2006 NJPA Photography Contest Results

Best of Show

“Recovery”
Scott Lituchy
The Star-Ledger, Newark

Spot News

Weekly

1st Place: “Lifeguards Rescue Lifeguard”
David Nahan
Ocean City Sentinel
Sample Media, Inc.

2nd Place: “Flood”
Robert Ward
The Beacon, Manahawkin
Times-Beacon Newspapers

3rd Place: “Inferno”
Nick Messina
Town News, Ridgewood
Community Newspapers of North Jersey Media Group

Daily

1st Place: “Cat Rescue”
Ken White
The Express-Times, Easton

2nd Place: “Lambertville Flood”
David Gard
The Times, Trenton

3rd Place: “Trapped”
Reena Rose Sibayan
The Jersey Journal, Jersey City
General News

Weekly

1st Place: “The Great Crate Crash”
Ben Scheetz
Hunterdon County Democrat, Flemington
NJN Publishing

2nd Place: “Taking the Plunge”
Jack Reynolds
The SandPaper, Surf City

3rd Place: “Jumping for Joy”
Todd T. Mundt
The Citizen of Morris County, Denville
Recorder Community Newspapers

Daily

1st Place: “Tight Fit”
Tyson Trish
The Record (Bergen County), Hackensack

2nd Place: “Family in Mourning”
Jason Towlen
Home News Tribune, East Brunswick

3rd Place: “Battle of Trenton”
Tim Larsen
The Times, Trenton
General News Picture Story

Weekly
1st Place:  “Free At Last”
Pierfrancesco Baccaro
Clifton Journal
Community Newspapers of North Jersey Media Group

2nd Place:  “Dealing With Tragedy”
Sean Havey
Rahway Progress, Union
Worrall Community Newspapers

3rd Place:  “Police Funeral”
Debbie S. Weisman
Echoes-Sentinel, Stirling
Recorder Community Newspapers

Daily
1st Place:  “Fatal Shooting”
Bryan Littel
Bridgeton News

2nd Place:  “Sleepover”
Tony Kurdzuk
The Star-Ledger, Newark

3rd Place:  “Iran Unveiled”
Jennifer Brown
The Star-Ledger, Newark
Sports Action

Weekly

1st Place:  “Fallen Warrior”
Nick Messina
Community News, Fair Lawn
Community Newspapers of North Jersey Media Group

2nd Place:  “Rising Up”
Warren S. Westura
Observer Tribune, Chester
Recorder Community Newspapers

3rd Place:  “Safe At Home”
Frank Wojciechowski
The Princeton Packet
Packet Publications

Daily

1st Place:  “Back Breaking Catch”
Bradley J. Penner
Asbury Park Press, Neptune

2nd Place:  “Halfpipe”
Chris Faytok
The Star-Ledger, Newark

3rd Place:  “Face Lift”
Carmine Galasso
The Record (Bergen County), Hackensack
Sports Feature

Weekly

1st Place: “Neither Wind Nor Rain”
Ben Scheetz
Hunterdon County Democrat, Flemington
NJN Publishing

2nd Place: “Game Winner”
Sean Havey
Belleville Post, Bloomfield
Worrall Community Newspapers

3rd Place: “Sack Celebration”
David Nahan
Ocean City Sentinel
Sample Media, Inc.

Daily

1st Place: “Distraction”
John Munson
The Star-Ledger, Newark

2nd Place: “Rings’
Chris Faytok
The Star-Ledger, Newark

3rd Place: “Gatorade”
Bryan Littel
Bridgeton News
**Sports Feature Picture Story**

**Weekly**

1st Place: “Ghosts Busters”  
Pierfrancesco Baccaro, Chris Woolis  
Clifton Journal  
Community Newspapers of North Jersey Media Group

2nd Place: “Split-Level Swim”  
Ryan Morrill  
The SandPaper, Surf City

3rd Place: “Defeat Again”  
Robyn C. Stein  
The Lawrence Ledger, Hopewell  
Packet Publications

**Daily**

1st Place: “Jacqui’s Journey”  
Peter Ackerman  
Asbury Park Press, Neptune

2nd Place: “Gotham Girls”  
Leslie Barbaro  
Herald News, West Paterson  
Sports Feature Picture Story,

3rd Place: “Boxers”  
Peter Ackerman  
Asbury Park Press, Neptune
Feature

Weekly

1st Place:  “Kite Days”  
Sean Havey  
News-Record of Maplewood & South Orange  
Worrall Community Newspapers

2nd Place:  “Freeway Melodies”  
Sean Havey  
East Orange Record, Maplewood  
Worrall Community Newspapers

3rd Place:  “Good Hands”  
Jack Reynolds  
The SandPaper, Surf City

Daily

1st Place:  “Baptized”  
Noah K. Murray  
The Star-Ledger, Newark

2nd Place:  “Tryouts”  
Thomas E. Franklin  
The Record (Bergen County), Hackensack

3rd Place:  “Korean Fan Dance”  
Tariq Zehawi  
The Record (Bergen County), Hackensack
**Feature Picture Story**

**Weekly**

1st Place: “Seadog”  
Jack Reynolds  
The SandPaper, Surf City

2nd Place: “Marines in the Making”  
Ryan Morrill  
The SandPaper, Surf City

3rd Place: “Teaching Kids to Fly”  
Sean Havey  
East Orange Record, Maplewood  
Worrall Community Newspapers

**Daily**

1st Place: “Reunion”  
Aristide Economopoulos  
The Star-Ledger, Newark

2nd Place: “Santacon”  
Aristide Economopoulos  
The Star-Ledger, Newark

3rd Place: “Day Laborers of Passaic”  
Elizabeth Lara  
Herald News, West Paterson
**Portrait**

**Weekly**

1st Place:  “Meditation”  
Frank Wojciechowski  
The Princeton Packet  
Packet Publications

2nd Place:  “Protégée”  
Jeff Granit  
Woodbridge Sentinel, Freehold  
Greater Media Newspapers

3rd Place:  “Comic Crisis”  
Mark Czajkowski  
The Princeton Packet  
Packet Publications

**Daily**

1st Place:  “Recovery”  
Scott Lituchy  
The Star-Ledger, Newark

2nd Place:  “Father of Fallen Marine”  
Thomas E. Franklin  
The Record (Bergen County), Hackensack

3rd Place:  “Black History”  
Elizabeth Lara  
Herald News, West Paterson
Pictorial

Weekly

1st Place: “Fog House”
Dana Kacedon Lane
Hunterdon County Democrat, Flemington
NJN Publishing

2nd Place: “Flags”
Phil McAuliffe
The Messenger-Press, Allentown
Packet Publications

3rd Place: “Pony People”
Scott Friedman
The Hub, Long Branch
Greater Media Newspapers

Daily

1st Place: “Stained Glass”
Dennis McDonald
Burlington County Times, Willingboro

2nd Place: “Firestarter”
Bryan Littel
Bridgeton News

3rd Place: “Graduation”
Bob Karp
Daily Record, Parsippany
Illustrations

Weekly

1st Place: “High Tech Kitchen”
Frank Wojciechowski
The Princeton Packet
Packet Publications

2nd Place: “Sun Worship”
David Nahan
Ocean City Sentinel
Sample Media, Inc.

3rd Place: “The Vigilia”
Joan Labanca
The Two River Times, Red Bank

Daily

1st Place: “Chocolat”
Peter Monsees
The Record (Bergen County), Hackensack

2nd Place: “It’s the Size That Matters”
Peter Monsees
The Record (Bergen County), Hackensack

3rd Place: “Health Care Squeeze”
Rose Shields
Burlington County Times, Willingboro