2012 NJPA Photography Contest Results

Best of Show

The Record
"Picking Up the Pieces"
Amy Newman

P1 – Spot News

Daily

1st Place: Asbury Park Press
"Returning Home"
Tanya Breen

2nd Place: The Star-Ledger
"Beachfront Inferno"
Andrew Mills

3rd Place: Gloucester County Times
"Take Off"
Tim Hawk

Weekly

1st Place: The Montclair Times
"Snowy Slope"
Adam Anik

2nd Place: Verona-Cedar Grove Times
"Sandy Squeeze"
Adam Anik

3rd Place: Verona-Cedar Grove Times
"Sandy’s Dominoes"
Adam Anik
P2 – General News

Daily

1st Place: The Press of Atlantic City
“Father’s Grief”
Ben Fogletto

2nd Place: The Record (Bergen County)
“Final Flight”
Thomas E. Franklin

3rd Place: Daily Record
“25 Years”
Bob Karp

Weekly

1st Place: Suburban
“Daughters”
Jeff Granit

2nd Place: The SandPaper
“Digging Out”
Jack Reynolds

3rd Place: Suburban
“Together”
Jeff Granit
P3 – News Picture Story

Daily

1st Place:  Courier-Post
"She Has a Name"
Chris LaChall

2nd Place:  The Record (Bergen County)
"Fighting for His Political Life"
Tyson Trish

3rd Place:  The Daily Journal
"Airman Surprises Daughter"
Craig Matthews

Weekly

1st Place:  Atlanticville
“Superstorm Sandy”
Eric Sucar

2nd Place:  The Register News
“Tribute”
Phil McAuliffe

3rd Place:  Verona-Cedar Grove Times
“A 600 Shell Show”
Adam Anik
P4 – Sports Action

Daily

1st Place: The Press of Atlantic City
         “Stunned”
         Ben Fogleto

2nd Place: Courier News
         “Elbow Room”
         Augusto F. Menezes

3rd Place: Courier News
         “Fly By”
         Augusto F. Menezes

Weekly

1st Place: Edison/Metuchen Sentinel
         “Catch”
         Jeff Granit

2nd Place: Edison/Metuchen Sentinel
         “Forearm”
         Jeff Granit

3rd Place: North/South Brunswick Sentinel
         “Diving Stop”
         Scott Friedman
P5 – Sports Feature

Daily
1st Place: Asbury Park Press
“Giving Her All”
Peter Ackerman

2nd Place: Burlington County Times
“Dogged Pursuit”
Nancy Rokos

3rd Place: The Star-Ledger
“Super Win”
Tony Kurdzuk

Weekly
1st Place: Aim Jefferson
“Opening Day of Trout Season 2012”
Anthony Lawson

2nd Place: North/South Brunswick Sentinel
“Victory Shouts”
Eric Sucar

3rd Place: North/South Brunswick Sentinel
“Win”
Jeff Granit
P6 – Sports Feature Picture Story

**Daily**

1st Place: **The Trentonian**  
“Family’s Strength Carries Bethea to State Championship”  
Jackie Schear  

2nd Place: **The Press of Atlantic City**  
“Joanna”  
Edward Lea  

3rd Place: **The Star-Ledger**  
“Twinkles”  
Saed Hindash  

**Weekly**

1st Place: **Ocean City Sentinel**  
“State Championship”  
David Nahan  

2nd Place: **The SandPaper**  
“Jersey Devil Working Dog Club”  
Ryan Morrill  

3rd Place: **The SandPaper**  
“Women’s Epic – The Surf City Epic Tournament”  
Jack Reynolds
P7 – Feature

Daily

1st Place: The Star-Ledger
“Bridge Check”
John Munson

2nd Place: Daily Record
“Julia and Ella”
Bob Karp

3rd Place: The Press of Atlantic City
“Red Knot Release”
Dale Gerhard

Weekly

1st Place: The Montclair Times
“The Shofar Sounds”
Adam Anik

2nd Place: Bloomfield Life
“Peeking into the Past”
Dale Mincey

3rd Place: Atlanticville
“Wrestling Day”
Eric Sucar
P8 – Feature Picture Story

**Daily**

1st Place: **The Record** (Bergen County)  
“Picking Up the Pieces – Seaside Heights”  
Amy Newman

2nd Place: **Gloucester County Times**  
“Waterbirth”  
Lori M. Nichols

3rd Place: **The Star-Ledger**  
“Union Beach NJ at Night – A Ghost Town”  
Aristide Economopoulos

**Weekly**

1st Place: **The SandPaper**  
“A Night at Albert Hall”  
Ryan Morrill

2nd Place: **Edison/Metuchen Sentinel**  
“iPads”  
Jeff Granit

3rd Place: **Bloomfield Life**  
“Bloomfield’s Bicentennial Spooktacular”  
Dale Mincey
P9 – Portrait

Daily

1st Place: Gloucester County Times
“By a Hair”
Tim Hawk

2nd Place: Courier-Post
“She Hates Me 3”
Jodi Samsel

3rd Place: Gloucester County Times
“Caught in the Moment”
Lori M. Nichols

Weekly

1st Place: The Montclair Times
“Megan Reilly”
Adam Anik

2nd Place: Pascack Valley Community Life
“Never Forget”
Danielle Parhizkaran

3rd Place: The Montclair Times
“Brandon’s Busy”
Adam Anik
P10 – Pictorial

Daily

1st Place:  
**Daily Record**  
“Rockaway River Zen”  
Bob Karp

2nd Place:  
**The Record** (Bergen County)  
“A Day of Reflection”  
Mitsu Yasukawa

3rd Place:  
**The Star-Ledger**  
“Moonlight Roller Coaster”  
Tony Kurdzuk

Weekly

1st Place:  
**The SandPaper**  
“Monarch Migration”  
Ryan Morrill

2nd Place:  
**The SandPaper**  
“Netting Sunset”  
Jay Mann

3rd Place:  
**Examiner**  
“Game Setting”  
Eric Sucar
P11 – Illustration

Daily

1st Place: Asbury Park Press
“Turkey Trauma”
Peter Ackerman

2nd Place: New Jersey Herald
“Running Toward a Future in Architecture”
Amy Paterson

3rd Place: The Press of Atlantic City
“Teen Reader”
Danny Drake

Weekly

1st Place: The Montclair Times
“We Shall Overcome”
Adam Anik

2nd Place: Verona-Cedar Grove Times
“Game Day Archrivals”
Adam Anik

3rd Place: The Retrospect
“Gift Guide Cover Photo”
Glen Zeigler, Photographer
Mark Zeigler, Artist