa Richmond, Brandon Valley

-Schools under 175

None

PHOTO: PORTRAITS

-Schools 175 & Over

1st – Lauren Thompson, Sioux Falls Lincoln
2nd – Joe Klien, Sioux Falls O’Gorman
3rd – Kate Lippert, Mitchell
HM – Jessi Lundtra, Brandon Valley

-Schools under 175

None

PHOTO: SCHOOL ACTIVITIES**-Schools 175 & Over**

1st – Kaitlin Christenson, Sioux Falls Lincoln
 2nd – Andy Hiedeman, Watertown
 3rd – Chase Jamison, Mitchell
 HM – Heather Johnson, Brandon Valley

-Schools under 175

None

PHOTO: SPORTS**-Schools 175 & Over**

1st – Patrick Linsenmeyer, Sioux Falls O’Gorman
 2nd – Leah Schilf, Brandon Valley
 3rd – Andrew Dohrman, Brandon Valley
 HM – Lauren Teal, Brandon Valley

-Schools under 175

None

PHOTO: STORY**-Schools 175 & Over**

1st – Staff, Brandon Valley
 2nd – Ellen Reinecke, Sioux Falls Lincoln
 3rd – Sam Konstant, Watertown
 HM – Lauren Thompson, Sioux Falls Lincoln

-Schools under 175

None

SPECIAL EDITION**-Schools 175 & Over**

1st – Caiti Slattery, Sioux Falls Lincoln
 2nd – Lauren Thompson, Sioux Falls Lincoln
 3rd – Caiti Slattery, Sioux Falls Lincoln

-Schools under 175

None

SPORTS COLUMN**-Schools 175 & Over**

1st – Ethan Sawyer, Brandon Valley
 2nd – Joe Meader, Sioux Falls Lincoln
 3rd – Jordan Bakken, Watertown
 HM – Leah Schilf, Brandon Valley

-Schools under 175

None

SPORTS STORY/SPORTS FEATURE**- Schools 175 & Over**

1st – Cassy May, Brookings
 2nd – Corey Korth, Watertown
 3rd – Maddie Essig, Mitchell

-Schools under 175

1st – Austin Donley, Estelline
 HM – Chris Prosch, Estelline

HIGH POINT STUDENTS**Class 1 -Schools 175 & Over**

1st – Ellen Reinecke, Sioux Falls Lincoln
 2nd – Caiti Slattery, Sioux Falls Lincoln
 3rd (Tie) - Heather Johnson, Brandon Valley
 3rd (Tie) - Eran Moore Rea, Sioux Falls Lincoln

HM – Michelle Wehbe, Brookings

HM – Cassy May, Brookings

HM – Lauren Thompson, Sioux Falls Lincoln

Class 2 -Schools under 175

1st – Shannon LaJoie, Estelline

2nd – Elaina Bruna, Estelline

3rd – Jessica Derby - Estelline

WRITING SWEEPSTAKES

The "Writing Sweepstakes" reflects the highest total scores received by combining the points earned in the writing categories.

Class 1 -Schools 175 & Over

1st – Sioux Falls Lincoln High School
 Virginia Olson, Advisor

2nd – Brookings High School
 Sharon King, Advisor

3rd – Sioux Falls O’Gorman High School
 Jason VanEngen, Advisor

4th – Watertown High School
 Shanon Manley, Advisor

Class 2 -Schools under 175

1st – Estelline High School
 Kristy McAninch, Advisor

OVERALL SWEEPSTAKES

The "Overall Sweepstakes" reflects excellence and balance throughout all the areas of the Spring Writing Contest competition, including the writing, photography, cartoons, front page layout, and special edition categories.

Class 1 - Schools 175 & Over

1st – Sioux Falls Lincoln High School
 Virginia Olson, Advisor

2nd – Brandon Valley High School
 Deb Rothenberger, Advisor

3rd – Brookings High School
 Sharon King, Advisor

4th – Sioux Falls O’Gorman High School
 Jason VanEngen, Advisor

Class 2 -Schools under 175

1st – Estelline High School
 Kristy McAninch, Advisor