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## ***New York Times* Wins New York Press Club Gold Keyboard Investigative Journalism Award for Series, "Breakdown."**

***Times* wins six awards in total; *Newsday* wins seven; The Associated Press and *The Wall Street Journal* win six apiece. Among tri-state broadcasters, News 12 shops in New York and New Jersey win 11 Press Club awards; WCBS Newsradio 880 wins seven.**

In a series of articles entitled "Breakdown," *The New York Times* used the full gamut of multimedia tools to document how bigger purses, swelled by casino money, have corrupted horse racing across the nation. The series documented how money encouraged trainers to rely on pain medicine to race thousands of tired, injured and unfit horses, often with catastrophic results such as at Aqueduct in Queens where horse fatalities doubled after the opening of a nearby casino.

Reporter Walt Bogdanich and a *Times* team that included Joe Drape, Rebecca Ruiz and Griff Palmer, did what no one had done before. When they were through, they had changed the face of thoroughbred racing across America through the analysis of contemporaneous accounts of no fewer than 150,000 races involving more than a million horses. Calls for track reform and regulation arose almost immediately as a result of the facts uncovered and presented in the "Breakdown" series.

### **Superstorm Sandy Special Awards**

Because of the extraordinary nature of the coverage of Superstorm Sandy, special awards were created this year to acknowledge the exemplary journalism produced during that event. 21 such awards will be presented on June 10th, during the Press Club's awards ceremony.

Nearly 500 entries were received in this year's competition, submitted by journalists publishing or broadcasting for 71 metro New York news organizations.

An enduring tradition in New York media, the annual New York Press Club Awards For Journalism honor excellence in the craft by writers, reporters, editors, producers, shooters and multimediographers. Entries are considered in more than 20 categories of reporting. Judging is by prominent working journalists, former journalists and academics who are selected for their expertise in each category.

Award presentations will take place Monday, June 10th, at the Press Club's Awards and Installation of Officers Dinner at Manhattan's Water Club.

MORE INFORMATION about the Awards, the Awards Dinner (including reservations) and the New York Press Club can be found on the Club's Website: [www.nypressclub.org](http://www.nypressclub.org).

## 2013 New York Press Club Awards For Journalism Winners

### Gold Keyboard

"Breakdown"  
Walt Bogdanich  
The New York Times

#### Finalists:

"Honduras"  
Alberto Arce  
The Associated Press

"Unlocked"  
Sam Dolnick  
The New York Times

### Nellie Bly Cub Reporter

"Education in the South Bronx"  
Patrick Wall  
DNAInfo.com New York

#### Finalists:

"FT Hedge Fund Survey & Report 2012"  
Jonathan Kanterman  
Financial Times

"Rocky & Bullwinkle & The Cuban Missile Crisis"  
Julia Wetherell  
WNYC-FM

### Rev. Mychal Judge Heart of New York (newspaper)

"100 Years of Staying Put"  
Benjamin Weiser, Noah Rosenberg  
The New York Times

### Rev. Mychal Judge Heart of New York (Internet)

"Photographing the Humans of New York"  
Jon Groat  
Tumblr & NYMag.com

### Rev. Mychal Judge Heart of New York (TV)

"Caught by an Angel"  
Matt Kozar, Mike Humphries, Cheryl Meaney, Ardina Seward, John Carrozelli  
WABC-TV

### Rev. Mychal Judge Heart of New York (Radio)

"Hudson Square"  
Jane Tillman Irving  
WCBS-AM 880 Newsradio

### Best Headline and Front Page (Magazine)

"The Next Four Years"  
Josh Tyrangiel, Richard Turley  
Bloomberg Businessweek

### Best Headline and Front Page (Newspaper)

"This Is Your Captain Freaking"  
Deborah Pines  
The New York Post

### Best Web Exclusive Content

"A Fighting Chance"  
Arnold Miller, Robert Cassidy, Christopher Ware, Peggy Bustamante, David Holland, John Williams  
Newsday.com staff  
Newsday

### Business Reporting (TV)

"The Elf on the Shelf"  
Carol Massar, Carole Zimmer, Courtney Chapman  
Bloomberg Broadcast

### Business Reporting (radio)

"Jobs Explosion, Jobs Implosion"  
Carole Zimmer, Mark Mills, Al Mayers  
Bloomberg Broadcast

### Business Reporting (Internet)

"Fraud and Folly - The Untold Story of General Electric's Subprime Debacle"  
Michael Hudson, E. Scott Reckard  
Center for Public Integrity

### Business Reporting (magazine)

"Everything's On Me"  
Tim Keown  
ESPN the Magazine

### Business Reporting (newspaper)

"HCA"  
Reed Abelson, Julie Creswell  
The New York Times

### Business Reporting (newswire)

"Corporate Tax Series"  
Tom Bergin  
Reuters

**Consumer Reporting (newswire)**

"Social Security"  
Stephen Ohlemacher  
The Associated Press

**Consumer Reporting (magazine)**

"Scourge of the Superbugs"  
Jason Gale, Adi Narayan  
Bloomberg Markets

**Consumer Reporting (TV)**

"Breeder Battle"  
Walt Kane, Karin Attonito, Anthony Cocco, Ryan Beckman  
News 12 New Jersey

**Consumer Reporting (newspaper)**

"Telecom Talk"  
Anton Troianovski  
The Wall Street Journal

**Continuing Coverage (newswire)**

"Inside the Syrian Resistance"  
Ben Hubbard  
The Associated Press

**Continuing Coverage (Internet)**

"Mississippi Learning"  
Sarah Carr, Sarah Garland, Liz Willen  
The Hechinger Report

**Continuing Coverage (TV)**

"Deadly Newburgh Police Shooting"  
Janine Rose, News 12 Staff  
News 12 Hudson Valley

**Continuing Coverage (newspaper)**

"Divorce New York-Style"  
Sophia Hollander  
The Wall Street Journal

**Continuing Coverage (radio)**

"Tragedy In Newtown"  
WCBS news team  
WCBS-AM 880 Newsradio

**Crime Reporting(newswire)**

"Unsafe at Any Bitrate"  
Michael Riley, Vernon Silver, Dune Lawrence  
Bloomberg News

**Crime Reporting (TV)**

"Pain Killers: A Prescription For Tragedy"  
Richard French, HolliHaerr, Clare Hickey, Ralph Kebrdle, Amy Nyikos  
FiOS1 News

**Crime Reporting (magazine)**

"Law and Disorder"  
Bob Drury  
Playboy Magazine

**Crime Reporting (newspaper)**

"Crime in America"  
Gary Fields, Cameron McWhirter  
The Wall Street Journal

**Crime Reporting (radio)**

"Some Undocumented Immigrants Relieved To Stay in New York, Even in Legal Limbo"  
Mirelaverac, Karen Frillmann, Wayne Shulmister  
WNYC-FM

**Entertainment News (newswire)**

"TV Double Vision"  
Frazier Moore  
The Associated Press

**Entertainment News (magazine)**

"Busking a Living"  
Simi Horwitz  
Back Stage

**Entertainment News (TV)**

"Inside Disney Stories"  
Carol Massar, Carole Zimmer, Adam Harris, Courtney Chapman  
Bloomberg Broadcast

**Entertainment News (newspaper)**

"Leading Lomans"  
Barbara Hoffman  
The New York Post

**Entertainment News (radio)**

"Jacqueline Kennedy's White House"  
Sara Fishko, Wayne Shulmister, Karen Frillmann  
WNYC-FM

**Entertainment News (Internet)**

"Ropes, Whips and Songs About Cows - Definitely Not Just for Kids"  
Alix Cohen  
WomanAroundTown.com

**Feature Photo (magazine)**

"Shell"

Corey Arnold  
Fortune

**Feature Photo (newspaper)**

"Six livery car drivers"

Jefferson Siegel  
The New York Daily News

**Feature Reporting(newswire)**

"Niger-Hunger Brides"

Rukmini Callimachi  
The Associated Press

**Feature Reporting(magazine)**

"Con Man"

Roger Parloff  
Fortune

**Feature Reporting (TV)**

"National Pastime"

Ruschell Boone  
NY1 News

**Feature Reporting(newspaper)**

"War's Wake"

Michael M. Phillips  
The Wall Street Journal

**Feature Reporting(radio)**

"Guthrie Archive"

Sara Fishko, Paul Schneider, Karen Frillmann  
WNYC-FM

**Feature Reporting (Internet)**

"Rita McMahon and The Wild Bird Fund"

Alix Cohen  
WomanAroundTown.com

**Feature Video (TV)**

"Laubin's Legacy"

Douglas Pawlikowski  
News 12 Westchester

**Feature Video (Internet)**

"D is For Divorce"

Jessica Bennett, Sky Dylan-Robbins  
Tumblr & Time.com

**News Special (TV)**

"Journey of Remembrance"

Jill Wagner, David Leibowitz, Valerie Gildea  
News 12 Long Island

**Political Coverage (magazine)**

"Inside Karl Rove's Billionaire Fundraiser"

Sheelah Kolhatkar  
Bloomberg Businessweek

**Political Coverage (Internet)**

"60 NJ State 'Double-Dippers' Collect \$10 Million Per Year"

Mark Lagerkvist  
New Jersey Watchdog

**Political Coverage (TV)**

"The Finance Director's Finances"

Walt Kane, Anthony Cocco, Matt Murphy  
News 12 New Jersey

**Political Coverage (newspaper)**

"The \$300G Commish"

Rick Brand  
Newsday

**Political Coverage (newswire)**

"The Unequal State of America"

David Rohde, Deborah Nelson, Himanshu Ojha,  
Kristina Cooke, Ryan McNeill  
Reuters

**Political Coverage (radio)**

"Eye On Politics"

Steve Scott  
WCBS-AM 880 Newsradio

**Regularly Scheduled Local News (TV)**

"News 12 Brooklyn 10/2012"

Berta Castaner, Brooke Rothenberg, Matt Murphy,  
Christina Stolfo, Samson Forney, Rich Barrabi, Stacy-  
Ann Gooden, Dana Arschin, Ivette Feliciano  
News 12 Brooklyn

**Special Event Reporting (newswire)**

"Teaching the Titanic"

Leanne Italie  
The Associated Press

**Special Event Reporting (newspaper)**

"A History of New York in 50 Objects"

Sam Roberts  
The New York Times

**Special Event Reporting (Internet)**

"Presidential Candidates Come to Hofstra"  
Newsday.com, Newsday staff,  
Newsday Editorial Board  
Newsday

**Special Event Reporting (TV)**

"Japan Disaster: One Year Later"  
Dean Meminger  
NY1 News

**Special Event Reporting (radio)**

"Alex North"  
Sara Fishko, Wayne Shulmister, Karen Frillmann  
WNYC-FM

**Sports News (newswire)**

"Augusta National"  
Doug Ferguson  
The Associated Press

**Sports News (magazine)**

"Crossroads Series"  
Peter Keating, David Fleming, J.R. Moehringer  
ESPN the Magazine

**Sports News (TV)**

"Eyes on the Prize"  
Virginia Huie, David Garden  
News 12 Long Island

**Sports News (radio)**

"Al Michaels: Seizing the Moment"  
Kyle Kesses  
WFUV-FM

**Sports News (Internet)**

"Rachel Stratton Mills - The Coach Behind the  
Olympic Swimmer"  
Charlene Giannetti  
WomanAroundTown.com

**Spot News (Internet)**

"Brush Fires Sweep Pine Barrens"  
Newsday.com, Newsday staff  
Newsday

**Spot News (TV)**

"Midtown Shooting"  
Matt Kozar, Dave Alter  
WABC-TV

**Spot News (newspaper)**

"Healthcare Law Upheld"  
The Wall Street Journal staff  
The Wall Street Journal

**Spot News (radio)**

"Shooting At The Empire State Building"  
WCBS news team  
WCBS-AM 880 Newsradio

**Spot News Photo (Internet)**

"Family Mourns 13 Year Old Killed by Gun Violence"  
Joseph Tabacca  
DNAInfo.com New York

**Spot News Photo (newspaper)**

"Scream"  
Debbie Egan-Chin  
The New York Daily News

**Spot News Video (TV)**

"We Didn't Disappear"  
Michael DelGiudice  
WNBC-TV

## **SPECIAL SUPERSTORM SANDY AWARDS**

### **Continuing Coverage (magazine)**

"Starting Over: A Pet Food Store Fights to Survive Sandy"

Karl Taro Greenfeld  
Bloomberg Businessweek

### **Continuing Coverage (newswire)**

"The Northeast in Ruins: Covering Superstorm Sandy"

Matt Townsend, Terrence Dopp, Michael C. Bender,  
Chris Strohm, Ken Wells, Mark Drajem,  
Peter S. Green  
Bloomberg News

### **Continuing Coverage (newspaper)**

"Superstorm Sandy"  
New York Times staff  
The New York Times

### **Continuing Coverage (TV)**

"Kane In Your Corner: After Sandy"  
Walt Kane, Anthony Cocco, Karin Attonito  
News 12 New Jersey

### **Continuing Coverage (Internet)**

"Superstorm Sandy: Long Island Recovers"  
Newsday.com, Newsday staff  
Newsday

### **Continuing Coverage (radio)**

"Hurricane Sandy"  
WCBS news team  
WCBS-AM 880 Newsradio

### **Feature Photo (newspaper)**

"Rockaway Fire Department Raising Flag"  
Julia Xanthos  
The New York Daily News

### **Feature Video (Internet)**

"Elderly Residents Left in the Dark in Many Coney  
Island NYCHA Buildings"  
Rebecca Davis  
The New York Daily News

### **Feature Video (TV)**

"New Dorp Destruction"  
Lisa Reyes, Alan Flamenhaft  
News 12 Westchester

### **Rev. Mychal Judge Heart of New York (TV)**

"Brooklyn Storms Back: Red Hook  
Recovery/Waterfront Museum:"  
Kecia Élan Cole, Jonathan Lief, Greg Sutton  
Brooklyn Independent TV

### **Rev. Mychal Judge Heart of New York (Internet)**

"Man Hailed as Hero For Saving Taxi Driver From  
Drowning"  
Jeff Mays  
DNAInfo.com New York

### **Rev. Mychal Judge Heart of New York (newspaper)**

"Running to Bring a City Back"  
Jason Gay  
The Wall Street Journal

### **Rev. Mychal Judge Heart of New York (radio)**

"A Sandy Hero"  
Alex Silverman  
WCBS-AM 880 Newsradio

### **Spot News (newspaper)**

"Superstorm Sandy"  
New York Times staff  
The New York Times

### **Spot News (Internet)**

"Superstorm Sandy hits Long Island"  
Newsday.com, Newsday staff  
Newsday

### **Spot News (TV)**

"Superstorm Sandy"  
NY1 News staff  
NY1 News

### **Spot News (radio)**

"Hurricane Sandy: November 1st"  
WCBS news team  
WCBS-AM 880 Newsradio

### **Spot News Photo (Internet)**

"Hurricane Sandy's Destruction of Breezy Point"  
Tuan Nguyen  
DNAInfo.com New York

**Spot News Photo (newspaper)**

"Sandy's Trail of Ruin on Long Island"

Gordon Grant, Doug Kuntz, James Carbone, Thomas A. Ferrara, Johnny Milano, Daniel Goodrich, Heather Walsh, Alejandra Villa, Charles Eckert, J. Conrad Williams Jr, Amanda Voisard, John Paraskevas, Barry Sloan, Danielle Finkelstein

Newsday

**Spot News Video (TV)**

"Hurricane Sandy in Babylon"

Kevin Maher, Daniel Jacobsen

News 12 Long Island

**Spot News Video (Internet)**

"Superstorm Sandy Long Beach Pummeled"

Newsday.com video staff

Newsday