



## THE CHILDREN'S BOOK COUNCIL OF AUSTRALIA AWARDS

The Children's Book Council of Australia has pleasure in announcing

### THE 2007 BOOK OF THE YEAR AWARD WINNERS

#### **Book of the Year: Older Readers**

(NB: These books are for mature readers)

Lanagan, Margo *Red Spikes* Allen & Unwin

#### **Honour Books: Older Readers**

Cornish, D. M. *Monster Blood Tattoo: Book One* Omnibus, Scholastic

Dubosarsky, Ursula *Foundling*  
*The Red Shoe* Allen & Unwin

#### **Book of the Year: Younger Readers**

Bateson, Catherine *Being Bee* University of Queensland Press

#### **Honour Books: Younger Readers**

Flynn, Pat *The Tuckshop Kid* University of Queensland Press

Illus: Jellett, Tom  
Laguna, Sofie *Bird & Sugar Boy* Penguin Books

#### **Book of the Year: Early Childhood**

Gleeson, Libby *Amy & Louis* Scholastic Press  
Illus: Blackwood, Freya

#### **Honour Books: Early Childhood**

Costain, Meredith *Doodledum Dancing* Penguin/Viking

Illus: Allen, Pamela  
Wild, Margaret *Chatterbox* Penguin/Viking  
Illus: Niland, Deborah

## Picture Book of the Year

(These picture books are arranged by illustrator and some may be for mature readers.)

Tan, Shaun *The Arrival* Lothian Books

### Honour Books: Picture Book of the Year

Rippin, Sally *The Rainbirds* Lothian Books  
Text: Metzenthen, David  
Spudvilas, Anne *Woolvs in the Sitee* Penguin/Viking  
Text Wild, Margaret

### Eve Pownall Award for Information Books

Norman, Mark *The Penguin Book: Birds in Suits* Black Dog Books

### Honour Books: Eve Pownall Award for Information Books

Davidson, Leon *Red Haze: Australians & New Zealanders in Vietnam* Black Dog Books  
Fenton, Corinne *Queenie: One Elephant's Story* Black Dog Books  
Illus: Gouldthorpe, Peter

**The Awards will be announced and presented in Melbourne at 12noon  
on Friday August 17<sup>th</sup>, 2007 at the Hawthorn Town Hall  
by the Victorian Premier, the Honourable Steve Bracks.**

**CHILDREN'S BOOK WEEK: 18 - 24<sup>th</sup> August, 2007    THEME: READiscover**

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