Battle of the Books Booklists – 2008-2018

2018:
Barber, Tiki *Kickoff!*
Bradley, Kimberly Brubaker *The War That Saved My Life*
Deutsch, Barry *Hereville: How Mirka Got Her Sword*
Grabenstein, Chris *Mr. Lemoncello's Library Olympics*
Hannigan, Kate *The Detective's Assistant*
Jones, Kelly *Unusual Chickens for the Exceptional Poultry Farmer*
Konigsburg, E. L. *From the Mixed-Up Files of Mrs. Basil E. Frankweiler*
Plourde, Lynn *Maxi's Secrets: (Or, What You Can Learn from a Dog)*
Roman, Dave *Astronaut Academy: Zero Gravity*
Rusch, Elizabeth *Eruption!: Volcanoes and the Science of Saving Lives*
Wheeler-Toppen, Jodi *Edible Science: Experiments You Can Eat*
Woodson, Jacqueline *Brown Girl Dreaming*

2017:
Alexander, Lloyd *The Book of Three*
Applegate, Katherine *The One and Only Ivan*
Birdsall, Jeanne *The Penderwicks: A Summer Tale of Four Sisters, Two Rabbits, and a Very Interesting Boy*
Black, Holly *Doll Bones*
Camper, Cathy *Lowriders in Space*
Clements, Andrew *Frindle*
Hale, Nathan *Nathan Hale's Hazardous Tales: The Underground Abductor*
Holm, Jennifer L. *The Fourteenth Goldfish*
Pearsall, Shelley *All of the Above*
Prelutsky, Jack *A Pizza the Size of the Sun*
Thimmesh, Catherine *Team Moon: How 400,000 People Landed Apollo 11 on the Moon*
Winter, Jonah *Roberto Clemente: Pride of the Pittsburgh Pirates*
Yee, Lisa *Stanford Wong Flunks Big-Time*

2016:
Bell, Cece. *El Deafo*
Collins, Suzanne. *Gregor the Overlander*
Creech, Sharon. *Hate That Cat*
Edge, Christopher. *Twelve Minutes to Midnight*
Green, Michelle Y. *A Strong Right Arm: The Story of Mamie “Peanut” Johnson*
Hahn, Mary Downing. *The Old Willis Place: A Ghost Story*
Henry, Marguerite. *Misty of Chincoteague*
Lourie, Peter. *The Polar Bear Scientists*
Lupica, Mike. *Fantasy League*
Miller, Sarah. *Miss Spitfire: Reaching Helen Keller*
Newman, Aline Alexander. *How to Speak Cat: A Guide to Decoding Cat Language*
Paulsen, Gary. *Lawn Boy*
Polacco, Patricia. *The Butterfly*
Shang, Wendy Wan. *The Great Wall of Lucy Wu*
Soto, Gary. *Baseball in April and Other Stories*

**2015:**

Alvarez, Julia. *How Tia Lola Learned to Teach*
Appelt, Kathi. *The True Blue Scouts of Sugar Man Swamp*
Cheng, Andrea. *The Year of the Book*
Fritz, Jean. *The Great Little Madison*
Grabenstein, Chris. *Escape from Mr. Lemoncello's Library*
Green, Tim. *Football Genius*
Holling, Holling Clancy. *Paddle-To-The-Sea*
Kehret, Peg. *Escaping the Giant Wave*
Klise, Kate. *Regarding the Fountain*
Montgomery, Sy. *Saving the Ghost of the Mountain: An Expedition among Snow Leopards in Mongolia*
Nelson, Kadier. *Heart and Soul: The Story of America and African Americans*
Norton, Mary. *The Borrowers*
Patent, Dorothy Hinshaw. *Dogs on Duty: Soldiers' Best Friends on the Battlefield and Beyond*
Rosenthal, Betsy R. *Looking for Me*
Stead, Rebecca. *When You Reach Me*

**2014:**

Carman, Patrick. *Floors*
Davies, Jacqueline. *The Lemonade War*
Draper, Sharon. *Out of My Mind*
Juster, Norton. *The Phantom Tollbooth*
LaFaye, A. *Worth*
Lai, Thanhha. *Inside Out and Back Again*
Lin, Grace. *Where the Mountain Meets the Moon*
Liu, Na. *Little White Duck: A Childhood in China*
Murphy, Jim. *Blizzard! The Storm That Changed America*
Palacio, R.J. *Wonder*
Ripken, Cal, Jr. *Hothead*
Schlitz, Laura Amy. *Good Masters! Sweet Ladies!: Voices from a Medieval Village*
Sperry, Armstrong. *Call it Courage*
Tunnell, Michael O. *Candy Bomber: The Story of the Berlin Airlift's “Chocolate Pilot”*
Turner, Pamela S. *The Frog Scientist*

**2013:**

Atwater, Richard. *Mr. Popper's Penguins*
Buckley, Michael. *The Fairy-Tale Detectives*
Cherry, Lynne. *The Great Kapok Tree: A Tale of the Amazon Rain Forest*
Clements, Andrew. *No Talking*
Codell, Esme Raji. *Sahara Special*
Delacre, Lulu. *Salsa Stories*
DuPrau, Jeanne. *The City of Ember*
Forester, Victoria. *The Girl Who Could Fly*
Fritz, Jean. *What's the Big Idea, Ben Franklin?*
Hiaasen, Carl. *Hoot*
Lobel, Arnold. *Fables*
Montgomery, Sy. *The Quest for the Tree Kangaroo: An Expedition to the Cloud Forest of New Guinea*
O'Brien, Robert C. *Mrs. Frisby and the Rats of NIMH*

Park, Linda Sue. *A Single Shard*

Peck, Richard. *A Long Way from Chicago: A Novel in Stories*

Tashjian, Janet. *My Life as a Book*

**2012:**

Balliett, Blue. *The Wright 3*

Bruchac, Joseph. *Code Talker: A Novel About the Navajo Marines of World War Two*

Choldenko, Gennifer. *Al Capone Does My Shirts*

Cleary, Beverly. *Ralph S. Mouse*

Cole, Joanna. *The Magic School Bus Inside the Earth*

Curtis, Christopher Paul. *The Watsons go to Birmingham--1963*

Dahl, Roald. *Boy: Tales of Childhood*

DiCamillo, Kate. *The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane*

Frost, Helen. *Diamond Willow*

Gutman, Dan. *The Million Dollar Shot*

Kessler, Liz. *The Tail of Emily Windsnap*

Konigsburg, E. L. *The View from Saturday*

Morpurgo, Michael. *Kensuke's Kingdom*

Paulsen, Gary. *My Life in Dog Years*

Steinberg, David. *Sound off! (The Adventures of Daniel Boom aka Loud Boy)*

Wilder, Laura Ingalls. *Little House in the Big Woods*

**2011:**

Barton, Chris. *The Day-Glo Brothers: The True Story of Bob and Joe Switzer's Bright Ideas and Brand-New Colors*

Bulla, Clyde Robert. *The Sword in the Tree*

Du Bois, William Pene. *The Twenty-One Balloons*

Eager, Edward. *Half Magic* by Edward Eager

George, Jean Craighead. *My Side of the Mountain*

Howe, Deborah & James. *Bunnicula: A Rabbit Tale of Mystery*

Lauren, Jill. *That's Like Me!: Stories About Amazing People with Learning Differences*
Park, Linda Sue. The Kite Fighters
Paulsen, Gary. Mudshark
Raskin, Ellen, The Westing Game
Sachar, Louis. Sideways Stories from Wayside School
Thomson, Sarah. Three Cups of Tea [Young Readers' Edition]
Urban, Linda. A Crooked Kind of Perfect
Wolff, Virginia Euwer. Bat 6
Woodson, Jacqueline. Locomotion

2010:
Allen, Thomas. George Washington, Spymaster: How America Outspied the British and Won the Revolutionary War
Armstrong, Alan. Whittington
Barshaw, Ruth. Ellie McDoodle: Have Pen, Will Travel
Blume, Lesley. The Rising Star of Rusty Nail
Broach, Elise. Masterpiece
Cleary, Beverly. Henry Huggins
Clements, Andrew. Room One: A Mystery or Two
Creech, Sharon. Love that Dog
Feldman, Jody. The Gollywhopper Games
Going, K. L. The Liberation of Gabriel King
Hobbs, Valerie. Sheep
Hubbard, Crystal. The Last Black King of the Kentucky Derby: The Story of Jimmy Winkfield
Keller, Laurie. The Scrambled States of America
L’Engle, Madeleine. A Wrinkle in Time
Selzer, Adam. I Put a Spell on You: From the Files of Chrissie Woodward, Spelling Bee Detective

2009:
Estes, Eleanor. The Hundred Dresses
Fardell, John. The 7 Professors of the Far North
Fleischman, John. *Phineas Gage: A Gruesome But True Story about Brain Science*
Fleischman, Sid. *By the Great Horn Spoon!*
Freedman, Russell. *Out of Darkness: The Story of Louis Braille*
Hopkinson, Deborah. *A Band of Angels: A Story Inspired by the Jubilee Singers*
Lasky, Kathryn. *Vision of Beauty: The Story of Sarah Breedlove Walker*
Lin, Grace. *The Year of the Dog*
Lord, Cynthia. *Rules*
Lupica, Mike. *Heat*
Nolan, Peggy. *The Spy Who Came in from the Sea*
Scieszka, Jon. *Math Curse*
Senior, Kathryn. *You Wouldn't Want to be Sick in the 16th Century: Diseases You'd Rather Not Catch*
Shoveller, Herb. *Ryan and Jimmy: And the Well in Africa That Brought Them Together*
Swinburne, Stephen. *Once a Wolf: How Wildlife Biologists Fought to Bring Back the Gray Wolf*
Webb, Sophie. *My Season with Penguins: An Antarctic Journey*

**2008:**

Anderson, M.T. *Whales on Stilts!*
Balliett, Blue. *Chasing Vermeer*
Codell, Esme. *Sing a Song of Tuna Fish*
Creech, Sharon. *Granny Torrelli Makes Soup*
Dicamillo, Kate. *The Tale of Despereaux*
Grandits, John. *Technically It's Not My Fault*
Janeczko, Paul. *Top Secret*
Kramer, Stephen. *Hidden Worlds*
Martin, Rafe. *The Rough-Face Girl*
Murphy, Jim. *The Great Fire*
Pratchett, Terry. *Only You Can Save Mankind*
Robinson, Sharon. *Promises to Keep*
Smith, David. *If the World Were a Village*
Wiles, Deborah. *Each Little Bird That Sings*
Williams, Mary. *Brothers in Hope*