

# 2017-18 STUDENT MEDIA DEADLINE CALENDAR

Don't miss out on opportunities for your students to compete, to share, and to participate in so many great contests and events.



## Journalism Education Association

Oct. 15 - JEA Spring Awards nomination deadline [online at [www.jea.org](http://www.jea.org)].

Oct. 16 - Dallas (**Nov. 16-19**) convention deadline for registration and Write-off entries.

Feb. 26 - San Francisco convention (**April 12-15**) deadline for registration and Write-off entries.

July 11-14 - JEA Advisers Institute in Las Vegas.

July 15 - JEA Fall Awards nomination deadline [online at [www.jea.org](http://www.jea.org)].



**Sept. 30** All 2016-17 memberships expire. Renew by this date to get best registration rate for J-Day and to continue receiving your CSMA electronic newsletter and CSMA listserv access.

**Oct. 12** J-Day registration deadline and Best of Show deadline

**Oct. 19** J-Day at Lory Student Center, CSU in Fort Collins.

**Dec. 4** First Amendment PSA contest deadline. PDFs, links, videos, etc., may be entered. Top three schools receive \$300 vouchers for 2017.

**Jan. 25 or 26** Winter Thaw, on the campus of CU Boulder. Focus on media literacy.

**Feb. 15** Submission deadline for scholarship portfolios (Greer & Benson). We now require entries in the form of a website.

**Feb. 26** Capitol Hill Press Conference - Old Supreme Court Chambers (speakers to be announced).

**April 10** Best of Colorado entry deadline [at 9:59 p.m.]. All entries must be in PDF form and submitted through our contest website: [www.betternewspapercontest.com](http://www.betternewspapercontest.com)

**April 15** Photographer of the Year portfolio entry deadline. Entries should be submitted using Dropbox or through a photo sharing service (Flickr, Picasa, etc.). Broadcaster of the Year, Designer of the Year, Reporter of the Year and Middle School Journalist of the Year electronic portfolios are due. All entries are online only.

**June 4** All-Colorado critique entry postmark deadline. Yearbooks submit one book, news publications submit three issues. Online: send url. All register online.

**June 30** Adviser of the Year and Administrator of the Year nomination deadline.



## National Scholastic Press Association

Sept. 30 - "Best of the High School Press" entry deadline.

Dec. 1 - Yearbook Pacemaker entry deadline.

June 24 - Individual awards entry deadline. And you can get your publication critiqued through Dec. 5. [\$189 for high schools and \$99 for middle schools]



## Quill & Scroll International Honor Society

Nov. 1 - Gold Key Yearbook contest deadline.

Feb. 5 - Gold Key Photo, Writing & Blogging entry deadline.

June 15 - Newsmedia Evaluation entry deadline. [\$95, \$75 & \$55 options]



## Columbia Scholastic Press Association

Oct. 13 - Membership deadline for print, hybrid, magazines and fall yearbook critiques, Crowns & Gold Circle. [cost ranges from \$170 to \$270, depending on services]

June 13 - Membership deadline for online and spring yearbook critiques, Crowns & Gold Circle.