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<td>What a fantastic piece of work by this writer and newspaper. A journalist's job is to look into issues and hold government accountable, and this piece does just that. Excellent work using public records to help get the real story to the citizens.</td>
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<td>A deep, powerful, important and richly reported inspection of the state's problems in educating kids with disabilities. There were many takeaways from this series. That there was a multimedia element was important. The many bites of this series could be consumed in a lot of ways. Great work.</td>
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<td>Clearly the winner in this class. A thorough investigation into a local problem in a county that leads the state that leads the nation. Thorough, personal, well thought out, well written, backed with statistics and graphs. Topped by a solid personal column. Any newspaper - large or small - would be proud of this effort.</td>
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<td>The clear-cut winner in this category. Columns covered a variety of issues. Writer makes good points in playoffs column (a higher seed going on the road? That's nuts!). Other two show how personal battles play out in the coaches' efforts with their teams.</td>
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<td>Giving facts while setting the mood with each article. Not getting to fancy while at the same time painting a picture that almost makes you feel like you are there. Enjoyed!</td>
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<td>This story stood out in a very competitive category. The writer effectively mixed comments from the coach with players and others to show his battle. He also provided a good overview of the medical challenges he faces.</td>
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<td>General Interest column, look for Staff Column on the right side of page.</td>
<td>Outstanding columns -- especially the &quot;Toxic Relationship&quot; piece, which held a surprise in its final paragraph. This columnist understands how to convey humor and, well, fun, in his work.</td>
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<td>The columnist has his finger on the heartbeat of his community -- and it shows in these remarkable columns. Every newspaper in America should be so lucky to have such a dedicated columnist.</td>
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<td>I must have been a fly on the wall for the events Mr. Prestridge writes about, at least it felt that way. Not only easy to read, but I couldn't put it down.</td>
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<td>Savoring thanksgiving; Mission hemp possible; big money football</td>
<td>Consistently good writing, interesting subjects, varied, and not totally personal in nature. This represents what a good general columnist should strive to create.</td>
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<td>This columnist has a unique talent of connecting with the reader on a human level -- especially with teaching the reader to not accept everything as it is. The neuter column was spot on, too, and not at all preachy like some columnists would attack the issue.</td>
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<td>Justice does not mean predetermined outcome</td>
<td>The columnist does an outstanding job in these three pieces of standing up for what's right in his community, explaining the role of newspapers (even in this digital age) and making his readers feel important. These columns are head and shoulders better than the rest in this category.</td>
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<td>Back in the pulpit</td>
<td>This story was so richly compelling and so beautifully told that it left me in both chills and tears, the sure sign of a winner. A sensational and powerful chapter from the edge of understanding.</td>
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<td>Excellent photo documenting the capture of a violent fugitive as police pull him from the woods. Photographer Justin Sellers was in the right place at the right time -- the split second officers made the grab.</td>
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<td>A really well composed shot of a relatively common event. The shot has movement, people working, and traffic in the background to help tell the story.</td>
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<td>Images capture well the mood of a somber event. Faces, as always, tell the true story. Juxtaposition of images in flag photo was an excellent choice.</td>
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<td>Photographer turned what could've been a routine assignment into something more. Wonderful images of the kids in fir gear. Dominant photo was the best in this competition.</td>
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<td>Nice variety of shots from different parts of the race really helped this entry. High-angle lead image on photo page put the event into perspective.</td>
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