

2025 CHILDREN'S BOOK INTERNATIONAL WINNERS AND FINALISTS

Adventure

WINNER

FULL BOOK TITLE: *The Adventures of Lucky Rocky: Two-in-One Edition*

AUTHOR NAME: Ricardo Demi

PUBLISHER NAME: Magic of Discoveries LLC

FINALISTS

FULL BOOK TITLE: *AGLIO AND OLIO'S FIRST ADVENTURE*

AUTHOR NAME: LUCIANO ANDREAS VALLONE

PUBLISHER NAME: TESOROS PUBLISHING

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Dillo & Dove: Where does trash go?*

AUTHOR NAME: LR Martin

PUBLISHER NAME: Unpublished

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Heroes of the Nebula*

AUTHOR NAME: Riya Goswami

PUBLISHER NAME: Unpublished

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Lulu, Lou and YOU – A Volcano Voyage*

AUTHOR NAME: Dennis Kavak

PUBLISHER NAME: Maria Marsky Publishing

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Ichi-ban Goes Hiking*

AUTHOR NAME: Julie Maurer

PUBLISHER NAME: Puppy Paws Publishing

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Pita the Cabo Dog*

AUTHOR NAME: Colleen Stark

PUBLISHER NAME: Unpublished

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Grace Retraces Her Day*

AUTHOR NAME: Cheryl Lock

PUBLISHER NAME: Mindstir Media

FULL BOOK TITLE: *The Conversation*

AUTHOR NAME: Michelle Massie

PUBLISHER NAME: Unpublished

Animals/Pets

WINNER

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Free Bird: Flaco the Owl's Dreams Take Flight*

AUTHOR NAME: Christine Mott

PUBLISHER NAME: Lantern Publishing & Media

FINALISTS

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Joe Wala the Keeper*

AUTHOR NAME: Molly J. Hoffman

PUBLISHER NAME: Unpublished

FULL BOOK TITLE: *If I had a...*

AUTHOR NAME: Emily Messner

PUBLISHER NAME: Unpublished

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Rolph the Concert Wolf*

AUTHOR NAME: Aina Elina Roenningen

PUBLISHER NAME: Barnes & Noble Press

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Brutus and the Relay Race*

AUTHOR NAME: Tif E. Boots

PUBLISHER NAME: ShelteringTree.Earth, LLC

FULL BOOK TITLE: *KARA AND THE MAGIC CAMPER*

AUTHOR NAME: JESSICA POLICARPO

PUBLISHER NAME: JESSICA POLICARPO

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Ichiban Goes Hiking*

AUTHOR NAME: Julie Maurer

PUBLISHER NAME: Puppy Paws Publishing

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Gertie Braves the River*

AUTHOR NAME: Louis Papadakis

PUBLISHER NAME: Louis Papadakis

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Sammys Voyage to a New Home: True Adventures of a Small Cat Finding His Place in a Big World-Ages 4-8*

AUTHOR NAME: Debra Siraco, Zareen Wilhelm

PUBLISHER NAME: BrainBloom

Art

WINNER

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Piloncillo the Little Mouse: A Decision for the Greater Good*

AUTHOR NAME: Diana Scott

PUBLISHER NAME: Palmetto Publishing

Bedtime

WINNER

FULL BOOK TITLE: *The Things I Love*

AUTHOR NAME: Christina M. Carroll ILLUSTRATOR NAME: Jenny Slife

PUBLISHER NAME: The Orange Chair, LLC

FINALISTS

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Night Night Cat*

AUTHOR NAME: Maria Ashworth

PUBLISHER NAME: Big Belly Book Co.

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Lore of the Dugal Bears*

AUTHOR NAME: Howard Palmer

PUBLISHER NAME: HEPalmer

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Where Have You Been, Little Max?*

AUTHOR NAME: Ricardo Demi

PUBLISHER NAME: Magic of Discoveries LLC

FULL BOOK TITLE: *The Conversation*

AUTHOR NAME: Michelle Massie

PUBLISHER NAME: Unpublished

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Nanuk*

AUTHOR NAME: Chayton Alexander Tecumseh

PUBLISHER NAME: Unpublished

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Miausi: The Calico Cat*

AUTHOR NAME: Karen Castellanos Vasquez

PUBLISHER NAME: Archway Publishing

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Eli the Eagle*
AUTHOR NAME: Barbara Anderson
PUBLISHER NAME: Archway Publishing

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Gators Are Great*
AUTHOR NAME: Leann Edwards
PUBLISHER NAME: Archway Publishing

Best Cover Design-Fiction

WINNER

FULL BOOK TITLE: *John and His Magical Pig*
AUTHOR NAME: Haoying Zhang
PUBLISHER NAME: Children Pay Children Corporation

FINALISTS

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Piloncillo the Little Mouse: A Decision for the Greater Good*
AUTHOR NAME: Diana Scott
PUBLISHER NAME: Palmetto Publishing

FULL BOOK TITLE: *The Christmas Eve Blizzard*
AUTHOR NAME: Scott Withers
PUBLISHER NAME: Severe Wx Live LLC

FULL BOOK TITLE: *The Things I Love*
AUTHOR NAME: Christina M. Carroll ILLUSTRATOR NAME: Jenny Slife
PUBLISHER NAME: The Orange Chair, LLC

Biography

WINNER

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Adopted for Good*
AUTHOR NAME: Dede Kolb
PUBLISHER NAME: Inspiring Light

FINALISTS

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Roger Staubach: A Winner Both On and Off the Field*
AUTHOR NAME: A.J. Chilson
PUBLISHER NAME: KDP

Board Books

WINNER

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Miss Mouse Baked a Cake*

AUTHOR NAME: Laura Payne

PUBLISHER NAME: Laura Craft LLC

FINALISTS

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Gigglet: The Happy Little Piglet Goes to School*

AUTHOR NAME: A.M. Berkowitz

PUBLISHER NAME: A.M. Berkowitz

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Nanuk*

AUTHOR NAME: Chayton Alexander Tecumseh

PUBLISHER NAME: Unpublished

Chapter Book

WINNER

FULL BOOK TITLE: *UP SO FLOATING*

AUTHOR NAME: Maureen Hourihan

PUBLISHER NAME: Archway Publishing

FINALISTS

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Clan of Critters*

AUTHOR NAME: Marcy Ray Dodd

PUBLISHER NAME: Pegasus Publishers

FULL BOOK TITLE: *SAVE THE QUEEN*

AUTHOR NAME: Chelsea Grimes

PUBLISHER NAME: Unpublished

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Chloe, The "Military Brat"*

AUTHOR NAME: Al Zeine

PUBLISHER NAME: Al Zeine Books

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Garden Fairies*

AUTHOR NAME: C.L. Watson

PUBLISHER NAME: Sidhe Productions

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Black Hole Radio - Furilani*
AUTHOR NAME: Ann Birdgenaw
PUBLISHER NAME: DartFrog Books

Children's Literature

WINNER

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Charlotte's Ghosts: The Mystery of the Vanishing Boy*
AUTHOR NAME: L. P. Simone
PUBLISHER NAME: Dragon Song Publishing

FINALISTS

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Toys Come Alive*
AUTHOR NAME: Evelyn Wong
PUBLISHER NAME: Evelyn Wong

FULL BOOK TITLE: *The Words I Wrote: A Collection of Children's Short Stories*
AUTHOR NAME: Shambhavi Manoj
PUBLISHER NAME: Unpublished

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Wings of Glitter*
AUTHOR NAME: Miranda Sada
PUBLISHER NAME: Miranda Valdés Sada

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Matti and Anty. The Secret World of Icelandic Ants*
AUTHOR NAME: Marco Mancini /Laufey Jónsdóttir
PUBLISHER NAME: Bókafélagið

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Going to Live with Auntie*
AUTHOR NAME: Andria Williams
PUBLISHER NAME: AW Books, LLC

FULL BOOK TITLE: *The Girl & The Ocean*
AUTHOR NAME: Lei'a Haff
PUBLISHER NAME: Self-Published

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Noah Guy Who Likes to Paint*
AUTHOR NAME: Jeanne & Tyler Ward
PUBLISHER NAME: Mindstir Media

FULL BOOK TITLE: *HEAR ME ROAR*
AUTHOR NAME: MARIANNA BUFFOLINO
PUBLISHER NAME: IANNOTTA CREATIONS CORP

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Joe Wala the Keeper*
AUTHOR NAME: Molly J. Hoffman
PUBLISHER NAME Unpublished

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Jua The Kikuyu Sun Princess*
AUTHOR NAME: Esther Kamoche Robinson
PUBLISHER NAME: Unpublished

Educational

WINNER

FULL BOOK TITLE: *What Is The Law?*
AUTHOR NAME: Aisha Gokada
PUBLISHER NAME: Swathi Chandrala in partnership with Amazon KDP

FINALISTS

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Joe Wala the Keeper*
AUTHOR NAME: Molly J. Hoffman
PUBLISHER NAME Unpublished

FULL BOOK TITLE: *MACIE AND THE MAGIC VEGGIES*
AUTHOR NAME: PETER CONTARDO
PUBLISHER NAME: MINDSTIR MEDIA

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Jealous Jitzey*
AUTHOR NAME: Stevi Reed
PUBLISHER NAME: Anchored Hope Publishing

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Puff and Spotzie Adventures Oregon Trail*
AUTHOR NAME: Courtney Morstatter
PUBLISHER NAME: Weeva

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Terrible de la Sierra Morena*
AUTHOR NAME: Patricia A. Schechter Gómez
PUBLISHER NAME: UNPUBLISHED

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Sue's Splashy Surprise: A Pond-ering Adventure*

AUTHOR NAME: Mamimo Chan

PUBLISHER NAME: Partridge Singapore

FULL BOOK TITLE: *How to Draw 111 Amazing and Cute Animals, Fairy-tale, Characters, Flowers, Foods, Gifts, and other Themes. The Magic of Creativity for Kids*

AUTHOR NAME: Ricardo Demi

PUBLISHER NAME: Magic of Discoveries LLC

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Our Choices*

AUTHOR NAME: Dr. Chisato Hotta

PUBLISHER NAME: Barnes & Noble Press

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Piloncillo the Little Mouse: A Decision for the Greater Good*

AUTHOR NAME: Diana Scott

PUBLISHER NAME: Palmetto Publishing

Fable

WINNER

FULL BOOK TITLE: *The Frog Prince in His Little Kingdom*

AUTHOR NAME: Ailin Iwan

PUBLISHER NAME: Newman Springs Publishing

FINALISTS

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Piloncillo the Little Mouse: A Decision for the Greater Good*

AUTHOR NAME: Diana Scott

PUBLISHER NAME: Palmetto Publishing

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Flight to the Light*

AUTHOR NAME: Danny Barron

PUBLISHER NAME: WestBow Press

FULL BOOK TITLE: *The Silent Song of Harpo*

AUTHOR NAME: Charles Presti

PUBLISHER NAME: Unpublished

FULL BOOK TITLE: *GREAT GRANNY GOOSE SAYS: A Tale of New Orleans*

AUTHOR NAME: Jo Ann Schmitt

PUBLISHER NAME: AuthorHouse

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Charlie and the Scavenger Hunt*
AUTHOR NAME: Tif E. Boots
PUBLISHER NAME: ShelteringTree.Earth, LLC

Fairy Tale

WINNER

FULL BOOK TITLE: *The Science Behind the Three Little Pigs*
AUTHOR NAME: Igor Lima
PUBLISHER NAME: Igor Lima

FINALISTS

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Oleyn*
AUTHOR NAME: Olive Wang
PUBLISHER NAME: Children Pay Children Corporation

Fantasy

WINNER

FULL BOOK TITLE: *DELILAH VERSUS THE GHASTLY GRIM*
AUTHOR NAME: T. L. McCoy
PUBLISHER NAME: Unpublished--Expected publication date: April 2025

FINALISTS

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Dinosaur Carnival*
AUTHOR NAME: S.P. Somtow
PUBLISHER NAME: Diplodocus Press

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Mica Powers and the Legend of the Superstitions*
AUTHOR NAME: M.S.V. Walker pen.
PUBLISHER NAME: Desert Star Media, LLC

FULL BOOK TITLE: *SUPER SUPER CHARRO*
AUTHOR NAME: Carlos Lozano
PUBLISHER NAME: N/A

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Guardians of the Cosmic Clocks: The Emerald Tablets*
AUTHOR NAME: Jabril Yousef Faraj
PUBLISHER NAME: DANK ONION

Fiction-General

WINNER

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Creatures of Intuiland*

AUTHOR NAME: Ana Usero

PUBLISHER NAME: Ana Usero

FINALISTS

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Wings and Whispers: Tales of Friendship, Volume 1*

AUTHOR NAME: Kaelen Felix

PUBLISHER NAME: Prolific Pulse Press LLC

Folklore

WINNER

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Mica Powers and the Legend of the Superstitions*

AUTHOR NAME: M.S.V. Walker pen.

PUBLISHER NAME: Desert Star Media, LLC

FINALISTS

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Terrible de la Sierra Morena*

AUTHOR NAME: Patricia A. Schechter Gómez

PUBLISHER NAME: UNPUBLISHED

Historical Fiction

WINNER

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Tiny Tales for the Teeming Mind*

AUTHOR NAME: Prabha Girish

PUBLISHER NAME: Self-Published through Amazon and Ingramspark

Historical Nonfiction

WINNER

FULL BOOK TITLE: *What Can I Be? I Can Be Anything!*

AUTHOR NAME: Maurice Jones

PUBLISHER NAME: Tellwell Publishing

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Theodore Roosevelt and the Summit that Saved Football*

AUTHOR NAME: A.J. Chilson

PUBLISHER NAME: KDP

Holiday

WINNER

FULL BOOK TITLE: *The Christmas Eve Blizzard*

AUTHOR NAME: Scott Withers

PUBLISHER NAME: Severe Wx Live LLC

FINALISTS

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Santa's Kid of The Year*

AUTHOR NAME: David Knoll

PUBLISHER NAME: Christian Faith Publishing

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Bones is Back: A Family Tradition for Halloween*

AUTHOR NAME: Marc Fetscherin

PUBLISHER NAME: Bones & Friends

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Little Fir With a Big Wish*

AUTHOR NAME: Maria Ashworth

PUBLISHER NAME: Big Belly Book Co.

FULL BOOK TITLE: *ECHO*

AUTHOR NAME: Kayli Armstrong

PUBLISHER NAME: Unpublished

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Valentine's Day for Ladybug*

AUTHOR NAME: A.J. Chilson

PUBLISHER NAME: KDP

Humor

WINNER

FULL BOOK TITLE: *This Fart Needs a Mom*

AUTHOR NAME: Samuel Senter

PUBLISHER NAME: KDP

FINALISTS

FULL BOOK TITLE: *The Way the Cookie Crumbled (and Other Positively Preposterous Poems) 2nd Edition*

AUTHOR NAME: Lizzy Judge

PUBLISHER NAME: The Armadillo's Pillow Ltd

Interactive

WINNER

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Bones is Back: A Family Tradition for Halloween*

AUTHOR NAME: Marc Fetscherin

PUBLISHER NAME: Bones & Friends

FINALISTS

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Barbara the Capybara*

AUTHOR NAME: Grace Liu

PUBLISHER NAME: Unpublished

FULL BOOK TITLE: *High Hopes Big Dreams*

AUTHOR NAME: Yolanda S Pascal

PUBLISHER NAME: Amphitrite Publishing

Inspirational

WINNER

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Beyond the Other Side of the Pond*

AUTHOR NAME: Lynn Van Allen

PUBLISHER NAME: Illumen Books

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Little Caddy's Big Dream*

AUTHOR NAME: Virginia O'Brien

PUBLISHER NAME: Virginia O'Brien

FINALISTS

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Just a Jam Jar: Filled with Endless Possibilities*

AUTHOR NAME: Dylan & Erica Turzak

PUBLISHER NAME: Sage Books Press

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Do you know?*

AUTHOR NAME: Rochelle Bourn Guidry

PUBLISHER NAME: Rochelle Bourn Guidry

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Chameleon and the Color of Brave: A Story about Domestic Violence*

AUTHOR NAME: Amanda Moore

PUBLISHER NAME: Amanda Moore

FULL BOOK TITLE: *I AM Affirmations: Volume 1*

AUTHOR NAME: Ma'at CC

PUBLISHER NAME: Presto Pages

FULL BOOK TITLE: *A Heart's Tale*

AUTHOR NAME: Katy Grant

PUBLISHER NAME: Unpublished

FULL BOOK TITLE: *The Sons & The Stars*

AUTHOR NAME: Rey A. Banda

PUBLISHER NAME: Northopolis Publishing Company

FULL BOOK TITLE: *The Phobia Club*

AUTHOR NAME: Jessica Russo

PUBLISHER NAME: Unpublished

FULL BOOK TITLE: *The Emotion Tamer*

AUTHOR NAME: Dorit Geifman Lugasy

PUBLISHER NAME: Niv-books

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Hazel's Wishy Musical Wish*

AUTHOR NAME: John Stuart

PUBLISHER NAME: Amazon KDP

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Gertie Braves the River*

AUTHOR NAME: Louis Papadakis

PUBLISHER NAME: Louis Papadakis

Legacy

WINNER

FULL BOOK TITLE: *The Red Eyes*

AUTHOR NAME: Lee Ching Kai

PUBLISHER NAME: The Inspiration Hub

FINALISTS

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Jesse and Luz: A Special Friendship*

AUTHOR NAME: A.J. Chilson

PUBLISHER NAME: KDP

Multicultural

WINNER

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Who Dries These Sad Eyes?*

AUTHOR NAME: Lisa Baker

PUBLISHER NAME: 3 R Press

FINALISTS

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Harriet and Her Freedom Lamp*

AUTHOR NAME: Dr. Elizabeth Uchegbu

PUBLISHER NAME: EUchegbu Publications

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Terrible de la Sierra Morena*

AUTHOR NAME: Patricia A. Schechter Gómez

PUBLISHER NAME: UNPUBLISHED

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Tiny Tales for the Teeming Mind*

AUTHOR NAME: Prabha Girish

PUBLISHER NAME: Self-Published through Amazon and Ingramspark

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Tomás Returns to School*

AUTHOR NAME: Xiomara Gallego-Bernard

PUBLISHER NAME: Xiomara Gallego-Bernard

FULL BOOK TITLE: *The Things I Love*

AUTHOR NAME: Christina M. Carroll ILLUSTRATOR NAME: Jenny Slife

PUBLISHER NAME: The Orange Chair, LLC

Mystery

WINNER

FULL BOOK TITLE: *The Silent Witness Mystery – A Case Twins Adventure*

AUTHOR NAME: Dorian Rockwood

PUBLISHER NAME: Insundry Productions Books

Nature

WINNER

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Cora's Garden Rescue: Nurturing Nature, Growing Kindness, and Saving Our Community's Green Spaces*

AUTHOR NAME: Sally Kashner

PUBLISHER NAME: Sally Kashner

FINALISTS

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Mr. Germ: A Germ's Mission*

AUTHOR NAME: Irene Eun

PUBLISHER NAME: Irene Eun

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Nanuk*

AUTHOR NAME: Chayton Alexander Tecumseh

PUBLISHER NAME: Unpublished

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Grandpa Loved Wild Things*

AUTHOR NAME: Melissa Rousu

PUBLISHER NAME: Melissa Rousu

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Meet the Trees*

AUTHOR NAME: Emily Dangremond

PUBLISHER NAME: Orange Hat Publishing

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Crickets in Austin*

AUTHOR NAME: Maria Ashworth

PUBLISHER NAME: Big Belly Book Co.

Parenting and Family

WINNER

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Don't Wake the Dragon*

AUTHOR NAME: Craig Ohlau

PUBLISHER NAME: Craig Ohlau

FINALISTS

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Piloncillo the Little Mouse: A Decision for the Greater Good*

AUTHOR NAME: Diana Scott

PUBLISHER NAME: Palmetto Publishing

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Her And Her Phone*

AUTHOR NAME: LaRon Bledsoe

PUBLISHER NAME: Unpublished

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Sian's Adventures With Grandma and Grandpa*

AUTHOR NAME: Jocilyn Carver

PUBLISHER NAME: Williams Commerce

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Chubby the Bear's Big Choice*

AUTHOR NAME: Daryl McCullough

PUBLISHER NAME: Archway Publishing

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Kabibbles A-B-C*

AUTHOR NAME: Amy R. Connelly

PUBLISHER NAME: luniverse

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Bertha the Ordinary Chicken*

AUTHOR NAME: Danna Southwell

PUBLISHER NAME: Archway Publishing

FULL BOOK TITLE: *The Guardian Wings*

AUTHOR NAME: Susan Kennard

PUBLISHER NAME: Balboa Press UK

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Bones is Back: A Family Tradition for Halloween*

AUTHOR NAME: Marc Fetscherin

PUBLISHER NAME: Bones & Friends

FULL BOOK TITLE: *I'm Proud of You*

AUTHOR NAME: Callie Blixrud

PUBLISHER NAME: Amazon KDP

Picture Book

WINNER

FULL BOOK TITLE: *The Jar of Laughter*

AUTHOR NAME: Joy Yi

PUBLISHER NAME: Wavelina Publishing

FINALISTS

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Hemi Bunny Finds a Mommy*

AUTHOR NAME: Nicole Metas

PUBLISHER NAME: Bibliobunnies

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Zee Zee The Humble Bee*

AUTHOR NAME: Michael Obiora

PUBLISHER NAME: Troubador Publishing

FULL BOOK TITLE: *The Not-so-little Tree*

AUTHOR NAME: Marcus Addison

PUBLISHER NAME: Starfish Bay Publishing

FULL BOOK TITLE: *John and His Magical Pig*

AUTHOR NAME: Haoying Zhang

PUBLISHER NAME: Children Pay Children Corporation

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Magic Ballet Shoes*

AUTHOR NAME: Raquel Lesser

PUBLISHER NAME: StoryBird

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Like Mother Like Daughter*

AUTHOR NAME: Robert F. Byrne

PUBLISHER NAME: Robert F. Byrne

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Mousey Mornings*

AUTHOR NAME: Fiona Lowry

PUBLISHER NAME: Three Geese and a Gander

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Lisbeth and the Littering Ladybugs*

AUTHOR NAME: P.E. Shadrick

PUBLISHER NAME P.E. Shadrick

FULL BOOK TITLE: *FORGET ME NOT*

AUTHOR NAME: Ying Song

PUBLISHER NAME: Unpublished

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Queen of the Mountain*

AUTHOR NAME: TAK Erzinger

PUBLISHER NAME: Rowanvale Books, Cardiff UK

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Jewel's Curls: Being Me*

AUTHOR NAME: Dr. Shon Shree Lewis

PUBLISHER NAME: Dr. Shon Shree Lewis

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Dream Big: Peyton's Hip-Hop Adventure*

AUTHOR NAME: Paula Banks

PUBLISHER NAME: Paula Banks

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Cora's Garden Rescue: Nurturing Nature, Growing Kindness, and Saving Our Community's Green Spaces*

AUTHOR NAME: Sally Kashner

PUBLISHER NAME: Sally Kashner

Poetry

WINNER

FULL BOOK TITLE: *The Way the Cookie Crumbled (and Other Positively Preposterous Poems) 2nd Edition*

AUTHOR NAME: Lizzy Judge

PUBLISHER NAME: The Armadillo's Pillow Ltd

FINALISTS

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Brave Little Wings*

AUTHOR NAME: Amy Steele

PUBLISHER NAME: Amy Steele

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Sun Hair, Good Hair*

AUTHOR NAME: Ma'at CC

PUBLISHER NAME: Presto Pages

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Minka and the Mouse*

AUTHOR NAME: Sabine Garvey

PUBLISHER NAME: Pegasus Elliot Mackenzie Publishers LTD.

Realistic Fiction

WINNER

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Elusive Common Sense – Why is Common Sense so hard to find? Book One in Series Growing Up Alex*

AUTHOR NAME: Betts Arney (Gail Buntin Blohowiak)

PUBLISHER NAME: GAB Publishing

Religious

WINNER

FULL BOOK TITLE: *This I Know: Seeing God in the World He Made*

AUTHOR NAME: Clay Anderson

PUBLISHER NAME: Swing High

FINALISTS

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Wheezy & Goliath – An Anti-Bullying Tale*

AUTHOR NAME: David Mendoza III

PUBLISHER NAME: Books for His Glory

FULL BOOK TITLE: *The Holy Lizard*

AUTHOR NAME: David Lane

PUBLISHER NAME: Bear's Place Publishing

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Adopted for Good*

AUTHOR NAME: Dede Kolb

PUBLISHER NAME: Inspiring Light

FULL BOOK TITLE: *I'm Proud of You*

AUTHOR NAME: Callie Blixrud

PUBLISHER NAME: Amazon KDP

Science Fiction

WINNER

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Black Hole Radio - Furilani*

AUTHOR NAME: Ann Birdgenaw

PUBLISHER NAME: DartFrog Books

FINALISTS

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Time Warped*

AUTHOR NAME: Micky O'Brady

PUBLISHER NAME: Micky O'Brady

Sports

WINNER

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Stephen Curry: The Children's Book: The Boy Who Never Gave Up*

AUTHOR NAME: Anthony Curcio

PUBLISHER NAME: Anthony Curcio

FINALISTS

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Catch the Ball!*

AUTHOR NAME: Bryan Smith

PUBLISHER NAME: Boys Town Press

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Roger Staubach: A Winner Both On and Off the Field*

AUTHOR NAME: A.J. Chilson

PUBLISHER NAME: KDP

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Frank Robinson: Fulfilling Jackie Robinson's Final Dream*

AUTHOR NAME: A.J. Chilson

PUBLISHER NAME: KDP

Travel

WINNER

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Who Dries These Sad Eyes?*

AUTHOR NAME: Lisa Baker

PUBLISHER NAME: 3 R Press

Young Adult

WINNER

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Sour Apples: A Novel for Those Who Hate to Read*

AUTHOR NAME: Paul Jantzen

PUBLISHER NAME: Black Rose Writing

FINALISTS

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Poems for Puppies*

AUTHOR NAME: Joe Smalling

PUBLISHER NAME: XlibrisUS

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Forever Boy*
AUTHOR NAME: Michael J. Bowler
PUBLISHER NAME: Michael J. Bowler

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Brown Girl, Brown Girl, Hasn't Anyone?: A Child's Memoir*
AUTHOR NAME: Michele Jeanmarie
PUBLISHER NAME: Archway Publishing

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Red Boots Adventures: Wild West Young Stories of a Young Girl on Mt. Hood
Lumberjacks, Native Americans and Mountain Lions*
AUTHOR NAME: Heather Bradrick
PUBLISHER NAME: Balboa Press

FULL BOOK TITLE: *The Tale of Oknytt & Gray Gnomes: Book 1 of the Ella Trilogy*
AUTHOR NAME: Catarina Hansson
PUBLISHER NAME: AuthorHouse UK

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Haunting Melody*
AUTHOR NAME: Chloe Spencer
PUBLISHER NAME: Tiny Ghost Press

FULL BOOK TITLE: *Chris Parr*
AUTHOR NAME: Micky O'Brady
PUBLISHER NAME: Micky O'Brady

BOOK OF THE YEAR

FULL BOOK TITLE: *The Jar of Laughter*
AUTHOR NAME: Joy Yi
PUBLISHER NAME: Wavelina Publishing

