

Annual Finger Lakes Crossword Competition Winners

2013

Teams

Advanced – CHUMs
Serious – DeWitt Mall Rats
Casual - Warren Wordsmiths

Individuals

Advanced – Henry Peterson
Serious – Michael Matsuda
Casual – Nicole Arocho

2014

Teams

Toughest – Uphoff's
Trickier – Frank/McCollister
Easier – Les Quiserales

Individuals

Toughest – Robert White
Trickier – Leslie Kinsland
Easier – Barbara Logan

2015

Teams

Toughest – Hot Cross Brains
Trickier – Mart-Feld
Easier – Trojan Horse

Individuals

Toughest – Jennifer Turney
Trickier – Joel Johnson
Easier – Sam Peters

2016

Teams

Toughest – Defending Champs
Trickier – The Sweet Potatoes
Easier – Chemung Canal Crossword Crew

Individuals

Toughest – Jacob Lehman
Trickier – Diane Colman
Easier – Bhuvanesh Sundar

2017

Teams

Toughest – Defending Champs
Trickier – Cinnamon Challenge
Easier – Annabel Thompson Fan Club

Individuals

Toughest – Jacob Lehman
Trickier – James Perry
Easier – Emily Kadish

2018

Teams

Toughest – The Best of the Wordz
Trickier – Candace75
Easier – Two Schleppe

Individuals

Toughest – Jesse Lansner
Trickier – Ted Boscia
Easier – Michaela Schied

2019

Teams

Toughest – Biblioteca Gonna Wreck Ya
Trickier – Greenhill
Easier – Ten CCs of TC

Individuals

Toughest – Jesse Lansner
Trickier – Ted Boscia
Easier – Wendy Cameron

2020 (Virtual)

Teams

Toughest – Team Smaiblers
Trickier – Plymouth "The Rock"
Johnson
Easier – Team Backii

Individuals

Toughest – Jacob Lehman
Trickier – Leigh Keeley
Easier – Jordon Campo

2021 (Virtual)

Teams

Toughest – Team Smaiblers
Trickier – Tax Team
Easier – Two Amigos

Individuals

Toughest – Robert White
Trickier – Leigh Keeley
Easier – Sophie Israelsohn

2022 (Virtual)

Teams

Toughest – Team Smaiblers
Trickier – Tax Team
Easier – Cross Contamination

Individuals

Toughest – Matt McCurry
Trickier – Judy Cole
Easier – Cheryl Kochavi

2023

Teams

Toughest – Best of the Wordz
Trickier – Roget's Envy
Easier – Malaki Muffins

Individuals

Toughest – Jacob Lehman
Trickier – Mariana Wolfner
Easier – Liv Vincent

2024

Teams

Toughest – Longhouse Longshots
Trickier – Fabulous Four
Easier – Malaki Muffins

Individuals

Toughest – Jacob Lehman
Trickier – Howard Leib
Easier – Diane Griffith