October 3, 2008

Mr. Dave Rogers The Baytown Sun 1301 Memorial Drive Baytown, Texas 77520

Dear Dave:

Congratulations, you are the 2007 winner of the Fred Hartman Excellence in Sportswriting Award.

Amongst the many things our judges mentioned about you are:

"Dave Rogers is a sports editor with an inquisitive mind, and, thankfully, he shares it with his readers."

You will be receiving a \$1,000 cash award along with a plaque. The plaque and check will be presented at our 2008 Annual Meeting. This year our meeting will be in San Antonio, Texas at the Westin Riverwalk Hotel. The Fred Hartman Excellence in Sportswriting Award presentation will be at a luncheon meeting at the hotel Monday, March 10, 2008.

I hope that you will be able to attend the luncheon to receive your award. Please let me know if you plan to be there and if you will be bringing a guest. We look forward to seeing you.

Sincerely,

Helen S. Turrentine Administrative Assistant

cc: David Bloom Fred Hartman