

The following is a list of Newbery Honor books, in reverse chronological order:

2009

The Underneath by Kathi Appelt (Atheneum)

The Surrender Tree: Poems of Cuba's Struggle for Freedom by Margarita Engle (Henry Holt and Co.)

Savvy by Ingrid Law (Dial)

After Tupac & D Foster by Jacqueline Woodson (Putnam)

2008

Elijah of Buxton by Christopher Paul Curtis (Scholastic)

The Wednesday Wars by Gary D. Schmidt (Clarion)

Feathers by Jacqueline Woodson (Putnam)

2007

Penny from Heaven by Jennifer L. Holm (Random House)

Hattie Big Sky by Kirby Larson (Delacorte Press)

Rules by Cynthia Lord (Scholastic)

2006

Whittington by Alan Armstrong (Random House)

Hitler Youth: Growing Up in Hitler's Shadow by Susan Campbell Bartoletti (Scholastic Nonfiction, an imprint of Scholastic)

Princess Academy by Shannon Hale (Bloomsbury Children's Books)

Show Way by Jacqueline Woodson (G.P. Putnam's Sons)

2005

Al Capone Does My Shirts by Gennifer Choldenko (G.P.

And the Newbery Honor Books Are...

The Newbery Honor is a citation given by the Association for Library Service to Children of the American Library Association (ALA). The Newbery Honor is given to worthy runners-up for the Newbery Medal, a higher honor.

Though the Newbery Honor was initiated in 1971, specially cited runners-up for the Newbery Medal from previous years were retroactively named Newbery Honor books.

Nation: Marian Anderson and the Struggle for Equal Rights by Russell Freedman (Clarion Books/Houghton Mifflin)

Lizzie Bright and the Buckminster Boy by Gary D. Schmidt (Clarion Books/Houghton Mifflin)

2004

Olive's Ocean by Kevin Henkes (Greenwillow Books)

An American Plague: The True and Terrifying Story of the Yellow Fever Epidemic of 1793 by Jim Murphy (Clarion Books)

2003

The House of the Scorpion by Nancy Farmer (Atheneum)

Pictures of Hollis Woods by Patricia Reilly Giff (Random House/Wendy Lamb Books)

Hoot by Carl Hiaasen (Knopf)

A Corner of the Universe by Ann M. Martin (Scholastic)

Surviving the Applewhites by Stephanie S. Tolan (HarperCollins)

2002

Everything on a Waffle by Polly Horvath (Farrar Straus Giroux)

Carver: A Life In Poems by Marilyn Nelson (Front Street)

2001

Hope Was Here by Joan Bauer (G.P. Putnam's Sons)

Joey Pigza Loses Control by Jack Gantos (Farrar, Straus, and Giroux)

The Wanderer by Sharon Creech (Joanna Cotler Books/HarperCollins)

2000

Getting Near to Baby by Audrey Coulombis (Putnam)

Our Only May Amelia by Jennifer L. Holm (HarperCollins)

26 Fairmount Avenue by Tomie dePaola (Putnam)

1999

A Long Way from Chicago by Richard Peck (Dial)

1998

Ella Enchanted by Gail Carson Levine (HarperCollins)

Lily's Crossing by Patricia Reilly Giff (Delacorte)

Wringer by Jerry Spinelli (HarperCollins)

1997

A Girl Named Disaster by Nancy Farmer (Richard Jackson/Orchard Books)

The Moorchild by Eloise McGraw (Margaret McElderry/Simon & Schuster)

The Thief by Megan Whalen Turner (Greenwillow/Morrow)

Belle Prater's Boy by Ruth White (Farrar Straus Giroux)

1996

What Jamie Saw by Carolyn Coman (Front Street)

The Watsons Go to Birmingham: 1963 by Christopher Paul Curtis (Delacorte)

Yolonda's Genius by Carol Fenner (Margaret K. McElderry/Simon & Schuster)

The Great Fire by Jim Murphy (Scholastic)

1995

Catherine, Called Birdy by Karen Cushman (Clarion)

The Ear, the Eye and the Arm by Nancy Farmer (Jackson/Orchard)

1994

Crazy Lady by Jane Leslie Conly (HarperCollins)

Dragon's Gate by Laurence Yep (HarperCollins)

Eleanor Roosevelt: A Life of Discovery by Russell Freedman (Clarion Books)

1993

What Hearts by Bruce Brooks (A Laura Geringer Book, a HarperCollins imprint)

The Dark-thirty: Southern Tales of the Supernatural by Patricia McKissack (Knopf)

Somewhere in the Darkness by Walter Dean Myers (Scholastic Hardcover)

1992

Nothing But The Truth: a Documentary Novel by Avi (Jackson/Orchard)

The Wright Brothers: How They Invented the Airplane by Russell Freedman (Holiday House)

1991

The True Confessions of Charlotte Doyle by Avi (Jackson/Orchard)

1990

Afternoon of the Elves by Janet Taylor Lisle (Jackson/Orchard)

Shabanu, Daughter of the Wind by Suzanne Fisher Staples (Knopf)

The Winter Room by Gary Paulsen (Jackson/Orchard)

1989

In The Beginning: Creation Stories from Around the World by Virginia Hamilton (Harcourt)

Scorpions by Walter Dean Myers (Harper)

1988

After the Rain by Norma Fox Mazer (Morrow)

Hatchet by Gary Paulsen (Bradbury)

1987

A Fine White Dust by Cynthia Rylant (Bradbury)

On My Honor by Marion Dane Bauer (Clarion)

Volcano: The Eruption and Healing of Mount St. Helens by Patricia Lauber (Bradbury)

1986

Commodore Perry In the Land of the Shogun by Rhoda Blumberg (Lothrop)

Dogsong by Gary Paulsen (Bradbury)

1985

Like Jake and Me by Mavis Jukes (Knopf)

The Moves Make the Man by Bruce Brooks (Harper)

One-Eyed Cat by Paula Fox (Bradbury)

1984

The Sign of the Beaver by Elizabeth George Speare (Houghton)

A Solitary Blue by Cynthia Voigt (Atheneum)

Sugaring Time by Kathryn Lasky (Macmillan)

The Wish Giver by Bill Brittain (Harper)

1983

Doctor De Soto by William Steig (Farrar)

Graven Images by Paul Fleischman (Harper)

Homesick: My Own Story by Jean Fritz (Putnam)

Sweet Whispers, Brother Rush by Virginia Hamilton (Philomel)

1982

Ramona Quimby, Age 8 by Beverly Cleary (Morrow)

Upon the Head of the Goat: A Childhood in Hungary 1939-1944 by Aranka Siegal (Farrar)

The Blue Sword by Robin McKinley (Berkeley Publishing Group)

1981

The Fledgling by Jane Langton (Harper)

A Ring of Endless Light by Madeleine L'Engle (Farrar)

1980

The Road from Home: The Story of an Armenian Girl by David Kherdian (Greenwillow)

1979

The Great Gilly Hopkins by Katherine Paterson (Crowell)

1978

Ramona and Her Father by Beverly Cleary (Morrow)

Anpao: An American Indian Odyssey by Jamake Highwater (Lippincott)

1977

Abel's Island by William Steig (Farrar)

A String in the Harp by Nancy Bond (Atheneum)

1976

The Hundred Penny Box by Sharon Bell Mathis (Viking)

Dragonwings by Laurence Yep (Harper)

1975

Figs & Phantoms by Ellen Raskin (Dutton)

My Brother Sam Is Dead by James Lincoln Collier & Christopher Collier (Four Winds)

The Perilous Gard by Elizabeth Marie Pope (Houghton)

Philip Hall Likes Me, I Reckon Maybe by Bette Greene (Dial)

1974

The Dark Is Rising by Susan Cooper (McElderry/Atheneum)

1973

Frog and Toad Together by Arnold Lobel (Harper)

The Upstairs Room by Johanna Reiss (Crowell)

The Witches of Worm by Zilpha Keatley Snyder (Atheneum)

1972

Incident At Hawk's Hill by Allan W. Eckert (Little, Brown)

The Planet of Junior Brown by Virginia Hamilton (Macmillan)

The Tombs of Atuan by Ursula K. Le Guin (Atheneum)

Annie and the Old One by Miska Miles (Little, Brown)

The Headless Cupid by Zilpha Keatley Snyder (Atheneum)

1971

Knee-Knock Rise by Natalie Babbitt (Farrar)

Enchantress From the Stars by Sylvia Louise Engdahl (Atheneum)

Sing Down the Moon by Scott O'Dell (Houghton)

1970

Our Eddie by Sulamith Ish-Kishor (Pantheon)

The Many Ways of Seeing: An Introduction to the Pleasures of Art by Janet Gaylord Moore (World)

Journey Outside by Mary Q. Steele (Viking)

1969

To Be a Slave by Julius Lester (Dial)

When Shlemiel Went to Warsaw and Other Stories by Isaac Bashevis Singer (Farrar)

1968

Jennifer, Hecate, Macbeth, William McKinley, and Me, Elizabeth by E. L. Konigsburg (Atheneum)

The Black Pearl by Scott O'Dell (Houghton)

The Fearsome Inn by Isaac Bashevis Singer (Scribner)

The Egypt Game by Zilpha Keatley Snyder (Atheneum)

1967

The King's Fifth by Scott O'Dell (Houghton)

Zlateh The Goat and Other Stories by Isaac Bashevis Singer (Harper)

The Jazz Man by Mary Hays Weik (Atheneum)

1966

The Black Cauldron by Lloyd Alexander (Holt)

The Animal Family by Randall Jarrell (Pantheon)

The Noonday Friends by Mary Stolz (Harper)

1965

Across Five Aprils by Irene Hunt (Follett)

1964

Rascal by Sterling North (Dutton)

The Loner by Ester Wier (McKay)

1963

Thistle and Thyme: Tales and Legends from Scotland by Sorche Nic Leodhas, pseud. (Leclairre Alger) (Holt)

Men of Athens by Olivia Coolidge (Houghton)

1962

Frontier Living by Edwin Tunis (World)

The Golden Goblet by Eloise Jarvis McGraw (Coward)

Belling The Tiger by Mary Stolz (Harper)

1961

America Moves Forward: A History for Peter by Gerald W. Johnson (Morrow)

Old Ramon by Jack Schaefer (Houghton)

The Cricket in Times Square by George Selden, pseud. (George Thompson) (Farrar)

1960

My Side of the Mountain by Jean Craighead George (Dutton)

America Is Born: A History for Peter by Gerald W. Johnson (Morrow)

The Gammage Cup by Carol Kendall (Harcourt)

1959

The Family Under The Bridge by Natalie Savage Carlson (Harper)

Along Came A Dog by Meindert DeJong (Harper)

Chucaro: Wild Pony of the Pampa by Francis Kalnay (Harcourt)

The Perilous Road by William O. Steele (Harcourt)

1958

The Horsecatcher by Mari Sandoz (Westminster)

Gone-Away Lake by Elizabeth Enright (Harcourt)

The Great Wheel by Robert Lawson (Viking)

Tom Paine, Freedom's Apostle by Leo Gurko (Crowell)

1957

Old Yeller by Fred Gipson (Harper)

The House of Sixty Fathers by Meindert DeJong (Harper)

Mr. Justice Holmes by Clara Ingram Judson (Follett)

The Corn Grows Ripe by Dorothy Rhoads (Viking)

Black Fox of Lorne by Marguerite de Angeli (Doubleday)

1956

The Secret River by Marjorie Kinnan Rawlings (Scribner)

The Golden Name Day by Jennie Lindquist (Harper)

Men, Microscopes, and Living Things by Katherine Shippen (Viking)

1955

Courage of Sarah Noble by Alice Dalgliesh (Scribner)

Banner in the Sky by James Ullman (Lippincott)

1954

All Alone by Claire Huchet Bishop (Viking)

Shadrach by Meindert DeJong (Harper)

Hurry Home, Candy by Meindert DeJong (Harper)

Theodore Roosevelt, Fighting Patriot by Clara Ingram Judson (Follett)

Magic Maize by Mary & Conrad Buff (Houghton)

1953

Charlotte's Web by E. B. White (Harper)

Moccasin Trail by Eloise Jarvis McGraw (Coward)

Red Sails to Capri by Ann Weil (Viking)

The Bears on Hemlock Mountain by Alice Dalgliesh (Scribner)

Birthdays of Freedom, Vol. 1 by Genevieve Foster (Scribner)

1952

Americans Before Columbus by Elizabeth Baity (Viking)

Minn of the Mississippi by Holling C. Holling (Houghton)

The Defender by Nicholas Kalashnikoff (Scribner)

The Light at Tern Rock by Julia Sauer (Viking)

The Apple and the Arrow by Mary & Conrad Buff (Houghton)

1951

Better Known as Johnny Appleseed by Mabel Leigh Hunt (Lippincott)

Gandhi, Fighter Without a Sword by Jeanette Eaton (Morrow)

Abraham Lincoln, Friend of the People by Clara Ingram Judson (Follett)

The Story of Appleby Capple by Anne Parrish (Harper)

1950

Tree of Freedom by Rebecca Caudill (Viking)

The Blue Cat of Castle Town by Catherine Coblenz (Longmans)

Kildee House by Rutherford Montgomery (Doubleday)

George Washington by Genevieve Foster (Scribner)

Song of The Pines: A Story of Norwegian Lumbering in Wisconsin by Walter & Marion Havighurst (Winston)

1949

Seabird by Holling C. Holling (Houghton)

Daughter of the Mountain by Louise Rankin (Viking)

My Father's Dragon by Ruth S. Gannett (Random House)

Story of the Negro by Arna Bontemps (Knopf)

1948

Pancakes-Paris by Claire Huchet Bishop (Viking)

Li Lun, Lad of Courage by Carolyn Treffinger (Abingdon)

The Quaint and Curious Quest of Johnny Longfoot by Catherine Besterman (Bobbs-Merrill)

The Cow-Tail Switch, and Other West African Stories by Harold Courlander (Holt)

Misty of Chincoteague by Marguerite Henry (Rand McNally)

1947

Wonderful Year by Nancy Barnes (Messner)

Big Tree by Mary & Conrad Buff (Viking)

The Heavenly Tenants by William Maxwell (Harper)

The Avion My Uncle Flew by Cyrus Fisher, pseud. (Darwin L. Teilhet) (Appleton)

The Hidden Treasure of Glaston by Eleanor Jewett (Viking)

1946

Justin Morgan Had a Horse by Marguerite Henry (Rand McNally)

The Moved-Outers by Florence Crannell Means (Houghton)

Bhimsa, the Dancing Bear by Christine Weston (Scribner)

New Found World by Katherine Shippen (Viking)

1945

The Hundred Dresses by Eleanor Estes (Harcourt)

The Silver Pencil by Alice Dalgliesh (Scribner)

Abraham Lincoln's World by Genevieve Foster (Scribner)

Lone Journey: The Life of Roger Williams by Jeanette Eaton (Harcourt)

1944

These Happy Golden Years by Laura Ingalls Wilder (Harper)

Fog Magic by Julia Sauer (Viking)

Rufus M. by Eleanor Estes (Harcourt)

Mountain Born by Elizabeth Yates (Coward)

1943

The Middle Moffat by Eleanor Estes (Harcourt)

Have You Seen Tom Thumb? by Mabel Leigh Hunt (Lippincott)

1942

Little Town on the Prairie by Laura Ingalls Wilder (Harper)

George Washington's World by Genevieve Foster (Scribner)

Indian Captive: The Story of Mary Jemison by Lois Lenski (Lippincott)

Down Ryton Water by Eva Roe Gaggin (Viking)

1941

Blue Willow by Doris Gates (Viking)

Young Mac of Fort Vancouver by Mary Jane Carr (Crowell)

The Long Winter by Laura Ingalls Wilder (Harper)

Nansen by Anna Gertrude Hall (Viking)

1940

The Singing Tree by Kate Seredy (Viking)

Runner of the Mountain Tops: The Life of Louis Agassiz by Mabel Robinson (Random House)

By the Shores of Silver Lake by Laura Ingalls Wilder (Harper)

Boy with a Pack by Stephen W. Meader (Harcourt)

1939

Nino by Valenti Angelo (Viking)

Mr. Popper's Penguins by Richard & Florence Atwater (Little, Brown)

Hello the Boat! by Phyllis Crawford (Holt)

Leader By Destiny: George Washington, Man and Patriot by Jeanette Eaton (Harcourt)

Penn by Elizabeth Janet Gray (Viking)

1938

Pecos Bill: The Greatest Cowboy of All Time by James Cloyd Bowman (Little, Brown)

Bright Island by Mabel Robinson (Random House)

On the Banks of Plum Creek by Laura Ingalls Wilder (Harper)

1937

Phoebe Fairchild: Her Book by Lois Lenski (Stokes)

Whistler's Van by Idwal Jones (Viking)

The Golden Basket by Ludwig Bemelmans (Viking)

Winterbound by Margery Bianco (Margery Williams) (Viking)

The Codfish Musket by Agnes Hewes (Doubleday)

Audobon by Constance Rourke (Harcourt)

1936

Honk, the Moose by Phil Stong (Dodd)

The Good Master by Kate Seredy (Viking)

Young Walter Scott by Elizabeth Janet Gray (Viking)

All Sail Set: A Romance of the Flying Cloud by Armstrong Sperry (Winston)

1935

Pageant of Chinese History by Elizabeth Seeger (Longmans)

Davy Crockett by Constance Rourke (Harcourt)

Day On Skates: The Story of a Dutch Picnic by Hilda van Stockum (Harper)

1934

The Forgotten Daughter by Caroline Snedeker (Doubleday)

Swords of Steel by Elsie Singmaster (Houghton)

ABC Bunny by Wanda Gág (Coward)

Winged Girl of Knossos by Erik Berry, pseud. (Allena Best) (Appleton)

New Land by Sarah Schmidt (McBride)

Big Tree of Bunlahy: Stories of My Own Countryside by Padraic Colum (Macmillan)

Glory of the Seas by Agnes Hewes (Knopf)

Apprentice of Florence by Ann Kyle (Houghton)

1933

Swift Rivers by Cornelia Meigs (Little, Brown)

The Railroad To Freedom: A Story of the Civil War by Hildegard Swift (Harcourt)

Children of the Soil: A Story of Scandinavia by Nora Burglon (Doubleday)

1932

The Fairy Circus by Dorothy P. Lathrop (Macmillan)

Calico Bush by Rachel Field (Macmillan)

Boy of the South Seas by Eunice Tietjens (Coward-McCann)

Out of the Flame by Eloise Lowmsbery (Longmans)

Jane's Island by Marjorie Allee (Houghton)

Truce of the Wolf and Other Tales of Old Italy by Mary Gould Davis (Harcourt)

1931

Floating Island by Anne Parrish (Harper)

The Dark Star of Itza: The Story of A Pagan Princess by Alida Malkus (Harcourt)

Queer Person by Ralph Hubbard (Doubleday)

Mountains are Free by Julie Davis Adams (Dutton)

Spice and the Devil's Cave by Agnes Hewes (Knopf)

Meggy MacIntosh by Elizabeth Janet Gray (Doubleday)

Garram the Hunter: A Boy of the Hill Tribes by Herbert Best (Doubleday)

Ood-Le-Uk the Wanderer by Alice Lide & Margaret Johansen (Little, Brown)

1930

A Daughter of the Seine: The Life of Madame Roland by Jeanette Eaton (Harper)

Pran of Albania by Elizabeth Miller (Doubleday)

Jumping-Off Place by Marion Hurd McNeely (Longmans)

The Tangle-Coated Horse and Other Tales by Ella Young (Longmans)

Vaino, A Boy of New Finland by Julia Davis Adams (Dutton)

Little Blacknose: The Story of a Pioneer by Hildegard Swift (Harcourt)

1929

Pigtail of Ah Lee Ben Loo by John Bennett (Longmans)

Millions of Cats by Wanda Gág (Coward)

The Boy Who Was by Grace Hallock (Dutton)

Clearing Weather by Cornelia Meigs (Little, Brown)

Runaway Papoose by Grace Moon (Doubleday)

Tod of the Fens by Elinor Whitney (Macmillan)

1928

The Wonder Smith and His Son by Ella Young (Longmans)

Downright Dencey by Caroline Snedeker (Doubleday)

1927 [None recorded]

1926

The Voyagers: Being Legends and Romances of Atlantic Discovery by Padraic Colum (Macmillan)

1925

Nicholas: A Manhattan Christmas Story by Annie Carroll Moore (Putnam)

The Dream Coach by Anne Parrish (Macmillan)

1924 [None recorded]

1923 [None recorded]

1922

The Great Quest by Charles Hawes (Little, Brown)

Cedric the Forester by Bernard Marshall (Appleton)

The Old Tobacco Shop: A True Account of What Befell a Little Boy in Search of Adventure by William Bowen (Macmillan)

The Golden Fleece and The Heroes Who Lived Before Achilles by Padraic Colum (Macmillan)

The Windy Hill by Cornelia Meigs (Macmillan)