

# Clark newspaper earns 11 awards

Hard work, dedication, and talent paid off for various members of The Independent, Clark College's student newspaper. The staff won 11 awards in the 2010 Washington Community College Journalism Awards.

The event held at Olympic College awarded The Independent third place overall in the competition, competing against 12 other community colleges.

Of the 23 categories, The Independent earned honors in nine, with multiple awards in the sports feature category.

They also received a trophy cup for overall showing.

First place honors were awarded to Editor-in-Chief Jordan Frasier, of Camas, for his profile story, "The

scariest moment of her life;" News Editor Kandra Kent, who wrote a general news story entitled, "Work study may be punching out its time card;" Sports Editor Colton Woods for his sports news story, "Baseball club plays the waiting game;" Opinion Editor Kevin Vandenburg for his sports feature story, "March of the penguin men's team;" and Life Editor John Consiglio for his headline, "Work study may be punching out its time card."

Second and third place honors included Frasier, Corinne Mooney, Sam Eckhart, Nicole Tolmie, Stephanie Pisarek, Kent, Alex Cochran and Chelsea Parkhurst.