



Glenbard Township High School District 87

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Student journalists honored at regional press convention

On April 28, Glenbard high school student journalists were honored during the Northern Illinois School Press Association journalism convention at the College of DuPage in Glen Ellyn.

At the NISPA awards ceremony, **Glenbard East** High School in Lombard took home awards in every category but one. Congratulations to the following Glenbard East students who received honorable mentions:

Liz Jensen, for Sports Writing and Column Writing
Christina McPhail, for News Writing
Debbie Walsh, for Photography
Adrienne Anderson, Erica Podrazik and Justin Quam, for Editorial Writing

Also, congratulations to the following blue ribbon award winners from Glenbard East:

Teddy Lu, for Editorial Cartooning
Justin Quam, for In-Depth Writing
Julie Venezia, for Graphic Design
Debbie Walsh, for Feature Writing
Miraj Chokshi, Teddy Lu and Julie Venezia, for Ad Design
Justin Quam and Fanjola Tasellari, for Team In-Depth Writing.

Congratulations also to the Independent staff from **Glenbard South** High School in Glen Ellyn. At the NISPA conference, the Glenbard South Independent received the Silver Certificate for excellence in journalism.

Individual awards were as follows: Jewel Lim, honorable mention for Graphics; Will Hatcher, honorable mention in Photography; Mark Micheli, honorable mention in Editorial Writing; Carla Olszewski, honorable mention in Editorial Writing; and Eric Bulman, Blue Ribbon for Individual In-Depth.

Congratulations to **Glenbard North** High School's North Current journalists Bethany Bekas, Sam Palmere, Tatiana Triveri, Erika Strebel, Martin Arredondo, and Michelle Sekiya for their recognition at the convention.

Triveri, Strebel, and Sekiya placed with blue ribbons and Bekas, Palmere, Strebel, and Arredondo placed with honorable mentions in their respective categories.

Also, congratulations to North Current for placing with a bronze in overall design.