2023 IJEA YEARBOOK CONTEST

For coverage of the 2022-23 school year

A NOTE ABOUT JUDGING

The books were judged in eight individual categories: copy writing, divider pages, graphics, layout & design, overall coverage of school year, overall coverage of sports, photography and theme development.

Books earned points based on how they placed in each category:

- First place in a category = 5 points
- Second place in a category = 4 points
- Third place in a category = 3 points
- Honorable mention in a category = 1 point

The three books with the highest scores in each division received first, second and third place for Overall General Excellence in their respective divisions. Other books in each division received honorable mention as recommended by judges.

The judges were drawn from the ranks of experienced journalists, teachers and advisers. Judging in each category was guided by criteria used in similar contests nationwide.

DIVISION 5 RESULTS | Enrollment 1,250 to 2,249

OVERALL GENERAL EXCELLENCE

Place	School	Publication	Adviser
1st	Prospect HS	CREST	Nicole Stoltz
2nd (tie)	Glenwood HS	Mnemosyne	Patti Kaylor
2nd (tie)	Pekin HS	Pekinian	Alyson Smith
3rd	Downers Grove North HS	The Cauldron	Kathy Smith
HM	Grayslake North HS	A Knights Tale	Ashley Kopecky
HM	Quincy HS	Quippi	Stacie Niffen
HM	Schurz HS	The Schurzone	Kevin Rutter

INDIVIDUAL CATEGORY HONORS

Copy Writing

1st: Downers Grove North HS

2nd: Prospect HS

3rd: Grayslake North HS

HM: Glenwood HS HM: Pekin HS HM: Schurz HS HM: Quincy HS

Divider Pages

1st: Pekin HS

2nd: Downers Grove North HS

3rd: Glenwood HS HM: Prospect HS

Graphics

1st: Prospect HS 2nd: Pekin HS 3rd: Quincy HS

Layout & Design

1st: Glenwood HS 2nd: Prospect HS

3rd: Grayslake North HS

HM: Downers Grove North HS

Overall Coverage of School Year

1st: Pekin HS

2nd: Grayslake North HS

3rd: Prospect HS HM: Schurz HS HM: Quincy HS

Overall Coverage of Sports

1st: Glenwood HS

2nd: Downers Grove North HS

3rd: Prospect HS

Photography

1st: Prospect HS

2nd: Grayslake North HS

3rd: Glenwood HS HM: Schurz HS HM: Quincy HS

HM: Downers Grove North HS

HM: Pekin HS

Theme Development

1st: Prospect HS 2nd: Pekin HS 3rd: Glenwood HS

Congratulations to everyone who participated this year! You upheld the tradition of yearbook excellence for your schools in truly impressive fashion. Every book was worthy of recognition. Outstanding job by all!