



2017-2018 IBS High School Awards Finalists

Congratulations to all of our members who entered the 2017 IBS Awards! This year we received more than four times the number of the entries from last year! Below are the finalists for the awards that will be announced at the awards ceremony on Saturday, March 3 in New York City.

All entry information was copied from your entry sheets, however if you see any corrections or additions that are needed, send those details to highschoolmediaawards@gmail.com

Make your plans to join us now! Visit <http://www.collegebroadcasters.us> for details on conference registration, hotel information and more! Also, we are still accepting conference session proposals! Pitch yours today by emailing IBS President Chris Thomas at cthomas@lths.net.

CATEGORY	STATION	DESCRIPTION
S01: Best Sports Play-by-Play/Football	KFTN	Homecoming play-by-play
	WHJE	Football Gonzalez
	KMIH	Football
	WPPB	vs. Palmetto
	WCWT	Hahn
S02: Best Sports Play-by-Play/Men's Basketball	WHJE	Griffin Gonzalez Basketball
	KMIH	Cole, Jaden, Andrew
	WHJE	
	WCYT	Boys Basketball
S03: Best Sports Play-by-Play/Women's Basketball	WWPT	CIAC State Championships
	WCWT	Dom Ramsey, DeMarco Brooks
	WCYT	Lady Spartan Basketball
S04: Best Sports Play-by-Play/Baseball-Softball	WHJE	Baseball - McDonald
	WWPT	CIAC Semi-finals
S05: Best Sports Play-by-Play/Hockey	WWPT	vs. Lyman
	WWPT	vs. Woodstock
S06: Best Sports Play-by-Play/Other	WHJE	Soccer v Brebeuf
	WEEM	Soccer v Shelbyville
	WWPT	vs. Ridgefield
S07: Best SportsTalk Program	WHJE	Fracturing Football
	WEEM	CRS Shelbyville
	LJH	Sports Corner
	WWPT	Pit List
	KMIH	Hatrick

S08: Best Sports Update	WEEM KMIH WWPT KRHS WPPB	Sam Bannon Sports Update Ryan Friedman Jack and Ollie Huskies Sports Zone (Jan. 25) Patriots/Chiefs recap
S09: Best Sports Interview	WEEM WHJE KUNR WWPT KMIH	Wallace Shaffer Interview Meet Truckee Ski Prodigy Cody LaPlant Player Impact Mariners Max
S10: Best Sports Pre/Post-Game Show	WEEM LJH WWPT	vs. Mt. Vernon Plymouth vs. Concord Jack & Eli
M01: Best Station Contest/Promotional Event	WEEM WDPS KRHS	Arabian Rumble 89-1/2 Days of Summer KRHS Scary Face Contest
M04: Best Community Outreach Event	WEEM WLTL KRHS	
M05: Best Logo	WWPT WEEM WPPB KMIH KRHS	WWPT Logo Coach Richman Show Beenied Weenies Station Logo Ultimate Media Rewind
M06: Best Station Promotional Poster	KFTN WLTL WEEM KRHS WCYT	Rock T-Shirt Day Flyer Rock-A-Thon 2017 Posters Arabian Rumble poster KHRS Instagram Music in the Morning

M07: Best Show Promotional Poster	WEEM WPPB	Student Locker Posters Beenied Weenies
M09: Best Giveaway Item	WEEM KRHS	Arabian Rumble Tickets KRHS Door Hangers
M10: Best Press Release	WEEM	Arabian Rumble
W01: Best Website	WEEM KFTN Koh Ramah KUNR GRLZ RADIO	
W02: Best Podcast	WHJE WEEM WWPT KRHS WCWT	Oncology Cheese & Flash FCIAC Cross-Country Ultimate Media Rewind Carmen Tibbs
W03: Best Station Blog	GRLZ RADIO WLTL	
W04: Best Use of Facebook	WKET LJH KRHS KASB KFTN	
W05: Best Use of Twitter	WEEM WKET KRHS GRLZ	

W06: Best Use of Instagram	WKET WPPB KRHS GRLZ WCYT	
W07: Best Use of YouTube	WEEM WKET KRHS GRLZ	Cheese & Flash Fairmont Media KRHS Media GRLZ Tube
W08: Best Use of Social Media, Other	WEEM WLTL WWPT GRLZ	Tune-In Spotify Playlists SnapChat
W09: Best Mobile App	WEEM WLTL KMIH	
W10: Best Use of Video	LJH WKET WPPB KASB	<i>Storm Radio</i> Tutorial Video WKET Live The Show with Those Guys KASB Web Cam
N01: Best News Broadcast	WHJE KMIH WEEM WPPB WWPT	WHJE News with Julia Sweet Luka Marceta Fake Police Pulse Newsweek Bus Crash

N02: Best News Feature Story	Kol Ramah KUNR WDPS KRHS WWPT	Rocket Launch with Dr. Danny Aviv Matthew McConaughey's Gold Good News - Mobile Health Unit You Don't Know My Story Safety Last
N04: Best Campus News Coverage	WHJE WEEM KRHS WCYT	School Nurse Campus News with Claire, Emily, Jonah Rees Sherma Homestead Basketball
N05: Best Community News Coverage	WHJE WKET WWPT WCYT	Student Lifeguards Local Restaurants Fort Wayne
N06: Best Political News Coverage	Kol Ramah KRHS WPPB	International News Classism Is the New Racism Political Talk
N07: Best Spot News Interview	WEEM WEEM	Interview #3 Interview #1
N08: Best News Interview	WPPB KFTN	 Biodiesel Bus
N09: Best News Promotion	Kol Ramah WPPB	 <i>Pulse News</i> launch
P01: Best Promo Series	Kol Ramah WDPS GRLZ	Shorashim Campers Great Things are Happening at DPS Trunk or Treat

P02: Best Station Promo	WHJE	Brand New Music
	KFTN	KFTN Sweeper
	WEEM	Severe Weather
	KRHS	I Listen to Radioactive Radio
	GRLZ	GRLZ Radio
P03: Best Show Promo	KFTN	Girls Next Door
	WHJE	Breaking Point Social Media
	WEEM	Cheese & Flash
	GRLZ	As Told by Tina
	WCWT	Weymouth
P04: Best Event Promo	KFTN	Concert Calendar
	WEEM	WEEM Arabian Rumble
	WHJE	Camel Football Promo
	LJH	Spooktacular Fun Run
	WPPB	The Pulse Halloween Special
P05: Best Public Service Announcement	WCHS	Shoelaces
	WDPS	One
	KRHS	Animal Adoption
	WPPB	Suicide
	WCWT	Hahn
P06: Best Use of Sound Effects	WHJE	Radio Drama Clip
	WEEM	Severe Weather
	WDPS	Back-to-School Driving
	KRHS	Don't Snapchat and Drive
	WCWT	Elizabeth Gaines
P07: Best Liner/Sweeper	WEEM	Thriller Halloween Sweeper
	WKET	Home of Firebirds
	WPPB	Pulse sweeper
	GRLZ	GRLZ Radio

P08: Best Station ID	WKET	Robot Station ID
	WWPT	James Hammer
	WCHS	Karen
	KRHS	KRHS ID by Gaby Anderson
	WPPB	This Is Your Captain Speaking
P09: Best Underwriting Spot	WWPT	Black Duck
	WLTL	Rock-A-Thon 2017 Sponsors
	KMIH	Emily's Chocolates
	GRLZ	GRLZ Radio
P10: Best Commercial Spot	WKET	Jime Foreman
	LJH	Pilot News
	WDPS	Brian Culbertson at the Rose
	KRHS	Haunted House Karaoke
	WPPB	Design South
A01: Best On-Air Personality	KMIH	Everybody Loves Emily
	WEEM	Ashton Cruswire
	KRHS	Tristan Talton
	WPPB	The Beenied Weenies
	GRLZ	Saun Green
	WCYT	Air Check
A02: Best Specialty Music Show	WHJE	Melomania: "Noise" episode
	Kol Ramah	Cinnamon Toast Brunch
	WPPB	Artist Focus: Tom Petty
A03: Best Live Music Show	WHJE	Museic in the Library
	Kol Ramah	Visiting Orchestra from Nigun Halev
	WPPB	Jammy Jams: Seth Stillwell
	WWPT	Live Music Broadcast

A04: Best Talk Program

KFTN Girls Next Door
WHJE Everything but the Kitchen Sink
WCHS Happy Hour 10/18/17
WWPT Home or Homecoming

A05: Most Innovative Programming

WHJE We Are Crayons
LJH Bilingual Halloween Show
WWPT Giants Rant
WDPS A Place Called Home

A06: Most Creative Show

LJH Monster Mash Dance- Live Remote
WCHS Discourse: episode 2
WWPT Must or Bust
WDPS Justice for Kylan

A07: Best Specialty Show

WHJE Melomania: "Copyright Law"
WKET Defunct Days
WWPT Time Sweet Time
WPPB Faith Radio

A08: Best Celebrity Interview

WHJE ASMR: Pleasurable Sounds
KFTN Jeff Burton profile
WEEM Author David Humphrey
WWPT Donald Jones
KRHS Ultimate Media Rewind: Jason Hall

A09: Best Artist/Band Interview

WHJE Behind the Music
WWPT School of Rock @ Toquet Hall
WPPB Seth Stillwell

A11: Best Radio Drama	WKET	Zoephobia
	WHJE	Oh, the Horror
	WWPT	It's a Wonderful Life
	KMIH	KMIH Ghost Story
	WPPB	Disasterous - Levels of Hell
A12: Best Documentary	WHJE	In the Books: The Artificial Heart
	WPPB	The Danielle Williams Story
A13: Best Public Affairs Program	WHJE	The Life of a Tattoo Artist
	WWPT	Safety Last?
	LJH	World News: Politics
A14: Best Morning Show	WHJE	Waking Point
	WWPT	Greg & Gabe
	WEEM	Em & Claire
	KASB	Bellevue Morning Show
	Kol Ramah	Shorashim Campers Morning Show
A15: Best Comedy Program	WPPB	The Beenied Weenies
	KRHS	Things That Suck
V01: Best Newscast	KRHS	Senior Edition
	WCYT	HHS in Depth
V02: Best News Report	WKET	Fairmont Food Pantry
	LJH	Look for the Helpers
V03: Best Sports Program	LJH	Interview with PHS Coach Barron
V04: Best Sports Report	LJH	Volleyball vs. Kelsing
	LTTV	Sports Shorts: Football vs. Leyden
	KRHS	Winter Sports Preview

V05: Best Sports Play-by-Play	KRHS LTTV KRHS	LT vs. Hinsdale Central Soccer Klohr
V06: Best Comedy Program	WPPB KRHS KRHS	KRHS Video Bloopers
V07: Best Variety Program	WKET LJH	Good Morning Fairmont Stay Active and Eat Healthy
V08: Best Talk Program	LJH KRHS	WNDU Anchor Tricia Sloma Homecoming Red Carpet 2017
V09: Best Station Promotion	LJH LTTV GRLZ	Storm Radio station promotion Pet Parade Promo #2
V10: Best Program Promotion	LJH KRHS	Storm Radio Welcome Freshman Class
V11: Best Use of Graphics	WKET LJH	Firebird Chat LJH Memories Yearbook Fire Sale
V12: Best Video Commercial/Promotion	WKET LJH KRHS	Stressless The Pilot News Final Fails
T01: Best Station Manager, Radio	WPPB WEEM KFTN	Josh Miller Chris Green Megan Stabile

T03: Best Program Director, Radio	WPPB KMIH GRLZ	Casey Boone Emily Reyes Saun Green
T09: Best News Director, Radio	WEEM	Emily Harless
T11: Best Sports Director, Radio	WEEM WLTL	Patrick Catezone
T15: Best Business Director, Radio	WEEM	
T17: Best Faculty Advisor, Radio	KRHS KFTN	Jane Bannester Clay Zigler
T18: Best Faculty Advisor, TV	KRHS LTTV	Jane Bannester Bill Allan
T19: Tom Gibson Award for Outstanding Radio Eng.	WEEM	Mr. Greg Case/Mr. David Seal
Op1: Best Overall On-Air Schedule	WHJE WLTL WEEM	
Op2: Best Overall Sports Coverage	WEEM WLTL	
Op3: Best Station Playlist/Music Selection	WEEM WLTL	
Op4: Best Training Manual	WEEM WLTL	
Op5: Best Staff Training Method	WEEM KMIH	WEEM Best Staff Training Method

Op6: Best Staff Newsletter/e-mail

WEEM
WLTL

Op7: Best Station Facilities

WWPT
WEEM WEEM Best Station Facilities
WPPB
GRLZ

B01: Best High School Radio Station

KFTN
WPPB
WEEM
KRHS
WCYT

B07: Best High School TV Station

KRHS