

Print named top CC newspaper in Oregon

Veteran staff receives 14 honors including coveted "General Excellence" award

Fourteen awards were handed to the staff of the *Print* last Friday at the annual Oregon Newspaper Publisher Association's [ONPA] awards conference in Beaverton.

Bringing home the most honors in the newspaper's history, *The Clackamas Print* received first place in the "General Excellence" category—an award that names it the top community college newspaper in the state.

With 16 college newspapers in attendance, the *Print* competed against other two-year school papers, bettering the competition in the highly-respected category.

In the past, Clackamas has not even placed, let alone taken first place in "General Excellence."

With nine staff members returning from a staff that won 11 awards at last year's conference, this group of editors, writers and photographers now has 25 awards among them.

Individually, staff members won 13 separate awards for work submitted from the past school year and last spring term as well.

"Rankin story unfolds in hearing," a news story written by John Thorburn, Karl Katzke and Shelbi Wescott last fall, won first place as the Best News Story.

Angie Daschel took first place in Best Headline writing.

Joel Gunderson, who returned to the staff winter term after going to school in Texas, was named Best Cartoonist.

For a story published last spring on two-sport athletes, Thorburn was given first place in the Best Sports story category.

Second place honors were awarded to the *Print* as well.

The paper's coverage on the "Two Popes Boinking" controversy earned second place honors for Best Special Section—a two-page spread laid out by Megan Oldenstadt in the March 1, Issue 16 paper.

Sarah Welch, former photo editor, earned an award for Best Feature Photo for a picture of Jennifer Rankin from last spring.

In third place or honorable mention, Thorburn won for Best Section for sports from last spring as well as Best Photography.

Chris Lundgren took third as Best Cartoonist giving the *Print* two of the three award recipients in the category.

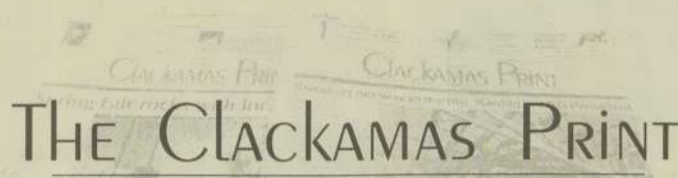
Daschel also took third in both the Best Writing and Best Review categories.

Salena De La Cruz was given an honorable mention as Best Columnist.

In the Best Series category, Sandy Lupo was awarded honorable mention for her ongoing coverage of the "Epstein incident."



Awards



1st Place General Excellence



John Thorburn
Editor-in-Chief



Karl Katzke
Business Manager



Shelbi Wescott
Former Feature Editor

1st Place Best News Story



Sarah Welch
Former Photo Editor



Angie Daschel
A&E Editor



John Thorburn
Editor-in-Chief

2nd Place Best Feature Photo

Honorable Mention Best Writing

Honorable Mention Best Review

Honorable Mention Best Photography

Honorable Mention Best Section

Honorable Mention Best Series (Epstein incident series)



Sandy Lupo
Copy Editor



Megan Oldenstadt
Managing Editor



Chris Lundgren
Cartoonist

Honorable Mention Best Special Section (Two Popes Boinking)

Honorable Mention Best Cartooning

Honorable Mention Best Columnist

1st Place Best Headline Writing



Angie Daschel
A&E Editor

Block-rockin', hip hoppin', one-stop shoppin' bic of ENTERTAINMENT GUIDE

Vocal Jazz Night simmers with smooth tunes

More Bond, babes, bombs in The World is Not Enough

YOUNG AT ART

1st Place Best Sports Story



John Thorburn
Editor-in-Chief

1st Place Best Cartooning



Joel D. Gunderson
Cartoonist



Salena De La Cruz
Opinion Editor