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Easy Reader Titles

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Kate Banks

E-mail

**GOOSE AND DUCK** 

Jean Craighead George

CHICKEN SAID, "CLUCK!" Judyann Grant

HOUNDSLEY AND CATINA AND THE QUIET TIME

James Howe

**RAIN FORESTS** 

Nancy Smiler Levinson

BALLET SISTERS: THE NEWEST DANCER

Jan Ormerod

ANNIE AND SNOWBALL AND THE TEACUP CLUB

Cynthia Rylant

WHAT'S THAT. MITTENS? Lola Schaefer

HOW TO DRIVE YOUR SISTER CRAZY

Diane Z. Shore

HOORAY FOR FLY GUY!

Dori Chaconas

Cynthia Rylant

Erica Silverman

Jean Van Leeuwen

**CORK AND FUZZ: THE COLLECTORS** 

MR. PUTTER AND TABBY RUN THE RACE

AMANDA PIG AND THE WIGGLY TOOTH

ARE YOU READY TO PLAY OUTSIDE?

COWGIRL KATE AND COCOA: RAIN OR SHINE

Vote For Your Favorite Book:

Tedd Arnold

SHARKS! Anne Schreiber

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## **FICTION NOMINEES**

THE PENDERWICKS ON GARDAM STREET

Jeanne Birdsall

**MASTERPIECE** 

Elise Broach

**BAD KITTY GETS A BATH** 

Nick Bruel

HATE THAT CAT Sharon Creech

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Julia Durango

MOXY MAXWELL DOES NOT LOVE WRITING THANK-YOU NOTES Peggy Gifford

THE KNAVEHEART'S CURSE: A VAMPIRE ISLAND STORY Adele Griffin

PIPER REED. THE GREAT GYPSY

Kimberly Willis Holt

MY ONE HUNDRED ADVENTURES Polly Horvath

DIARY OF A WIMPY KID: RODRICK RULES

Jeff Kinney **SWINDLE** 

Gordon Korman

Ingrid Law

ALVIN HO: ALLERGIC TO GIRLS, SCHOOL, AND OTHER SCARY THINGS Lenore Look

THE WILLOUGHBYS

Lois Lowry

THE RUNAWAY DOLLS

Ann M. Martin and Laura Godwin

**CLEMENTINE'S LETTER** Sara Pennypacker

THE MAGIC THIEF

Sarah Prineas

**UP AND DOWN THE SCRATCHY MOUNTAINS** 

Laurel Snyder

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REAL PIRATES: THE UNTOLD STORY OF THE WHYDAH Barry Clifford

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HOW MANY WAYS CAN YOU CATCH A FLY?

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PALE MALE: CITIZEN HAWK OF NEW YORK CITY Janet Schulman

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WANGARI'S TREES OF PEACE: A TRUE STORY FROM AFRICA Jeanette Winter



