

## Maryland Black-Eyed Susan Award Books Grades 4 - 6



Since 1992 the Maryland Association of School Librarians has given the Black-Eyed Susan Award in several categories. The purpose of this award is to promote literacy and lifelong reading habits by encouraging students to read quality, contemporary literature. The books selected for each category are expected to broaden the human experience and provide accurate, factual information.

The Black-Eyed Susan Book Award honors outstanding books chosen annually by Maryland students. Many Howard County elementary schools participate in this award by sharing the books with the students and providing them with the opportunity to vote for their favorite book. Check with the library media specialist at your school to find out how your child can participate.

### 2010 – 2011 Nominees for Grades 4 - 6

<u>AUTHOR</u>	<u>TITLE</u>
Broach, Elise	<i>Masterpiece</i>
Clements, Andrew	<i>Extra Credit</i>
Graff, Lisa Colleen	<i>Umbrella Summer</i>
Lin, Grace	<i>Where the Mountain Meets the Moon</i>
Marino, Nan	<i>Neil Armstrong is My Uncle: &amp; Other Lies Muscle Man McGinty Told Me</i>
Mass, Wendy	<i>11 Birthdays</i>
Pitchford, Dean	<i>Captain Nobody</i>
Prineas, Sarah	<i>The Magic Thief</i>
Woodson, Jacqueline	<i>Peace Locomotion</i>

More information about the Black-Eyed Susan Book Award can be found on the Maryland Association of School Librarians Web page: <http://www.maslmd.org>

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