

MCNA Better Communities	Overall Impact	Quality of Content	Style	Originality	Total	Rank	Comments
	15 pts	15 pts	10 pts	10 pts	50 pts	1,2,3	
Altona Red River Valley Echo - Breaking the barriers in Altona - Lori Penner	8	9	5	6	28		
Beausejour Clipper Weekly - Zabrocki serves up second helping - Mark T Buss	10	14	7	7	38		
Boissevain Recorder - Boissevain wins BIG; Communities in Bloom Grand Champion - Paul Rayner	11	9	6	5	31		
Dauphin Herald - Crisis Prevention Task Force searching for a new way - Shawn Bailey	9	9	6	6	30		
Erickson South Mountain Press - In a class of her own - Blair Gilmore	11	8	4	6	29		
Flin Flon Reminder - Preparations of music fest in full swing - Eric Westhaver	12	13	8	7	40		
Gimli Express Weekly News - Gimli Ice Festival Honours Canada's Indigenous people - Roger Newman	8	7	6	6	27		
Gimli Interlake Spectator - Sylvester promotes reading with litla Rauda - Nathan Liewicki	10	9	7	6	32		
Headingly - The Headliner - Board Members, others volunteer to renovate club	11	11	6	7	35		
Killarney Guide - For the love of dogs - and all kinds of animals - Kim Langen	10	11	7	6	34		
Minnedosa Tribune - With Heartfelt Appreciation - Darryl Holyk	9	9	6	5	29		
Neepawa Banner & Press - Circle of Friends brings students of all abilities together - Kira Paterson	10	10	7	6	33		
Pilot Mound Sentinel Courier - One Last Auction - Nancy Holman	11	6	3	8	28		
Roblin Review - But do you know what the RDCF is? - Ed Doering	11	8	6	6	31		
Russell Banner - Havelange gives back through her career - Chantell Senchuk	12	10	5	7	34		
Selkirk Journal - Giving for tomorrow / Hockey team raises money for More Tomorrows - Brook Jones	12	10	5	6	33		
Selkirk Record - Blood donor's efforts not in vein - Katelyn Boulanger	13	11	6	7	37		
Shoal Lake Crossroads This Week - Birtle Access; 35 years of coverage - Darrell Nesbitt	14	12	8	8	42		
Steinbach Carillon - St Malo's 'bag ladies' help homeless and environment - Dave Baxter	14	14	9	9	46	3	Great project, clearly helping the community. Well written and draws
Stonewall Argus & Teulon Times - CLI succeeding despite funding concerns - Adam Peleshaty	11	12	7	7	37		
Stonewall Teulon Tribune - Balmoral resident sleeps outside for homelessness campaign - Jennifer McFee	12	12	7	7	38		
Swan Valley Star and Times - A Season to remember; Getting involved Stampeders support the community- Danielle Gordon-Broome & Brian Gilroy	13	10	6	7	36		
The Pas - Opasquia Times - Helping keep the streets safe - Jenn Cook	15	14	8	10	47	2	Fantastic entry. I found myself more interested in this story than the winner but the cleaner copy and stronger writing in The Herald's story won out. Extremely close between two very strong entries.
Virden Empire-Advance - Celebrating Miniota Fire Hall - Anne Davison	10	10	7	6	33		
Winkler Morden Voice - Elks continue to their part in the community - Lorne Stelmach	10	10	7	5	32		
Winnipeg - The Herald - Fighting to keep Glenelm green - Sheldon Birnie	14	15	10	9	48	1	Good lede. Well reported. Clean and succinct writing with no filler. An overall excellent entry.

Winnipeg - The Lance - Dreaming of a place to play / residents push for playground - Simon Fuller	13	14	8	7	42		
Wnnipeg - The Times - IRCOM's head elected to Canadian Council of Refugees - Sydney Hildebrandt	12	14	7	8	41		