

# 2018 –2019 SOUTH CAROLINA BOOK AWARD NOMINEES



***Be a Friend***  
Salina Yoon

***A Bike Like Sergio's***  
Maribeth Boelts

***Bobbie The Wonder Dog: a True Story***  
Tricia Brown

***Chicken Lily***  
Lori Mortensen

***Excellent Ed***  
Stacy McAnulty

***Follow the Moon Home: a Tale of One Idea, Twenty Kids, and a Hundred Sea Turtles***  
Philippe Cousteau & Deborah Hopkinson

***Horrible Bear***  
Ame Dyckman

***Lion Lessons***  
Jon Agee

***Marta! Big and Small***  
Jan Arena

***My Dog's a Chicken***  
Susan McElroy Montanari

***A Piece of Home***  
Jeri Watts

***The Quickest Kid in Clarksville***  
Pat Zietlow

***Quit Calling Me a Monster!***  
Jory John

***School's First Day of School***  
Adam Rex

***The Summer Nick Taught His Cats to Read***  
Curtis Manley & Kate Berube

***Thunder Boy Jr***  
Sherman Alexi

***Who Wants a Tortoise?***  
Dave Keane

***Whoosh!: Lonnie Johnson's Supersoaking Stream of Inventions***  
Chris Barton



***Allie, First at Last***  
Angela Cervantes

***As Brave as You***  
Jason Reynolds

***Full of Beans***  
Jennifer L. Holm

***Garvey's Choice***  
Nikki Grimes

***Ghosts***  
Raina Telgemeier

***Hamstersaurus Rex***  
Tom O'Donnell

***The Hero Two Doors Down: Based on the True Friendship Between a Boy and a Baseball Legend***  
Sharon Robinson

***Isabel Feeny Star Reporter***  
Beth Fantaskey

***Like Magic***  
Elaine Vickers

***A Long Pitch Home***  
Natalie Dias Lorenzi

***The Lost Cipher***  
Michael Oechsle

***Moo: a novel***  
Sharon Creech

***Pax***  
Sara Pennypacker

***The Peculiar Haunting of Thelma Bee***  
Erin Petti

***Save Me a Seat***  
Sara Weeks and Gita Varadarajan

***Slacker***  
Gordon Korman

***Tiny Stitches: The Life of Medical Pioneer Vivien Thomas***  
Gwendolyn Hooks

***Towers Falling***  
Jewell Parker Rhodes

***Weekends with Max and His Dad***  
Linda Urban

***Welcome to Wonderland: Home Sweet Motel***  
Chris Grabenstein



***23 Minutes***  
Vivian Vande Velde

***Beautiful Blue World***  
Suzanne Laffleur

***Booked***  
Kwame Alexander

***The Crown's Game***  
Evelyn Skye

***The Darkest Hour***  
Caroline Tung Richmond

***Falling Over Sideways***  
Jordan Sonnenblick

***Four-Four-Two***  
Dean Hughes

***Ghost***  
Jason Reynolds

***The Girl I Used to Be***  
April Henry

***I Am Drums***  
Mike Grosso

***The Inquisitor's Tale: Or, The Three Magic Children and Their Holy Dog***  
Adam Gidwitz

***Last Man Out***  
Mike Lupica

***Love and Gelato***  
Jenna Evans Welch

***Mighty Jack***  
Ben Hatke

***The Only Road***  
Alexandra Diaz

***Projekt 1065***  
Alan Gratz

***Soar***  
Joan Bauer

***Some Kind of Courage***  
Dan Gemeinhart

***We Will Not Be Silent: The White Rose Resistance Movement That Defied Adolf Hitler***  
Russell Freedman

***Wolf Hollow***  
Lauren Wolk



***Air***  
Ryan Gattis

***All We Have Left***  
Wendy Mills

***Blood, Bullets, and Bones: The Story of Forensic Science from Sherlock Homes to DNA***  
Bridget Heos

***The Crown's Game***  
Evelyn Skye

***Girl in the Blue Coat***  
Monica Hesse

***Holding Up the Universe***  
Jennifer Niven

***If I Was Your Girl***  
Meredith Russo

***Learning to Swear in America***  
Katie Kennedy

***The Radius of Us: a novel***  
Marie Marquardt

***The Rains: a novel***  
Gregg Hurwitz

***Sachiko: A Nagasaki Bomb Survivor's Story***  
Caren Stelson

***The Safest Lies***  
Megan Miranda

***Salt to the Sea***  
Ruta Sepetys

***Scythe***  
Neal Shusterman

***The Serpent King***  
Jeff Zentner

***The Smell of Other People's Houses***  
Bonnie-Sue Hitchcock

***Starflight***  
Melissa Landers

***The Sun is Also a Star***  
Nicola Yoon

***Tell Me Three Things***  
Julie Buxbaum

***Three Dark Crowns***  
Kendare Blake

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