## **Children's Picks**

BEST BOOKS

Presented by Caroline Macfarlane, Becca Jensen & Joella Bagshaw of 2024

|                  | The First State of Being  | Erin Entrada Kelly               |
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|                  | Popcorn   | Rob Harrell                      |
| Car              | Quagmire Tiarello Couldn't Be Better  | Mylisa Larsen                    |
| Caroline's Picks | Magnolia Wu Unfolds it All  | Chanel Miller                    |
| le's             | The Night Librarian   | Christopher Lincoln              |
| P                | Boy vs. Shark   | Paul Gilligan                    |
| CKS              | Plain Jane and the Mermaid  | Vera Brosgol                     |
|                  | The Mythmakers: The Remarkable Fellowship of C.S. Lewis & J.R.R. Tolkien          | John Hendrix                     |
|                  | Force of Nature: A Novel of Rachel Carson   | Ann E. Burg                      |
|                  | Spying on Spies: How Elizebeth Smith Friedman Broke the Nazi's Secret Codes       | Marissa Moss                     |
| Ве               | Born Naughty: My Childhood in China   | Jin Wang                         |
| Becca's          | Across So Many Seas   | Ruth Behar                       |
| Š                | Buffalo Dreamer   | Violet Duncan                    |
| Picks            | All About U.S.: A Look at the Lives of 50 Real Kids from Across the United States | Matt Lamothe                     |
|                  | Drawing Deena   | Hena Khan                        |
|                  | And Then, Boom!   | Lisa Fipps                       |
|                  | Island of Whispers  | Frances Hardinge                 |
|                  | The Bletchley Riddle  | Ruta Sepetys & Steve<br>Sheinkin |
| Joe              | Stealing Little Moon: The Legacy of the American Indian Boarding Schools          | Dan SaSuWeh Jones                |
| ella             | The Secret Library  | Kekla Magoon                     |
| Joella's Picks   | The Songbird and the Rambutan Tree  | Lucille Abendanon                |
| ick              | Max in the House of Spies   | Adam Gidwitz                     |
| S                | A Game of Noctis  | Deva Fagan                       |
|                  | Impossible Creatures  | Katherine Rundell                |
|                  | The Tenth Mistake of Hank Hooperman   | Gennifer Choldenko               |

## **More Children's Picks!**

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Picture Books, Easy Readers, & Intermediate Chapter Books

|  | Picture Books | At Our Table   | Patrick Hulse      |
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|  |               | I Lived Inside a Whale   | Xin Li             |
|  |               | Angela's Glacier   | Jordan Scott       |
|  |               | Time to Make Art   | Jeff Mack          |
|  |               | The Teeny-Weeny Unicorn  | Shawn Harris       |
|  |               | Heatwave   | Lauren Redniss     |
|  |               | When You Have to Wait  | Melanie Conklin    |
|  |               | The Top Spot   | Frank Weber        |
|  |               | Mr. Fox's Game of "No!"  | David LaRochelle   |
|  |               | Bear's Lost Glasses  | Leo Timmers        |
|  |               | Home in a Lunchbox   | Cherry Mo          |
|  |               | Ursula Upside Down   | Corey R. Tabor     |
|  |               | Monster Hands  | Karen Kane         |
|  |               | Do You Know Them?: Families Lost and Found After the Civil War | Shana Keller       |
|  |               | Noodles on a Bicycle   | Kyo Maclear        |
|  |               | The Table  | Winsome Bingham    |
|  |               | Jump for Joy   | Karen Ruelle       |
|  |               | The Pelican Can  | Toni Yuly          |
|  |               | No Cats in the Library   | Lauren Emmons      |
|  |               | They Call Me Teach   | Lesa Cline-Ransome |
|  | IL % JL       | Nothing Scares a Dinosaur                                      | Jonathan Fenske    |
|  |               | Fox vs. Fox  | Corey R. Tabor     |
|  |               | Bibsy Cross and the Bad Apple                                  | Liz Garton Scanlon |
|  |               | Stella & Marigold  | Annie Barrows      |
|  | Informational | The City Sings Green   | Erica Silverman    |
|  |               | Life After Whale: The Amazing Ecosystem of a Whale Fall        | Lynn Brunelle      |
|  |               | Narwhal: Unicorn of the Arctic                                 | Candace Fleming    |
|  |               | The Rock in My Throat  | Kao Kalia Yang     |
|  | ona           | Up, Up, Ever Up!: Junko Tabei: A Life in the Mountains         | Anita Yasuda       |
|  | _             | The Fastest Drummer: Clap Your Hands for Viola Smith!          | Dean Robbins       |
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