



YABBA VOTING 2009

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VOTING RULES— The book voted for must be

- The child's free choice
- Australian fiction.
- NOT a previous YABBA winner.

VOTING GUIDELINES

Log on to the YABBA website for full voting guidelines.

All children in years Prep-9 at school may cast one vote.
 Explain to children how to vote. Clarify that it is a free vote.
 The enclosed A4 sheet containing THREE ballot papers is provided for convenient multiple photocopying.
 Students to fold their own ballot paper, to preserve secrecy.
 Any box may be used as a ballot box.
 Last day for voting is - **26 October 2009.**
 All votes must be received at YABBA by Friday 30 October 2009, so post early! Votes counted— Monday 2 November 2009.

Send votes and competition entries to:

YABBA VOTING, PO BOX 238, KEW, Vic 3101.

You are encouraged to sort votes prior to despatch and complete enclosed VOTE TALLY SHEET

Please ensure you include your school and contact name.

Voting results supplied to media and YABBA subscribers.
 The YABBA Award Ceremony will be held at Frankston City Library on Wednesday 11 November 2009. Attendance is by invitation. If you would like an invitation please contact:

ENQUIRY HOTLINE * (03) 9889 7749

YABBA

VOTERS COMPETITION

VOTE YABBA AND WIN BOOKS!!!!

WOULD YOU LIKE A CHANCE TO WIN

\$300 worth of books for your school Library and
\$100 worth of books for one of your students?

YES of course you would! AND IT'S EASY

All you have to do is have at least 75% of all eligible students at your school, vote in the YABBA process for their favourite Australian Books. Draw one student's name from your voting forms, and send this name along with your tally sheet to YABBA. Last date for voting - 26 October, 2009

All votes and competition entries must reach YABBA by 30 Oct 2009

The winners will be notified and invited to the YABBA Awards Ceremony at Frankston City Library on Wednesday 11 November 2009.

Winners will receive their prizes, have books signed and have photos taken with the authors and illustrators present.

N.B. Schools sending votes from 75% of all eligible students may enter this draw.

PREVIOUS YABBA WINNERS

SECTION 1 PICTURE STORYBOOKS

- 1986 WHEN THE WIND CHANGED by Ruth Park, Illus D. Niland
- 1987 ANIMALIA by Graeme Base
- 1988 WHERE THE FOREST MEETS THE SEA by Jeannie Baker
- 1989 ELEVENTH HOUR by Graeme Base
- 1990 MONSTER WHO ATE AUSTRALIA by Michael Salmon
- 1991 COUNTING ON FRANK by Rod Clement
- 1992 WINDOW by Jeannie Baker
- 1993 SIGN OF THE SEAHORSE by Graeme Base
- 1994 SPOONER OR LATER by T.Greenwood, P.Jennings, Ill T.Denton
- 1995 DUCK FOR COVER by T.Greenwood, P.Jennings, Ill T.Denton
- 1996 BAMBOOZLED by David Legge
- 1997 BILLY THE PUNK by Jessica Carroll, illus Craig Smith
- 1998 ZAPT! by Terry Denton
- 1999 GASP! by Terry Denton
- 2000 SPLAT! by Terry Denton
- 2001 BUFFY by Bob Graham
- 2002 POCKET DOGS by Margaret Wild, illus Stephen Michael King
- 2003 OLD TOM'S HOLIDAY by Leigh Hobbs
- 2004 OLD TOM MAN OF MYSTERY by Leigh Hobbs
- 2005 MUTT DOG by Stephen Michael King
- 2006 DOUGAL THE GARBAGE DUMP BEAR by Matt Dray
- 2007 CHATTERBOX by Margaret Wild, illus Deborah Niland
- 2008 UNO'S GARDEN by Graeme Base

SECTION 2 FICTION - YOUNGER READERS

- 1986 27TH ANNUAL AFRICAN HIPPO RACE by Morris Lurie
- 1987 SISTER MADGE'S BOOK OF NUNS D. MacLeod, Ill C.Smith
- 1988 MY PLACE by N. Wheatley, Illus D. Rawlins
- 1989 CABBAGE PATCH FIB by Paul Jennings
- 1990 PAW THING by Paul Jennings
- 1991 FINDERS KEEPERS by Emily Rodda
- 1992 QUIRKY TAILS by Paul Jennings
- 1993 BLABBERMOUTH by Morris Gleitzman
- 1994 UNDONE! by Paul Jennings
- 1995 GIZMO by Paul Jennings
- 1996 GIZMO AGAIN by Paul Jennings
- 1997 THE BUGALUGS BUM THIEF by Tim Winton
- 1998 NAUGHTY STORIES FOR GOOD BOYS AND GIRLS by C.Milne
- 1999 JUST ANNOYING by Andy Griffiths, Illus by Terry Denton
- 2000 JUST STUPID by Andy Griffiths, Illus by Terry Denton
- 2001 JUST CRAZY by Andy Griffiths, illus by Terry Denton
- 2002 TONGUE TIED by Paul Jennings
- 2003 DELTORA QUEST (Series #2) by Emily Rodda
- 2004 DELTORA QUEST (Series #3) by Emily Rodda
- 2005 LITTLE LUNCH 3 by Danny Katz, illus Mitch Vane
- 2006 SELBY SHEMOZZLE by Duncan Ball, illus Allan Stomann
- 2007 CAT ON THE MAT IS FLAT by Andy Griffiths, illus Terry Denton
- 2008 JUST SHOCKING by Andy Griffiths, illus Terry Denton

SECTION 3 FICTION - OLDER READERS

- 1986 HATING ALISON ASHLEY by Robin Klein
- 1987 UNREAL! by Paul Jennings
- 1988 UNBELIEVABLE! by Paul Jennings
- 1989 UNCANNY! by Paul Jennings
- 1990 SPACE DEMONS by Gillian Rubinstein
- 1991 ROUND THE TWIST by Paul Jennings
- 1992 UNMENTIONABLE! by Paul Jennings
- 1993 UNBEARABLE! by Paul Jennings
- 1994 ROWAN OF RIN by Emily Rodda
- 1995 TOMORROW WHEN THE WAR BEGAN by John Marsden
- 1996 LOCKIE LEONARD HUMAN TORPEDO by Tim Winton
- 1997 45 + 47 STELLA STREET by Elizabeth Honey
- 1998 WICKED by Paul Jennings & Morris Gleitzman
- 1999 BUMFACE by Morris Gleitzman
- 2000 TOAD RAGE by Morris Gleitzman
- 2001 DELTORA QUEST (Series #1) by Emily Rodda
- 2002 DAY MY BUM WENT PSYCHO by Andy Griffiths
- 2003 JUST DISGUSTING by Andy Griffiths, illus Terry Denton
- 2004 TRUCK DOGS by Graeme Base
- 2005 THE BAD BOOK by Andy Griffiths, illus Terry Denton
- 2006 SPECKY MCGEE AND THE BOOTS OF GLORY by Felice Arena & Garry Lyon
- 2007 SPECKY MCGEE AND A LEGEND IN THE MAKING by Felice Arena & Garry Lyon
- 2008 KEY TO RONDO by Emily Rodda

SECTION 4 FICTION - years 7-9 (new category in 2007, designed to encourage wide reading)

- 2007 ONCE by Morris Gleitzman
- 2008 MAO'S LAST DANCER by Li Cunxin