

Randolph Stow Young Writers Awards – 1996



History

The eighth annual Randolph Stow Young Writers Awards were presented in ceremony at Geraldton Senior High School on Friday 20th September.

Categories & Entries

Entries were organised into four prose categories and four poetry categories:

- Lower Primary Years 4 and 5
- Upper Primary Years 6 and 7
- Lower Secondary Years 8, 9 and 10
- Upper Secondary Years 11 and 12

Judges

Heather Cross
Margaret Delane
Lorraine Duncan
Kate Larby
Robyn Richards
Jill Stewart

Sponsors

Altorfer & Stow
Angus & Robertson Bookshop
Apex Club of Geraldton
Bluff Point Supermarket
Bookland
City of Geraldton

Dr Barry Dring
Fellowship of Australian Writers (Geraldton Branch)
Geraldton Cultural Trust
Lions Club of Geraldton
RGC Mineral Sands

Lower Primary Poetry

1st – Hannah Corcoran – Geraldton Grammar School – *Storm*
2nd – Meg Ritchie – Geraldton Grammar School – *The Sadness of Growing Old*
3rd – Corey Davis – Cervantes Primary School – *Memories*
HC – Sophie Vaiciunas – Waggrakine Primary School – *My Pony Neptune*

Lower Primary Prose

1st – Jenny Flanagan – Geraldton Grammar School – *The Poet in Me*
2nd – Daniel Charnley – Geraldton Grammar School – *Thunder and Lightning*

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3rd – Adrian Carlberg – Geraldton Grammar School – *My Homework*
HC – Hannah Corcoran – Geraldton Grammar School – *What I Saw*

Upper Primary Poetry

1st – Megan Chesson – Geraldton Grammar School – *A Sweet End*
2nd – Lisa Barnes – Cervantes Primary School – *It's My Life!*
3rd – Brittany Salt – Mount Tarcoola Primary School – *Fields of Flowers*
HC – Clare Peake – St Lawrence's Primary School – *Life and Death*

Upper Primary Prose

1st – Sarah Bettridge – Geraldton Grammar School – *One Sick Child*
2nd – Casey Roth – St Francis Xavier Primary School – *The Life of Eva Salzberger*
3rd – Marisa Lodge – Geraldton Grammar School – *Oh! What a Family*
HC – Tim Stockbridge – Waggrakine Primary School – *The New Highway*
HC – Caroline Taylor – Mount Tarcoola Primary School – *The Day the Earth Moved*
HC – Jon Douglas – Mount Tarcoola Primary School – *The Great Extinction*

Lower Secondary Poetry

1st – Katie Campbell – Nagle Catholic College – *Rush*
2nd – Melissa Losinski – Nagle Catholic College – *Deathly Suspicion*
3rd – Sara-Jane Findlay – Nagle Catholic College – *Randolph Stow*
HC – Kye Luk – Nagle Catholic College – *Crystal Spray*
HC – Beau Patten – Nagle Catholic College – *Footy Riots*

Lower Secondary Prose

1st – Tenelle Wilks – Geraldton Senior High School – *The Cybernet*
2nd – Angela Taylor – John Willcock Senior High School – *Devotion*
3rd – Emmalee Wilkinson – Nagle Catholic College – *Toothbrush Cheat*
HC – James Rudkin – Nagle Catholic College – *Foxspell Continuation*
HC – Nadeen Munday – John Willcock Senior High School – *Fight for Sanity*
HC – Louise Geyson – John Willcock Senior High School – *The Encounter*

Upper Secondary Poetry

1st – Peter Chadwick – Nagle Catholic College – *The Obelisk*
2nd – Megan Cannon – Nagle Catholic College – *One Last Childhood Kiss*
3rd – Beth Drake – Nagle Catholic College – *(Under) Water World*
HC – Tam Nguyen – Nagle Catholic College – *A Silent Refuge*
HC – Natalie Bowron – Nagle Catholic College – *Ignorance*

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Upper Secondary Prose

- 1st – Kathryn Rayner – Nagle Catholic College – *Black Sheep*
2nd – Rheanna Barndon – Nagle Catholic College – *The Land's Heartbeat*
3rd – Melanie Croke – Nagle Catholic College – *The Chase!*
HC – Marianne Taylor – Nagle Catholic College – *The Future*
HC – Tam Nguyen – Nagle Catholic College – *Intently Denied*
HC – Natalie Bowron – Nagle Catholic College – *If Only*