

## Alexander Macomb Historical Award

### Organization



**Year Award Given:** 2004 – The first year this award was given  
**Awarded to:** Macomb Daily-Mount Clemens, Macomb, MI  
**Nominated by:** Macomb County Historical Commissioners  
**Presented Where:**  
**Presented By:** Macomb County Historical Commissioners

The Macomb Daily was awarded this honor because of their ongoing commitment to document and report Macomb County news, all of which becomes history. Founded in 1964, via a merger of three newspapers, The Macomb Daily has been on the forefront of news reporting in Macomb County ever since. At the time of their selection for this award in 2004, they were celebrating four decades of providing information to Macomb County and surrounding communities.

One of the most significant contributions in terms of reporting Macomb County history, was the work of the newspaper's long-time journalist, Bob Selwa. Bob spent countless hours researching and reporting historical facets of Macomb County. His regularly featured column entitled "History, Heritage, Highlights" was published in The Macomb Daily from 1978 to 1985, and were read and appreciated by many.

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