

## Louisiana Young Readers' Choice

## Ballot 2006 Grades 6-8

Read these books and vote for your favorite one by February 1, 2006.

The Boy Who Saved Baseball by John H. Ritter.
The City of Ember by Jeanne DuPrau.
Cuba I5 by Nancy Osa.
Don't Hold Me Back: My Life and Art by Winfred Rembert.
Gregor the Overlander by Suzanne Collins.
A Mango-Shaped Space by Wendy Mass.
Midnight for Charlie Bone by Jenny Nimmo.
Olive's Ocean by Kevin Henkes.
Prairie Whispers by Frances Arrington.
Remember the Lusitania! by Diana Preston.
The River Between Us by Richard Peck.
Shakespeare Bats Cleanup by Ron Koertge.
Skeleton Key by Anthony Horowitz.
Vampire High by Douglas Rees.
The Way a Door Closes by Hope Anita Smith. Illustrated by Shane W. Evans.

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## **VOTING PROCEDURES**

Students may use this ballot to vote for their favorite book. This form may also be used as a tally sheet, if you do not have access to the web site.

Name	
School or Library	
Address	
City	Zip
Telephone	
Email	

- VOTES MUST BE SUBMITTED BY FEBRUARY I, 2006.
- EACH STUDENT MAY VOTE ONLY ONCE, AND VOTE FOR ONLY ONE BOOK.
- TO BE QUALIFIED TO VOTE EACH STUDENT:
  - Must read 3 or more titles on the ballot.
  - Must live in Louisiana.
  - Must be in grades 3-5 or in grades 6-8 (or equivalent).
  - Students with special needs may participate regardless of their grade.

## **TALLIES**

- Each child may vote in his/her participating school or public library.
  - Teachers and librarians must total the votes of their class or group and submit the tally. Individual ballots from students in groups will not be accepted. Submit the tally form directly from the State Library web site by clicking "submit." www.state.lib.la.us. Click on Center for the Book, then LA Young Readers' Choice.
  - The tally form may be printed and faxed to (225) 342-3547.
  - Children who do not have access to a participating school or library may submit the tally form directly from the web site or they may mail or fax the ballot.
  - Blind and physically handicapped students may submit their votes directly to the Services for the Blind and Physically Handicapped. Call I-800-543-4702.
  - •The tally form must be filled out completely with name and complete address. Incomplete forms will not be counted.

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