

NEWBERY AWARD WINNERS, 1922 - 2023

Distinguished Contribution to American Literature for Children

- 2023: Winner:** *Freewater* by Amina Luqman-Dawson
Honor Books: *Iveliz Explains It All* by Andrea Beatriz Arango
The Last Mapmaker by Christina Soontornvat
Maizy Chen's Last Chance by Lisa Yee
- 2022 Winner:** *The Last Cuentista* by Donna Barba Higuera
Honor Books: *Red, White, and Whole* by Rajani LaRocca
A Snake Falls to Earth by Darcie Little Badger
Too Bright to See by Kyle Lukoff
Watercress by Andrea Wang
- 2021 Winner:** *When You Trap a Tiger* by Tae Keller
Honor Books: *All Thirteen: The Incredible Cave Rescue of the Thai Boys' Soccer Team* by Christina Soontornvat
BOX: Henry Brown Mails Himself to Freedom by Carole Boston Weatherford
Fighting Words by Kimberly Brubaker Bradley
We Dream of Space by Erin Entrada Kelly
A Wish in the Dark by Christina Soontornvat
- 2020 Winner:** *New Kid* by Jerry Craft
Honor Books: *Genesis Begins Again* by Alicia D. Williams
Other Words for Home by Jasmine Warga
Scary Stories for Young Foxes by Christian McKay Heidicker
The Undefeated by Kwame Alexander
- 2019 Winner:** *Merci Suárez Changes Gears* by Meg Medina
Honor Books: *The Night Diary* by Veera Hiranandani
The Book of Boy by Catherine Gilbert Murdock
- 2018 Winner:** *Hello, Universe* by Erin Entrada Kelly
Honor Books: *Crown: An Ode to the Fresh Cut* by Derrick Barnes
Long Way Down by Jason Reynolds
Piecing Me Together by Renée Watson
- 2017 Winner:** *The Girl Who Drank the Moon* by Kelly Barnhill
Honor Books: *Freedom Over Me: Eleven Slaves, Their Lives and Dreams Brought to Life* by Ashley Bryan
The Inquisitor's Tale: Or, The Three Magical Children and Their Holy Dog by Adam Gidwitz
Wolf Hollow by Lauren Wolk
- 2016 Winner:** *Last Stop on Market Street* by Matt de la Peña
Honor Books: *The War that Saved my Life* by Kimberly Brubaker Bradley
Roller Girl by Victoria Jamieson
Echo by Pam Muñoz Ryan
- 2015 Winner:** *The Crossover* by Kwame Alexander
Honor Books: *El Deafo* by Cece Bell
Brown Girl Dreaming by Jacqueline Woodson
- 2014 Winner:** *Flora & Ulysses: The Illuminated Adventures* by Kate DiCamillo
Honor Books: *Doll Bones* by Holly Black



The Year of Billy Miller by Kevin Henkes
One Came Home by Amy Timberlake
Paperboy by Vince Vawter

- 2013 Winner: *The One and Only Ivan* by Katherine Applegate**
Honor Books: *Splendors and Glooms* by Laura Amy Schiltz
Bomb: the Race to Build—and Steal—the World’s Most Dangerous Weapon by Steve Sheinkin
Three Times Lucky by Sheila Turnage
- 2012 Winner: *Dead End in Norvelt* by Jack Gantos**
Honor Books: *Inside Out & Back Again* by Thanhha Lai
Breaking Stalin’s Nose by Eugene Yelchin
- 2011 Winner: *Moon over Manifest* by Clare Vanderpool**
Honor Books: *Turtle in Paradise* by Jennifer L. Holm
Heart of a Samurai by Margi Preus
Dark Emperor and Other Poems of the Night by Joyce Sidman
One Crazy Summer by Rita Williams-Garcia
- 2010 Winner: *When You Reach Me* by Rebecca Stead**
Honor Books: *Claudette Colvin: Twice Toward Justice* by Phillip Hoose
The Evolution of Calpurnia Tate by Jacqueline Kelly
Where the Mountain Meets the Moon by Grace Lin
The Mostly True Adventures of Homer P. Figg by Rodman Philbrick
- 2009 Winner: *The Graveyard Book* by Neil Gaiman**
Honor Books: *The Underneath* by Kathi Appelt
The Surrender Tree: Poems of Cuba’s Struggle for Freedom by Margarita Engle
Savvy by Ingrid Law
After Tupac & D Foster by Jacqueline Woodson
- 2008 Winner: *Good Masters! Sweet Ladies! Voices from a Medieval Village* by Laura Amy Schiltz**
Honor Books: *Elijah of Buxton* by Christopher Paul Curtis
The Wednesday Wars by Gary D. Schmidt
Feathers by Jacqueline Woodson
- 2007 Winner: *The Higher Power of Lucky* by Susan Patron**
Honor Books: *Penny from Heaven* by Jennifer L. Holm
Hattie Big Sky by Kirby Larson
Rules by Cynthia Lord
- 2006 Winner: *Criss Cross* by Lynne Rae Perkins**
Honor Books: *Whittington* by Alan Armstrong
Hitler Youth: Growing Up in Hitler’s Shadow by Susan Campbell Bartoletti
Princess Academy by Shannon Hale
Show Way by Jacqueline Woodson
- 2005 Winner: *Kira-Kira* by Cynthia Kadohata**
Honor Books: *Al Capone Does My Shirts* by Gennifer Choldenko
The Voice that Challenged a Nation: Marian Anderson and the Struggle for Equal Rights by Russell Freedman
Lizzie Bright and the Buckminster Boy by Gary D. Schmidt

- 2004 Winner: *The Tale of Despereaux: Being the Story of a Mouse, a Princess, Some Soup, and a Spool of Thread* by Kate DiCamillo**
Honor Books: *Olive's Ocean* by Kevin Henkes
An American Plague: The True and Terrifying Story of the Yellow Fever Epidemic of 1793 by Jim Murphy
- 2003 Winner: *Crispin: The Cross of Lead* by Avi**
Honor Books: *The House of the Scorpion* by Nancy Farmer
Pictures of Hollis Woods by Patricia Reilly Giff
Hoot by Carl Hiaasen
A Corner of the Universe by Ann M. Martin
Surviving the Applewhites by Stephanie S. Tolan
- 2002 Winner: *A Single Shard* by Linda Sue Park**
Honor Books: *Everything on a Waffle* by Polly Horvath
Carver: A Life In Poems by Marilyn Nelson
- 2001 Winner: *A Year Down Yonder* by Richard Peck**
Honor Books: *Hope Was Here* by Joan Bauer
Because of Winn-Dixie by Kate DiCamillo
Joey Pigza Loses Control by Jack Gantos
The Wanderer by Sharon Creech
- 2000 Winner: *Bud, Not Buddy* by Christopher Paul Curtis**
Honor Books: *Getting Near to Baby* by by Audrey Couloubis
Our Only May Amelia by Jennifer L. Holm
26 Fairmount Avenue by Tomie dePaola
- 1999 Winner: *Holes* by Louis Sachar**
Honor Book: *A Long Way from Chicago* by Richard Peck
- 1998 Winner: *Out of the Dust* by Karen Hesse**
Honor Books: *Ella Enchanted* by Gail Carson Levine
Lily's Crossing by Patricia Reilly Giff
Wringer by Jerry Spinelli
- 1997 Winner: *The View from Saturday* by E.L. Konigsburg**
Honor Books: *A Girl Named Disaster* by Nancy Farmer
Moorchild by Eloise McGraw
The Thief by Megan Whalen Turner
Belle Prater's Boy by Ruth White
- 1996 Winner: *The Midwife's Apprentice* by Karen Cushman**
Honor Books: *What Jamie Saw* by Carolyn Coman
The Watsons Go to Birmingham: 1963 by Christopher Paul Curtis
Yolonda's Genius by Carol Fenner
The Great Fire by Jim Murphy
- 1995 Winner: *Walk Two Moons* by Sharon Creech**
Honor Books: *Catherine, Called Birdy* by Karen Cushman
The Ear, the Eye and the Arm by Nancy Farmer
- 1994 Winner: *The Giver* by Lois Lowry**

- Honor Books: *Crazy Lady* by Jane Leslie Conly
Dragon's Gate by Laurence Yep
Eleanor Roosevelt: A Life of Discovery by Russell Freedman
- 1993 Winner: *Missing May* by Cynthia Rylant**
Honor Books: *What Hearts* by Bruce Brooks
The Dark-Thirty: Southern Tales of the Supernatural by Patricia McKissack
Somewhere in the Darkness by Walter Dean Myers
- 1992 Winner: *Shiloh* by Phyllis Reynolds Naylor**
Honor Books: *Nothing But the Truth: a Documentary Novel* by Avi
The Wright Brothers: How They Invented the Airplane by Russell Freedman
- 1991 Winner: *Maniac Magee* by Jerry Spinelli**
Honor Book: *The True Confessions of Charlotte Doyle* by Avi
- 1990 Winner: *Number the Stars* by Lois Lowry**
Honor Books: *Afternoon of the Elves* by Janet Taylor Lisle
Shabanu, Daughter of the Wind by Suzanne Fisher Staples
The Winter Room by Gary Paulsen
- 1989 Winner: *Joyful Noise: Poems for Two Voices* by Paul Fleischman**
Honor Books: *In the Beginning: Creation Stories from Around the World* by Virginia Hamilton
Scorpions by Walter Dean Myers
- 1988 Winner: *Lincoln: A Photobiography* by Russell Freedman**
Honor Books: *After the Rain* by Norma Fox Mazer
Hatchet by Gary Paulsen
- 1987 Winner: *The Whipping Boy* by Sid Fleischman**
Honor Books: *A Fine White Dust* by Cynthia Rylant
On My Honor by Marion Dane Bauer
Volcano: The Eruption and Healing of Mount St. Helens by Patricia Lauber
- 1986 Winner: *Sarah, Plain and Tall* by Patricia MacLachlan**
Honor Books: *Commodore Perry in the Land of the Shogun* by Rhoda Blumberg
Dogsong by Gary Paulsen
- 1985 Winner: *The Hero and the Crown* by Robin McKinley**
Honor Books: *Like Jake and Me* by Mavis Jukes
The Moves Make the Man by Bruce Brooks
One-Eyed Cat by Paula Fox
- 1984 Winner: *Dear Mr. Henshaw* by Beverly Cleary**
Honor Books: *The Sign of the Beaver* by Elizabeth George Speare
A Solitary Blue by Cynthia Voigt
Sugaring Time by Kathryn Lasky
The Wish Giver: Three Tales of Coven Tree by Bill Brittain
- 1983 Winner: *Dacey's Song* by Cynthia Voigt**
Honor Books: *The Blue Sword* by Robin McKinley
Doctor DeSoto by William Steig
Graven Images by Paul Fleischman

Homesick: My Own Story by Jean Fritz
Sweet Whispers, Brother Rush by Virginia Hamilton

- 1982 Winner:** ***A Visit to William Blake's Inn: Poems for Innocent and Experienced Travelers* by Nancy Willard**
Honor Books: *Ramona Quimby, Age 8* by Beverly Cleary
Upon the Head of the Goat: A Childhood in Hungary 1939-1944 by Aranka Siegal
- 1981 Winner:** ***Jacob Have I Loved* by Katherine Paterson**
Honor Books: *The Fledgling* by Jane Langton
A Ring of Endless Light by Madeleine L'Engle
- 1980 Winner:** ***A Gathering of Days: A New England Girl's Journal, 1830-1832* by Joan W. Blos**
Honor Book: *The Road from Home: The Story of an Armenian Girl* by David Kherdian
- 1979 Winner:** ***The Westing Game* by Ellen Raskin**
Honor Book: *The Great Gilly Hopkins* by Katherine Paterson
- 1978 Winner:** ***Bridge to Terabithia* by Katherine Paterson**
Honor Books: *Ramona and Her Father* by Beverly Cleary
Anpao: An American Indian Odyssey by Jamake Highwater
- 1977 Winner:** ***Roll of Thunder, Hear My Cry* by Mildred D. Taylor**
Honor Books: *Abel's Island* by William Steig
A String in the Harp by Nancy Bond
- 1976 Winner:** ***The Grey King* by Susan Cooper**
Honor Books: *The Hundred Penny Box* by Sharon Bell Mathis
Dragonwings by Laurence Yep
- 1975 Winner:** ***M. C. Higgins, the Great* by Virginia Hamilton**
Honor Books: *Figgs & Phantoms* by Ellen Raskin
My Brother Sam is Dead by James Lincoln Collier & Christopher Collier
The Perilous Gard by Elizabeth Marie Pope
Philip Hall Likes Me, I Reckon Maybe by Bette Greene
- 1974 Winner:** ***The Slave Dancer* by Paula Fox**
Honor Book: *The Dark Is Rising* by Susan Cooper
- 1973 Winner:** ***Julie of the Wolves* by Jean Craighead George**
Honor Books: *Frog and Toad Together* by Arnold Lobel
The Upstairs Room by Johanna Reiss
The Witches of Worm by Zilpha Keatley Snyder
- 1972 Winner:** ***Mrs. Frisby and the Rats of NIMH* by Robert C. O'Brien**
Honor Books: *Incident at Hawk's Hill* by Allan W. Eckert
The Planet of Junior Brown by Virginia Hamilton
The Tombs of Atuan by Ursula K. LeGuin
Annie and the Old One by Miska Miles
The Headless Cupid by Zilpha Keatley Snyder
- 1971 Winner:** ***Summer of the Swans* by Betsy Byars**
Honor Books: *Knee Knock Rise* by Natalie Babbitt
Enchantress from the Stars by Sylvia Louise Engdahl

Sing Down the Moon by Scott O'Dell

- 1970 Winner:** ***Souder* by William H. Armstrong**
Honor Books: *Our Eddie* by Sulamith Ish-Kishor
The Many Ways of Seeing: An Introduction to the Pleasures of Art by Janet Gaylord Moore
Journey Outside by Mary Q. Steele
- 1969 Winner:** ***The High King* by Lloyd Alexander**
Honor Books: *To Be a Slave* by Julius Lester
When Shlemiel Went to Warsaw and Other Stories by Isaac Bashevis Singer
- 1968 Winner:** ***From the Mixed-Up Files of Mrs. Basil E. Frankweiler* by E. L. Konigsburg**
Honor Books: *Jennifer, Hecate, Macbeth, William McKinley, and Me, Elizabeth* by E. L. Konigsburg
The Black Pearl by Scott O'Dell
The Fearsome Inn by Isaac Bashevis Singer
The Egypt Game by Zilpha Keatley Snyder
- 1967 Winner:** ***Up a Road Slowly* by Irene Hunt**
Honor Books: *The King's Fifth* by Scott O'Dell
Zlateh the Goat and Other Stories by Isaac Bashevis Singer
The Jazz Man by Mary Hays Weik
- 1966 Winner:** ***I, Juan de Pareja* by Elizabeth Borton de Trevino**
Honor Books: *The Black Cauldron* by Lloyd Alexander
The Animal Family by Randall Jarrell
The Noonday Friends by Mary Stolz
- 1965 Winner:** ***Shadow of a Bull* by Maia Wojciechowska**
Honor Book: *Across Five Aprils* by Irene Hunt
- 1964 Winner:** ***It's Like This, Cat* by Emily Neville**
Honor Books: *Rascal: A Memoir of a Better Era* by Sterling North
The Loner by Ester Wier (McKay)
- 1963 Winner:** ***A Wrinkle in Time* by Madeleine L'Engle**
Honor Books: *Thistle and Thyme: Tales and Legends from Scotland* by Sorche Nic Leodhas, pseud. (Leclaire Alger)
Men of Athens by Olivia Coolidge
- 1962 Winner:** ***The Bronze Bow* by Elizabeth George Speare**
Honor Books: *Frontier Living* by Edwin Tunis
The Golden Goblet by Eloise Jarvis McGraw
Belling the Tiger by Mary Stolz
- 1961 Winner:** ***Island of the Blue Dolphins* by Scott O'Dell**
Honor Books: *America Moves Forward: A History for Peter* by Gerald W. Johnson
Old Ramon by Jack Schaefer
The Cricket in Times Square by George Selden, pseud. (George Thompson)
- 1960 Winner:** ***Onion John* by Joseph Krumgold**
Honor Books: *My Side of the Mountain* by Jean Craighead George
America Is Born: A History for Peter by Gerald W. Johnson
The Gammage Cup by Carol Kendall

- 1959 Winner: *The Witch of Blackbird Pond* by Elizabeth George Speare**
Honor Books: *The Family Under The Bridge* by Natalie Savage Carlson
Along Came a Dog by Meindert DeJong
Chucaro: Wild Pony of the Pampa by Francis Kalnay
The Perilous Road by William O. Steele
- 1958 Winner: *Rifles for Watie* by Harold Keith**
Honor Books: *The Horsecatcher* by Mari Sandoz
Gone-Away Lake by Elizabeth Enright
The Great Wheel by Robert Lawson
Tom Paine, Freedom's Apostle by Leo Gurko
- 1957 Winner: *Miracles on Maple Hill* by Virginia Sorensen**
Honor Books: *Old Yeller* by Fred Gipson
The House of Sixty Fathers by Meindert DeJong
Mr. Justice Holmes by Clara Ingram Judson
The Corn Grows Ripe by Dorothy Rhoads
Black Fox of Lorne by Marguerite de Angeli
- 1956 Winner: *Carry On, Mr. Bowditch* by Jean Lee Latham**
Honor Books: *The Secret River* by Marjorie Kinnan Rawlings
The Golden Name Day by Jennie Lindquist
Men, Microscopes, and Living Things by Katherine Shippen
- 1955 Winner: *The Wheel on the School* by Meindert DeJong**
Honor Books: *Courage of Sarah Noble* by Alice Dalgliesh
Banner in The Sky by James Ullman
- 1954 Winner: *...And Now Miguel* by Joseph Krumgold**
Honor Books: *All Alone* by Claire Huchet Bishop
Shadrach by Meindert DeJong
Hurry Home, Candy by Meindert DeJong
Theodore Roosevelt, Fighting Patriot by Clara Ingram Judson
Magic Maize by Mary & Conrad Buff
- 1953 Winner: *Secret of the Andes* by Ann Nolan Clark**
Honor Books: *Charlotte's Web* by E. B. White
Moccasin Trail by Eloise Jarvis McGraw
Red Sails to Capri by Ann Weil
The Bears on Hemlock Mountain by Alice Dalgliesh
Birthdays of Freedom, Vol. 1 by Genevieve Foster
- 1952 Winner: *Ginger Pye* by Eleanor Estes**
Honor Books: *Americans Before Columbus* by Elizabeth Baity
Minn of the Mississippi by Holling C. Holling
The Defender by Nicholas Kalashnikoff
The Light at Tern Rock by Julia Sauer
The Apple and the Arrow by Mary & Conrad Buff
- 1951 Winner: *Amos Fortune, Free Man* by Elizabeth Yates**
Honor Books: *Better Known as Johnny Appleseed* by Mabel Leigh Hunt
Gandhi, Fighter Without a Sword by Jeanette Eaton

Abraham Lincoln, Friend of the People by Clara Ingram Judson
The Story of Appleby Capple by Anne Parrish

- 1950 Winner: *The Door in the Wall* by Marguerite de Angeli**
Honor Books: *Tree of Freedom* by Rebecca Caudill
The Blue Cat of Castle Town by Catherine Coblentz
Kildee House by Rutherford Montgomery
George Washington by Genevieve Foster
Song of The Pines: A Story of Norwegian Lumbering in Wisconsin by Walter & Marion Havighurst
- 1949 Winner: *King of the Wind* by Marguerite Henry**
Honor Books: *Seabird* by Holling C. Holling
Daughter of the Mountains by Louise Rankin
My Father's Dragon by Ruth S. Gannett
Story of the Negro by Arna Bontemps
- 1948 Winner: *The Twenty-One Balloons* by William Pène du Bois**
Honor Books: *Pancakes-Paris* by Claire Huchet Bishop
Li Lun, Lad of Courage by Carolyn Treffinger
The Quaint and Curious Quest of Johnny Longfoot by Catherine Besterman
The Cow-Tail Switch, and Other West African Stories by Harold Courlander
Misty of Chincoteague by Marguerite Henry
- 1947 Winner: *Miss Hickory* by Carolyn Sherwin Bailey**
Honor Books: *Wonderful Year* by Nancy Barnes
Big Tree by Mary & Conrad Buff
The Heavenly Tenants by William Maxwell
The Avion My Uncle Flew by Cyrus Fisher, pseud. (Darwin L. Teilhet)
The Hidden Treasure of Glaston by Eleanor Jewett
- 1946 Winner: *Strawberry Girl* by Lois Lenski**
Honor Books: *Justin Morgan Had a Horse* by Marguerite Henry
The Moved-Outers by Florence Crannell Means
Bhimsa, the Dancing Bear by Christine Weston
New Found World by Katherine Shippen
- 1945 Winner: *Rabbit Hill* by Robert Lawson**
Honor Books: *The Hundred Dresses* by Eleanor Estes
The Silver Pencil by Alice Dalgliesh
Abraham Lincoln's World by Genevieve Foster
Lone Journey: The Life of Roger Williams by Jeanette Eaton
- 1944 Winner: *Johnny Tremain* by Esther Forbes**
Honor Books: *These Happy Golden Years* by Laura Ingalls Wilder
Fog Magic by Julia Sauer
Rufus M. by Eleanor Estes
Mountain Born by Elizabeth Yates
- 1943 Winner: *Adam of the Road* by Elizabeth Janet Gray**
Honor Books: *The Middle Moffat* by Eleanor Estes
Have You Seen Tom Thumb? by Mabel Leigh Hunt
- 1942 Winner: *The Matchlock Gun* by Walter Edmonds**

- Honor Books: *Little Town on the Prairie* by Laura Ingalls Wilder
George Washington's World by Genevieve Foster
Indian Captive: The Story of Mary Jemison by Lois Lenski
Down Ryton Water by Eva Roe Gaggin
- 1941 Winner: *Call It Courage* by Armstrong Sperry**
Honor Books: *Blue Willow* by Doris Gates
Young Mac of Fort Vancouver by Mary Jane Carr
The Long Winter by Laura Ingalls Wilder
Nansen by Anna Gertrude Hall
- 1940 Winner: *Daniel Boone* by James Daugherty**
Honor Books: *The Singing Tree* by Kate Seredy
Runner of the Mountain Tops: The Life of Louis Agassiz by Mabel Robinson
By the Shores of Silver Lake by Laura Ingalls Wilder
Boy with a Pack by Stephen W. Meader
- 1939 Winner: *Thimble Summer* by Elizabeth Enright**
Honor Books: *Nino* by Valenti Angelo
Mr. Popper's Penguins by Richard & Florence Atwater
Hello the Boat! by Phyllis Crawford
Leader By Destiny: George Washington, Man and Patriot by Jeanette Eaton
Penn by Elizabeth Janet Gray
- 1938 Winner: *The White Stag* by Kate Seredy**
Honor Books: *Pecos Bill* by James Cloyd Bowman
Bright Island by Mabel Robinson
On the Banks of Plum Creek by Laura Ingalls Wilder
- 1937 Winner: *Roller Skates* by Ruth Sawyer**
Honor Books: *Phebe Fairchild: Her Book* by Lois Lenski
Whistler's Van by Idwal Jones
The Golden Basket by Ludwig Bemelmans
Winterbound by Margery Bianco
The Codfish Musket by Agnes Hewes
Audubon by Constance Rourke
- 1936 Winner: *Caddie Woodlawn* by Carol Ryrie Brink**
Honor Books: *Honk, the Moose* by Phil Stong
The Good Master by Kate Seredy
Young Walter Scott by Elizabeth Janet Gray
All Sail Set: A Romance of the Flying Cloud by Armstrong Sperry
- 1935 Winner: *Dobry* by Monica Shannon**
Honor Books: *Pageant of Chinese History* by Elizabeth Seeger
Davy Crockett by Constance Rourke
Day on Skates: The Story of a Dutch Picnic by Hilda Von Stockum
- 1934 Winner: *Invincible Louisa: The Story of the Author of Little Women* by Cornelia Meigs**
Honor Books: *The Forgotten Daughter* by Caroline Snedeker
Swords of Steel by Elsie Singmaster
ABC Bunny by Wanda Gág
Winged Girl of Knossos by Erik Berry, pseud. (Allena Best)

New Land by Sarah Schmidt
Big Tree of Bunlahy: Stories of My Own Countryside by Padraic Colum
Glory of the Seas by Agnes Hewes
Apprentice of Florence by Ann Kyle

- 1933 Winner: *Young Fu of the Upper Yangtze* by Elizabeth Lewis**
Honor Books: *Swift Rivers* by Cornelia Meigs
The Railroad to Freedom: A Story of the Civil War by Hildegard Swift
Children of the Soil: A Story of Scandinavia by Nora Burglon
- 1932 Winner: *Waterless Mountain* by Laura Adams Armer**
Honor Books: *The Fairy Circus* by Dorothy P. Lathrop
Calico Bush by Rachel Field
Boy of the South Seas by Eunice Tietjens
Out of the Flame by Eloise Lowensbery
Jane's Island by Marjorie Allee
Truce of the Wolf and Other Tales of Old Italy by Mary Gould Davis
- 1931 Winner: *The Cat Who Went to Heaven* by Elizabeth Coatsworth**
Honor Books: *Floating Island* by Anne Parrish
The Dark Star of Itza: The Story of A Pagan Princess by Alida Malkus
Queer Person by Ralph Hubbard
Mountains are Free by Julie Davis Adams
Spice and the Devil's Cave by Agnes Hewes
Meggy MacIntosh by Elizabeth Janet Gray
Garram the Hunter: A Boy of the Hill Tribes by Herbert Best
Ood-Le-Uk the Wanderer by Alice Lide & Margaret Johansen
- 1930 Winner: *Hitty, Her First Hundred Years* by Rachel Field**
Honor Books: *A Daughter of the Seine: The Life of Madame Roland* by Jeanette Eaton
Pran of Albania by Elizabeth Miller
Jumping-Off Place by Marion Hurd McNeely
The Tangle-Coated Horse and Other Tales by Ella Young
Vaino by Julia Davis Adams
Little Blacknose by Hildegard Swift
- 1929 Winner: *The Trumpeter of Krakow* by Eric P. Kelly**
Honor Books: *Pigtail of Ah Lee Ben Loo* by John Bennett
Millions of Cats by Wanda Gág
The Boy Who Was by Grace Hallock
Clearing Weather by Cornelia Meigs
Runaway Papoose by Grace Moon
Tod of the Fens by Elinor Whitney
- 1928 Winner: *Gay Neck, the Story of a Pigeon* by Dhan Gopal Mukerji**
Honor Books: *The Wonder Smith and His Son* by Ella Young
Downright Dencey by Caroline Snedeker
- 1927 Winner: *Smoky, the Cowhorse* by Will James**
- 1926 Winner: *Shen of the Sea* by Arthur Bowie Chrisman**
Honor Book: *The Voyagers: Being Legends and Romances of Atlantic Discovery* by Padraic Colum

- 1925 Winner: *Tales from Silver Lands* by Charles Finger**
Honor Books: *Nicholas: A Manhattan Christmas Story* by Annie Carroll Moore
The Dream Coach by Anne Parrish
- 1924 Winner: *The Dark Frigate* by Charles Hawes**
- 1923 Winner: *The Voyages of Doctor Dolittle* by Hugh Lofting**
- 1922 Winner: *The Story of Mankind* by Hendrik Willem van Loon**
Honor Books: *The Great Quest* by Charles Hawes
Cedric the Forester by Bernard Marshall
The Old Tobacco Shop: A True Account of What Befell a Little Boy in Search of Adventure by William Bowen
The Golden Fleece and the Heroes Who Lived Before Achilles by Padraic Colum
The Windy Hill by Cornelia Meigs