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THE 2009 BOOK OF THE YEAR AWARD WINNERS

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Book of the Year: Older Readers

(These books are for mature readers)

Tan, Shaun	<i>Tales from Outer Suburbia</i>	Allen & Unwin
Eaton, Anthony	<i>Into White Silence</i>	Random House Australia
French, Jackie	<i>A Rose for the Anzac Boy</i>	HarperCollinsPublishers

Honour Books: Older Readers

Book of the Year: Younger Readers

(These books are intended for independent younger readers)

Millard, Glenda Illus: King, Stephen Michael	<i>Perry Angel's Suitcase</i>	ABC Books
Bateson, Catherine	<i>The Wish Pony</i>	Random House Australia
Gleitzman, Morris	<i>Then</i>	Viking, Penguin Group Australia

Honour Books: Younger Readers

Book of the Year: Early Childhood

(Intended for children in the pre-reading to early reading stages)

Graham, Bob	<i>How to Heal a Broken Wing</i>	Walker Books
King, Stephen Michael	<i>Leaf</i>	Scholastic Australia
Sullivan, Rosemary Illus: Huxley, Dee	<i>Tom Tom</i>	Working Title Press

Picture Book of the Year:

(Intended for an audience ranging from birth to 18 years. Some books may be for mature readers)

Arranged by Illustrator

Dunstan, Kylie	<i>Collecting Colour</i>	Lothian Children's Books, Hachette
Ottley, Matt	<i>Home and Away</i>	Lothian Children's Books, Hachette
Text: Marsden, John Thompson, Colin	<i>The Big Little Book of Happy Sadness</i>	Random House Australia

Honour Books: Picture Book of the Year

Eve Pownall Award for Information Books:

(Intended for an audience ranging from birth to 18 years range. Some books may be for mature readers)

Hall, Lincoln	<i>Alive in the Death Zone</i>	Random House Australia
Duborsarky, Ursula Illus: Tohby Riddle	<i>The Word Spy</i>	Viking, Penguin Group Australia
Greenwood, Mark Illus: Lessac, Frané	<i>Simpson and his Donkey</i>	Walker Books

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