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WDSU NEWS HONORED WITH 3 SUNCOAST EMMY AWARDS.



New Orleans, La., December 5th, 2016 – On Saturday, Dec. 3, WDSU-TV was recognized with 3 Emmy Awards at The National Academy of Televisions Arts & Sciences Suncoast Regional Emmy Awards Ceremony in Orlando, Florida.

WDSU News at 4, produced by Marcy O’Leary, was honored with a win for “Daytime Newscast – Medium Market” for coverage of “Lundi Gras 2016”.

Anchor Scott Walker and Chief Photographer Megan Mackel were honored for their work on the WDSU Special Presentation, “Steve Gleason: The Journey” which chronicled former Saints player Steve Gleason as he debuted his film about his fight with ALS at the Sundance Film Festival in Park City, Utah.

Rounding out the wins, WDSU Investigative Reporter, Travers Mackel, was honored for “Craft Achievement” for his investigative series that focused on bogus parking tickets issued in New Orleans.

Winning these awards reflects the hard work everyone in this Newsroom puts in to their craft every day,” said WDSU News Director, Akili Franklin. “I am honored to work with such an incredibly talented staff.”