



Notable New Zealand Children's and Young adult Books of 2006

Storylines Children's Literature Foundation of New Zealand has announced its list of Notable New Zealand Books 2006.

The list of Notable Books was established seven years ago to reflect the wide-ranging achievements of New Zealand authors and illustrators. It appears in February each year.

Storylines Children's Literature Foundation of New Zealand Notable Books list allows for the inclusion of anthologies and works by New Zealand writers and illustrators published internationally.

Notable Picture Books

- Where's the Gold?* by Pamela Allen (Penguin Viking)
Nobody's Dog by Jennifer Beck, illustrated by Lindy Fisher (Scholastic New Zealand)
Kiwi Moon by Gavin Bishop (Random House New Zealand)
A Booming in the Night by Ben Brown, illustrated by Helen Taylor (Reed Publishing)
Zachary Quack Minimonster by Lynley Dodd (Mallinson Rendel)
Nanny Mihi's Christmas by Melanie Drewery, illustrated by Tracy Duncan
(Reed Publishing)
The Whale Rider by Witi Ihimaera, illustrated by Bruce Potter (Reed Publishing)
Marta and the Manger Straw by Virginia Kroll, illustrated by Robyn Belton
(Zonderkidz, USA)
The Waka by Jean Prior, illustrated by Gavin Bishop (Scholastic New Zealand)
Te Waka by Kāterina Te Heikoko Mataira and Jean Prior, illustrated by Gavin Bishop
(Scholastic New Zealand)

Notable Junior Fiction

- Janie Olive* by Fifi Colston (Scholastic New Zealand)
Through Thick and Thin by Shirley Corlett (Scholastic New Zealand)
Hunter by Joy Cowley (Puffin)
Super Freak by Brian Falkner (Mallinson Rendel)
Stella Star by Brigid Feehan (Scholastic New Zealand)
Sil by Jill Harris (Longacre Press)
The Moa Cave by Des Hunt (HarperCollins Publishers)
Maddigan's Fantasia by Margaret Mahy (HarperCollins Publishers)
China town Girl; The Diary of Silvey Chan, Auckland, 1942 [My Story] by Eva Wong Ng
(Scholastic New Zealand)
What about Bo? by Jillian Sullivan (Scholastic New Zealand)



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Notable Young Adult Fiction

- Deep Fried* by Bernard Beckett and Clare Knighton (Longacre Press)
Sea of Mutiny by Ken Catran (Random House New Zealand)
Talking to Adam by Sarah Ell (Scholastic New Zealand)
Bodies and Soul by David Hill (Scholastic New Zealand)
Running Hot by David Hill (Mallinson Rendel)
Like Wallpaper. New Zealand Short Stories for Teenagers edited by Barbara Else
(Random House New Zealand)
With Lots of Love from Georgia by Brigid Lowry (Allen & Unwin)
Kaitangata Twitch by Margaret Mahy (Allen & Unwin)
The Unknown Zone by Phil Smith (Random House New Zealand)
Land of Milk and Honey by William Taylor (HarperCollins Publishers)

Notable Non-fiction

- Cameras in Narnia: How the Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe Came to Life* by Ian Brodie
(HarperCollins Publishers)
Incredible Science edited by Alison Brook, University of Auckland (Penguin Books)
Don't Just Sit There by Tony Christiansen with Liz Dobson (HarperCollins Publishers)
Chameleon, Chameleon by Joy Cowley, photographs by Nic Bishop (Scholastic)
Scarecrow Army: The Anzacs at Gallipoli by Leon Davison (Black Dog Books)
Filthy Flies and other Bad Bugs by Rachael Goddard, photographs by Rod Morris
(Reed Publishing)
Even More Things You Need to Know about the World by Simon Eliot by Lloyd Jones,
illustrated by Timon Maxey (Four Winds Press)
Frontier of Dreams: The Story of New Zealand (Four volume set) by John Parker
(Scholastic New Zealand)
Peter Blake Sailor, Adventurer: The Story of a New Zealand Hero by Alan Sefton (Puffin)
Plants, Animals, Environments: A Visual Guide [Blue New Zealand] by Glenys Stace
(Puffin)