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TENNESSEE STATE PRESS CONTESTS

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OPEN TO:

TPA member newspapers in five divisions. For 2023, the Divisions are frozen. Newspapers will compete in the same division as they did in 2022. The 2021 circulation figures are being used to determine grouping.

Online publications will compete in Group IV, with the option to move up to Group V.

- Group I Non-dailies with a combined weekly distribution of 2,999 or less
- Group II Non-dailies with a combined weekly distribution of 3,000-6,999
- Group III Non-dailies with a combined weekly distribution of 7,000 and above and Dailies with a combined weekly distribution less than 20,000
- Group IV Dailies with a combined total weekly distribution of 20,000-149,999
Online Publications
- Group V Dailies with a combined total weekly distribution of 150,000 and above

ENTRY FEES:

\$12.00 PER ENTRY

Tennessee Press Association
ATTN: State Press Contests
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Credit cards:

<https://tnpress.com/product/pay-center/>

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ENTRY DEADLINE: extended to

Friday, March 10, 2023

ENTER ONLINE:

<https://betternewspapercontest.com/2023TennesseeStatePressContests>

Your initial password for this year's contest is **Spc2023**

CONTESTS QUESTIONS?

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PLEASE NOTE:

- Entry window opens Feb. 3, 2023
- All categories will be entered either as tearsheets in PDF format or links to website content where allowed. Please pay attention to the entry rules for each category.
- The current Google Chrome web browser is the recommended browser for both Macs and PCs for accessing the online system.
- We encourage you to set up your account and enter early.

CHANGES:

- Divisions are frozen to 2021 circulation and all newspapers will compete in the division they were in for 2022.
- Coronavirus categories have been eliminated.
- More entries allow links to work on websites. Please pay close attention to the entry requirements for the categories. Some still require PDFs of tearsheets.
- Physical tearsheets are no longer accepted in any category.