

# CBCA Book of the Year Awards – 2008

## Older Readers

<b>WINNER</b>		
HARTNETT, Sonya	<b>THE GHOST'S CHILD</b>	Viking (Penguin Group Australia)
<b>HONOUR BOOKS</b>		
HEFFERNAN, John	<b>MARTY'S SHADOW</b>	Omnibus Books (Scholastic Australia)
METZENTHEN, David	<b>BLACK WATER</b>	Penguin Books (Penguin Group Australia)

## Younger Readers

<b>WINNER</b>		
WILKINSON, Carole	<b>DRAGON MOON</b>	Black Dog Books
<b>HONOUR BOOKS</b>		
CLARK, Sherryl Illustrated by Elissa CHRISTIAN	<b>SIXTH GRADE STYLE QUEEN (NOT!)</b>	Puffin Books (Penguin Group Australia)
HIRSCH, Odo	<b>AMELIA DEE AND THE PEACOCK LAMP</b>	Allen & Unwin

## Early Childhood

<b>WINNER</b>		
BLABEY, Aaron	<b>PEARL BARLEY AND CHARLIE PARSLEY</b>	Viking (Penguin Group Australia)
<b>HONOUR BOOKS</b>		
DUMBLETON, Mike Illustrated by Craig SMITH	<b>CAT</b>	Working Title Press
WILD, Margaret Illustrated by Ann JAMES	<b>LUCY GOOSEY</b>	Little Hare Books

## Picture Book of the Year

<b>WINNER</b>		
OTTLEY, Matt	<b>REQUIEM FOR A BEAST</b>	Lothian (Hachette Livre Australia)
<b>HONOUR BOOKS</b>		
SPUDVILAS, Anne Text: Li CUNXIN	<b>THE PEASANT PRINCE</b>	Viking (Penguin Group Australia)
THOMPSON, Colin and 13 other illustrators	<b>DUST</b>	ABC Books

## Eve Pownall Award for Information Books

<b>WINNER</b>		
WATTS, Frances Illustrated by David LEGGE	<b>PARSLEY RABBIT'S BOOK ABOUT BOOKS</b>	ABC Books
<b>HONOUR BOOKS</b>		
COOKE, Kaz	<b>GIRL STUFF: YOUR FULL-ON GUIDE TO THE TEEN YEARS</b>	Viking (Penguin Group Australia)
MACINNIS, Peter	<b>KOKODA TRACK: 101 DAYS</b>	Black Dog Books