

Randolph Stow Young Writers Awards – 2004



History

The sixteenth annual Randolph Stow Young Writers Awards were presented at a ceremony held at the Shire of Greenough Administration Offices on Friday 22nd October 2004.

Categories & Entries

541 entries were received from schools throughout the region and 61 awards were presented. Students from 18 schools submitted entries and 12 schools were represented in the award winners.

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

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

Judges

June Ausburn
Ray Cockerill
Paul Drury
Warwick Glenister
Anita Kirkbright

Rob McEachern
Rosie Morris
Natalie Nelmes
Carolyn Nixon
Malcolm Smith

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Writers of Geraldton

Lower Primary Poetry

1st – Jesse Webb-Smith – Geraldton Grammar School – *Kimba*
2nd – Claudia Zaimstra – Walkaway Primary School – *Since Hannah Moved Away*
3rd – Ashton Taylor – St Francis Xavier Primary School – *Creation*
HC – Gaylene Scott – Beachlands primary School – *Love*

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HC – Matt Wynhorst – Mount Tarcoola Primary School – *My Boomerang*

HC – Bethany Ellis – Mount Tarcoola Primary School – *Toby*

HC – Zoe Sellers – Mount Tarcoola Primary School – *My Grandad is Nice*

Lower Primary Prose

1st – Emilee Beven – Mount Tarcoola Primary School – *Lucky! Come Home!*

2nd – Gaylene Scott – Beachlands Primary School – *Triple Trouble*

3rd – Alex Crear – Geraldton Primary School – *The Old Man*

HC – Michael Nelmes – Mount Tarcoola Primary School – *The Snake Attack*

HC – Alecia Neal – Mount Tarcoola Primary School – *The Fire Horse*

HC – Zoe Brennan – Mount Tarcoola Primary School – *The Rotten Old Witch*

HC – Ashton Taylor – St Francis Xavier Primary School – *Get Me Out of Here!!!*

HC – Hayley Warren – Mount Tarcoola Primary School – *Crystal's Grandad*

Upper Primary Poetry

1st – Emily Webb-Smith – Geraldton Grammar School – *An Unguarded Moment*

2nd – Marshall Cooper-Yeates – Geraldton Grammar School – *Not Dead, Not Alive*

3rd – Clancy Holt – Walkaway Primary School – *A Different Sort of Grandmum*

HC – Oliver Cope – Geraldton Primary School – *Africa*

HC – My Tien Dang – St John's Primary School – *My Little Sister*

Upper Primary Prose

1st – Danielle Stafford – Strathalbyn Christian College – *Clash*

2nd – Darcy Hay – Geraldton Primary School – *The Last Hours of a Veteran*

3rd – Emily Webb-Smith – Geraldton Grammar School – *To Die For*

HC – Trixie Kerr – St John's Primary School – *Nuts about Cashew*

HC – Jocelyn Reeves – St John's Primary School – *A Rip Away From Life*

HC – Aimee Ward – St John's Primary School – *Shadows of the Past!*

Lower Secondary Poetry

1st – Zoe Lutz – John Willcock College – *Dying, Death*

2nd – Elena Cope – Geraldton Grammar School – *I'm Not Australian*

3rd – Nicole Masiello – Geraldton Grammar School – *The Old Oak Tree*

HC – Jordan Molesworth – Geraldton Grammar School – *The Weird Old Wizard*

HC – Rebekah Norman – Nagle Catholic College – *Outcast*

HC – Benjamin Totino – Nagle Catholic College – *Moon Light*

HC – Lilly Padina – John Willcock College – *The War*

HC – Tiffany Hewson – John Willcock College – *Welcomed Desert*

HC – Kimberley Thuijs – Nagle Catholic College – *Friendly Feuds*

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Lower Secondary Prose

- 1st – Elissa Baillie – Geraldton Grammar School – *Swamp Girl*
2nd – Elena Cope – Geraldton Grammar School – *The Bathroom*
3rd – Sharn Peskett – Nagle Catholic College – *Surfing My Way to Heaven*
HC – Sophie Toster – John Willcock College – *That's Cool*

Middle Secondary Poetry

- 1st – Elizabeth Roff – Nagle Catholic College – *War or Peace*
2nd – Rachel Anderson – Nagle Catholic College – *Unveil*
3rd – Lauren Spowart – Nagle Catholic College – *My Dad*
HC – Rory Nelson – Nagle Catholic College – *Big Boy*
HC – Katie Freegard – Geraldton Grammar School – *All There is to See*
HC – Sigourney Weldon – Geraldton Grammar School – *The Road to Paradise*
HC – Rhyanan Boulton – Geraldton Grammar School – *Me*
HC – Luke Viner – Nagle Catholic College – *The Magic of Melody*
HC – Samantha Lefroy – Geraldton Grammar School – *Sleeping in Peace*

Middle Secondary Prose

- 1st – Luke Viner – Nagle Catholic College – *When the World Stopped*
2nd – Amy Faugno – Nagle Catholic College – *Once But Never Again*
3rd – Fiona Nunn – Geraldton Grammar School – *The Stalking*
HC – Sharma Heylen-Silvia – Nagle Catholic College – *Bus Stop*

Upper Secondary Poetry

- 1st – Francesca Snowball – Geraldton Grammar School – *Some Kind of Death*
2nd – Cian Eckford – Nagle Catholic College – *Confused*
3rd – Melinda Gartner – Nagle Catholic College – *The Familiar Flame*
HC – Christa Fleeton – Nagle Catholic College – *A Tear*
HC – Rory Lenane – Nagle Catholic College – *What I Want*

Upper Secondary Prose

- 1st – Brent Allen – Geraldton Senior College – *Pedra Branca*
2nd – Radford Sing – Geraldton Senior College – *Strawberry Fields*
3rd – Alisha Dyer – Geraldton Senior College – *Of Thorns and Blades*
HC – Chloe Serafini – Geraldton Senior College – *The Father I Never Had*