

Video Broadcasting Judging Form

News Story

Name of Broadcasting Show: _____

School: _____

Classification (circle one): 1A 2A 3A 4A

Title of Submitted Clip: _____

STRENGTH OF ENTRY

(Check all that apply)

- _____ Correct style used for broadcast script
- _____ Strong lead, well written
- _____ Relevant information used; story supports lead
- _____ Relevant and interesting sound bites
- _____ Correctly framed and focused shots
- _____ Variety of shots (long, medium, and close) used
- _____ Good editing, free of glitches, jump cuts
- _____ Interesting and effective voice over
- _____ Script and video compliment one another
- _____ Appropriate and effective tag to story

COMMENTS:

AREAS TO IMPROVE

(Check all that apply)

- _____ Script not broadcast style, wordy, formal, long
- _____ Weak lead: passive voice, lacks focus
- _____ Contains unnecessary or insufficient information
- _____ Ineffective/too lengthy sounds bites
- _____ Poor framing/ focus; excessive camera movement
- _____ Stagnant shot choice
- _____ Ineffective editing: sequence of story is not clear
- _____ Uninteresting/ ineffective voice/ voice over
- _____ Script and video clash, are unrelated
- _____ Inadequate/ Ineffective tag to story

COMMENTS:

**JUDGE'S
RECOMMENDATION**

First
Place

Second
Place

Honorable
Mention

Best of Show

Signed by Judge: _____