

Margaret A. Edwards Awards



1988-2023

The Margaret A. Edwards Award honors an author, as well as a specific body of his or her work, for significant and lasting contribution to young adult literature.

- 2023: Jason Reynolds for Long Way Down, Ghost, All American Boys, and When I Was the Greatest
- 2022: **A.S. King** for SW/TCH, Still Life with Tornado, Ask the Passengers, Glory O'Brien's History of the Future, and Please Ignore Vera Dietz
- 2021: Kekla Magoon for X: A Novel, How It Went Down, The Rock and the River, Fire In the Streets
- 2020: **Steve Sheinkin** for Bob: The Race to Build-and Steal-the World's Most Dangerous Weapon, The Port Chicago 50: Disaster, Mutiny, and the Fight for Civil Rights, The Notorious Benedict Arnold: A True Story of Adventure, Heroism, and Treachery, and Lincoln's Grave Robbers
- 2019: **M.T. Anderson** for Feed, The Astonishing Life of Octavia Nothing Traitor to the Nation Volume 1: The Pox Party and The Astonishing Life of Octavia Nothing Traitor to the Nation Volume 2: The Kingdom of Waves
- 2018: **Angela Johnson** for *Toning the Sweep, Heaven, Looking for Red, The First Part Last, Bird,* and *Sweet Hereafter*
- 2017: **Sarah Dessen** for *Dreamland, Keeping the Moon, Just Listen, the Truth about Forever, Along for the Ride, What Happened to Goodbye?*, and *This Lullaby*
- 2016: **David Levithan** for The Realm of Possibility, Boy Meets Boy, Love is the Higher Law, How They Met and Other Stories, Wide Awake and Nick and Norah's Infinite Playlist
- 2015: **Sharon Draper** for Tears of a Tiger, Forged by Fire, Darkness before Dawn, The Battle of Jericho, November Blues and Copper Sun
- 2014: Markus Zusak for The Book Thief, Fighting Ruben Wolfe, Getting the Girl, and I Am the Messenger
- 2013: **Tamora Pierce** for *Song of the Lioness* and the series *Circle of Magic* and *Protector of the Small*.
- 2012: **Susan Cooper** for *The Dark is Rising Sequence: Over Sea, Under Stone, The Dark Is Rising, Greenwitch, The Grey King,* and *Silver on the Tree.*
- 2011: **Terry Prachett** for The Amazing Maurice and His Educated Rodents; The Wee Free Men; A Hat Full of Sky; Going Postal; The Colour of Magic; Guards! Guards!; Equal Rites; Mort; and Small Gods
- 2010: **Jim Murphy** for An American Plague: The True and Terrifying Story of the Yellow Fever Epidemic of 1793; Blizzard! The Storm That Changed America; The Great Fire; The Long Road to Gettysburg; and A Young Patriot: The American Revolution as Experienced by One Boy.
- 2009: Laurie Halse Anderson for Catalyst, Fever 1793, and Speak.
- 2008: **Orson Scott Card** for *Ender's Game* and *Ender's Shadow*.
- 2007: **Lois Lowry** for *The Giver*.
- 2006: **Jacqueline Woodson** for I Hadn't Meant to Tell You This, Lena, From the Notebooks of Melanin Sun, If You Come Softly and Miracle's Boys.
- 2005: **Francesca Lia Block** for *Weetzie Bat, Witch Baby, Cherokee Bat and the Goat Guys, Missing Angel Juan* and *Baby Be-Bop.*
- 2004: Ursula K. LeGuin for the Earthsea Series, The Left Hand of Darkness, and The Beginning Place.
- 2003: **Nancy Garden** for *Annie on My Mind*.
- 2002: **Paul Zindel** for *The Pigman*; *The Pigman's Legacy*; *The Pigman & Me*; *My Darling, My Hamburger*; and *The Effect of Gamma Rays on Man-in-the-Moon Marigolds*.
- 2001: **Robert Lipsyte** for *The Contender*; *The Brave*; *The Chief*; and *One Fat Summer*.
- 2000: **Chris Crutcher** for Staying Fat for Sarah Byrnes, Athletic Shorts, Chinese Handcuffs, The Crazy Horse Electric Game, Stotan! and Running Loose.
- 1999: **Anne McCaffrey** for *Dragonflight*, *Dragonquest*, *White Dragon*, *The Ship Who Sang*, and the *Harper Hall* Trilogy.
- 1998: **Madeleine L'Engle** for The Austin Family Series and the Time Fantasy Series.
- 1997: Gary Paulsen for Hatchet, Woodsong, Winter Room, The Crossing, Canyon, and Dancing Carl.
- 1996: **Judy Blume** for *Forever*.
- 1995: **Cynthia Voigt** for *Homecoming, Dicey's Song, A Solitary Blue, Building Blocks, The Runner, Jackaroo*, and *Izzy Willy Nilly*.

- 1994: Walter Dean Myers for Hoops, Motown and Didi, Fallen Angels, and Scorpions.
- 1993: M.E. Kerr for Dinky Hocker Shoots Smack, Gentlehands, Me Me Me Me Me: Not a Novel, and Night Kites.
- 1992: **Lois Duncan** for *Chapters: My Growth as a Writer, and I Know What you Did Last Summer, Killing Mr. Griffin, Ransom, Summer of Fear,* and *The Twisted Window.*
- 1991: **Robert Cormier** for *The Chocolate War, I Am the Cheese, After the First Death*
- 1990: **Richard Peck** for Are You in the House Alone?, Father Figure, The Ghost Belonged to Me, Ghosts I Have Been, Secrets of the Shopping Mall, and Remembering the Good Times.
- 1989: No award given
- 1988: **S.E. Hinton** for *The Outsiders; Rumble Fish; Tex; That Was Then, This Is Now.*