

**North Carolina Scholastic Media Association
2023 High School Journalism Awards
Newspaper Division**

OVERALL AWARDS

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Nighthawk News Magazine

First Flight High

The Rooster

Ronald W. Reagan High

The West Wind

West Brunswick High

All-North Carolina

East Chapel Hill Observer

East Chapel Hill High

The Eagle

East Mecklenburg High

Nighthawk News Magazine

First Flight High

Rampant Lines

J.H. Rose High

The Rooster

Ronald W. Reagan High

The Pirates' Hook

Riverside High

The West Wind

West Brunswick High

Distinction

Category 5

Cape Fear Academy

The Dorian Scroll

Mount Tabor High

Wingspan

West Henderson High

SECTION AWARDS

Photography

1: *Nighthawk News Magazine*

First Flight High

2: *The West Wind*

West Brunswick High

3: *The Rooster*

Ronald W. Reagan High

HM: *The Eagle*

East Mecklenburg High

HM: *The Pirates' Hook*

Riverside High

Advertising

1: *Nighthawk News Magazine*

First Flight High

2: *Wingspan*

West Henderson High

3: *Category 5*

Cape Fear Academy

HM: *The Eagle*

East Mecklenburg High

HM: *The Dorian Scroll*

Mount Tabor High

Graphics

1: *The West Wind*

West Brunswick High

2: *Nighthawk News Magazine*

First Flight High

3: *The Pirates' Hook*

Riverside High

HM: *The Rooster*

Ronald W. Reagan High

HM: *Category 5*

Cape Fear Academy

Design

1: *Nighthawk News Magazine*

First Flight High

2: *The West Wind*

West Brunswick High
3: *The Rooster*
Ronald W. Reagan High
HM: *Rampant Lines*
J.H. Rose High
HM: *The Eagle*
East Mecklenburg High

Editorial

1: *Nighthawk News Magazine*
First Flight High
2: *The Rooster*
Ronald W. Reagan High
3: *Rampant Lines*
J.H. Rose High
HM: *The Eagle*
East Mecklenburg High
HM: *The Dorian Scroll*
Mount Tabor High

Features

1: *The West Wind*
West Brunswick High
2: *Nighthawk News Magazine*
First Flight High
3: *Rampant Lines*
J.H. Rose High
HM: *The Rooster*
Ronald W. Reagan High
HM: *The Pirates' Hook*
Riverside High

News

1: *Nighthawk News Magazine*
First Flight High
2: *East Chapel Hill Observer*
East Chapel Hill High
3: *The Rooster*
Ronald W. Reagan High
HM: *The Pirates' Hook*
Riverside High
HM: *The Eagle*

East Mecklenburg High
Sports

1: *Nighthawk News Magazine*
First Flight High
2: *The Rooster*
Ronald W. Reagan High
3: *The West Wind*
West Brunswick High
HM: *The Eagle*
East Mecklenburg High
HM: *East Chapel Hill Observer*
East Chapel Hill High

Social Media

1: *Rampant Lines*
J.H. Rose High
2: *The Pirates' Hook*
Riverside High
3: *East Chapel Hill Observer*
East Chapel Hill High
HM: *Nighthawk News Magazine*
First Flight High
HM: *The West Wind*
West Brunswick High

INDIVIDUAL AWARDS

News Article

1: Emmy Benton
Nighthawk News Magazine
First Flight High
2: Piper Winton
The Pirates' Hook
Riverside High
3: Anthony Frederick
The Eagle
East Mecklenburg High
HM: Ananya Cox, Reese Weddendorf,
Hammond Cole Sherouse
East Chapel Hill Observer
East Chapel Hill High
HM: Annie Heath

Nighthawk News Magazine
First Flight High

Sports Article

1: Emma Braithwaite and Allie Nigro
Nighthawk News Magazine
First Flight High

2: Nellie Purdy and Piper Winton
The Pirates' Hook
Riverside High

3: Michael Messele
The Eagle
East Mecklenburg High

HM: Emmy Ingalls
Rampant Lines
J.H. Rose High
HM: Emmy Benton
Nighthawk News Magazine
First Flight High

Feature Article

1: Helen Katz
East Chapel Hill Observer
East Chapel Hill High

2: Emily Benton
Nighthawk News Magazine
First Flight High

3: Piper Winton
The Pirates' Hook
Riverside High

HM: Eden Richman and Taliyah Cooper
The Pirates' Hook
Riverside High

HM: Savannah Soraghan
The Dorian Scroll
Mount Tabor High

News Photograph

1: Michael Messele
The Eagle
East Mecklenburg High

2: Tate Gasch

The Pirates' Hook
Riverside High

Sports Photograph

1: Tate Gasch
The Pirates' Hook
Riverside High

2: Taylor Newton
Nighthawk News Magazine
First Flight High

3: Gabriela Castillo
Rampant Lines
J.H. Rose High
HM: Madisyn Praviseth
The Dorian Scroll
Mount Tabor High

Feature Photograph

1: Taylor Newton
Nighthawk News Magazine
First Flight High

2: Marcus Prewitt
The Pirates' Hook
Riverside High

3: Haley Ochoa
The Eagle
East Mecklenburg High

Personality Profile

1: Isaac Janiak Stein
The Pirates' Hook
Riverside High

2: Allie Nigro
Nighthawk News Magazine
First Flight High

3: Kat Gregg
Nighthawk News Magazine
First Flight High

HM: Michael Messele
The Eagle
East Mecklenburg High

HM: Cleo Strauss

The Eagle
East Mecklenburg High

Editorial

1: Hidaya Fatao
The Eagle
East Mecklenburg High

2: Eden Richman
The Pirates' Hook
Riverside High

3: Jack Albritton
Rampant Lines
J.H. Rose High

HM: Dakota Currier
The Eagle
East Mecklenburg High

HM: Staff
Nighthawk News Magazine
First Flight High

Cartoon

1: Dunya Omar
The Pirates' Hook
Riverside High

2: Victor Olivan Riquelme
The Eagle
East Mecklenburg High

3: Sadie Irby
The Pirates' Hook
Riverside High

Graphic

1: Dunya Omar
The Pirates' Hook
Riverside High

2: Ellison Norton
The Eagle
East Mecklenburg High

3: Cleo Strauss and Ellison Norton
The Eagle
East Mecklenburg High

HM: Victor Olivan Riquelme

The Eagle
East Mecklenburg High

HM: Maris McDonald

The Eagle
East Mecklenburg High

Sports Column

1: Isaac Janiak Stein
The Pirates' Hook
Riverside High

2: Logan Parsons
The Eagle
East Mecklenburg High

3: Ethan Heine
The Pirates' Hook
Riverside High

HM: Collin Phillips
The Pirates' Hook
Riverside High

HM: Tobias Rangel
The Pirates' Hook
Riverside High

Entertainment/Feature Column

1: Oliver Parks
Nighthawk News Magazine
First Flight High

2: Bella Sarbora
Nighthawk News Magazine
First Flight High

3: Dakota Currier
The Eagle
East Mecklenburg High

HM: Cleo Strauss
The Eagle
East Mecklenburg High

HM: Reagan Bell
The Eagle
East Mecklenburg High

General/ Editorial Column

1: Emily Benton

Nighthawk News Magazine
First Flight High
2: Maximilian Poku-Kankam
The Eagle
East Mecklenburg High
3: Piper Winton
The Pirates' Hook
Riverside High
HM: Maris McDonald
The Eagle
East Mecklenburg High
HM: Sadie Irby
The Pirates' Hook
Riverside High

Review

1: Tate Gasch
The Pirates' Hook
Riverside High
2: Tyler McLean
The Pirates' Hook
Riverside High
3: Cecelia Batton
Rampant Lines
J.H. Rose High
HM: Ashley Mullis
Wingspan
West Henderson High
HM: Cleo Strauss
The Eagle
East Mecklenburg High

Front Page Design Newspaper

1: Eliza Tucker
The Dorian Scroll
Mount Tabor High
2: Ellison Norton
The Eagle
East Mecklenburg High
3: Haley Ochoa
The Eagle
East Mecklenburg High
HM: Cleo Strauss
The Eagle

East Mecklenburg High

Front Page Design Newsmagazine

1: Taylor Newton
Nighthawk News Magazine
First Flight High
2: Taliyah Cooper
The Pirates' Hook
Riverside High
3: Sadie Irby
The Pirates' Hook
Riverside High

Inside Page Design

1: Ellison Norton
The Eagle
East Mecklenburg High
2: Annie Heath
Nighthawk News Magazine
First Flight High
3: Lana McIlvaine
The Pirates' Hook
Riverside High
HM: Cleo Strauss
The Eagle
East Mecklenburg High
HM: Hidaya Fatao
The Eagle
East Mecklenburg High

Inside Spread Design

1: Savannah Soraghan
The Dorian Scroll
Mount Tabor High
2: Piper Winton
The Pirates' Hook
Riverside High
3: Makena Moore, Eva Jarvis and Reilly
Calvert
The Rooster
Ronald W. Reagan High

HM: Kemorah Ullah
Rampant Lines
J.H. Rose High
HM: Taliyah Cooper
The Pirates' Hook
Riverside High