

## WINNERS 2007 EXCELLENCE IN JOURNALISM CONTEST

### SPECIAL SUPPLEMENT

- (1) Fact Book; Norwich Bulletin; Staff
- (2) 35-years outdoors--Celebrating the writing of Bob Simpson; Norwich Bulletin; Bob Simpson; Dan Goodwin
- (H) A day in the life; Norwich Bulletin; Staff

### COMMUNITY NON-DAILY : ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT

- (1) When I came home; Ridgefield Press; Lois Street
- (2) Sol LeWitt; The Source; Susan Tapley
- (H) Nightingale sings at Hartford Stage; The Sound; Amy J. Barry

### DAILY NEWSPAPER 21,000-50,000 : ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT

- (1) You want what?; Stamford Advocate; Camilla A. Herrera
- (2) The lost Beach Boy; News-Times; Robert Miller
- (H) A dream fulfilled; The Day; Kathleen Edgecomb
- (H) Aretha; Stamford Advocate; Brian Lockhart
- (H) Creepy tales; Norwich Bulletin; Staff

### DAILY NEWSPAPER ABOVE 50,000 : ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT

- (1) All ears on Ives; Republican-American; Brynn Mandel
- (2) Invasion of the Body Snatchers' story goes on and on; Connecticut Post; Joe Meyers
- (H) Bravo! Veteran musicians inspired by beloved maestro; Connecticut Post; Phyllis A.S. Boros
- (H) Gathering of the vibes; Connecticut Post; Ken Dixon
- (H) Prison stories; New Haven Register; Donna Doherty

### DAILY NEWSPAPER BELOW 21,000 : ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT

- (1) Sharing a Haring; Greenwich Time; Barbara A. Heins
- (2) Masters of the macabre; Middletown Press; Cassandra Day

### MAGAZINE : ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT

- (1) The greatest song; Connecticut Magazine; Alan Bisbort
- (2) The superstitious stage; Theatre CT; Debra A. Aleksinas

### REGIONAL NON-DAILY : ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT

- (1) Institute: A fine and private library; The Arts Paper; Kara Arsenault

### WEB : BREAKING NEWS COVERAGE

- (1) Flood emergency; WestportNow.com; Gordon Joseloff; Jennifer Connic
- (2) On I-95, a deadly day; theday.com; Staff
- (H) Fire damage totals \$10M; newhavenindependent.org; Melissa Bailey

### DAILY NEWSPAPER 21,000-50,000 : BUSINESS

- (1) MLN: How things went wrong; Record-Journal; Mary Ellen Godin
- (2) Antares; Stamford Advocate; Peter Hezly

### DAILY NEWSPAPER ABOVE 50,000 : BUSINESS

- (1) A.R.M.ed and dangerous: Payments skyrocket as values decrease; New Haven Register; Cara Baruzzi
- (2) Emotional farewell at Bodine; Connecticut Post; Pam Dawkins
- (H) Knocking down the fences; Connecticut Post; Rob Varnon

### MAGAZINE : BUSINESS

- (1) Untangling Alzheimer's; Connecticut Magazine; Ronald Meshberg
- (2) Becoming a biofuel state; Connecticut Business; Deborah Nason

### REGIONAL NON-DAILY : BUSINESS

- (1) iCare slammed for more violations; Hartford Business Journal; Diane Weaver Dunne
- (2) Tax credit fails to woo video gamers; Hartford Business Journal; Sean O'Leary

### RADIO : COMMENTARY

- (1) Teenage boys; WSHU Public Radio; Jessica Bram

### DAILY NEWSPAPER 21,000-50,000 : EDITORIAL CARTOON

- (1) Rell vs. the legislature; Journal Inquirer; Jeff Vella
- (2) Budget trimming; Record-Journal; Justin Piccirillo
- (H) Barber at work; Record-Journal; Kevin Markowski

### COLLEGE JOURNALISM : EDITORIAL/OP-ED OR OPINION COLUMN

- (1) Not down with OCB; The Mirror--Fairfield University; Editorial Board

(2) A missed opportunity; The Mirror--Fairfield University; Editorial Board

COLLEGE JOURNALISM : FEATURE

(1) As cold persists, options for immigrants are few; The Yale Daily News; Catherine Cheney

(2) Off the air and on the radar; The Yale Globalist; Catherine Cheney

(H) Ex-CEO, alum rebuilds image; The Mirror--Fairfield University; Christina Stoddard

COMMUNITY NON-DAILY : FEATURE

(1) To the lighthouse; Shore Line Times; Robert C. Pollack

(2) From planet to plate; The Source; Susan Tapley

(H) New Canaan resident walks in the path of AIDS in Africa; New Canaan Advertiser; Laura Kenyon

DAILY NEWSPAPER 21,000-50,000 : FEATURE

(1) How a school proved its worth; News-Times; Eileen Fitz Gerald

(2) One of the gang: Special education students adapt to mainstream classroom; Journal Inquirer; Christine McCluskey

(H) Sing sing; Stamford Advocate; Mark Ginocchio

DAILY NEWSPAPER ABOVE 50,000 : FEATURE

(1) Grandmother, gardener, felon; Republican-American; Carrie MacMillan

(2) River life: Peace, pain; Hartford Courant; Christine Dempsey

(H) A world of oysters; Connecticut Post; Michael P. Mayko

DAILY NEWSPAPER BELOW 21,000 : FEATURE

(1) Armed with intelligence; Greenwich Time; Andrew Shaw

(2) Dani Shapiro; Middletown Press; Cassandra Day

MAGAZINE : FEATURE

(1) The last Yankee; Connecticut Magazine; David Holahan

(2) Where the wild things are; Westport Magazine; Christy Colasurdo

RADIO : FEATURE

(1) Stratford cleanup; WSHU Public Radio; Craig Lemoult

(2) Iraq play; WSHU Public Radio; Erik Campano

(H) Coliseum implosion; WSHU Public Radio; Naomi Starobin; Stu Kennedy

REGIONAL NON-DAILY : FEATURE

(1) Family finds healing through forgiveness and remembrance; Justice Journal; Teale Caliendo

(2) From Kent, Chasing Pollock; Litchfield County Times; Kathryn Boughton

(H) Fairfield County duo set standard for cat burglars; Justice Journal; Chandra Niles Folsom

(H) Taylor's a knockout on YouTube; Connecticut Law Tribune; Thomas B. Scheffey

SPECIAL SUPPLEMENT : FEATURE

(1) An eye witness: Martin Schiller's emotional journey; Fairfield County Times; Patricia D'Ascoli

TELEVISION : FEATURE

(1) Pumpkin; News-12 Connecticut; Bob Cook; Robert Goulsten

(2) My name is Wyatt; News-12 Connecticut; Courtney Kane; Frank Bruce

(H) Hangar 17; WFSB; Eric Budney; Len Besthoff

(H) Homeless to hope; News-12 Connecticut; David Springer; Frank Bruce; Heather Holmes

(H) Lobster V-Notch; News 12-Connecticut; Lori Golias; Brandee Gilmore

(H) The first hit; News-12 Connecticut; Kristi Faccenda; Marc Van Schaick

COMMUNITY NON-DAILY : FEATURE PHOTO

(1) Paw-sitive programming; Harbor News; Nancy Dionne

(2) A brisk day for a swim; Southington Observer; Stephen Cieslewski

(H) I AM: Act two; New London Times; Cheryl Albaine

DAILY NEWSPAPER 21,000-50,000 : FEATURE PHOTO

(1) Loudmouth; Journal Inquirer; Irena Pastorello

(2) Bridal breakup; The Day; Tim Martin

(H) Artist; The Day; Tim Cook

(H) Cleansing leap; Record-Journal; Dave Zajac

(H) Crosswords; Stamford Advocate; Chris Prevolos

(H) 'I'm scared and I need help,' dying woman says; Norwich Bulletin; John Shishmanian

(H) Shadow walk; The Day; Tim Cook

(H) Swimming hole; News-Times; David W. Harple

(H) Top of the world; The Day; Tim Cook

DAILY NEWSPAPER ABOVE 50,000 : FEATURE PHOTO

- (1) Big drop; Republican-American; T.J. Kirkpatrick
- (2) Double trouble; New Haven Register; Peter Casolino
- (H) A dance to remember; Connecticut Post; Christian Abraham

DAILY NEWSPAPER BELOW 21,000 : FEATURE PHOTO

- (1) Student research project features octopus in training; Greenwich Time; Robert Luckey Jr.
- (2) Making her pointe; Greenwich Time; Robert Luckey Jr.

MAGAZINE : FEATURE PHOTO

- (1) To the rescue; Westport Magazine; Bruce Plotkin

REGIONAL NON-DAILY : FEATURE PHOTO

- (1) Babi Floyd; Litchfield County Times; Laurie Gaboardi
- (2) Beating the heat; Greater New Milford Spectrum; Norm Cummings

COMMUNITY NON-DAILY : FEATURE--SERIES

- (1) Invasive plants; Town Times; Jundy Moeckel
- (2) Great performances; Valley Courier; Rita Christopher
- (H) Backyard habitat-building; Town Times; Jundy Moeckel

DAILY NEWSPAPER 21,000-50,000 : FEATURE--SERIES

- (1) el barrio; Stamford Advocate; Alexandra Fenwick
- (2) Worlds apart, families together; The Day; Elissa Bass
- (H) Fair faces; Norwich Bulletin; Sharma Howard
- (H) Playback; Stamford Advocate; Andrew Shaw; Brian Lockhart; John Breunig; Lisa Chamoff; Mark Ginocchio; Monica Potts; Neil Vigdor; Wynne Parry

DAILY NEWSPAPER ABOVE 50,000 : FEATURE--SERIES

- (1) Bridgeport's best; Connecticut Post; Chris Elsberry
- (2) The war at home: World War II; Republican-American; Alan Bisbort
- (H) Life's big questions; New Haven Register; Jim Shelton

REGIONAL NON-DAILY : FEATURE--SERIES

- (1) The business of Connecticut's nonprofits; Hartford Business Journal; Diane Weaver Dunne
- (2) Artists next door; The Arts Paper; Hank Hoffman

COMMUNITY NON-DAILY : GENERAL COLUMN

- (1) Triumph of the spirit; Waterbury Observer; John Murray
- (2) Searing memories from a horrific day; Shore Line Times; Robert C. Pollack
- (H) Coming home from college; Waterbury Observer; Chelsea Murray
- (H) Memories of a special veteran missing; Town Times; Pamela Morello

DAILY NEWSPAPER 21,000-50,000 : GENERAL COLUMN

- (1) A poet's warmth and vision; The Day; Patricia Daddona
- (2) A carol for our time; Record-Journal; Glenn Richter
- (H) Curing and caring; Journal Inquirer; Harlan J. Levy

DAILY NEWSPAPER ABOVE 50,000 : GENERAL COLUMN

- (1) Business Watch: Almond Joy? Not in Connecticut; Republican- American; David Krechevsky
- (2) Hartford: Who cares?; Hartford Courant; Helen Ubiñas
- (H) Kindergartner discovers a path to her grandfather in nature; Hartford Courant; Peter Marteka
- (H) Links exist, even flying into the mystic; Connecticut Post; Michael J. Daly
- (H) The last of the old typewriter repairmen; New Haven Register; Randall Beach

DAILY NEWSPAPER BELOW 21,000 : GENERAL COLUMN

- (1) The runaround; Willimantic Chronicle; Charles C. Ryan
- (2) Toeing the line; Willimantic Chronicle; Charles C. Ryan

MAGAZINE : GENERAL COLUMN

- (1) Mia's children; Connecticut Magazine; Lary Bloom
- (2) Curtain call; Theatre CT; Alistair Highet
- (H) My little chickadee . . .; Westport Magazine; Diane Sembrot

REGIONAL NON-DAILY : GENERAL COLUMN

- (1) Make a difference: Give up plastic bags; Greater New Milford Spectrum; Deborah Rose
- (2) Mike Onorato's calling card was his smile; Greater New Milford Spectrum; Norm Cummings
- (H) I can account for my score; Hartford Business Journal; Laurence D. Cohen

WEB : GENERAL EXCELLENCE, AFFILIATED

- (1) connpost.com Redesign; Connpost.com; Carol Dauber; Jeff Bustraan; Martin Bailey; Rene Morgan; Todd Hollis

- (2) theday.com; theday.com; Staff
- (H) NorwichBulletin.com; norwichbulletin.com; Cyndi Moran; Karen Norman
- (H) Sunshine Week: Secrecy vs. your right to know; Connpost.com; Jeff Bustraan; Jim Smith; Todd Hollis

WEB : GENERAL EXCELLENCE, INDEPENDENT

- (1) WestportNow.com; WestportNow.com; Gordon F. Joseloff; Jennifer Connic
- (2) Parent involvement series; newhavenindependent.org; Allan Appel

COLLEGE JOURNALISM : GENERAL REPORTING

- (1) Basketball program a model for diversity; The Mirror--Fairfield University; Chris Simmons
- (2) Fairfield mourns tragic loss of beloved sophomore; The Mirror-- University; Stephanie Lauto

COMMUNITY NON-DAILY : GENERAL REPORTING

- (1) Landmark was to be torched; Shore Line Times; Hannah Vahl
- (2) Lanesville business is in trouble; New Milford Times; Emily M. Olson
- (H) Honoring the faces behind 'a faceless act'; New Canaan Advertiser; Laura Kenyon
- (H) Youth's quick thinking helps to save his sister; Southington Observer; Rob Glidden

DAILY NEWSPAPER 21,000-50,000 : GENERAL REPORTING

- (1) 'He murdered me too'; The Day; Kenton Robinson
- (2) Title IX at 35; News-Times; Eileen Fitz Gerald
- (H) Sticking by her brother; The Day; Kenton Robinson

DAILY NEWSPAPER ABOVE 50,000 : GENERAL REPORTING

- (1) Lure of the gypsy; Hartford Courant; Alaine Griffin
- (2) Care for kids; Connecticut Post; MariAn Gail Brown
- (H) The day 15 died; New Haven Register; William Kaempffer

DAILY NEWSPAPER BELOW 21,000 : GENERAL REPORTING

- (1) Life saver--Plainville woman rescued by stranger; New Britain Herald; James Craven
- (2) Having coffee with Bobby; New Britain Herald; James Craven

MAGAZINE : GENERAL REPORTING

- (1) Straight A's; Connecticut Magazine; Patricia Grandjean
- (2) Just warming up; Connecticut Magazine; David Holahan
- (H) The governor's right hand; Connecticut Magazine; Chris Hodenfield

REGIONAL NON-DAILY : GENERAL REPORTING

- (1) Overdue rulings criticized; Connecticut Law Tribune; Thomas B. Scheffey
- (2) Scathing audit report faults state comptroller; Hartford Business Journal; Diane Weaver Dunne

COMMUNITY NON-DAILY : GENERAL REPORTING--SERIES

- (1) Juvenile judge offers teens the chance 'to get it right'; Farmington Post; Lisa Backus

DAILY NEWSPAPER 21,000-50,000 : GENERAL REPORTING--SERIES

- (1) Tie. Helping hands for Violet; Record-Journal; Dan Champagne
- (1) Tie. Immigration controversy in Danbury; News-Times; Art Cummings; Brian Koonz; Brian Saxton; Carol Kaliff; David Harple; Dirk Perrefort; Eileen Fitz Gerald; Elizabeth Putnam; Eugene Driscoll; Fred Lucas; Karen Vibert-Kennedy; Krista Hicks Benson; Marietta Homayonpour; Mark Langlois; Mary Connolly; Susan Tuz; Valerie Roth; Wendy Carlson
- (2) Kevin Miller controversy; Journal Inquirer; Ben Rubin
- (H) Down to Earth; Stamford Advocate; Doug Delena; Jonathan Lucas; Lisa Chamoff; Mark Ginocchio; Richard Lee; Tim Stelloh
- (H) Living with cancer; News-Times; Nanci G. Hutson

DAILY NEWSPAPER ABOVE 50,000 : GENERAL REPORTING--SERIES

- (1) Abusive priest; Hartford Courant; Dave Altimari; Elizabeth Hamilton
- (2) Cheshire murders; Hartford Courant; Staff
- (H) Cheshire home invasion; New Haven Register; Abram Katz; Edward Stannard; Gregory Hladky; Luther Turmelle; Maria Garriga; Mark Zaretsky; Phil Helsel

DAILY NEWSPAPER BELOW 21,000 : GENERAL REPORTING--SERIES

- (1) Turning tricks: Prostitution on the rise; Willimantic Chronicle; David Hinchey
- (2) Corbin heights; New Britain Herald; Rick Guinness

REGIONAL NON-DAILY : GENERAL REPORTING--SERIES

- (1) Dunham Farm; Greater New Milford Spectrum; Jacqueline Smith; Lynda Wellman; Nanci G. Hutson
- (2) Tauck divorce series; Connecticut Law Tribune; Thomas B. Scheffey

COMMUNITY NON-DAILY : HEADLINE

- (1) Water Water Everywhere; Lyme Times/New London Times; Nadolny

DAILY NEWSPAPER 21,000-50,000 : HEADLINE

- (1) Window Pain, Gift Rapt, Break a Leg; The Day; Elissa Bass
- (2) From Keats to cleats; News-Times; Lynn Schnier
- (H) Taking steps toward a fitter student body; Record-Journal; Richard Mason Jr.

DAILY NEWSPAPER ABOVE 50,000 : HEADLINE

- (1) Bra thief raids Victoria's drawers; Connecticut Post; Ashley Winchester
- (2) Headline Golas; New Haven Register; Jack Golas
- (H) A 387-degree day; Connecticut Post; James Atkinson

DAILY NEWSPAPER BELOW 21,000 : HEADLINE

- (1) Dismountain, It's their nature, Wish you were here; New Britain Herald; Marc Levy
- (2) Urine a car, The Truck stops here, Shot over the dough; Britain Herald; Eric Heredia

COMMUNITY NON-DAILY : IN-DEPTH

- (1) Kathy Hardy homicide: One year later; The Sound; Ben Rayner

DAILY NEWSPAPER 21,000-50,000 : IN-DEPTH

- (1) Evangelizing for equality; The Day; Karin Crompton
- (2) Out of whack; News-Times; Robert Miller
- (H) Inner-city in suburbia; Journal Inquirer; Ben Rubin
- (H) The river runs through it; The Day; Judy Benson

DAILY NEWSPAPER ABOVE 50,000 : IN-DEPTH

- (1) Chronic polluters; Hartford Courant; Josh Kovner; Regine Labossiere
- (2) How clean are our rivers?; Connecticut Post; Susan Silvers
- (H) Our secret juries; Connecticut Post; Michael P. Mayko

DAILY NEWSPAPER BELOW 21,000 : IN-DEPTH

- (1) An alternative to medical marijuana; Willimantic Chronicle; Zachary Janowski

MAGAZINE : IN-DEPTH

- (1) Balancing act; Connecticut Magazine; Christopher Willcox
- (2) Health care reform: Not 'if' but 'when'; New Canaan Darien Magazine; Beth Longware Duff

RADIO : IN-DEPTH

- (1) Home heating; WSHU Public Radio; Craig Lemoult

REGIONAL NON-DAILY : IN-DEPTH

- (1) Saint Francis' strategy aims to salvage reputation; Hartford Business Journal; Mary Johnson
- (2) Flawed law on Plan B goes into effect in state; Catholic Transcript; Roberta W. Tuttle
- (H) Connecticut's longest-serving police chief; Justice Journal; John C. Peterson
- (H) Sky was limit for significant injuries; Connecticut Law Tribune; Thomas B. Scheffey
- (H) St. Francis snags top docs; Hartford Business Journal; Diane Weaver Dunne

TELEVISION : IN-DEPTH

- (1) The first hit; News-12 Connecticut; Kristi Faccendra; Marc Van Schaick
- (2) Ex-cons; News-12 Connecticut; Bob Cook; Debra Alfarone; Frank Brace

COMMUNITY NON-DAILY : IN-DEPTH--SERIES

- (1) Heroin hits home still; Farmington Post; Lisa Backus
- (2) Phragmites fight in Old Saybrook; Harbor News; Becky Coffey

DAILY NEWSPAPER 21,000-50,000 : IN-DEPTH--SERIES

- (1) Homeless in Norwich; Norwich Bulletin; Brian Wallheimer; Multimedia Staff
- (2) Ship to shore; The Day; Jennifer Grogan
- (H) Czar's Parker; Record-Journal; Jeffery Kurz

DAILY NEWSPAPER ABOVE 50,000 : IN-DEPTH--SERIES

- (1) The quest to clone; Hartford Courant; William Hathaway
- (2) The reluctant Americans; Hartford Courant; Monica Polanco
- (H) Valley in transition; Connecticut Post; Anne Amato; Matthew Higbee; Melvin Mason

DAILY NEWSPAPER BELOW 21,000 : IN-DEPTH--SERIES

- (1) Does anyone care? A look at apathy; Willimantic Chronicle; David Hinchey; Heather Lake Lottier; Kimberly Graves; Sean O'Leary; Traci Dutcher
- (2) State money market fund; Greenwich Time; Neil Vigdor

REGIONAL NON-DAILY : IN-DEPTH--SERIES

- (1) Downey's downfall; Connecticut Law Tribune; Thomas B. Scheffey

- (2) Clash over rules of court; Connecticut Law Tribune; Thomas B. Scheffey
- (H) The business of Connecticut's health care industry; Hartford Business Journal; Diane Weaver Dunne

COMMUNITY NON-DAILY : INFORMATIONAL GRAPHIC

- (1) Crude oil prices are through the roof; Waterford Times; Laura Rush

DAILY NEWSPAPER 21,000-50,000 : INFORMATIONAL GRAPHIC

- (1) How big is that ship?; The Day; Milton Moore
- (2) Road work ahead?; The Day; Jill Blanchette
- (H) Sex offenders can't hide; Norwich Bulletin; Dien To

DAILY NEWSPAPER ABOVE 50,000 : INFORMATIONAL GRAPHIC

- (1) Electricity--what makes a light go on; Republican-American; Scott Griffin
- (2) 2007 Grammys; New Haven Register; Alyson Bowman; Patrick Ferrucci

DAILY NEWSPAPER BELOW 21,000 : INFORMATIONAL GRAPHIC

- (1) Feeling abandoned; New Britain Herald; Marc Levy

WEB : INTERACTIVE GRAPHIC

- (1) Route 11: The human impact; theday.com; Adena Stevens; Karin Crompton; Peter Huoppi; Sean Elliot; Tim Cook; Tim Martin
- (2) Cruisin' a virtual tour of current upcoming classic car cruises in the region; Connpost.com; Todd Hollis
- (H) New London plans a makeover for the parade; theday.com; Peter Huoppi; Tim Cook

DAILY NEWSPAPER 21,000-50,000 : INVESTIGATIVE

- (1) Probe won't divide friends; Stamford Advocate; Stephen P. Clark
- (2) When 50-50 isn't 50-50; Record-Journal; George Moore
- (H) Mayor's son; Stamford Advocate; Zach Lowe

DAILY NEWSPAPER ABOVE 50,000 : INVESTIGATIVE

- (1) Abandoned police cases weren't a first; Hartford Courant; Don Stacom
- (2) Add-on fattened I-84 contract; New Haven Register; Gregory B. Hladky

RADIO : INVESTIGATIVE

- (1) Commuting; WSHU Public Radio; Alison Freeland; Craig Lemoult; Dick Roberts; Ebong Udoma; Erik Campano; Jim Cameron; Phil Maymin; Tom Kuser

REGIONAL NON-DAILY : INVESTIGATIVE

- (1) Highest-level sealings handed out haphazardly; Connecticut Law Tribune; Thomas B. Scheffey
- (2) Turnover a symptom of strife; Connecticut Law Tribune; Thomas B. Scheffey

TELEVISION : INVESTIGATIVE

- (1) Call for backup; WFSB; Eric Budney; Tara Moncheck
- (2) Newton tapes; News-12 Connecticut; Dave Grunenbaum; Frank Bruce

COMMUNITY NON-DAILY : INVESTIGATIVE--SERIES

- (1) The silent scream/Buried secrets; Waterbury Observer; John Murray

DAILY NEWSPAPER 21,000-50,000 : INVESTIGATIVE--SERIES

- (1) Predatory lending; The Day; Julie Wernau

DAILY NEWSPAPER ABOVE 50,000 : INVESTIGATIVE--SERIES

- (1) No haven for the elderly; Hartford Courant; Lisa Chedekel; Lynne Tuohy
- (2) Gone and forgotten; Connecticut Post; MariAn Gail Brown

DAILY NEWSPAPER BELOW 21,000 : INVESTIGATIVE--SERIES

- (1) Waste series; Greenwich Time; Neil Vigdor
- (2) Windham Mills - HFAP financial web; Willimantic Chronicle; Ron Robillard

COMMUNITY NON-DAILY : LAYOUT NON-PAGE 1

- (1) Groton fall festival 2007; Groton Times; Laura Rush
- (2) Home time; Shore View; Matthew D. Boyles
- (H) Shore Cars & Trucks; Shore View; Matthew D. Boyles

DAILY NEWSPAPER 21,000-50,000 : LAYOUT NON-PAGE 1

- (1) The Carles; The Day; Jill Blanchette
- (2) 2007 Year in review; Norwich Bulletin; John Meo
- (H) U.S. soldiers killed in Iraq; News-Times; Krista Hicks Benson

DAILY NEWSPAPER ABOVE 50,000 : LAYOUT NON-PAGE 1

- (1) Vonnegut obit; Republican-American; Scott Griffin
- (2) Nothing is funny to Jerry Seinfeld; Republican-American; Richard Gray

(H) What lies within; Republican-American; Michelle McCleary-Siss

DAILY NEWSPAPER BELOW 21,000 : LAYOUT NON-PAGE 1

- (1) Face time; Greenwich Time; Jim Wolfe
- (2) FCIAC and Class LL Champions; Greenwich Time; Chris McNamee
- (H) Big men on campus; Greenwich Time; Chris McNamee

MAGAZINE : LAYOUT NON-PAGE 1

- (1) New perspectives; Elan; Cathi Bosco; Jennifer Corthell
- (2) A clear cut case; Elan; Jennifer Corthell

REGIONAL NON-DAILY : LAYOUT NON-PAGE 1

- (1) Autumn's graces; Greater New Milford Spectrum; Krista Hicks Benson
- (2) Glancing back; Greater New Milford Spectrum; Krista Hicks Benson
- (H) Happily ever after; Greater New Milford Spectrum; Krista Hicks Benson

SPECIAL SUPPLEMENT : LAYOUT NON-PAGE 1

- (1) Home Magazine, Kitchen and Bath; Stamford Advocate; Timothy Guzda

COMMUNITY NON-DAILY : LAYOUT PAGE 1

- (1) Power kid to the rescue!; Mystic Times; Laura Rush
- (2) The art of giving; Shore View; Erik Hesselberg; Matthew D. Boyles
- (H) The year in photos; Pictorial Gazette; Lura Robida

DAILY NEWSPAPER 21,000-50,000 : LAYOUT PAGE 1

- (1) On I-95, a deadly day; The Day; Harold Hanka
- (2) 33 dead in VA Tech massacre; The Day; Harold Hanka
- (H) Stillness marks funeral; The Day; Harold Hanka

DAILY NEWSPAPER ABOVE 50,000 : LAYOUT PAGE 1

- (1) Fallen firefighter; Republican-American; Scott Griffin
- (2) Homecoming; Connecticut Post; Lee Steele

DAILY NEWSPAPER BELOW 21,000 : LAYOUT PAGE 1

- (1) 6/30/07; Greenwich Time; Peter Farrelly

MAGAZINE : LAYOUT PAGE 1

- (1) Tie. Community of hope; Westport Magazine; Carol Shufo
- (1) Tie. August/September; Theatre CT; Steve Shreve

REGIONAL NON-DAILY : LAYOUT PAGE 1

- (1) Time to remember, New Milford celebrates its Tricentennial Greater New Milford Spectrum; Jacqueline Smith; Lyn Hottes; Norm Cummings

COMMUNITY NON-DAILY : NEWS PHOTO

- (1) One small step; Harbor News; Nancy Dionne
- (2) Penguins from Vinal High School; Town Times; Frank LoGiudice
- (H) A raging river; Tri-Town Post; John Fitts

DAILY NEWSPAPER 21,000-50,000 : NEWS PHOTO

- (1) Spectacular blaze destroys Norwich home; Norwich Bulletin; John Shishmanian
- (2) Shadows; Journal Inquirer; Irena Pastorello
- (H) City man shot dead; Stamford Advocate; Andrew Sullivan
- (H) Flood evacuee; The Day; Tim Cook
- (H) Funeral for firefighter; The Day; Tim Martin

DAILY NEWSPAPER ABOVE 50,000 : NEWS PHOTO

- (1) Collision injures city firefighters; Connecticut Post; Phil Noel
- (2) Tearful tributes; Connecticut Post; Whitney Kidder-Alvarez

DAILY NEWSPAPER BELOW 21,000 : NEWS PHOTO

- (1) Return to learn; Greenwich Time; Helen Neafsey

WEB : ONLINE COMMENTARY

- (1) High school sports blog; Connpost.com; Sean Patrick Bowley
- (2) Our Age; norwichbulletin.com; Tim Malcolm
- (H) News from the compost heap; newhavenindependent.org; Paul Bass

WEB : ONLINE FEATURE

- (1) A tribute to Rob Szymaszek; Myrecordjournal.com; Bryant Carpenter; Carolyn Wallach; Chris Zajac; Dave D'Addario; Johnathon Henninger

- (2) Worlds apart, Families together; theday.com; Elissa Bass; Kate Gardiner
- (H) Election 2007; Myrecordjournal.com; Carolyn Wallach; Chris Zajac; Dave D'Addario; Doug Bevins; Ryan Millner

COMMUNITY NON-DAILY : OP-ED COLUMN

- (1) Our parents: 'The Greatest Generation'; Town Times; Kathy Meyering
- (2) Anonymous, inaccurate and cowardly; Town Times; Sue VanDerzee

DAILY NEWSPAPER 21,000-50,000 : OP-ED COLUMN

- (1) Maltex musings; Record-Journal; Allan S. Church
- (2) Town committees hold the keys to election choice; Norwich Bulletin; Ray Hackett

DAILY NEWSPAPER ABOVE 50,000 : OP-ED COLUMN

- (1) Poverty moves out, but not up; Hartford Courant; Laurence D. Cohen
- (2) Speaker makes 'em a little crazy; Hartford Courant; Laurence D. Cohen
- (H) Lieberman on Sunday; Connecticut Post; Hugh Bailey

DAILY NEWSPAPER BELOW 21,000 : OP-ED COLUMN

- (1) A candle brightens season of darkness within; Willimantic Chronicle; Terese Karmel
- (2) Why is Windham Mills mess in bankruptcy court; Willimantic Chronicle; Ron Robillard
- (H) A strong woman unbowed by evil words; Willimantic Chronicle; Terese Karmel

COMMUNITY NON-DAILY : OPINION COLUMN

- (1) Connecticut: We are the truly blessed; New London Times; Stephen Chupaska
- (2) Moments to savor before they're gone; The Source; Amy J. Barry
- (H) The truth about baking; The Source; Amy J. Barry
- (H) Trouble talking; Waterbury Observer; Chelsea Murray

DAILY NEWSPAPER 21,000-50,000 : OPINION COLUMN

- (1) Killings have no answer; Record-Journal; Eric Cotton
- (2) There's no place for racism in public life; News-Times; Brian Koonz
- (H) An unneeded raid; Record-Journal; Eric Cotton
- (H) O'Neill a 'conservative' only in his demeanor; Journal Inquirer; Chris Powell
- (H) When Jesse Jackson speaks out; The Day; Chuck Potter

DAILY NEWSPAPER ABOVE 50,000 : OPINION COLUMN

- (1) Remembering the one perfect beautiful girl; Connecticut Post; John Hourihan
- (2) The fault also lies in ourselves; Hartford Courant; Stan Simpson
- (H) By all means, we should support the troops; Connecticut Post; John Hourihan
- (H) Connecticut death penalty will follow New Jersey's; Connecticut Post; Ken Dixon
- (H) Give our inmates an education; Hartford Courant; Stan Simpson
- (H) How arts backers got hit up by Rell campaign; Hartford Courant; Kevin Rennie
- (H) Our skin, no matter what color; Connecticut Post; John Hourihan

MAGAZINE : OPINION COLUMN

- (1) Got LNG?; New Canaan Darien Magazine; Mark Branca

REGIONAL NON-DAILY : OPINION COLUMN

- (1) Hitchens is not great; Hartford Advocate; Alan Bisbort
- (2) More emphasis needed on 'driving while impaired'; Justice Journal; Kenn Venit
- (H) Homeland Security: Then and now; Justice Journal; Kenn Venit
- (H) No 'quick fixes' or simple solutions; Justice Journal; Kenn Venit

COMMUNITY NON-DAILY : PHOTO LAYOUT

- (1) Lifers--The quiet life on the road; Waterford Times; Cheryl Albaine
- (2) Wings of freedom; Southington Observer; Stephen Cieslewski

DAILY NEWSPAPER 21,000-50,000 : PHOTO LAYOUT

- (1) All-Norwich Bulletin Spring 2007; Norwich Bulletin; Aaron Flaum
- (2) Ash Wednesday; News-Times; Carol Kaliff
- (H) Growing pains; News-Times; Krista Hicks Benson

DAILY NEWSPAPER ABOVE 50,000 : PHOTO LAYOUT

- (1) Street kids; New Haven Register; Melanie Stengel
- (2) Viva la salsa; Connecticut Post; Whitney Kidder-Alvarez
- (H) Downtown devastation; New Haven Register; Peter Casolino; Peter Hvizdak
- (H) The big bang; New Haven Register; Arnold Gold; Jeff Holt; Jenn Zuccarelli; Peter Casolino
- (H) Young beauties vie for crown; Connecticut Post; B.K. Angeleth

DAILY NEWSPAPER BELOW 21,000 : PHOTO LAYOUT

(1) Butterfly cotillion; Greenwich Time; Keelin Daly

MAGAZINE : PHOTO LAYOUT

(1) The endless garden; Westport Magazine; Stacy Bass

(2) Where the wild things are; Westport Magazine; Bruce Plotkin

REGIONAL NON-DAILY : PHOTO LAYOUT

(1) Start 'em up; Greater New Milford Spectrum; Laura Buckbee Lewis

(2) April showers; Greater New Milford Spectrum; Norm Cummings

DAILY NEWSPAPER 21,000-50,000 : SINGLE EDITORIAL

(1) A chance to do justice; Journal Inquirer; Keith C. Burris

(2) Brookfield; News-Times; Mary Connolly

(H) Expel Sen. DeLuca; The Day; Paul Choiniere

(H) The man who wouldn't 'man up'; Journal Inquirer; Keith C. Burris

DAILY NEWSPAPER ABOVE 50,000 : SINGLE EDITORIAL

(1) The right road; Hartford Courant; Tom Condon

(2) City cops failed to police their own; New Haven Register; Charles Kochakian

(H) State Police still need fixing; New Haven Register; Charles Kochakian

DAILY NEWSPAPER BELOW 21,000 : SINGLE EDITORIAL

(1) Preserving solemnity at soldier's funeral; Greenwich Time; David Keyes

MAGAZINE : SINGLE EDITORIAL

(1) Learning curve; Connecticut Magazine; Charles A. Monagan

REGIONAL NON-DAILY : SINGLE EDITORIAL

(1) Bridges or mines; Catholic Transcript; Msgr. David Q. Liptak

(2) Republican walk-out serves no purpose; Greater New Milford Spectrum; Jacqueline Smith

COMMUNITY NON-DAILY : SPORTS COLUMN

(1) A phantom trey, the great debate and a SLC Final Four; Pictorial Gazette; Jimmy Zanor

(2) Whew!; Southington Observer; John Goralski

DAILY NEWSPAPER 21,000-50,000 : SPORTS COLUMN

(1) This time, anonymous has gone too far; The Day; Mike DiMauro

(2) His glass wasn't half full -- It was constantly spilling over; Record-Journal; Bryant Carpenter

(H) Thanksgiving thoughts; Stamford Advocate; Tom Renner

DAILY NEWSPAPER ABOVE 50,000 : SPORTS COLUMN

(1) Price rises through adversity; Connecticut Post; Chris Elsberry

(2) Under the gun; Connecticut Post; Sean Patrick Bowley

DAILY NEWSPAPER BELOW 21,000 : SPORTS COLUMN

(1) Touching all the bases: Lyman Memorial girls softball; Willimantic Chronicle; Mike Sypher

(2) From A to Zeus: For the love of the game; Willimantic Chronicle; Rich Zalusky

(H) Sachems look to bring title home; Willimantic Chronicle; Rich Zalusky

COMMUNITY NON-DAILY : SPORTS FEATURE

(1) Letting the kids play; Guilford Courier; Steven Sellers

(2) Mother's love gets son to top; New Canaan Advertiser; Dave Stewart

(H) McNamara's memoir a life lesson; Pictorial Gazette; Jimmy Zanor

DAILY NEWSPAPER 21,000-50,000 : SPORTS FEATURE

(1) Long-shot hero; Journal Inquirer; John F. Silver

(2) Learning experience; Journal Inquirer; Phil Chardis

(H) Lady in the ring; Journal Inquirer; Sherman Cain

DAILY NEWSPAPER ABOVE 50,000 : SPORTS FEATURE

(1) Making his father proud; Connecticut Post; Sean Patrick Bowley

(2) Football and faith; New Haven Register; Brett Orzechowski

(H) Little Tito; Connecticut Post; Sean Patrick Bowley

(H) Twist of fate; Connecticut Post; Sean Patrick Bowley

DAILY NEWSPAPER BELOW 21,000 : SPORTS FEATURE

(1) Fernandes living her dream; Willimantic Chronicle; Rich Zalusky

(2) Young man on a mission; Greenwich Time; Jesse Quinlan

MAGAZINE : SPORTS FEATURE

- (1) Dog day afternoon; Hartford Magazine; Mike Briotta
- (2) Home grown; Connecticut Magazine; Ray Bendici

COMMUNITY NON-DAILY : SPORTS NEWS

- (1) Grand 'ol party; Pictorial Gazette; Jimmy Zanor
- (2) A heart-stopping three-peat; New Canaan Advertiser; Dave Stewart
- (H) Baseball star, Harvard grad sets out for Afghanistan; Pictorial Gazette; Jimmy Zanor

DAILY NEWSPAPER 21,000-50,000 : SPORTS NEWS

- (1) 26 wins. One loss; Record-Journal; Bryant Carpenter
- (2) Too little, too late; The Day; Vickie Fulkerson

DAILY NEWSPAPER ABOVE 50,000 : SPORTS NEWS

- (1) Berserk at-bat; Connecticut Post; Rich Elliott

DAILY NEWSPAPER BELOW 21,000 : SPORTS NEWS

- (1) Kings of the court; Greenwich Time; David Fierro
- (2) Dori Arad lines up heart-felt goals; Willimantic Chronicle; Mike Sypher
- (H) Whippets earn a victory for the ages; Willimantic Chronicle; Mike Sypher

REGIONAL NON-DAILY : SPORTS NEWS

- (1) Krafty maneuvering; Hartford Business Journal; Sean O'Leary

COLLEGE JOURNALISM : SPORTS PHOTO

- (1) Blood, sweat, tears; The Mirror--Fairfield University; Jon Ollwerther

COMMUNITY NON-DAILY : SPORTS PHOTO

- (1) Lady Blue Devils drop two; Town Times; Frank LoGiudice
- (2) Coginchaug Regional High School freshmen basketball; Town Times; Frank LoGiudice
- (H) Charlie Larsen of Durham prepares to throw shot-put; Town Times; Frank LoGiudice

DAILY NEWSPAPER 21,000-50,000 : SPORTS PHOTO

- (1) Heartbreaker; The Day; Tim Cook
- (2) Uncrowned; Stamford Advocate; Paul Desmarais
- (H) Lacrosse celebration; News-Times; David W. Harple
- (H) Waterford comes up short; Norwich Bulletin; Khoi Ton

DAILY NEWSPAPER ABOVE 50,000 : SPORTS PHOTO

- (1) Berserk at-bat; Connecticut Post; Christian Abraham
- (2) The right stuff; Connecticut Post; Autumn Pinette

DAILY NEWSPAPER BELOW 21,000 : SPORTS PHOTO

- (1) Header; Greenwich Time; Keelin Daly
- (2) Eastern's Bobby Zalewski levitates; Willimantic Chronicle; Roxanne Pandolfi

REGIONAL NON-DAILY : SPORTS PHOTO

- (1) Graceful gymnast; Greater New Milford Spectrum; Norm Cummings

COLLEGE JOURNALISM : SPORTS STORY

- (1) Heart of Han: Emotional men's basketball leader carries Stags; The Mirror--Fairfield University; Keith Connors
- (2) A blessing in disguise; The Mirror--Fairfield University; Mary Therese Church
- (H) Spencer: 'I had it, and I kicked its ass'; The Mirror--Fairfield University; Keith Connors

DAILY NEWSPAPER 21,000-50,000 : SPOT NEWS

- (1) On I-95, a deadly day; The Day; Izaskun E. Larrañeta; Julie Wernau; Karin Crompton
- (2) Anthrax hits Danbury; News-Times; Brian Saxton; David W. Harple; Eileen Fitz Gerald; Mary Connolly; Robert G. Miller
- (H) All we want now is justice; Journal Inquirer; Ben Rubin

DAILY NEWSPAPER ABOVE 50,000 : SPOT NEWS

- (1) DeLuca's tight spot; Hartford Courant; Edmund Mahony
- (2) 4 lives cut short; Hartford Courant; Don Stacom; Fulvio Cativo; Hilda Munoz; Matthew Kauffman; Vanessa de la Torre
- (H) Basically I was in shock . . . ; Hartford Courant; Don Stacom; Larry Smith
- (H) Downtown Devastation; William Kaempffer; Phil Helsel; Cara Barazzi
- (H) Family shattered; Hartford Courant; Colin Poitras; David Altimari; Hilda Munoz
- (H) Horrible tragedy; New Haven Register; Luther Turmelle

DAILY NEWSPAPER BELOW 21,000 : SPOT NEWS

- (1) She was all he had; New Britain Herald; Rick Guinness
- (2) Two die in plane crash; Willimantic Chronicle; David Hinchey

TELEVISION : SPOT NEWS

- (1) Darien burglaries; News-12 Connecticut; Bob Cook; Dave Grunebaum; Robert Gwin
- (2) Christmas tragedy; News-12 Connecticut; Debra Alfarone; Joe Connors; Matthew Cyr

WEB : VIDEO STORYTELLING

- (1) Just a girl, a mother at 14; norwichbulletin.com; Tali Greener
- (2) Harry Potter release party; theday.com; Peter Huoppi
- (H) War stories; norwichbulletin.com; Aaron Flaum; Dieu To

TELEVISION : VIDEOGRAPHY

- (1) Bruce composite; News-12 Connecticut; Frank Bruce
- (2) Mennino composite; News-12 Connecticut; Jim Mennino
- (H) Budney composite; WFSB; Eric Budney

FIRST AMENDMENT

Gun permit applications kept from scrutiny; Connecticut Post; MariAn Gail Brown

THEODORE DRISCOLL INVESTIGATIVE

No haven for the elderly; Hartford Courant; Lisa Chedekel; Lynne Tuohy

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No haven for the elderly; Hartford Courant; Lisa Chedekel; Lynne Tuohy