



Chocolate Lily Book Awards Nominees from 2002/2003 - Present

2010-2011

Chapter Book Nominees – Grades 3-5 Category NEW

- **Goldfish Don't Take Bubble Baths (Abby and Tess Pet Sitters)** by Trina Wiebe (Lobster Press)
- **Whiteout** by Becky Citra (Orca Young Readers)
- **Zach & Zoe Bully and the Beagle** by Kristin Butcher (James Lorimer & Co)
- **After Peaches** by Michelle Mulder (Orca Young Readers)
- **Clay Man: The Golem of Prague** by Irene Watts Illustrated by Kathryn Shoemaker (Tundra)
- **The Sky Tree** by P. K. Page Illustrated by Kristi Bridgeman (Oolichan Books)

Chapter Book Nominees – Grade 5-8 Category NEW

- **Venom** by Nikki Tate (Orca Sports)
- **The Ship of Lost Souls** by Rachelle Delaney (Harper Trophy Canada)
- **Bank Job** by James Heneghan and Norma Charles (Orca Book Publishers)
- **Simon Says Gold: Simon Whitfield's Pursuit of Athletic Excellence** by Simon Whitfield with Cleve Dheensaw (Orca Book Publishers)
- **Counting on Hope** by Sylvia Olsen (Sononis)
- **The Giant Slayer** by Iain Lawrence (Delacorte Press)
- **Charlie: a Home Child's Life in Canada** by Beryl Young (Key Porter Books)

Picture Book Nominees

- **Bradley McGogg the Very Fine Frog** by Tim Beiser Illustrated by Rachel Berman (BC) (Tundra Books)
- **Viva Zapata** by Emilie Smith (BC) and Margarita Kenefic Tejada Illustrated by Stefan Czernecki (BC) (Tradewind Books)
- **Penelope and the Preposterous Birthday Party** by Sheri Radford (BC) Illustrated by Christine Tipp (Lobster Press)

- **Fred and Pete at the Beach** by Cynthia Nugent (Orca Book Publishers)
- **On My Walk** by Kari-Lynn Winters (BC when book was published) Illustrated by Christina Leist (BC) (Tradewind Books)
- **Bubble Homes and Fish Farts** by Fiona Bayrock(BC) Illustrated by Carolyn Conahan (Charlesbridge)
- **Stanley's Beauty Contest** by Linda Bailey (BC) Illustrated by Bill Slavin (Kids Can Press)



2009-2010

Chapter Book/Novel Nominees

- **Brave Deeds** by Ann Alma (Groundwood Books)
- **Dear Canada: Days of Toil and Tears** by Sarah Ellis (Scholastic Canada)
- **Good-Bye Marianne, the Graphic Novel** by Irene N. Watts and illustrated by Kathryn E. Shoemaker (Tundra Books)
- **Graveyard of the Sea** by Penny Draper (Coteau Books)
- **Impossible Things** by Robin Stevenson (Orca Books)
- **Meeting Miss 405** by Lois Peterson (Orca Books)
- **Out on a Limb** by Gail Banning (Key Porter Books)
- **Pete's Gold** by Luanne Armstrong (Ronsdale Press)
- **Saara's Passage** by Karen Autio (Sono Nis Press)
- **The Girl in the Backseat** by Norma Charles (Ronsdale Press)
- **The Year I was Grounded** by William New (Tradewind Books)

Picture Book Nominees

- **Art's Supplies** by Chris Tougas (Orca Books)
- **Crocodiles Play!** by Robert Heidbreder and illustrated by Rae Mate (Tradewind Books)
- **Penguin and the Cupcake** by Ashley Spires (Simply Read Books)
- **Shin-chi's Canoe** by Nicola I. Campbell and illustrated by Kim LaFave (Groundwood Books)
- **Stanley at Sea** by Linda Bailey and illustrated by Bill Slavin (Kids Can Press)
- **Rosie and Buttercup** by Chieri Uegaki and illustrated by Stephane Jorisch (Kids Can Press)
- **The West is Calling** by Sarah N. Harvey & Leslie Buffam and illustrated by Dianna Bonder (Orca Books)



2008-2009

Chapter Book/Novel Nominees

- **A Perfect Gentle Knight** by Kit Pearson (Puffin)
- **The Alchemist's Dream** by John Wilson (Key Porter)
- **Baboon** by David Jones (Annick Press)
- **Boxcar Kid** by Norma Charles (Sandcastle)
- **The Eco-Diary of Kiran Singer** by Sue Ann Alderson & Millie Balance (Tradewind)
- **Honey Cake** by Joan Betty Stuchner & Cynthia Nugent (illust.) (Tradewind)
- **I, Bruno** by Caroline Adderson (Orca)
- **Lucky's Mountain** by Dianne Maycock (Orca)
- **Rebel's Tag** by K.L. Denman (Orca)
- **Shadows on the Train** by Melanie Jackson (Orca)
- **When the Bough Breaks** by Irene N. Watts (Tundra)

Picture Book Nominees

- **A Sea-Wishing Day** - written by Robert Heidbreder, illustrated by Kady MacDonald Denton, Kids Can Press
- **Boy in Motion** - Rick Hansen's Story - written by Ainslie Manson, illustrated by Renne Benoit, Greystone Books
- **Goodnight, Sweet Pig** - written by Linda Bailey, illustrated by Josee Masse, Kids Can Press
- **Jeffrey and Sloth** - written by Kari-Lynn Winters and Ben Hodson, Orca
- **Lily and the Mixed-up Letters** - written by Deborah Hodge, illustrated by France Brassard, Tundra
- **Mechanimals** - written and illustrated by Chris Tougas, Orca
- **Pink** - written by Nan Gregory, illustrated by Luc Melanson, Groundwood
- **The Summer of the Marco Polo** - written by Lynn Manuel, illustrated by Kasia Charko, Orca



2007-2008

Chapter Book/Novel Nominees

- **Chasing the Moon** by Penny Chamberlain - Sono Nis Press
- **Dear Canada – No Safe Harbour** by Julie Lawson - Scholastic
- **The Golden Boy** by Beverley & Chris Wood - Polestar
- **I'll Sing You One-O** by Nan Gregory
- **Josh & the Magic Vial** by Craig Spence - Thistledown
- **Magnifico** by Victoria Miles - Fitzhenry & Whiteside
- **Odd Man Out** by Sarah Ellis - Groundwood
- **Red Goodwin** by John Wilson - Ronsdale
- **Safe House** by James Henaghan - Orca
- **Skinnybones and the Wrinkle Queen** by Glen Huser - Groundwood
- **Stealing Home** by Ellen Schwartz - Tundra
- **Yossi's Goal** by Ellen Schwartz - Orca

Picture Book Nominees

- **Abby's Birds** by Ellen Schwartz (BC) & Sima Elizabeth Shefrin (BC illust.) - Tradewind
- **Dragon Tide** by Ingrid Lee & Soizick Meister (BC illust.) - Orca
- **Let's Go For a Ride** by Maxwell Newhouse - Tundra
- **Only a Cow** by Arlene Hamilton & Dean Griffiths (BC illust.) - Fitzhenry & Whiteside
- **Stanley's Wild Ride** by Linda Bailey (BC) & Bill Slavin - Kids Can Press
- **The Trouble With Tilly Trumble** by Lynn Manuel (BC) & Diane Greenseid - Abrams
- **The Farm Team** by Linda Bailey (BC) & Bill Slavin - Kids Can Press
- **Wake Up, Henry Rooster!** by Margriet Ruurs (BC) & Sean Cassidy - Fitzhenry & Whiteside
- **The Hockey Tree** by David Ward (BC) & Brian Deines - North Winds Press
- **Yetsa's Sweater** by Sylvia Olsen (BC) & Joan Larson (BC illust.) - Groundwood



2006-2007

Chapter Book/Novel Nominees

- **Crazy Man** by Pamela Porter (Groundwood)
- **Flower** by Irene N. Watts (Tundra)
- **Flower Power** by Ann Walsh (Orca)
- **Hannah Waters and the Daughter of Johann Sebastian Bach** by Barbara Nickel (Penguin)
- **The Isabel Factor** by Gayle Friesen (Kids Can)
- **Lost Goat Lane** by Rosa Jordan (Fitzhenry and Whiteside)
- **Murphy and Mousetrap** by Sylvia Olsen (Orca)
- **Second Watch** by Karen Autio (Sono Nis)
- **Strawberry Moon** by Becky Citra (Orca)
- **Surf Zone** by Pam Withers (Walrus)
- **Trouble on Tarragon Island** by Nikki Tate (Sono Nis)
- **The Vacation** by Polly Horvath (Groundwood)

Picture Book Nominees

- **Bamboo** by Paul Yee & Shaoli Wang (BC illust) - Tradewind
- **Ben Overnight** by Sarah Ellis (BC) & Kim LaFave (BC illust) – Fitzhenry
- **Bottled Sunshine** by Andrea Spalding (BC) & Ruth Ohi - Fitzhenry
- **Emma at the Fair** by Margriet Ruurs (BC) & Barbara Spurll – Fitzhenry
- **Finklehopper Frog Cheers** by Irene Livingston (BC) & Brian Lies - Tricycle Press
- **I am a Ballerina** by Valerie Coulman & Sandra Lamb - Lobster Press
- **I'll Follow the Moon** by Stephanie Lisa Tara & Lee Edward Fodi (BC illust) - Brown Books
- **Penelope and the Monsters** by Sheri Radford (BC) & Christine Tripp – Lobster
- **Puppies on Board** by Sarah N. Harvey (BC) & Rose Cowles (BC illust) – Orca
- **Shi-shi-etko** by Nicola I. Campbell & Kim LaFave (BC illust) - Groundwood
- **Zig Zag** by Robert D. San Souci & Stefan Czernecki (BC illust)



2005-2006

Picture Book Nominees

- **Goodbye to Griffith Street** by Marilyn Reynolds (BC auth) & Renne Benoit (illustr) *Orca Books
- **Perfect Man** by Troy Wilson (BC auth) & Dean Griffiths (BC illust) *Orca Books
- **Mormor Moves In** by Susin Nielsen-Fernlund (BC auth) & Louise-Andree Laliberte (illustr) *Orca Books
- **Floyd the Flamingo and his flock of friends** by Tiffany Stone (BC auth) & Kathryn Shoemaker (BC illust) *Tradewind Books
- **A Telling Time** by Irene N. Watts (BC auth) & Kathryn E. Shoemaker (BC illust) *Tradewind Books
- **Drumheller Dinosaur Dance** by Robert Heidbreder & Bill Slavin and Esperanca Melo (illustr) *Kids Can Press
- **When Cats Go Wrong** by Norm Hacking (auth) & Cynthia Nugent (BC illust) *Raincoast Books
- **Leon's Song** by Stephanie Simpson McLellan (auth) & Dianna Bonder (BC illust) *Fitzhenry & Whiteside
- **When They Are Up...** by Maggee Spicer and Richard Thompson (BC auths) & Kirsti Ann Wakelin (BC illust) *Fitzhenry & Whiteside
- **A Very Unusual Dog** by Dorothy Joan Harris (auth) & Kim LaFave (BC auth) *North Winds Press
- **Grandparents' Day** by Nikki Tate (BC auth) & Benoit Laverdiere (illustr) *Annick Press



2005-2006

Chapter Book/Novel Nominees

- **The Secret Pony** by Julie White - *Sono Nis Press*
- **Barkerville Gold** by Dayle Campbell Gaetz - *Orca Books*
- **The Mask on the Cruise Ship** by Melanie Jackson - *Orca Books*
- **Catching Spring** by Sylvia Olsen - *Orca Books*
- **Zee's Way** by Kirstin Butcher - *Orca Books*
- **The Pepins and their Problems** by Polly Horvath – *Groundwood*
- **Sky** by Pamela Porter – *Groundwood*
- **Peak Survival** by Pam Withers - *Walrus Books*
- **Sophie's Friend in Need** by Norma Charles - *Beach Holme*
- **Lizzie's Storm** by Sally Fitz-Gibbon - *Fitzhenry & Whiteside*
- **Francesca and the Magic Bike** by Cynthia Nugent - *Raincoast Books*

Congratulations to the Authors, Illustrators & Publishers of these fine books for your Chocolate Lily nomination.

With Thanks to the Selections Committee



2004 ~ 2005

Chapter Book/Novel Nominees

- **Adrift in Time** by John Wilson - Ronsdale Press
- **All the Way to Mexico** by Norma Charles - Raincoast Books
- **And in the Morning** by John Wilson - Kids Can Press
- **Beneath the Mask** by David Ward - Scholastic Canada
- **Dance of the Stones: Summer of Magic Quartet - Book Two** by Andrea Spalding - Orca Book Publishers
- **Leaving the Log House** by Ainslie Manson - Orca Book Publishers
- **Lesia's Dream** by Laura Langston - Harper Trophy Canada
- **The Several Lives of Orphan Jack** by Sarah Ellis - Groundwood Books
- **Our Canadian Girl: Building Bridges - Emily Book Two** by Julie Lawson - Penguin Canada
- **Secret of Light** by KC Dyer – Dundurn
- **The Estorian Chronicles: The Battle for Carnillo** by Nikki Tate - Sono Nis Press
- **The Man in the Moonstone - A Dinah Galloway Mystery** by Melanie Jackson - Orca Book Publishers



2004-2005

Picture Book Nominees

- **Click!** by Shutta Crum & John Beder (BC illust.) - Fitzhenry & Whiteside
- **Finklehopper Frog** by Irene Livingston (BC auth.) & Brian Lies (illustr.) – Tricycle
- **Gregory and Alexander** by William Barringer (auth.) & Kim Lefave (BC illust.) - Orca
- **Hank and Fergus** by Susin Neilson- Fernlund (BC auth.) & Louise-Andree Laliberte (illustr.) - Orca
- **Salmon Forest** by David Suzuki, Sarah Ellis (BC authors) & Sheena Lott (BC illust.) - Greystone Books
- **Skookum Sal, Birling Gal** by Heather Kellerhals- Stewart (BC auth.) & Janice Blaine (BC illust.) - Harbour Publishing
- **Stanley's Party** by Linda Bailey (BC auth.) & Bill Slavin (illustr.) - Kids Can Press
- **Suki's Kimono** by Chieri Uegaki (BC auth.) & Stephane Jorisch (Illustr.) - Kids Can Press
- **The Most Beautiful Kite in the World** by Andrea Spalding (BC auth.) & Leslie Watts (illustr.) - Fitzhenry & Whiteside
- **The Sea King** by Jane Yolen (auth.) & Stefan Czernecki (BC illust.) - Tradewind Books
- **This is the Dog** by Sheryl McFarlane (BC auth.) & Chrissie Wysotski (illustr.) - Fitzhenry & Whiteside
- **Wild Babies** by Margriet Ruurs (BC auth.) & Andrew Kiss (BC illust.) - Tundra Books



2003 - 2004

Chapter Book/Novel Nominees

- **Adrift** by Julie Burtinshaw (Raincoast Books, 2002)
- **Cairo Kelly and the Mann** by Kristin Butcher (Orca Book Publishers, 2002)
- **Dear Canada: A Ribbon of Shining Steel** by Julie Lawson (Scholastic Canada, 2002)
- **Dear Canada: Whispers of War** by Kit Pearson (Scholastic Canada, 2002)
- **Flood** by James Heneghan (Groundwood Books, 2002)
- **Finding Sophie** by Irene N. Watts (Tundra Books, 2002)
- **Losing Forever** by Gayle Friesen (Kids Can Press, 2002)
- **Our Canadian Girl: Disaster at the Bridge, Emily Book 2** by Julie Lawson (Penguin Books Canada, 2002)
- **Tess** by Jocelyn Reekie (Raincoast Books, 2002)
- **The Loser's Club** by John Lekich (Annick Press, 2002)
- **The Olden Days Locket** by Penny Chamberlain (Sono Nis Press, 2002)
- **The Reunion** by Jacqueline Pearce (Orca Book Publishers, 2002)

Picture Book Nominees

- **Amber Waiting** by Nan Gregory (BC author) & Kady MacDonald Denton (illustrator) - Red Deer Press, 2002
- **A Pod of Orcas** by Sheryl McFarlane (BC author) & Kirsti Anne Wakelin (BC illustrator) - Fitzhenry & Whiteside, 2002
- **Aziz the Storyteller** by Vi Hughes (BC author) & Stefan Czernecki (BC illustrator) - Tradewind Books, 2002
- **Camping** by Nancy Hundal (BC author) & Brian Deines (illustrator) - Fitzhenry & Whiteside, 2002
- **Cappuccina Goes to Town** by Mary Ann Smith (BC author), Katie Smith Milway (author) & Eugenie Fernandes (illustrator) - Kids Can Press, 2002
- **Down at The Seaweed Café** by Robert Perry (BC author) & Greta Guzek (BC illustrator) - Raincoast Books, 2002
- **Give Maggie a Chance** by Frieda Wishinsky (author) & Dean Griffiths (BC illustrator) - Fitzhenry & Whiteside, 2002



2003-2004

Picture Books Nominees - Continued

- **Salmon Creek** by Annette LeBox (BC author) & Karen Reczuch (illustrator) - Groundwood Books, 2002
- **Solomon's Tree** by Andrea Spalding (BC author) & Janet Wilson (illustrator) - Orca Book Publishers, 2002
- **That's Hockey** by David Bouchard (BC author) & Dean Griffiths (BC illustrator) - Orca Book Publishers, 2002
- **The Klondike Cat** by Julie Lawson (BC author) & Paul Mombourquette (illustrator) - Kids Can Press, 2002
- **The Name of the Child** by Marilyn Reynolds (BC author) & Don Kilby (illustrator) - Orca Book Publishers, 2002
- **The Night Walker** by Richard Thompson (BC author) & Martin Springett (illustrator) - Fitzhenry & Whiteside, 2002
- **Twilight Fairies** by Nancy Hundal (BC author) & Don Kilby (illustrator) - Fitzhenry & Whiteside, 2002

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Congratulations to the authors, illustrators and publishers of these books that delighted and enriched over 3000 young readers across British Columbia this past year.

Thanks to the 2003-2004 Selection Committee that included English teachers, teacher-librarians and children's author Beryl Young.

Thanks to graphic designer William Glasgow.



2002 ~ 2003

Chapter Book/Novel Nominees

- **A Prairie as Wide as the Sea** by Sarah Ellis (Scholastic, 2001)
- **Cave of Departure** by Nikki Tate (Sono Nis Press, 2001)
- **Chance and the Butterfly** by Maggie de Vries (Orca Book Publishers, 2001)
- **Dead Reckoning** by Julie Burtinshaw (Raincoast Books, 2000)
- **Destination Gold!** by Julie Lawson (Orca Book Publishers, 2000)
- **Jesse's Star** by Ellen Schwartz (Orca Book Publishers, 2000)
- **Mystery from History** by Dayle Campbell Gaetz (Orca Book Publishers, 2001)
- **No Cafes in Narnia** by Nikki Tate (Sono Nis Press, 2000)
- **Remember Me** by Irene N. Watts (Tundra Books, 2000)
- **Summer of Changes** by Ann Alma (Sono Nis Press, 2001)
- **The Gramma War** by Kristin Butcher (Orca Book Publishers, 2001)
- **Wishing Star Summer** by Beryl Young (Raincoast Books, 2001)
- **Everything on a Waffle** by Polly Horvath (Groundwood, 2001)

Picture Book Nominees

- **Ballerina's Don't Wear Glasses** by Ainslie Manson & Dean Griffiths (Orca Book Publishers, 2000)
- **Emma's Cold Day** by Margriet Ruurs (Stoddart Kids, 2001)
- **Fairy** by David Bouchard (Orca Book Publishers, 2001)
- **It's Raining, It's Pouring** by Andrea Spalding (Orca Book Publishers, 2001)
- **Number 21** by Nancy Hundal (Fitzhenry & Whiteside, 2000)
- **Paper Lanterns** by Stefan Czernecki (Talewinds/Charlesbridge Publishing, 2001)
- **Pigmalion** by Glenda Leznoff (Tradewind Books, 2001)
- **The Best Figure Skater in the Whole Wide World** by Linda Bailey (Kids Can Press, 2001)
- **The Pacific Alphabet** by Margriet Ruurs (Whitecap, 2001)
- **The Winter Gift** by Deborah Turney Zagwyn (Tricycle Press, 2000)

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