North Carolina Scholastic Media Association
2017 High School Journalism Awards
Newspaper Division

OVERALL AWARDS

TAR HEEL AWARDS

The Northwood Omniscient
Northwood High
Wingspan
West Henderson High
Nighthawk News Magazine
First Flight High
Northwest Horizons
Northwest Guilford High

SMALL SCHOOLS

All North Carolina
Nighthawk News Magazine
First Flight High
Wingspan
West Henderson High

Distinction
The Parrott Post
Arendell Parrott Academy
Sound to Sea
Manteo High
The Pride
Hickory Grove Christian School
The Hawk Eye
Charlotte Latin School
The Dorian Scroll
Mount Tabor High

Honor
The Nevarmore
Ravenscroft School
The Mirror
Clinton High

The Hurricane
Cape Fear Academy

LARGE SCHOOLS

All North Carolina
Northwest Horizons
Northwest Guilford High
The Northwood Omniscient
Northwood High

Distinction
The Eagle
East Mecklenburg High
The Forest Fire
Wake Forest High
Golden Fleece
T.C. Roberson High
The Pirates' Hook
Riverside High
Proconian
Chapel Hill High
Rampant Lines
J.H. Rose High
Zephyr
West Forsyth High

Honor
The Crusader
Cardinal Gibbons High

SECTION AWARDS

SMALL SCHOOLS

Photography

1: Wingspan
West Henderson High
Advertising

1: Nighthawk News Magazine
   First Flight High
2: Wingspan
   West Henderson High
3: The Dorian Scroll
   Mount Tabor High
HM: The Parrott Post
   Arendell Parrott Academy

Features

1: Nighthawk News Magazine
   First Flight High
2: Wingspan
   West Henderson High
3: Sound to Sea
   Manteo High
HM: The Dorian Scroll
   Mount Tabor High

News

1: Nighthawk News Magazine
   First Flight High
2: Wingspan
   West Henderson High
3: The Dorian Scroll
   Mount Tabor High
HM: Sound to Sea
   Manteo High
HM: The Hurricane
   Cape Fear Academy

Sports

1: Wingspan
   West Henderson High
2: Nighthawk News Magazine
   First Flight High
3: The Dorian Scroll
   Mount Tabor High
HM: The Hurricane
   Cape Fear Academy

LARGE SCHOOLS

Editorial

1: Nighthawk News Magazine
   First Flight High
2: The Dorian Scroll
   Mount Tabor High
3: Wingspan
   West Henderson High

Photography

1: Northwest Horizons
   Northwest Guilford High
2: The Northwood Omniscient
   Northwood High
3: Golden Fleece
   T.C. Roberson High
The Forest Fire
Wake Forest High
Zephyr
West Forsyth High

Advertising

1: The Northwood Omniscient
Northwood High
2: The Forest Fire
Wake Forest High
3: Rampant Lines
J.H. Rose High
Golden Fleece
T.C. Roberson High
The Eagle
East Mecklenburg High

Graphics

1: The Northwood Omniscient
Northwood High
2: Northwest Horizons
Northwest Guilford High

Design

1: The Eagle
East Mecklenburg High
2: Northwest Horizons
Northwest Guilford High
3: Golden Fleece
T.C. Roberson High
Zephyr
West Forsyth High
The Northwood Omniscient
Northwood High

Editorial

1: The Forest Fire
Wake Forest High
2: The Northwood Omniscient
Northwood High
3: Golden Fleece

Features

1: The Northwood Omniscient
Northwood High
2: Golden Fleece
T.C. Roberson High
3: Northwest Horizons
Northwest Guilford High
The Forest Fire
Wake Forest High
The Eagle
East Mecklenburg High

News

1: Proconian
Chapel Hill High
2: Rampant Lines
J.H. Rose High
3: The Forest Fire
Wake Forest High
Golden Fleece
T.C. Roberson High
Zephyr
West Forsyth High

Sports

1: The Forest Fire
Wake Forest High
2: Northwest Horizons
Northwest Guilford High
3: The Northwood Omniscient
Northwood High
Proconian
Chapel Hill High
Golden Fleece
T.C. Roberson High
INDIVIDUAL AWARDS

SMALL SCHOOLS

News Article

1: Emma Gerden
*The Hawk Eye*
Charlotte Latin School
2: Hannah Ellington
*Nighthawk News Magazine*
First Flight High
3: Samantha Gitlin
*The Hawk Eye*
Charlotte Latin School
**HM:** Emma Hynek
*The Dorian Scroll*
Mount Tabor High
**HM:** Mary Pat Thompson
*Nighthawk News Magazine*
First Flight High

Sports Article

1: Mary Pat Thompson
*Nighthawk News Magazine*
First Flight High
2: Arabella Saunders
*Nighthawk News Magazine*
First Flight High
3: Ellie Perrigo
*The Hawk Eye*
Charlotte Latin School
**HM:** Joshua Conner
*Wingspan*
West Henderson High
**HM:** Alex Rodman
*Nighthawk News Magazine*
First Flight High

Feature Article

1: Arabella Saunders
*Nighthawk News Magazine*
First Flight High

2: Mack Doebler
*Nighthawk News Magazine*
First Flight High
3: Virginia Troutman
*The Hawk Eye*
Charlotte Latin School
**HM:** Bella Bartell and Hannah Anglin
*Sound to Sea*
Manteo High
**HM:** Bartel Van Oostendorp
*Wingspan*
West Henderson High

News Photograph

1: Hannah Ramusevic
*The Nevarmore*
Ravenscroft School

Sports Photograph

1: Christopher Riesenberg
*The Pride*
Hickory Grove Christian School
2: Dea Celaj
*Nighthawk News Magazine*
First Flight High
3: Daniel Peden
*The Dorian Scroll*
Mount Tabor High

Feature Photograph

1: Mara Shook
*Wingspan*
West Henderson High
2: Amy Wrenn
*Nighthawk News Magazine*
First Flight High
3: Christopher Riesenberg
*The Pride*
Hickory Grove Christian School
**HM:** Daniel Peden
*The Dorian Scroll*
Mount Tabor High
**HM:** Emily Beauchamp
The Dorian Scroll  
Mount Tabor High

**Personality Profile**

1: Arabella Saunders  
*Nighthawk News Magazine*  
First Flight High

2: Blair Smith  
*Nighthawk News Magazine*  
First Flight High

3: Arden Riddle  
*The Parrott Post*  
Arendell Parrott Academy

HM: Grace Williams  
*The Parrott Post*  
Arendell Parrott Academy

**Editorial**

1: Sarah Skinner  
*Nighthawk News Magazine*  
First Flight High

2: Sophia Joseph  
*The Pride Online*  
Hickory Grove Christian School

3: Zach Godwin  
*Wingspan*  
West Henderson High

HM: Chiara Evans  
*The Hawk Eye*  
Charlotte Latin School

HM: Katie Gruninger  
*Sound to Sea*  
Manteo High

**Cartoon**

1: Caroline Whiting  
*Wingspan*  
West Henderson High

2: Brett Haensel  
*The Nevarmore*  
Ravenscroft School

3: Staley Hilliard  
*The Nevarmore*  
Ravenscroft School

**Graphic**

1: Sam Shafer  
*The Dorian Scroll*  
Mount Tabor High

2: Collin Huske  
*Wingspan*  
West Henderson High

**Sports Column**

1: Josh Conner  
*Wingspan*  
West Henderson High

**General/ Editorial Column**

1: Mary Pat Thompson  
*Nighthawk News Magazine*  
First Flight High

2: Dhuru Patel and Jackson Whiting  
*Wingspan*  
West Henderson High

3: Brett Haensel  
*The Nevarmore*  
Ravenscroft School

HM: Chloe Futrell  
*Nighthawk News Magazine*  
First Flight High

HM: Morgan Davis  
*The Pride Online*  
Hickory Grove Christian School

**Review**

1: Benjamin Schwarz  
*The Nevarmore*  
Ravenscroft School

2: Stephen Melvin  
*The Parrott Post*  
Arendell Parrott Academy

3: Staley Hilliard  
*The Nevarmore*  
Ravenscroft School
Front Page Design

1: Charlotte Grush
*Wingspan*
West Henderson High
2: Leighann Vinesett
*The Pride*
Hickory Grove Christian School
3: Victoria Blau, Daniel Peden and Casey Quam
*The Dorian Scroll*
Mount Tabor High
HM: Ian Rodeberg
*The Parrott Post*
Arendell Parrott Academy
HM: Hannah Ramusevic
*The Nevarmore*
Ravenscroft School

Inside Page Design

1: Emma Sanchez
*The Dorian Scroll*
Mount Tabor High
2: Emily Treadway
*Wingspan*
West Henderson High

Video/Multimedia

1: Arabella Saunders and Alex Rodman
*Nighthawk News Magazine*
First Flight High
2: Alex Rodman
*Nighthawk News Magazine*
First Flight High
3: Zaria Ziglar
*The Pride Online*
Hickory Grove Christian School

Inside Spread Design

1: Sam Shafer
*The Dorian Scroll*
Mount Tabor High
2: Maria Swords and Garrison Reagan

LARGE SCHOOLS

News Article

1: Star Smith
*The Pirates' Hook*
Riverside High
2: Kris Houston
*Rampant Lines*
J.H. Rose High
3: Gillie Weeks
*Proconian*
Chapel Hill High
HM: Anna Yang
*Northwest Horizons*
Northwest Guilford High

Sports Article

1: Joe Heflin
*The Pirates' Hook*
Riverside High
2: Mollie Brewster
*Golden Fleece*
T.C. Roberson High
3: Montana Murphy
*Northwest Horizons*
Northwest Guilford High
HM: Josh Short
*The Forest Fire*
Wake Forest High
HM: Camille Knecht
*The Forest Fire*
Wake Forest High

Feature Article

1: Tory Scott
*The Northwood Omniscient*
Northwood High
2: Hannah Gail Shepherd
*The Northwood Omniscient*
Northwood High
3: Mairin McGlohon
*Rampant Lines*
J.H. Rose High
HM: Jaden Jules
*The Pirates' Hook*
Riverside High
HM: Jamie Cummings
*Golden Fleece*
T.C. Roberson High

**News Photograph**

1: Lourdes Boriello
*Scratch Post*
West Johnston High
2: Alexis Stephens
*Scratch Post*
West Johnston High

**Sports Photograph**

1: Noah McMillan
*The Pirates' Hook*
Riverside High
2: Makayla Brown
*Scratch Post*
West Johnston High
3: Alexis Stephens
*Scratch Post*
West Johnston High
HM: Noah Pittarelli
*The Forest Fire*
Wake Forest High
HM: Hannah Gail Shepherd
*The Northwood Omniscient*
Northwood High

**Feature Photograph**

1: Maddie Lawson
*Northwest Horizons*
Northwest Guilford High
2: Summer Lanier
*Scratch Post*
West Johnston High
3: Catherine Gray
*Northwest Horizons*
Northwest Guilford High
HM: Elise Palmer
*The Eagle*
East Mecklenburg High
HM: Alexis Stephens
*Scratch Post*
West Johnston High

**Personality Profile**

1: Faith Rickerts and Tai Van Dyke
*Northwest Horizons*
Northwest Guilford High
2: Miracle Okoro
*The Eagle*
East Mecklenburg High
3: Emmanuel Tobe
*The Pirates' Hook*
Riverside High
HM: Andy Fialko
*The Eagle*
East Mecklenburg High
HM: Hanna Wondmagegn
*The Eagle*
East Mecklenburg High

**Editorial**

1: Stephanie Suster
*The Eagle*
East Mecklenburg High
2: Hanna Wondmagegn
*The Eagle*
East Mecklenburg High
3: Jordyn Williams
*Rampant Lines*
J.H. Rose High
HM: Mayla Gilliam
*The Forest Fire*
Wake Forest High
HM: Anna Howell

*Scratch Post*
West Johnston High

**Cartoon**

1: Emilee Bachman
*The Pirates' Hook*
Riverside High
2: Margot Gersing
*The Pirates' Hook*
Riverside High
3: Jennifer Dominguez
*The Pirates' Hook*
Riverside High

**Graphic**

1: Shalini Sharma
*Northwest Horizons*
Northwest Guilford High
2: Ryan Rivera
*Northwest Horizons*
Northwest Guilford High
3: Montana Murphy
*Northwest Horizons*
Northwest Guilford High
HM: Layna Hong
*The Eagle*
East Mecklenburg High

**Sports Column**

1: Ray Starn
*The Pirates' Hook*
Riverside High
2: Emmanuel Tobe
*The Pirates' Hook*
Riverside High
3: Jazmyne Irions
*The Eagle Online*
East Mecklenburg High

**General/ Editorial Column**

1: Pete Villasmiil

**Review**

1: Ricky Cue
*Rampant Lines*
J.H. Rose High
2: Aidan Bennett and Logan James
*Northwest Horizons*
Northwest Guilford High
3: Drew Griffin
*Rampant Lines*
J.H. Rose High
HM: Noor Hannosh
*The Eagle*
East Mecklenburg High
HM: Gillie Weeks and Grace Newton
*Proconian*
Chapel Hill High

**Front Page Design**

1: Willie Yang
*Golden Fleece*
T.C. Roberson High
2: Jessica Kolomichuk
*The Northwood Omniscient*
Northwood High
3: Shalini Sharma
*Northwest Horizons*
Northwest Guilford High
HM: Margot Gersing
*The Pirates' Hook*
Inside Page Design

1: Willie Yang
*Golden Fleece*
T.C. Roberson High

2: Layna Hong
*The Eagle*
East Mecklenburg High

3: Jules Micchia
*The Forest Fire*
Wake Forest High

HM: William Royal
*Northwest Horizons*
Northwest Guilford High

HM: Jay Trull
*Golden Fleece*
T.C. Roberson High

Video/Multimedia

1: Tai Van Dyke
*Northwest Horizons*
Northwest Guilford High

2: Xenna Smith, Nathan Trees and Grace Beddingfield
*GF Online*
T.C. Roberson High

Inside Spread Design

1: Anna James
*The Pirates' Hook*
Riverside High

2: Alexis Marvin
*Northwest Horizons*
Northwest Guilford High

3: Lizzy Glontz
*Zephyr*
West Forsyth High

HM: Allyson Freeman and Colleen Michaels
*The Forest Fire*
Wake Forest High

HM: Tai Gordon
*The Pirates' Hook*
Riverside High