

Oregon Book Award Winners & Finalists: Young Readers Awards (Children's Literature and Middle Grade & Young Adult Literature)

1990-2026

Eloise Jarvis McGraw Award for Children's Literature

Eloise McGraw's (1915-2000) books for children include *The Striped Ships*, which received an Oregon Book Award in 1992, and *The Moorchild*, which received an Oregon Book Award and a Newbery Award in 1997.

YEAR	FINALISTS	WINNER
2026	Zoey Abbott of Portland, <i>This Year, a Witch!</i> (Caitlyn Dlouhy Books/Simon & Schuster) A.A. Livingston of Lake Oswego, <i>Grizelda the Green Hates Halloween</i> (Flamingo Books/Penguin Random House) Elizabeth Rusch of Portland, <i>All About Patterns</i> (Charlesbridge) Kerilynn Wilson of Oregon City, <i>A Monstrous Bedtime</i> (Greenwillow Books/HarperCollins)	Michelle Sumovich of Portland, <i>I Have Three Cats...</i> (Penguin Random House)
2025	Dane Liu of Portland, <i>Laolao's Dumplings</i> (Henry Holt BYR/Macmillan Publishing Group) Leslie Barnard Booth of Portland, <i>A Stone Is a Story</i> (Margaret K. McElderry Books/Simon & Schuster)	Anne Broyles of Portland, <i>I'm Gonna Paint: Ralph Fasanella, Artist of the People</i> (Holiday House)

	Leslie Barnard Booth of Portland, <i>One Day This Tree Will Fall</i> (Margaret K. McElderry Books/Simon & Schuster) Deborah Hopkinson of West Linn, <i>Evidence!: How Dr. John Snow Solved the Mystery of Cholera</i> (Knopf BYR/Penguin Random House)	
2024	Valerie Coulman of Medford, <i>Dragons on the Inside (And Other Big Feelings)</i> (Free Spirit Publishing/Teacher Created Materials) Linda Meanus of Warm Springs, <i>My Name is Lamoosh</i> (Oregon State University Press) Stephanie Shaw of McMinnville, <i>All By Myself</i> (Peachtree) C. E. Winters of Hillsboro, <i>Cut!: How Lotte Reiniger and a Pair of Scissors Revolutionized Animation</i> (Greenwillow Books/HarperCollins)	Nora Ericson of Portland, <i>Too Early</i> (Abrams Books for Young Readers)
2023	Zoey Abbott of Portland, <i>Pig and Horse and the Something Scary</i> (Abrams/Abrams Books for Young Readers) Cathy Camper of Portland, <i>Arab Arab All Year Long!</i> (Candlewick Press) Trudy Ludwig of Portland, <i>Brave Every Day</i> (Alfred A. Knopf/Knopf Books for Young Readers) Carrie Tillotson of Tigard, <i>Counting to Bananas: A Mostly Rhyming Fruit Book</i> (Flamingo Books/Penguin Young Readers)	Dane Liu of Portland, <i>Friends Are Friends, Forever</i> (Henry Holt and Co.)
2022	Waka T. Brown of West Linn, <i>While I Was Away</i> (Quill Tree Books, HarperCollins) Cathy Camper of Portland, <i>Ten Ways to Hear Snow</i> (Kokila, Penguin Random House) Gabi Snyder of Corvallis, <i>Listen</i> (Paula Wiseman Books, Simon & Schuster) Tracy Subisak of Portland, <i>Jenny Mei Is Sad</i> (Little, Brown Books for Young Readers)	Jennie Englund of Ashland, <i>Taylor Before and After</i> (Square Fish, Macmillan)
2021	Susan Hill Long of Portland, <i>Josie Bloom and the Emergency of Life</i> (Paula Wiseman Books, Simon & Schuster) Deborah Hopkinson of West Linn, <i>Butterflies Belong Here</i> (Chronicle Books)	Jenn Reese of Portland, <i>A Game of Fox and Squirrels</i> (Henry Holt Books for Young Readers, Macmillan)

	Jody J. Little of Portland, <i>Worse Than Weird</i> (Harper Collins Children's Books) Elizabeth Rusch of Portland, <i>Mario and the Hole in the Sky: How a Chemist Saved Our Planet</i> (Charlesbridge)	
2020	Deborah Hopkinson of West Linn, <i>Carter Reads the Newspaper</i> (Peachtree) Jody J. Little of Portland, <i>Mostly the Honest Truth</i> (Harper Collins) Rosanne Parry of Portland, <i>A Wolf Called Wander</i> (Greenwillow) Rebecca Stefoff of Portland, <i>Charles Darwin's On the Origin of Species</i> (Simon & Schuster)	Cathy Camper of Portland, <i>Lowriders: Blast from the Past</i> (Chronicle Books)
2019	Kate Berube of Portland, <i>Mae's First Day of School</i> (Abrams) Barbara Herkert of Port Ludlow, <i>A Boy, a Mouse, and a Spider</i> (Henry Holt & Co) Deborah Hopkinson of West Linn, <i>Ordinary, Extraordinary Jane Austen</i> (Balzer & Bray) Jerome McCann of Portland, <i>More Girls Who Rocked the World</i> (Simon & Schuster)	Emily Whitman of Portland, <i>The Turning</i> (Greenwillow)
2018	Diane Rios of Portland, <i>Bridge of the Gods</i> (She Writes Press) Cynthia Rylant of Portland, <i>Life</i> (Beach Lane Books) Elizabeth Rusch of Portland, <i>The Music of Life</i> (Atheneum Books for Young Readers) Kurt Cyrus of McMinnville, <i>Shake A Leg, Egg!</i> (Beach Lane Books)	Patricia Bailey of Klamath Falls, <i>The Tragically True Adventures of Kit Donovan</i> (Albert Whitman & Company)
2017	Cathy Camper of Portland, <i>Lowriders to the Center of the Earth</i> (Chronicle Books) Kathleen Lane of Portland, <i>The Best Worst Thing</i> (Little, Brown Books for Young Readers) Deborah Hopkinson of West Linn, <i>Steamboat School</i> (Little, Brown Books for Young Readers) Cynthia Rylant of Portland, <i>The Otter</i> (Beach Lane Books)	Kate Berube of Portland, <i>Hannah and Sugar</i> (Abrams Books for Young Readers)

2016	Kim Griswell of Ashland, <i>Rufus Goes to Sea</i> Roland Smith of Wilsonville, <i>T is for Time</i> Heather Vogel Frederick , <i>Absolutely Truly: A Pumpkin Falls Mystery</i>	Barbara Kerley of Portland, <i>With a Friend by Your Side</i>
2015	Kim Griswell of Ashland, <i>Rufus Goes to School</i> (Union Square Kids) Deborah Hopkinson of West Linn, <i>The Great Trouble: A Mystery of London, The Blue Death, and a Boy Called Eel</i> (Yearling) H. Joseph Hopkins of Portland, <i>The Tree Lady</i> (Beach Lane Books) Elizabeth Rusch of Portland, <i>Electrical Wizard</i> (Candlewick)	Susan H. Long of Portland, <i>Whistle in the Dark</i> (Holiday House)
2014	Scott Carter of Salem, <i>Wooden Bones</i> (Simon & Schuster) Deborah Hopkinson of West Linn, <i>Knit Your Bit</i> (G.P. Putnam's Sons Books for Young Readers) Barbara Kerley of Portland, <i>The World Is Waiting for You</i> (National Geographic Kids) Allen Say of Portland, <i>The Favorite Daughter</i> (Arthur A. Levine Books)	Graham Salisbury of Lake Oswego, <i>Extra Famous</i> (Random House)
2013	Deborah Hopkinson of West Linn, <i>Annie and Helen</i> (Schwartz & Wade) Graham Salisbury of Lake Oswego, <i>Calvin Coconut: Man Trip</i> (Wendy Lamb Books) J.H. Shapiro of Portland, <i>Magic Trash</i> (Charlesbridge) Heather Vogel Frederick , <i>Once Upon a Toad</i> (Simon & Schuster)	Allen Say of Portland, <i>Drawing from Memory</i> (Scholastic Press)
2012	Nancy Coffelt of Portland, <i>Catch that Baby!</i> (Aladdin) Judy Cox of Grants Pass, <i>Nora and the Texas Terror</i> (Holiday House)	Graham Salisbury of Lake Oswego, <i>Calvin Coconut: Hero of Hawaii</i> (Yearling)
2011	Dawn Babb Prochovnic of Portland, <i>The Nest Where I Like to Rest</i> (Looking Glass Library) Stephanie Stuve-Bodeen of Hines, <i>A Small Brown Dog with a Wet Pink Nose</i> (Little, Brown Books for Young Readers) Dale E. Basye of Portland, <i>Rapacia: The Second Circle of Heck</i> (Yearling) Barbara Kerley of Portland, <i>The Extraordinary Mark Twain</i> (Scholastic Press)	Graham Salisbury of Lake Oswego, <i>Calvin Coconut: The Zippy Fix</i> (Wendy Lamb)

2009/2010	No finalists.	Deborah Hopkinson of West Linn, <i>KEEP ON!: The Story of Matthew Henson Co-Discoverer of the North Pole</i> (Peachtree)
2008	Lori Ries of Tigard, <i>Punk Wig</i> (Boyds Mills Press) Cynthia Rylant of Portland, <i>Alligator Boy</i> (HMH Books for Young Readers) Cynthia Rylant of Portland, <i>Puppies and Piggies</i> (HMH Books for Young Readers) Elizabeth Rusch of Portland, <i>The Planet Hunter</i> (Cooper Square Publishing)	Elizabeth Rusch of Portland, <i>A Day with No Crayons</i> (Cooper Square Publishing)
2007	Deborah Hopkinson of West Linn, <i>Up Before Daybreak</i> (Scholastic Nonfiction) Lori Ries of Tigard, <i>Aggie and Ben</i> (Charlesbridge) Margriet Ruurs of Shedd, <i>In My Backyard</i> (Tundra Books) Elizabeth Rusch of Portland, <i>Will It Blow?</i> (Little Bigfoot)	Shannon Riggs of Salem, <i>Not in Room 204</i> (Albert Whitman & Company)
2006	Susan Hill of Portland, <i>Ruby Paints a Picture</i> (HarperCollins) Deborah Hopkinson of West Linn, <i>Sky Boys</i> (Dragonfly Books) Allen Say of Portland, <i>Kamishibai Man</i> (Clarion Books) Heather Vogel Frederick , <i>Spy Mice: The Black Paw</i> (Puffin Books)	Diane Siebert of Culver, <i>Tour America</i> (Chronicle Books)
2005	Carmen Bernier-Grand of Portland, <i>Ce'sar</i> (Two Lions) Deborah Hopkinson of West Linn, <i>Apples to Oregon</i> (Scholastic) Angelyn Ray of Astoria, <i>Fables by the Sean</i> (CreateSpace) Nicole Rubel of Aurora, <i>Twice as Nice</i> (Farrar, Straus, & Giroux)	Henry Sayre of Bend, <i>Cave Paintings to Picasso</i> (Chronicle Books)
2004	Roland Smith of Wilsonville, <i>B Is for Beaver</i> (Sleeping Bear Press) Andrea U'Ren of Portland, <i>Mary Smith</i> (Farrar, Straus, & Giroux) Leah Wilcox of Redmond, <i>Falling for Rapunzel</i> (G.P. Putnam's Sons Books for Young Readers)	Michelle McCann of Portland, <i>Luba</i> (Tricycle Press)
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	Valerie Rapp of Blue River, <i>Life in a River</i> (Lerner Pub Group) Nicole Rubel of Aurora, <i>No More Vegetables!</i> (Farrar, Straus, & Giroux) Petra Mathers of Astoria, <i>Herbie's Secret Santa</i> (Atheneum/Anne Schwartz Books) Cynthia Rylant of Portland, <i>Henry and Mudge and the Tall Tree House</i> (Simon Spotlight)	Eric Kimmel of Portland, <i>Three Samurai Cats</i> (Holiday House)
2002	Monte Killingsworth of Applegate, <i>Equinox</i> (Henry Holt & Co.) Graham Salisbury of Portland, <i>Lord of the Deep</i> (Blackstone Publishing) Roland Smith of Tualatin, <i>Zach's Lie</i> (Scholastic Inc.)	Sara Ryan of Portland, <i>Empress of the World</i> (Penguin)
2001	---	Virginia Euwer Wolff of Oregon City, <i>True Believer</i> (Simon & Schuster)
2000	Carmen Bernier-Grand of Portland, <i>In the Shade of the Nispero Tree</i> (Orchard Books) Roland Smith of Wilsonville, <i>The Last Lobo</i> (Hyperion)	Ellen Howard of Salem, <i>The Gate in the Wall</i> (Atheneum)
1999	Susan Fletcher of Lake Oswego, <i>Shadow Spinner</i> (Aladdin)	Pamela Smith Hill of Portland, <i>A Voice from the Border</i> (Holiday House)
1998	Linda Crew of Corvallis, <i>Long Time Passing</i> (Delacorte Books for Young Readers) Gretchen Olson of Amity, <i>Joyride</i> (Boyds Mills Press) Judy Sierra of Eugene, <i>The Mean Hyena</i> (Dutton Juvenile) Roland Smith of Tualatin, <i>Sasquatch</i> (Hyperion Books)	Graham Salisbury of Portland, <i>Shark Bait</i> (Delacorte)
1997	Rodger Larson of Portland, <i>What I Know Now</i> (Henry Holt & Co.)	Eloise Jarvis McGraw of Lake Oswego, <i>The Moorchild</i> (Margaret K. McElderry)
1996		

	David Delamore , <i>The Man in the Moon and the Hot Air Balloon</i> (Dragon's World) Rebecca Hickox Ayres , <i>Per and the Dala Horse</i> (Doubleday) Eric A. Kimmel , <i>The Adventures of Hershel of Ostropol</i> (Holiday House) Roland Smith , <i>Thunder Cave</i> (Hyperion)	Roland Smith , <i>Journey of the Red Wolf</i> (Dutton Juvenile)
1995	Margaret Bechard , <i>Really No Big Deal</i> (Viking Juvenile) Robert Crum , <i>Eagle Drum: On the Powwow Trail with a Young Grass Dancer</i> (Simon & Schuster) Rita Grauer , <i>Vasalisa and Her Magic Doll</i> (Philomel)	Graham Salisbury , <i>Under the Blood-Red Sun</i> (Yearlong)
1994	Susan Fletcher , <i>Flight of the Dragon Kyn</i> (Simon & Schuster) Eric Kimmel , <i>Anansi and the Talking Melon</i> (Holiday House)	Virginia Euwer Wolff , <i>Make Lemonade</i> (Henry Holt & Co.)
1993	Rebecca Hickox Ayres , <i>Matreshka</i> (Doubleday) Margaret Bechard , <i>Tory and Me and the Spirit of True Love</i> (Viking Juvenile) Eric Kimmel , <i>The Spotted Pony</i> (Holiday House)	Graham Salisbury , <i>Blue Skin of the Sea</i> (Thorndike Press)
1992	Virginia Euwer Wolff , <i>The Mozart Season</i> (Henry Holt & Co.)	Eloise Jarvis McGraw , <i>The Striped Ships</i> (M.K. McElderry Books)
1991	Linda Crew , <i>Someday I'll Laugh About This</i> (Delacorte) Eric Kimmel , <i>The Chanukkah Guest</i> (Holiday House)	Eric Kimmel , <i>Four Dollars and Fifty Cents</i> (Holiday House)
1990	Eric Kimmel , <i>Hershel and the Hanukkah Goblins</i> (Holiday House) Dorothy Nafus Morrison , <i>Vanishing Act</i> (Atheneum)	Susan Fletcher , <i>Dragon's Milk</i> (Atheneum)

Leslie Bradshaw Award for Middle Grade & Young Adult Literature

This award was created in 1999 by friends and family to honor a devoted lover of literature, Leslie Bradshaw (1952-1998). Bradshaw was well-known within her community for sharing a passion for reading and love of a good story. She inspired many children at Beaver Acres Elementary School in Beaverton to become engaged with books. (Note: Beginning in 2023, the Leslie Bradshaw Award includes Middle Grade & Young Adult Literature)

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2026	Waka T. Brown of West Linn, <i>Rick Kotani's 400 Million Dollar Summer</i> (Quill Tree Books/HarperCollins Children's Books) Courtney Gould of Salem, <i>What the Woods Took: A Novel</i> (Wednesday Books) Sara Ryan of Portland, <i>Mountain Upside Down</i> (Dutton Books for Young Readers) Shana Targosz of Portland, <i>River of Spirits</i> (The Underwild #1) (Aladdin Books/Simon & Schuster)	Rosanne Parry of Portland, <i>A Wolf Called Fire</i> (Greenwillow Books/HarperCollins)
2025	April Henry of Portland, <i>Stay Dead</i> (Christy Ottaviano Books of Little, Brown Books for Young Readers/Hachette Book Group) Deborah Hopkinson of West Linn, <i>The Plot to Kill a Queen</i> (Scholastic Press) Megan Lally of Salem, <i>That's Not My Name</i> (Sourcebooks Fire/Sourcebooks) Elizabeth Rusch of Portland, <i>The Twenty-One: The True Story of the Youth Who Sued the U.S. Government Over Climate Change</i> (Greenwillow Books/HarperCollins Publishers)	Makiia Lucier of Portland, <i>Dragonfruit</i> (Clarion Books/HarperCollins Publishers)
2024		

	Cindy Baldwin of Hillsboro, <i>No Matter the Distance</i> (Quill Tree Books/HarperCollins) Courtney Gould of Salem, <i>Where Echoes Die</i> (Wednesday Books/St. Martin's Publishing) April Henry of Portland, <i>Girl Forgotten</i> (Christy Ottaviano Books/Little, Brown Young Readers) Rosanne Parry of Portland, <i>A Horse Named Sky</i> (Greenwillow Books/HarperCollins)	Waka T. Brown of West Linn, <i>The Very Unfortunate Wish of Melony Yoshimura</i> (Quill Tree Books/HarperCollins)
2023	Jonathan Case of Silverton, <i>Little Monarchs</i> (Holiday House Publishing) Susan Hill Long of Portland, <i>The Care and Keeping of Freddy</i> (Simon & Schuster/Paula Wiseman Books) Jenn Reese of Portland, <i>Every Bird a Prince</i> (Macmillan/Henry Holt and Co.) Sonja Thomas of Portland, <i>Sir Fig Newton and the Science of Persistence</i> (Simon & Schuster/ Aladdin)	Waka T. Brown of West Linn, <i>Dream, Annie, Dream</i> (HarperCollins/Quill Tree Books)
2022	J. C. Geiger of Eugene, <i>The Great Big One</i> (Little, Brown Books for Young Readers) April Henry of Portland, <i>Eyes of the Forest</i> (Henry Holt and Company, Macmillan) April Henry of Portland, <i>Playing with Fire</i> (Henry Holt and Company, Macmillan) Deborah Hopkinson of West Linn, <i>We Must Not Forget: Holocaust Stories of Survival and Resistance</i> (Scholastic Focus)	Courtney Gould of Salem, <i>The Dead and the Dark</i> (Wednesday Books)
2021	Nancy Richardson Fischer of Hood River, <i>The Speed of Falling Objects</i> (Inkyard Press) Deborah Hopkinson of West Linn, <i>We Had to Be Brave</i> (Scholastic Focus) Erin Riha of Portland, <i>But for the Mountains</i> (REUTS Publications) Elizabeth Rusch of Portland, <i>You Call THIS Democracy?: How to Fix Our Government and Deliver Power to the People</i> (Houghton Mifflin Harcourt)	Kathryn Ormsbee of Eugene, <i>The Sullivan Sisters</i> (Simon & Schuster)
2020		

	April Henry of Portland, <i>The Lonely Dead</i> Connie King Leonard of Milwaukie, <i>Sleeping in My Jeans</i> Rosanne Parry of Portland, <i>Last of the Name</i> Nancy Richardson Fischer of Hood River, <i>When Elephants Fly</i>	Deborah Hopkinson of West Linn, <i>How I Became A Spy: A Mystery of WWII London</i>
2019	Fonda Lee of Portland, <i>Cross Fire: An Exo Novel</i> (Scholastic Press) Shelley Pearson of Portland, <i>Book Smarts & Tender Hearts</i> (Ingram Spark) Emily Suvada of Portland, <i>This Mortal Coil</i> (Simon & Schuster)	Shea Ernsshaw of Bend, <i>The Wicked Deep</i> (Simon & Schuster)
2018	Kenn Amdahl of Eugene, <i>Jumper and the Apple Crate</i> (Clearwater Publishing Company) Kelly Garrett of Portland, <i>The Last to Die</i> (Poisoned Pen Press) Fonda Lee of Portland, <i>Exo</i> (Scholastic) Paula Stokes of Portland, <i>This Is How it Happened</i> (Harper Teen)	Laini Taylor of Portland, <i>Strange the Dreamer</i> (Little, Brown Books for Young Readers)
2017	Amber J. Keyser of Bend, <i>The Way Back from Broken</i> (Carolrhoda LAB) David Levine of Portland, <i>Arabella of Mars</i> (Tor) Eliot Treichel of Eugene, <i>A Series of Small Maneuvers</i> (Ooligan Press)	Deborah Hopkinson of West Linn, <i>Courage & Defiance: Stories of Spies, Saboteurs, and Survivors in World War II Denmark</i>
2016	Fonda Lee of Portland, <i>Zeroboxer</i> (Flux) William Ritter of Springfield, <i>Jackaby</i> (Algonquin Young Readers) Graham Salisbury of Lake Oswego, <i>Hunt for the Bamboo Rat</i> (Wendy Lamb Books) Hilary T. Smith of Portland, <i>A Sense of the Infinite</i> (Harper Collins)	Brian Doyle of Lake Oswego, <i>Martin Marten</i> (St. Martin's Press)
2015	Robin Herrera of Portland, <i>Hope Is a Ferris Wheel</i> (Amulet Books) Lisa Schroeder of Beaverton, <i>The Bridge from Me to You</i> (Scholastic) Christina Struyk-Bonn of Portland, <i>Whisper</i> (Orca Book Publishers)	April Henry of Portland, <i>The Body in the Woods</i> (Henry Holt & Co.)
2014	Kelly Moore, Larkin Reed and Tucker Reed of Jacksonville, <i>Amber House</i> (Arthur A. Levine)	Kari Luna of Portland, <i>The Theory of Everything</i> (Philomel Books)

	Rosanne Parry of Portland, <i>Written in Stone</i> (Random House)	
2013	Brian Doyle of Portland, <i>Cat's Foot</i> (Corby Books) Katie Kacvinsky of Corvallis, <i>First Comes Love</i> (Houghton Mifflin Harcourt)	Ruth Tenzer Feldman of Portland, <i>Blue Thread</i> (Ooligan Press)
2012	Heather Vogel Frederick of Portland, <i>Pies and Prejudice</i> (Simon & Schuster) April Henry of Portland, <i>Girl, Stolen</i> (Henry Holt) Lisa Schroeder of Beaverton, <i>The Day Before</i> (Simon Pulse) Jen Violi of Portland, <i>Putting Makeup on Dead People</i> (Hyperion)	Emily Whitman of Portland, <i>Wildwing</i> (Greenwillow Books)
2011	Kerry Cohen Hoffman of Portland, <i>It's Not You, It's Me</i> (Random House) Anne Osterlund of Ione, <i>Academy 7</i> (Penguin Group) L.K. Madigan of Portland, <i>Flash Burnout</i> (Houghton Mifflin) Emily Whitman of Portland, <i>Radiant Darkness</i> (Greenwillow/Harper Collins)	Scott William Carter of Salem, <i>The Last Great Getaway of the Water Balloon Boys</i> (Simon & Schuster)
2009/2010	Carmen Bernier-Grand of Portland, <i>Diego: Bigger Than Life</i> (Marshall Cavendish) David Greenberg of Portland, <i>A Tugging String</i> (Dutton) Graham Salisbury of Lake Oswego, <i>Calvin Coconut, Trouble Magnet</i> (Wendy Lamb Books) Virginia Euwer Wolff of Oregon City, <i>This Full House</i> (Harper Teen)	Roland Smith of Wilsonville, <i>IQ Book One: Independence Hall</i> (Harcourt Paperbacks)
2008	Graham Salisbury of Lake Oswego, <i>Night of the Howling Dogs</i> (Wendy Lamb Books) Roland Smith of Wilsonville, <i>Peak</i> (Harcourt Paperbacks)	Sara Ryan of Portland, <i>The Rules for Hearts</i> (Viking Juvenile) Linda Zuckerman of Portland, <i>A Taste for Rabbit</i> (Arthur A Levine Books)
2007	Margaret J. Anderson of Corvallis, <i>Olla-Piska: Tales of David Douglas</i> (Oregon Historical Society Press) Kerry Cohen Hoffman of Portland, <i>Easy</i> (Simon & Schuster) Graham Salisbury of Portland, <i>House of the Red Fish</i> (Wendy Lamb Books)	Susan Fletcher of Wilsonville, <i>Alphabet of Dreams</i> (Atheneum)

2006	Heather Vogel Frederick , <i>Spy Mice: For Your Paws Only</i> (Simon & Schuster)	Graham Salisbury , <i>Eyes of the Emperor</i> (Random House)
2005	Roland Smith of Wilsonville, <i>Cryptid Hunters</i> (Hyperion Books for Children)	Linda Crew of Corvallis, <i>A Heart for Any Fate</i> (Oregon Historical Society Press)
2004	Nancy Osa of Eagle Creek, <i>Cuba 15</i> (Delacorte)	Susanna Vance of Portland, <i>Deep</i> (Delacorte)
2003	Brian A. Connolly of Bend, <i>Wolf Journal</i> (Xlibris Corp) Kezi Matthews of Portland, <i>Flying Lessons</i> (Cricket Books) Elizabeth Rusch of Portland, <i>Generation Fix</i> (Beyond Words) Graham Salisbury of Lake Oswego, <i>Island Boyz</i> (Wendy Lamb Books)	Heather Vogel Frederick of Portland, <i>The Voyage of Patience Goodspeed</i> (Simon & Schuster)