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Nineteen of 92 Montana high school newspapers submitted to the University of Montana School of Journalism for evaluation have been awarded All-State ratings.

The Montana Pacesetter Citation, given to newspapers with the highest scores among All-State publications in their categories, based on school enrollment, was awarded to these publications:

Class A—Missoula Sentinel Konah.
Class B—Whitefish Breeze.
Class C—Missoula Sacred Heart Academy Cone-Let.
Class D—Augusta Lariat.

Other newspapers awarded the All-State rating are:

Class A—Billings Senior High Kyote, Missoula Hellgate Lance, Great Falls Russell Stampede and the Helena Nugget.
Class B—Laurel Laurel Leaves and the Hamilton Hamiltonian.
Class C—Belt Valley (Belt) Husky Herald, Missoula Loyola Ram, Red Lodge Smoke Signal and the Bigfork Bay Breeze.
Class D—Arlee Jocko, Charlo Skyline, Frenchtown Hi-Lite, Fromberg Talon and the Winifred Raider Reporter.

Schools that are members of the Montana Interscholastic Editorial Association are eligible for the yearly evaluation.

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Warren J. Brier, associate professor of journalism and adviser to the MIEA, said he thought many of the All-State winners would rank high in a national evaluation of high school newspapers.

The Missoula Sentinel Konah and the Missoula Sacred Heart Academy Cone-Let also won Pacesetter citations in 1965. The Augusta Lariat received a Pacesetter award in 1964, the first year it was offered.