

Connecticut Agricultural Journalism Awards / Program Rules

- **Purpose.** This program of the Connecticut Agricultural Information Council (CAIC) recognizes outstanding coverage of Connecticut agriculture by the news media in calendar year 2011.
- **Nominations** may be made by anyone in the state of Connecticut with an interest in agriculture, including the entrants themselves.
- **Deadline for Entries.** The deadline for nominations is March 1, 2012.
- **Prizes & Recognition.** Each recipient will receive a check for \$100 and an Award Plaque. Presentation of the Awards will be made at Connecticut Agriculture Day in the state capitol March 21. Winners will be publicized to the news and trade media. Winning entries will be displayed in a special exhibit in the state capitol for Connecticut Agriculture Day, March 21. The total number of awards will not exceed 10 for any one calendar year.
- **Awards Committee.** A committee composed of three members of the Connecticut Agricultural Information Council shall be appointed by the CAIC President to review nominations and decide the Awards. No committee member may be connected in any way to an entry. Decisions of the Awards Committee are final.
- **Entry Procedure.** All nominations must be made on the official CAIC form provided. All material nominated for an award must have been either published or broadcasted. Actual copies of the material must be provided along with the nomination form. No entries will be returned to nominees. For broadcast outlets: video must be furnished in VHS or DVD format; audio must be furnished in cassette or CD format.



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Entry Form / 2011

for material published or broadcast in the calendar year 2011

RETURN THIS FORM ALONG WITH ENTRY MATERIAL TO
 CAIC, P.O. Box 415, BOTSFORD CT 06404.
 203-445-0110. CONNGREEN@AOL.COM

Nominee(s) Name(s) _____
 Name of Media Outlet _____
 Address _____
 Town _____ State _____ Zip _____ Phone _____ Fax _____
 Date/Issue Entry Was Published/Broadcast _____
 Person Making Nomination _____
 Address/Phone _____
 Signature of Nominator _____

Circle Appropriate Media Outlet for this Entry:

Weekly Publications)	Best News Story
Daily Publications)	Best Feature Story
Magazines)	Best Series
Periodicals)	Best Graphic Design
Newsletters)	Best Photography
Youth Publications)	

Nonprofit Groups)	Best Mass Media
	Campaign involving
	2 or more media types

Television)	Best News Story
Cable)	Best Feature Story
	Best Series
	Best Photography

Radio)	Best News Story
	Best Feature Story
	Best Series