



Marsh Nelson Media Award

The Marsh Nelson Media Award is given annually to a media member or organization to recognize and celebrate a longstanding commitment to the coverage and development of Grandma's Marathon.

The award is named after the late Marsh Nelson, a long-time KDLH-TV sports director, and honors his tremendous passion for covering Grandma's Marathon and other local athletic events during his illustrious career.

2022

Deb Messer, WDIO-TV

2021

N/A

2020

N/A

2019

Jake Benson, Proctor Journal

2018

John Gilbert, Minneapolis
Tribune

2017

Howie Hanson, howiehanson.com

2016

Bob King, Duluth News
Tribune

2015

Townsquare Media

2014

Marathon & Beyond

2013

Dan Moller, Duluth News
Tribune

2012

Pat Cadigan, KDAL Radio

2011

Running Times Magazine

2010

David Jensch, KBJR-TV

2009

Mark Stodghill, Duluth News
Tribune

2008

Tom Hansen, KBJR-TV

2007

Barbara Reyelts, KBJR-TV

2006

Chuck Curtis, Duluth News
Tribune

2005

Rik Jordan, KDAL Radio

2004

Bruce Brothers, St. Paul
Pioneer Press

2003

Bob Rich, KBJR-TV

2002

Bruce Bennett, Duluth News
Tribune

2001

Kerry Rodd, KDAL Radio

2000

Marsh Nelson, KDLH-TV
Kevin Pates, Duluth News
Tribune