

Non-fiction picks

Fallingwater, Marc Harshman
My Life with the Chimpanzees, Jane Goodall
Beauty and the Beak, Deborah Lee Rose & Jane Veltkamp
Dazzle Ships: World War I and the Art of Confusion. Chris
Barton

This is How We Do It, Matt Lamothe

Award Winners

Found, Margaret Peterson Haddix A Dog's Life: Autobiography of a Stray, Ann M. Martin Flora and Ulysses, Kate DiCamillo One Crazy Summer, Rita Williams Garcia Rules, Cynthia Lord

Ms. Christian's Top 5

Because of Winn-Dixie, Kate DiCamillo
Tales of a Fourth Grade Nothing Series, Judy Blume
From the Mixed-Up Files of Mrs. Basil E. Frankweiler, E. L.
Konigsburg
The Secret Carden Frances Hodgeon Burnett

The Secret Garden, Frances Hodgson Burnett Any book by Deborah Wiles

Mr. Lawlor's Top 5

The Houdini Box, Brian Selznick
Heaven is for Real: For Kids, Lynn Vincent
Tales of a Fourth Grade Nothing, Judy Blume
Gordon Korman books
Rick Riordan series

Books about Friendship

Granny Torelli Makes Soup, Sharon Creech Castle in the Mist, Amy Ephron Flipped, Wendelin Van Draanen Word of Mouse, James Patterson The One and Only Ivan, Katherine Hannigan

Best Series

The Missing, Margaret Peterson Haddix
American Girl History Mysteries Series, Various Authors
Little House Series, Laura Ingalls Wilder
Fablehaven Series, Brandon Mull
Harry Potter, J.K. Rowling
The Missing, Margaret Peterson Haddix
Dan Gutman Baseball Card Adventure Series (Babe & Me, etc.), Dan Gutman
Dive Series, Gordon Korman

Favorites for Girls

Just Dance, Patricia MacLachlan Ella Enchanted, Gail Carson Levine Sahara Special, Esme Codell The Borrowers, Mary Norton Cody and the Rules of Life, Eliza Wheeler

Favorites for Boys

Million Dollar Shot, Dan Gutman
Clayton Bird Goes Underground, Rita Williams-Garcia
The Hero Revealed: The Extraordinary Adventures of
Ordinary Boy, William Boniface
Hardy Boys Mysteries, Franklin W. Dixon
A Week in the Woods, Andrew Clements

Classics

The Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobe, C.S. Lewis Phantom Tollbooth, Norton Juster Charlie and the Chocolate Factory, Roald Dahl Shiloh, Phyllis Reynolds Naylor The Indian in the Cupboard, Lynne Reid Banks