North Coast Out of Politics, People and Art





he North Coast Journal is the premier source for in-depth coverage of the news, events, arts, culture and characters of Humboldt County. Every week, it provides thoughtful and nuanced news and entertainment features, dynamic opinion pieces, political cartoons, insightful art and stage reviews and all the calendar listings you need to plan your weekend.

Throughout its 25 years, the North Coast Journal has consistently earned recognition for its editorial excellence by the the California First Amendment Coalition, the Humboldt County League of Women Voters, the Society of Professional Journalists' Freedom of Information Committee and the California Newspaper Publishers Association. In 2014, the Journal took home a total of nine awards in the association's Better Newspapers Contest, including the categories for General Excellence, Arts and Entertainment Coverage, Lifestyle Coverage, Best Column, Graphic Illustration, Best Feature Story, as well Agricultural, Investigative and Environmental reporting.



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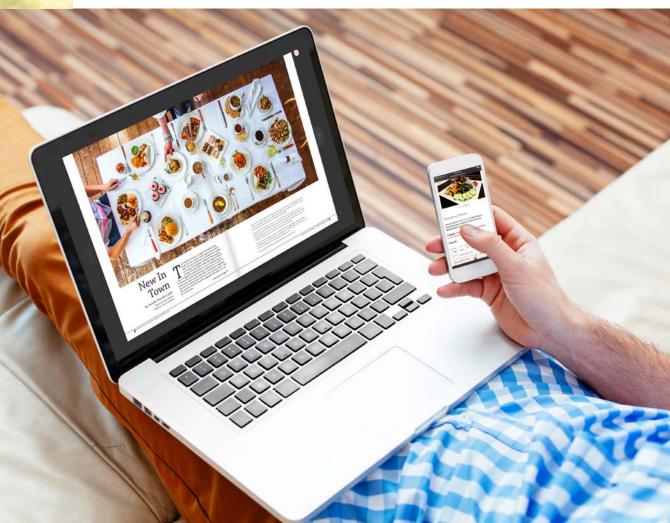
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Attended college: 95%

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9%	Under \$25,000	8%	21 - 24
30%	\$25,000 - \$49,999	27%	25 - 34
24%	\$50,000 - \$74,999	27%	35 - 44
16%	\$75,000 - \$99,999	21%	45 - 54
21%	\$100,000 and over	12%	55 - 64
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19% Computers / Tablets / Laptops24% Television / Electronics29% Cell Phone or Smart Phone & Service

FINANCIAL PLANNING

21% Financial Planner49% Tax Advisor / Services

HOME & GARDEN

10% Antiques / Auctions
42% Furniture / Home Furnishings
15% Major Home Appliance
32% Home Improvements & Supplies
15% Carpet / Flooring
38% Lawn & Garden Supplies
15% Home Heating,

A/C Service & Equipment 21% Lawn Care Service 38% Cleaning Services 08% Real Estate

LIFESTYLE 15% Childcare

39% Education / Classes
08% Attorney
26% Veterinarian
15% Chiropractor
33% Health Club / Exercise Class
14% Weight Loss
57% Pharmacist / Prescription Service

SHOPPING

59% Men's Apparel

69% Women's Apparel
39% Children's Apparel
18% Jewelry
10% Wedding Supplies
32% Athletic & Sports Equipment
25% Art & Crafts Supplies
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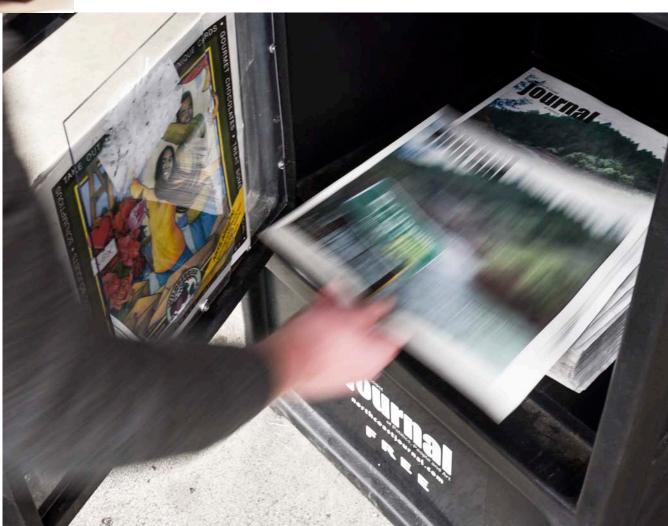


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JAN, APRIL, JULY, OCT

HOLIDAY GIFT GUIDE NOV, DEC

SPECIAL EDITIONS:

BUSINESS PREVIEW SEX

HEALTH

GREEN
SUMMER OF FUN

BEST OF HUMBOLDT

BACK TO SCHOOL

FLASH FICTION

TOP 10 STORIES

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BEST OF HUMBOLDT VOTING BEGINS

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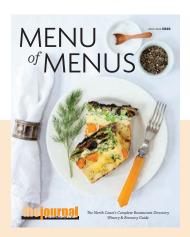
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12/16 LAST MINUTE GIFT GUIDE

12/29 TOP 10 STORIES

2016 SPECIAL PUBLICATIONS



Menu of Menus: The North Coast's complete restaurant directory and winery & brewery guide.



Fortuna Rodeo: Official program of the Fortuna Rodeo, Humboldt County, CA.



Wedding & Party Guide: Local stories and photos submitted by local wedding photographers to help you plan your special day



Holiday Gift Guide: Handmade and locally made items, specialty treats and just plain beautiful things — no big box madness required.

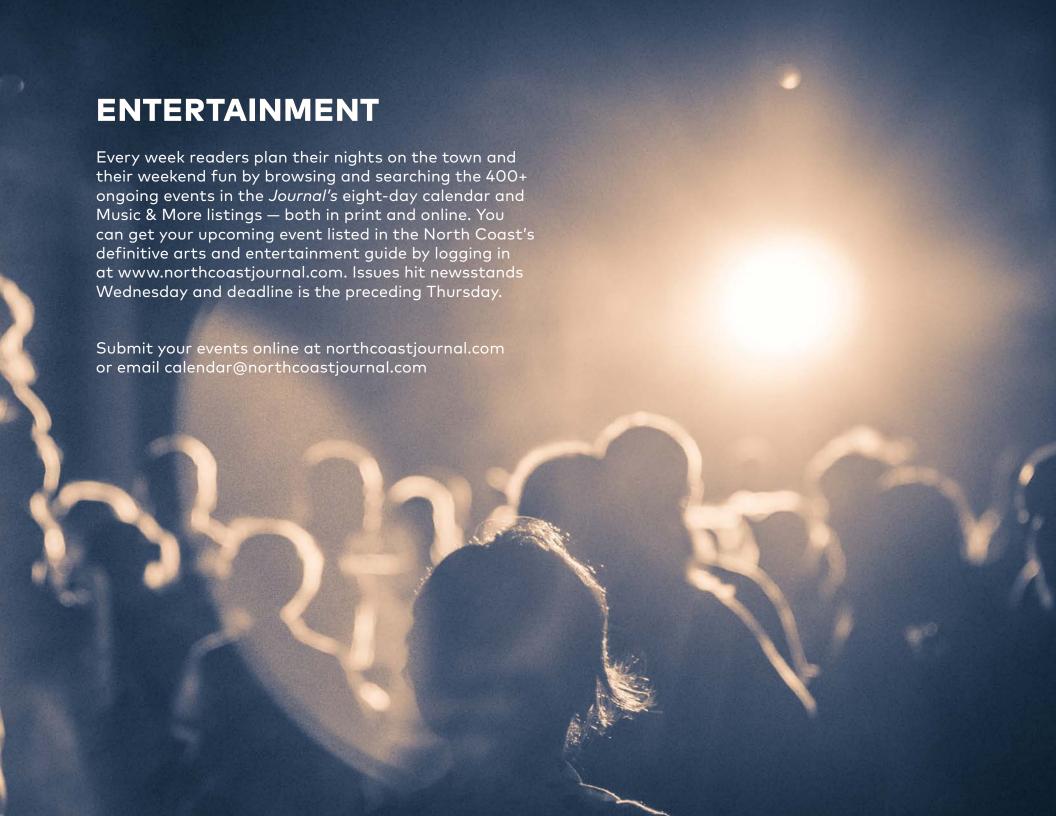








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Easy-to-use Mobile Interface:

- Keep up with the latest local news
- More than 400 on-going event listings, including live music and entertainment
- Search restaurants by your location,
 Cuisine, Neighborhood, Price,
 A-Z
- Browse events by day, location or category
- Find films near you or by the day of the week

MOBILE READERS: 41%

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HAPPY HOUR COUNTDOWN TIMER

FIND CURRENT HAPPY HOURS CLOSEST TO YOU

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