

Association for Library Service to Children Newbery Medal Winners & Honor Books, 1922 – Present

2015 Medal Winner:

The Crossover by Kwame Alexander (Houghton Mifflin Harcourt)

2015 Honor Books:

El Deafo by Cece Bell (Amulet Books, an imprint of ABRAMS)

Brown Girl Dreaming by Jacqueline Woodson (Nancy Paulsen Books, an imprint of Penguin Group (USA) LLC)

2014 Medal Winner:

Flora & Ulysses: The Illuminated Adventures by Kate DiCamillo (Candlewick Press)

2014 Honor Books:

Doll Bones by Holly Black (Margaret K. McElderry Books, an imprint of Simon & Schuster Children's Publishing)

The Year of Billy Miller by Kevin Henkes (Greenwillow Books, an imprint of HarperCollins Publishers)

One Came Home by Amy Timberlake (Alfred A. Knopf, an imprint of Random House Children's Books)

Paperboy by Vince Vawter (Delacorte Press, an imprint of Random House Children's Books)

2013 Medal Winner:

The One and Only Ivan by Katherine Applegate (HarperCollins Children's Books)

2013 Honor Books:

Splendors and Glooms by Laura Amy Schlitz (Candlewick Press)

Bomb: The Race to Build—and Steal—the World's Most Dangerous Weapon by Steve Sheinkin (Flash Point/Roaring Brook Press)

Three Times Lucky by Sheila Turnage (Dial/Penguin Young Readers Group)

2012 Medal Winner:

Dead End in Norvelt by Jack Gantos (Farrar Straus Giroux)

2012 Honor Books:

Inside Out & Back Again by Thanhha Lai (HarperCollins Children's Books, a division of HarperCollins Publishers)

Breaking Stalin's Nose by Eugene Yelchin (Henry Holt and Company, LLC)

2011 Medal Winner:

Moon over Manifest by Clare Vanderpool (Delacorte Press, an imprint of Random House Children's Books)

2011 Honor Books:

Turtle in Paradise by Jennifer L. Holm (Random House Children's Books)

Heart of a Samurai by Margi Preus (Amulet Books, an imprint of Abrams)

Dark Emperor and Other Poems of the Night by Joyce Kilmer, illustrated by Rick Allen (Houghton Mifflin Books for Children, Houghton Mifflin Harcourt)

One Crazy Summer by Rita Williams-Garcia (Amistad, an imprint of HarperCollins)

2010 Medal Winner:

When You Reach Me by Rebecca Stead (Wendy Lamb Books, an imprint of Random House Children's Books)

2010 Honor Books:

Claudette Colvin: Twice Toward Justice by Phillip Hoose (Melanie Kroupa Books/Farrar, Straus & Giroux)

The Evolution of Calpurnia Tate by Jacqueline Kelly (Henry Holt)

Where the Mountain Meets the Moon by Grace Lin (Little, Brown and Company Books for Young Readers)

The Mostly True Adventures of Homer P. Figg by Rodman Philbrick (The Blue Sky Press, an imprint of Scholastic, Inc.)

2009 Medal Winner:

The Graveyard Book by Neil Gaiman, illus. by Dave McKean (HarperCollins)

2009 Honor Books:

The Underneath by Kathi Appelt, illus. by David Small (Atheneum Books for Young Readers, an imprint of Simon & Schuster)

The Surrender Tree: Poems of Cuba's Struggle for Freedom by Margarita Engle (Henry Holt)

Savvy by Ingrid Law (Dial Books for Young Readers, a division of Penguin Young Readers Group in partnership with Walden Media)

After Tupac & D Foster by Jacqueline Woodson (G.P. Putnam's Sons, a division of Penguin Books for Young Readers)

2008 Medal Winner:

Good Masters! Sweet Ladies! Voices from a Medieval Village by Laura Amy Schlitz (Candlewick)

2008 Honor Books:

Elijah of Buxton by Christopher Paul Curtis (Scholastic)

The Wednesday Wars by Gary D. Schmidt (Clarion)

Feathers by Jacqueline Woodson (Putnam)

2007 Medal Winner:

The Higher Power of Lucky by Susan Patron, illus. by Matt Phelan (Simon & Schuster/Richard Jackson)

2007 Honor Books:

Penny from Heaven by Jennifer L. Holm, (Random House)
Hattie Big Sky by Kirby Larson (Delacorte Press)
Rules by Cynthia Lord (Scholastic)

2006 Medal Winner:

Criss Cross by Lynne Rae Perkins (Greenwillow Books/HarperCollins)

2006 Honor Books:

Whittington by Alan Armstrong, illustrated by S.D. Schindler (Random House)
Hitler Youth: Growing Up in Hitler's Shadow by Susan Campbell Bartoletti (Scholastic)
Princess Academy by Shannon Hale (Bloomsbury Children's Books)
Show Way by Jacqueline Woodson, illustrated by Hudson Talbott (G.P. Putnam's Sons)

2005 Medal Winner:

Kira-Kira by Cynthia Kadohata (Atheneum Books for Young Readers/Simon & Schuster)

2005 Honor Books:

Al Capone Does My Shirts by Gennifer Choldenko (G.P. Putnam's Sons/a division of Penguin Young Readers Group)
The Voice that Challenged a Nation: Marian Anderson and the Struggle for Equal Rights by Russell Freedman (Clarion Books/Houghton Mifflin)
Lizzie Bright and the Buckminster Boy by Gary D. Schmidt (Clarion Books/Houghton Mifflin)

2004 Medal Winner:

The Tale of Despereaux: Being the Story of a Mouse, a Princess, Some Soup, and a Spool of Thread by Kate DiCamillo, illustrated by Timothy Basil Ering, (Candlewick Press)

2004 Honor Books:

Olive's Ocean by Kevin Henkes (Greenwillow Books)
An American Plague: The True and Terrifying Story of the Yellow Fever Epidemic of 1793 by Jim Murphy (Clarion Books)

2003 Medal Winner:

Crispin: The Cross of Lead by Avi (Hyperion Books for Children)

2003 Honor Books:

The House of the Scorpion by Nancy Farmer (Atheneum)
Pictures of Hollis Woods by Patricia Reilly Giff (Random House/Wendy Lamb Books)
Hoot by Carl Hiaasen (Knopf)
A Corner of The Universe by Ann M. Martin (Scholastic)
Surviving the Applewhites by Stephanie S. Tolan (HarperCollins)

2002 Medal Winner:

A Single Shard by Linda Sue Park (Clarion Books/Houghton Mifflin)

2002 Honor Books:

Everything on a Waffle by Polly Horvath (Farrar Straus Giroux)
Carver: A Life In Poems by Marilyn Nelson (Front Street)

2001 Medal Winner:

A Year Down Yonder by Richard Peck (Dial)

2001 Honor Books:

Hope Was Here by Joan Bauer (G.P. Putnam's Sons)
Because of Winn-Dixie by Kate DiCamillo (Candlewick Press)
Joey Pigza Loses Control by Jack Gantos (Farrar, Straus, and Giroux)
The Wanderer by Sharon Creech (Joanna Cotler Books/HarperCollins)

2000 Medal Winner:

Bud, Not Buddy by Christopher Paul Curtis (Delacorte)

2000 Honor Books:

Getting Near to Baby by Audrey Coulombis (Putnam)
Our Only May Amelia by Jennifer L. Holm (HarperCollins)
26 Fairmount Avenue by Tomie dePaola (Putnam)

1999 Medal Winner:

Holes by Louis Sachar (Frances Foster)

1999 Honor Book:

A Long Way from Chicago by Richard Peck (Dial)

1998 Medal Winner:

Out of the Dust by Karen Hesse (Scholastic)

1998 Honor Books:

Ella Enchanted by Gail Carson Levine (HarperCollins)
Lily's Crossing by Patricia Reilly Giff (Delacorte)
Wringer by Jerry Spinelli (HarperCollins)

1997 Medal Winner:

The View from Saturday by E.L. Konigsburg (Jean Karl/Atheneum)

1997 Honor Books:

A Girl Named Disaster by Nancy Farmer (Richard Jackson/Orchard Books)

Moorchild by Eloise McGraw (Margaret McElderry/Simon & Schuster)

The Thief by Megan Whalen Turner (Greenwillow/Morrow)

Belle Prater's Boy by Ruth White (Farrar Straus Giroux)

1996 Medal Winner:

The Midwife's Apprentice by Karen Cushman (Clarion)

1996 Honor Books:

What Jamie Saw by Carolyn Coman (Front Street)

The Watsons Go to Birmingham: 1963 by Christopher Paul Curtis (Delacorte)

Yolonda's Genius by Carol Fenner (Margaret K. McElderry/Simon & Schuster)

The Great Fire by Jim Murphy (Scholastic)

1995 Medal Winner:

Walk Two Moons by Sharon Creech (HarperCollins)

1995 Honor Books:

Catherine, Called Birdy by Karen Cushman (Clarion)

The Ear, the Eye and the Arm by Nancy Farmer (Jackson/Orchard)

1994 Medal Winner:

The Giver by Lois Lowry (Houghton)

1994 Honor Books:

Crazy Lady by Jane Leslie Conly (HarperCollins)

Dragon's Gate by Laurence Yep (HarperCollins)

Eleanor Roosevelt: A Life of Discovery by Russell Freedman (Clarion Books)

1993 Medal Winner:

Missing May by Cynthia Rylant (Jackson/Orchard)

1993 Honor Books:

What Hearts by Bruce Brooks (A Laura Geringer Book, a HarperCollins imprint)

The Dark-thirty: Southern Tales of the Supernatural by Patricia McKissack (Knopf)

Somewhere in the Darkness by Walter Dean Myers (Scholastic Hardcover)

1992 Medal Winner:

Shiloh by Phyllis Reynolds Naylor (Atheneum)

1992 Honor Books:

Nothing But The Truth: a Documentary Novel by Avi (Jackson/Orchard)

The Wright Brothers: How They Invented the Airplane by Russell Freedman (Holiday House)

1991 Medal Winner:

Maniac Magee by Jerry Spinelli (Little, Brown)

1991 Honor Book:

The True Confessions of Charlotte Doyle by Avi (Jackson/Orchard)

1990 Medal Winner:

Number the Stars by Lois Lowry (Houghton)

1990 Honor Books:

Afternoon of the Elves by Janet Taylor Lisle (Jackson/Orchard)

Shabanu, Daughter of the Wind by Suzanne Fisher Staples (Knopf)

The Winter Room by Gary Paulsen (Jackson/Orchard)

1989 Medal Winner:

Joyful Noise: Poems for Two Voices by Paul Fleischman (Harper)

1989 Honor Books:

In The Beginning: Creation Stories from Around the World by Virginia Hamilton (Harcourt)

Scorpions by Walter Dean Myers (Harper)

1988 Medal Winner:

Lincoln: A Photobiography by Russell Freedman (Clarion)

1988 Honor Books:

After The Rain by Norma Fox Mazer (Morrow)

Hatchet by Gary Paulsen (Bradbury)

1987 Medal Winner:

The Whipping Boy by Sid Fleischman (Greenwillow)

1987 Honor Books:

A Fine White Dust by Cynthia Rylant (Bradbury)

On My Honor by Marion Dane Bauer (Clarion)

Volcano: The Eruption and Healing of Mount St. Helens by Patricia Lauber (Bradbury)

1986 Medal Winner:

Sarah, Plain and Tall by Patricia MacLachlan (Harper)

1986 Honor Books:

Commodore Perry In the Land of the Shogun by Rhoda Blumberg (Lothrop)

Dogsong by Gary Paulsen (Bradbury)

1985 Medal Winner:

The Hero and the Crown by Robin McKinley (Greenwillow)

1985 Honor Books:

Like Jake and Me by Mavis Jukes (Knopf)

The Moves Make the Man by Bruce Brooks (Harper)

One-Eyed Cat by Paula Fox (Bradbury)

1984 Medal Winner:

Dear Mr. Henshaw by Beverly Cleary (Morrow)

1984 Honor Books:

The Sign of the Beaver by Elizabeth George Speare (Houghton)

A Solitary Blue by Cynthia Voigt (Atheneum)

Sugaring Time by Kathryn Lasky (Macmillan)

The Wish Giver: Three Tales of Coven Tree by Bill Brittain (Harper)

1983 Medal Winner:

Dacey's Song by Cynthia Voigt (Atheneum)

1983 Honor Books:

The Blue Sword by Robin McKinley (Greenwillow)

Doctor DeSoto by William Steig (Farrar)

Graven Images by Paul Fleischman (Harper)

Homesick: My Own Story by Jean Fritz (Putnam)

Sweet Whispers, Brother Rush by Virginia Hamilton (Philomel)

1982 Medal Winner:

A Visit to William Blake's Inn: Poems for Innocent and Experienced Travelers by Nancy Willard (Harcourt)

1982 Honor Books:

Ramona Quimby, Age 8 by Beverly Cleary (Morrow)

Upon the Head of the Goat: A Childhood in Hungary 1939-1944 by Aranka Siegal (Farrar)

1981 Medal Winner:

Jacob Have I Loved by Katherine Paterson (Crowell)

1981 Honor Books:

The Fledgling by Jane Langton (Harper)

A Ring of Endless Light by Madeleine L'Engle (Farrar)

1980 Medal Winner:

A Gathering of Days: A New England Girl's Journal, 1830-1832 by Joan W. Blos (Scribner)

1980 Honor Book:

The Road from Home: The Story of an Armenian Girl by David Kherdian (Greenwillow)

1979 Medal Winner:

The Westing Game by Ellen Raskin (Dutton)

1979 Honor Book:

The Great Gilly Hopkins by Katherine Paterson (Crowell)

1978 Medal Winner:

Bridge to Terabithia by Katherine Paterson (Crowell)

1978 Honor Books:

Ramona and Her Father by Beverly Cleary (Morrow)

Anpao: An American Indian Odyssey by Jamake Highwater (Lippincott)

1977 Medal Winner:

Roll of Thunder, Hear My Cry by Mildred D. Taylor (Dial)

1977 Honor Books:

Abel's Island by William Steig (Farrar)

A String in the Harp by Nancy Bond (Atheneum)

1976 Medal Winner:

The Grey King by Susan Cooper (McElderry/Atheneum)

1976 Honor Books:

The Hundred Penny Box by Sharon Bell Mathis (Viking)

Dragonwings by Laurence Yep (Harper)

1975 Medal Winner:

M. C. Higgins, the Great by Virginia Hamilton (Macmillan)

1975 Honor Books:

Figgs & Phantoms by Ellen Raskin (Dutton)
My Brother Sam is Dead by James Lincoln Collier & Christopher Collier (Four Winds)
The Perilous Gard by Elizabeth Marie Pope (Houghton)
Philip Hall Likes Me, I Reckon Maybe by Bette Greene (Dial)

1974 Medal Winner:

The Slave Dancer by Paula Fox (Bradbury)

1974 Honor Book:

The Dark Is Rising by Susan Cooper (McElderry/Atheneum)

1973 Medal Winner:

Julie of the Wolves by Jean Craighead George (Harper)

1973 Honor Books:

Frog and Toad Together by Arnold Lobel (Harper)

The Upstairs Room by Johanna Reiss (Crowell)

The Witches of Worm by Zilpha Keatley Snyder (Atheneum)

1972 Medal Winner:

Mrs. Frisby and the Rats of NIMH by Robert C. O'Brien (Atheneum)

1972 Honor Books:

Incident At Hawk's Hill by Allan W. Eckert (Little, Brown)

The Planet of Junior Brown by Virginia Hamilton (Macmillan)

The Tombs of Atuan by Ursula K. LeGuin (Atheneum)

Annie and the Old One by Miska Miles (Little, Brown)

The Headless Cupid by Zilpha Keatley Snyder (Atheneum)

1971 Medal Winner:

Summer of the Swans by Betsy Byars (Viking)

1971 Honor Books:

Knee Knock Rise by Natalie Babbitt (Farrar)

Enchantress From the Stars by Sylvia Louise Engdahl (Atheneum)

Sing Down the Moon by Scott O'Dell (Houghton)

1970 Medal Winner:

Souder by William H. Armstrong (Harper)

1970 Honor Books:

Our Eddie by Sulamith Ish-Kishor (Pantheon)

The Many Ways of Seeing: An Introduction to the Pleasures of Art by Janet Gaylord Moore (World)

Journey Outside by Mary Q. Steele (Viking)

1969 Medal Winner:

The High King by Lloyd Alexander (Holt)

1969 Honor Books:

To Be a Slave by Julius Lester (Dial)

When Shlemiel Went to Warsaw and Other Stories by Isaac Bashevis Singer (Farrar)

1968 Medal Winner:

From the Mixed-Up Files of Mrs. Basil E. Frankweiler by E. L. Konigsburg (Atheneum)

1968 Honor Books:

Jennifer, Hecate, Macbeth, William McKinley, and Me, Elizabeth by E. L. Konigsburg (Atheneum)

The Black Pearl by Scott O'Dell (Houghton)

The Fearsome Inn by Isaac Bashevis Singer (Scribner)

The Egypt Game by Zilpha Keatley Snyder (Atheneum)

1967 Medal Winner:

Up a Road Slowly by Irene Hunt (Follett)

1967 Honor Books:

The King's Fifth by Scott O'Dell (Houghton)

Zlateh The Goat and Other Stories by Isaac Bashevis Singer (Harper)

The Jazz Man by Mary Hays Weik (Atheneum)

1966 Medal Winner:

I, Juan de Pareja by Elizabeth Borton de Trevino (Farrar)

1966 Honor Books:

The Black Cauldron by Lloyd Alexander (Holt)

The Animal Family by Randall Jarrell (Pantheon)

The Noonday Friends by Mary Stolz (Harper)

1965 Medal Winner:

Shadow of a Bull by Maia Wojciechowska (Atheneum)

1965 Honor Book:

Across Five Aprils by Irene Hunt (Follett)

1964 Medal Winner:

It's Like This, Cat by Emily Neville (Harper)

1964 Honor Books:

Rascal: A Memoir of a Better Era by Sterling North (Dutton)

The Loner by Ester Wier (McKay)

1963 Medal Winner:

A Wrinkle in Time by Madeleine L'Engle (Farrar)

1963 Honor Books:

Thistle and Thyme: Tales and Legends from Scotland by Sorche Nic Leodhas, pseud. (Leclaire Alger) (Holt)

Men of Athens by Olivia Coolidge (Houghton)

1962 Medal Winner:

The Bronze Bow by Elizabeth George Speare (Houghton)

1962 Honor Books:

Frontier Living by Edwin Tunis (World)

The Golden Goblet by Eloise Jarvis McGraw (Coward)

Belling The Tiger by Mary Stolz (Harper)

1961 Medal Winner:

Island of the Blue Dolphins by Scott O'Dell (Houghton)

1961 Honor Books:

America Moves Forward: A History for Peter by Gerald W. Johnson (Morrow)

Old Ramon by Jack Schaefer (Houghton)

The Cricket In Times Square by George Selden, pseud. (George Thompson) (Farrar)

1960 Medal Winner:

Onion John by Joseph Krumgold (Crowell)

1960 Honor Books:

My Side of the Mountain by Jean Craighead George (Dutton)

America Is Born: A History for Peter by Gerald W. Johnson (Morrow)

The Gammage Cup by Carol Kendall (Harcourt)

1959 Medal Winner:

The Witch of Blackbird Pond by Elizabeth George Speare (Houghton)

1959 Honor Books:

The Family Under The Bridge by Natalie Savage Carlson (Harper)

Along Came A Dog by Meindert DeJong (Harper)

Chucaro: Wild Pony of the Pampa by Francis Kalnay (Harcourt)

The Perilous Road by William O. Steele (Harcourt)

1958 Medal Winner:

Rifles for Watie by Harold Keith (Crowell)

1958 Honor Books:

The Horsecatcher by Mari Sandoz (Westminster)

Gone-Away Lake by Elizabeth Enright (Harcourt)

The Great Wheel by Robert Lawson (Viking)

Tom Paine, Freedom's Apostle by Leo Gurko (Crowell)

1957 Medal Winner:

Miracles on Maple Hill by Virginia Sorensen (Harcourt)

1957 Honor Books:

Old Yeller by Fred Gipson (Harper)

The House of Sixty Fathers by Meindert DeJong (Harper)

Mr. Justice Holmes by Clara Ingram Judson (Follett)

The Corn Grows Ripe by Dorothy Rhoads (Viking)

Black Fox of Lorne by Marguerite de Angeli (Doubleday)

1956 Medal Winner:

Carry On, Mr. Bowditch by Jean Lee Latham (Houghton)

1956 Honor Books:

The Secret River by Marjorie Kinnan Rawlings (Scribner)

The Golden Name Day by Jennie Lindquist (Harper)

Men, Microscopes, and Living Things by Katherine Shippen (Viking)

1955 Medal Winner:

The Wheel on the School by Meindert DeJong (Harper)

1955 Honor Books:

Courage of Sarah Noble by Alice Dalgliesh (Scribner)

Banner In The Sky by James Ullman (Lippincott)

1954 Medal Winner:

...And Now Miguel by Joseph Krumgold (Crowell)

1954 Honor Books:

All Alone by Claire Huchet Bishop (Viking)

Shadrach by Meindert Dejong (Harper)

Hurry Home, Candy by Meindert Dejong (Harper)

Theodore Roosevelt, Fighting Patriot by Clara Ingram Judson (Follett)

Magic Maize by Mary & Conrad Buff (Houghton)

1953 Medal Winner:

Secret of the Andes by Ann Nolan Clark (Viking)

1953 Honor Books:

Charlotte's Web by E. B. White (Harper)

Moccasin Trail by Eloise Jarvis McGraw (Coward)

Red Sails to Capri by Ann Weil (Viking)

The Bears on Hemlock Mountain by Alice Dalgliesh (Scribner)

Birthdays of Freedom, Vol. 1 by Genevieve Foster (Scribner)

1952 Medal Winner:

Ginger Pye by Eleanor Estes (Harcourt)

1952 Honor Books:

Americans Before Columbus by Elizabeth Baity (Viking)

Minn of the Mississippi by Holling C. Holling (Houghton)

The Defender by Nicholas Kalashnikoff (Scribner)

The Light at Tern Rock by Julia Sauer (Viking)

The Apple and the Arrow by Mary & Conrad Buff (Houghton)

1951 Medal Winner:

Amos Fortune, Free Man by Elizabeth Yates (Dutton)

1951 Honor Books:

Better Known as Johnny Appleseed by Mabel Leigh Hunt (Lippincott)

Gandhi, Fighter Without a Sword by Jeanette Eaton (Morrow)

Abraham Lincoln, Friend of the People by Clara Ingram Judson (Follett)

The Story of Appleby Capple by Anne Parrish (Harper)

1950 Medal Winner:

The Door in the Wall by Marguerite de Angeli (Doubleday)

1950 Honor Books:

Tree of Freedom by Rebecca Caudill (Viking)

The Blue Cat of Castle Town by Catherine Coblentz (Longmans)

Kildee House by Rutherford Montgomery (Doubleday)

George Washington by Genevieve Foster (Scribner)

Song of The Pines: A Story of Norwegian Lumbering in Wisconsin by Walter & Marion Havighurst (Winston)

1949 Medal Winner:

King of the Wind by Marguerite Henry (Rand McNally)

1949 Honor Books:

Seabird by Holling C. Holling (Houghton)

Daughter of the Mountains by Louise Rankin (Viking)

My Father's Dragon by Ruth S. Gannett (Random House)

Story of the Negro by Arna Bontemps (Knopf)

1948 Medal Winner:

The Twenty-One Balloons by William Pène du Bois (Viking)

1948 Honor Books:

Pancakes-Paris by Claire Huchet Bishop (Viking)

Li Lun, Lad of Courage by Carolyn Treffinger (Abingdon)

The Quaint and Curious Quest of Johnny Longfoot by Catherine Besterman (Bobbs-Merrill)

The Cow-Tail Switch, and Other West African Stories by Harold Courlander (Holt)

Misty of Chincoteague by Marguerite Henry (Rand McNally)

1947 Medal Winner:

Miss Hickory by Carolyn Sherwin Bailey (Viking)

1947 Honor Books:

Wonderful Year by Nancy Barnes (Messner)

Big Tree by Mary & Conrad Buff (Viking)

The Heavenly Tenants by William Maxwell (Harper)

The Avion My Uncle Flew by Cyrus Fisher, pseud. (Darwin L. Teilhet) (Appleton)

The Hidden Treasure of Glaston by Eleanor Jewett (Viking)

1946 Medal Winner:

Strawberry Girl by Lois Lenski (Lippincott)

1946 Honor Books:

Justin Morgan Had a Horse by Marguerite Henry (Rand McNally)

The Moved-Outers by Florence Crannell Means (Houghton)

Bhimsa, the Dancing Bear by Christine Weston (Scribner)

New Found World by Katherine Shippen (Viking)

1945 Medal Winner:

Rabbit Hill by Robert Lawson (Viking)

1945 Honor Books:

The Hundred Dresses by Eleanor Estes (Harcourt)

The Silver Pencil by Alice Dalgliesh (Scribner)

Abraham Lincoln's World by Genevieve Foster (Scribner)

Lone Journey: The Life of Roger Williams by Jeanette Eaton (Harcourt)

1944 Medal Winner:

Johnny Tremain by Esther Forbes (Houghton)

1944 Honor Books:

These Happy Golden Years by Laura Ingalls Wilder (Harper)

Fog Magic by Julia Sauer (Viking)

Rufus M. by Eleanor Estes (Harcourt)

Mountain Born by Elizabeth Yates (Coward)

1943 Medal Winner:

Adam of the Road by Elizabeth Janet Gray (Viking)

1943 Honor Books:

The Middle Moffat by Eleanor Estes (Harcourt)

Have You Seen Tom Thumb? by Mabel Leigh Hunt (Lippincott)

1942 Medal Winner:

The Matchlock Gun by Walter Edmonds (Dodd)

1942 Honor Books:

Little Town on the Prairie by Laura Ingalls Wilder (Harper)

George Washington's World by Genevieve Foster (Scribner)

Indian Captive: The Story of Mary Jemison by Lois Lenski (Lippincott)

Down Ryton Water by Eva Roe Gaggin (Viking)

1941 Medal Winner:

Call It Courage by Armstrong Sperry (Macmillan)

1941 Honor Books:

Blue Willow by Doris Gates (Viking)

Young Mac of Fort Vancouver by Mary Jane Carr (Crowell)

The Long Winter by Laura Ingalls Wilder (Harper)

Nansen by Anna Gertrude Hall (Viking)

1940 Medal Winner:

Daniel Boone by James Daugherty (Viking)

1940 Honor Books:

The Singing Tree by Kate Seredy (Viking)

Runner of the Mountain Tops: The Life of Louis Agassiz by Mabel Robinson (Random House)

By the Shores of Silver Lake by Laura Ingalls Wilder (Harper)

Boy with a Pack by Stephen W. Meader (Harcourt)

1939 Medal Winner:

Thimble Summer by Elizabeth Enright (Rinehart)

1939 Honor Books:

Nino by Valenti Angelo (Viking)

Mr. Popper's Penguins by Richard & Florence Atwater (Little, Brown)

Hello the Boat! by Phyllis Crawford (Holt)

Leader By Destiny: George Washington, Man and Patriot by Jeanette Eaton (Harcourt)

Penn by Elizabeth Janet Gray (Viking)

1938 Medal Winner:

The White Stag by Kate Seredy (Viking)

1938 Honor Books:

Pecos Bill by James Cloyd Bowman (Little, Brown)

Bright Island by Mabel Robinson (Random House)

On the Banks of Plum Creek by Laura Ingalls Wilder (Harper)

1937 Medal Winner:

Roller Skates by Ruth Sawyer (Viking)

1937 Honor Books:

Phebe Fairchild: Her Book by Lois Lenski (Stokes)
Whistler's Van by Idwal Jones (Viking)
The Golden Basket by Ludwig Bemelmans (Viking)
Winterbound by Margery Bianco (Viking)
The Codfish Musket by Agnes Hewes (Doubleday)
Audubon by Constance Rourke (Harcourt)

1936 Medal Winner:

Caddie Woodlawn by Carol Ryrie Brink (Macmillan)

1936 Honor Books:

Honk, the Moose by Phil Stong (Dodd)
The Good Master by Kate Seredy (Viking)
Young Walter Scott by Elizabeth Janet Gray (Viking)
All Sail Set: A Romance of the Flying Cloud by Armstrong Sperry (Winston)

1935 Medal Winner:

Dobry by Monica Shannon (Viking)

1935 Honor Books:

Pageant of Chinese History by Elizabeth Seeger (Longmans)
Davy Crockett by Constance Rourke (Harcourt)
Day On Skates: The Story of a Dutch Picnic by Hilda Von Stockum (Harper)

1934 Medal Winner:

Invincible Louisa: The Story of the Author of Little Women by Cornelia Meigs (Little, Brown)

1934 Honor Books:

The Forgotten Daughter by Caroline Snedeker (Doubleday)
Swords of Steel by Elsie Singmaster (Houghton)
ABC Bunny by Wanda Gág (Coward)
Winged Girl of Knossos by Erik Berry, pseud. (Allena Best) (Appleton)
New Land by Sarah Schmidt (McBride)
Big Tree of Bunlahy: Stories of My Own Countryside by Padraic Colum (Macmillan)
Glory of the Seas by Agnes Hewes (Knopf)
Apprentice of Florence by Ann Kyle (Houghton)

1933 Medal Winner:

Young Fu of the Upper Yangtze by Elizabeth Lewis (Winston)

1933 Honor Books:

Swift Rivers by Cornelia Meigs (Little, Brown)
The Railroad To Freedom: A Story of the Civil War by Hildegard Swift (Harcourt)
Children of the Soil: A Story of Scandinavia by Nora Burglon (Doubleday)

1932 Medal Winner:

Waterless Mountain by Laura Adams Armer (Longmans)

1932 Honor Books:

The Fairy Circus by Dorothy P. Lathrop (Macmillan)
Calico Bush by Rachel Field (Macmillan)
Boy of the South Seas by Eunice Tietjens (Coward-McCann)
Out of the Flame by Eloise Lowensbery (Longmans)
Jane's Island by Marjorie Allee (Houghton)
Truce of the Wolf and Other Tales of Old Italy by Mary Gould Davis (Harcourt)

1931 Medal Winner:

The Cat Who Went to Heaven by Elizabeth Coatsworth (Macmillan)

1931 Honor Books:

Floating Island by Anne Parrish (Harper)
The Dark Star of Itza: The Story of A Pagan Princess by Alida Malkus (Harcourt)
Queer Person by Ralph Hubbard (Doubleday)
Mountains are Free by Julia Davis Adams (Dutton)
Spice and the Devil's Cave by Agnes Hewes (Knopf)
Meggy MacIntosh by Elizabeth Janet Gray (Doubleday)
Garram the Hunter: A Boy of the Hill Tribes by Herbert Best (Doubleday)
Ood-Le-Uk the Wanderer by Alice Lide & Margaret Johansen (Little, Brown)

1930 Medal Winner:

Hitty, Her First Hundred Years by Rachel Field (Macmillan)

1930 Honor Books:

A Daughter of the Seine: The Life of Madame Roland by Jeanette Eaton (Harper)
Pran of Albania by Elizabeth Miller (Doubleday)

Jumping-Off Place by Marion Hurd McNeely (Longmans)
The Tangle-Coated Horse and Other Tales by Ella Young (Longmans)
Vaino by Julia Davis Adams (Dutton)
Little Blacknose by Hildegard Swift (Harcourt)

1929 Medal Winner:

The Trumpeter of Krakow by Eric P. Kelly (Macmillan)

1929 Honor Books:

Pigtail of Ah Lee Ben Loo by John Bennett (Longmans)
Millions of Cats by Wanda Gág (Coward)
The Boy Who Was by Grace Hallock (Dutton)
Clearing Weather by Cornelia Meigs (Little, Brown)
Runaway Papoose by Grace Moon (Doubleday)
Tod of the Fens by Elinor Whitney (Macmillan)

1928 Medal Winner:

Gay Neck, the Story of a Pigeon by Dhan Gopal Mukerji (Dutton)

1928 Honor Books:

The Wonder Smith and His Son by Ella Young (Longmans)
Downright Dencey by Caroline Snedeker (Doubleday)

1927 Medal Winner:

Smoky, the Cowhorse by Will James (Scribner)

1927 Honor Books:

[None recorded]

1926 Medal Winner:

Shen of the Sea by Arthur Bowie Chrisman (Dutton)

1926 Honor Book:

The Voyagers: Being Legends and Romances of Atlantic Discovery by Padraic Colum (Macmillan)

1925 Medal Winner:

Tales from Silver Lands by Charles Finger (Doubleday)

1925 Honor Books:

Nicholas: A Manhattan Christmas Story by Annie Carroll Moore (Putnam)
The Dream Coach by Anne Parrish (Macmillan)

1924 Medal Winner:

The Dark Frigate by Charles Hawes (Little, Brown)

1924 Honor Books:

{None recorded}

1923 Medal Winner:

The Voyages of Doctor Dolittle by Hugh Lofting (Stokes)

1923 Honor Books:

[None recorded]

1922 Medal Winner:

The Story of Mankind by Hendrik Willem van Loon (Liveright)

1922 Honor Books:

The Great Quest by Charles Hawes (Little, Brown)
Cedric the Forester by Bernard Marshall (Appleton)
The Old Tobacco Shop: A True Account of What Befell a Little Boy in Search of Adventure by William Bowen (Macmillan)
The Golden Fleece and The Heroes Who Lived Before Achilles by Padraic Colum (Macmillan)
The Windy Hill by Cornelia Meigs (Macmillan)

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