

**The following are the newspapers that won the 2006 General Excellence BNC. The presentation was made at the Association's Spring Meeting in June 2007.**

**CLASS A**  
Under 1,299

Judge: Jim Tennant, Prairie Post

**Best Front Page**

1. Jasper Booster
2. Fort Macleod Gazette
3. Vauxhall Advance

**Best Sports Page**

1. Fort Macleod Gazette
2. Jasper Booster
3. Vauxhall Advance

**Best Editorial page**

1. Fort Macleod Gazette
2. Jasper Booster
3. Vauxhall Advance

**Best Overall**

1. Fort Macleod Gazette
2. Jasper Booster
3. Vauxhall Advance

## **CLASS B**

1,300 - 1,999

Judge: Lin Orosz, Melville Advance

### **Best Front Page**

1. Crowsnest Pass Promoter
2. Ft. Simpson Deh Cho drum
3. Inuvik Drum

### **Best Sports Page**

1. Crowsnest Pass Promoter
2. Claresholm Local Press
3. Viking Weekly Review

### **Best Editorial Page**

1. Crowsnest Pass Promoter
2. Claresholm Local Press
3. Viking Weekly Review

### **Overall**

1. Crowsnest Pass Promoter
2. Claresholm Local Press
3. Ft. Simpson Deh Cho drum

**CLASS C**  
2,000 - 3,499

Judge: Terry Villeneuve, Meadow Lake Northern Pride

**Best Front Page**

1. Hay River Hub
2. Lac La Biche Post
3. Peace River Record Gazette

**Best Sports Page**

1. Hay River Hub
2. Taber Times
3. Lac La Biche Post

**Best Editorial Page**

1. Taber Times
2. Pincher Creek Echo
3. Eckville Echo

**Overall**

1. Taber Times
2. Hay River Hub
3. Lac La Biche Post

**CLASS D**  
3,500 - 6,499

Judge:

**Best Front Page**

1. Strathmore Standard
2. Stettler Independent
3. Westlock News

**Best Sports Page**

1. Stettler Independent
2. Beaumont News
3. Brooks Bulletin

**Best Editorial Page**

1. Stettler Independent
2. Bonnyville Nouvelle
3. Yellowknife Yellowknifer

**Overall**

1. Stettler Independent
2. Strathmore Standard
3. Yellowknife Yellowknifer

**CLASS E**

6,500 - 12,499

Judge: Ryan Kiedrowski, Nipawin Journal

**Best Front Page**

1. Vegreville Observer
2. Airdrie Echo
3. Devon Dispatch

**Best Sports Page**

1. Cochrane Times
2. Stony Plain Reporter
3. Spruce Grove Examiner

**Best Editorial Page**

1. Devon Dispatch
2. Morinville Mirror
3. Cochrane Times

**Overall**

1. Airdrie Echo
2. Stony Plain Reporter
3. Devon Dispatch

## **CLASS F**

12,500 and over

Judge: Brad Dupuis, Shellbrook Chronicle

### **Best Front Page**

1. Canmore Rocky Mountain Outlook
2. St. Albert Gazette
3. Okotoks Western Wheel

### **Best Sports page**

1. St. Albert Gazette
2. Okotoks Western Wheel
3. Camrose Canadian

### **Best Editorial Page**

1. St. Albert Gazette
2. Lloydminster Meridian Booster
3. Canmore Rocky Mountain Outlook

### **Overall**

1. St. Albert Gazette
2. Canmore Rocky Mountain Outlook
- 3.. Okotoks Western Wheel