

# 2012 PNBA Book Award Nominees

The following titles have been nominated for the 2012 PNBA Book Award and are currently being considered by the Awards Committee as of : **October 1, 2011 - Final**

<u>Title</u>	<u>Author</u>	<u>Publisher</u>
51: 30 Poems, 20 Lyrics, 1 Self-Interview	Paul Zarzyski	Bangtail Press
A Farm in the South Pacific Sea	Jan Walker	Plicata Press
A Friend for Einstein	Charlie Cantrell & Dr. Rachel Wagner	Disney Pub
A Kid From Southie	John Shea/Michael Harmon	WestSide Books
A Light in the Heart	Kathleen M. O'Brien	Plicata Press
A Long, Long Sleep	Anna Sheehan	Candlewick Press
A Need So Beautiful	Suzanne Young	Balzer + Bray
A Pet for Petunia	Paul Schmid	HarperCollins
Adventures in Design	Joen Wolfrom	C&T Publishing
After the Ark	Luke Johnson	NYQ Books
Aftermath	Scott Nadelson	Hawthorne Books
Alaska: A History	Claus-M. Naske & Herman E. Slotnik	U. Oklahoma Press
Aliens on Vacation	Clete Smith	Disney
All the Roads That Lead From Home	Anne Leigh Parrish	Press 53
All the Way to Second Street	Nancy Casey	Logwood Stone
Alvin Ho: Allergic to Dead Bodies...	Lenore Look/Lellyen Phani	Random
Amazing Animals	Margariet Ruurs/W. Allan Hancock	Tundra Books
American Masculine	Shann Ray	Graywolf Press
Among Penguins	Noah Strycker	OSU Press
An Edible Alphabet	Carol Watterson/Miche la Sorrentino	Random
Anya's Ghost	Vera Brosgol	VHPS
Apprenticed to Spirit	David Spangler	Riverhead
Ashtown Burials #1: Dragon's Tooth	N.D. Wilson	Random
At the Kitchen Table	Greg Atkinson	Sasquatch
Aviary	Kathleen O'dell	Random
Awaken	Katie Kacvinsky	HMHarcourt
Babymouse #14: Mad Scientist	Jennifer & Matthew Holm	Random
Babymouse #15: A Very Babymouse..	Jennifer & Matthew Holm	Random
Ballad of the Northland	Jason Barron	Kanabear Ent.
Be Quiet, Mike!	Leslie Patricelli	Candlewick Press
Beautiful Unbroken	Mary Jane Nealon	Graywolf Press
Bear Down, Bear North	Melinda Moustakis	Univ. Georgia Press
Bering Sea Blues	Joe Upton	Epicenter Press
Best Kept Secret	Amy Hatvany	Atria/ S&S

Betrayal of Trust	J.A. Jance	Morrow
Better Than You	Trudy Ludwig	Random
Between Two Wars	David Ward	Amulet Books/Abrams
Birds of Paradise	Diana Abu-Jabar	W.W. Norton
Blood of the Reich	William Dietrich	HarperCollins
Body of a Dancer	Renee E. D'Aoust	Etruscan Press
Bones Beneath Our Feet	Michael Schein	Bennett & Hastings
Boots Finds A New Home	Carol. S. Hervin	Book Publishers Network
Boy and His Bot	Daniel H. Wilson	VHPS
Bradley McGogg, The Very Fine Frog	Tim Beiser/illus Rachel Berman	Tundra Books
Bravest Woman in America	Marissa Moss/Andrea U'Ren	Random
Breaking the Code	Karen Fisher-Alaniz	Sourcebooks
Calexico	Peter Laufer	Univ. Arizona Press
Calvin Coconut: Kung Fooley	Graham Salisbury	Random
Calvin Coconut: Hero of Hawaii	Graham Salisbury	Random
Case of the Missing Deed	Ellen Schwartz	Tundra Books
Caught In the Crosshairs	Rick Steber	Bonanza Pub.
Cellar Door	Brett Gadbois	Belltown Press
Chamber of Five	Michael Harmon	Random
Chance of Sun: An Oregon Memoir	Kim Cooper Findling	Nestucca Spit Press
Chicken, Chicken, Duck!	Nadia Krilanovich	Tricycle/Random
Chicken in Every Yard	Robert & Hannah Litt	Ten Speed
Chloe Jarren's La Cucaracha	Matthew Stadler	Publication Studio
Chocolate Delights Cookbook	Karen Jean Matsko Hood	Whispering Pines Press
Christmas Coat	Virginia Driving Hawk Sneve	Holiday House
Chronology of Water	Lidia Yuknavitch	Hawthorne
Cinders of My Better Angels	Michael Magee	MoonPath Press
City of Ash	Megan Chance	Broadway (Crown)
Clips & Consequences: A Memoir	Beth Myrle Rice	Purple Stripe Pub.
Come From the Shadows	Terry Glavin	Douglas & McIntyre
Conjugations of the Verb To Be	Glen Chamberlain	HarperCollins
Conscientious Gardner	Sarah H. Reichard	U California Pr.
Country Line	Bill Cameron	Tyrus Books
Craft Beers of Pacific NW	Lisa M. Morrison	Timber Press
Cream of Kohlrabi	Floyd Skloot	Tupelo Press
Crossings: McCullough's Coastal Bridges	Judy Fleagle/Richard Knox Smith	Pacific Pub.
Crude Awakenking	Amanda Coyne/Tony Hopfinger	Basic Books
Dark Eden	Patrick Carman	Katherine Tegen/Harper
Dark Rose	Robert C. Donnelly	U Washington Pr.
Darkhouse	Karina Halle	Metal Blonde Books
Darkness Bids the Dead Goodbye	Gary McKinney	Kearney Street Books

Daughter of Smoke & Bone	Laini Taylor	Little, Brown
Daughter of Xanadu	Dori Jones Yang	Random
Dear Creature	Jonathan Case	Tor
Descent of Man	Kevin Desinger	Unbridled Books
Desires Of The Dead	Kimberly Derting	HarperCollins
Devil Dolphins of Silver Lagoon & Other	Michael Bennett	Small Planet
Dirty Little Secrets	Kerry Cohen	Sourcebooks
Dishing Up Oregon	Ashley Gartland	Storey Publishing
Dog Days Raven Nights	John & Colleen Marzluff	Yale Univ. Pr.
Dot to Dot	Kit Bakke	CreateSpace
Drawing From Memory	Allen Say	Scholastic
Drink the Bitter Root	Gary Geddes	Douglas & McIntyre
Early Warning	Nancy Lord	Counterpoint Press
Eating Dirt	Charlotte Gill	Greystone Books
Ed King	David Guterson	Knopf
Emergency in Slow Motion	William Tod Schultz	St. Martins
End of Boys	Peter Hoffmeister	Soft Skull Press
Evensong	Ingrid Wendt	Truman State Univ.
Every Dress a Decision	Elizabeth Austen	Blue Begonia Press
Faith of Cranes: Finding Hope & Family...	Hank Lentfer	Mountaineers
Farmyard Beat	Lindsey Craig	Random
Feast Day of Fools	James Lee Burke	S & S
Feathers	Thor Hansen	Perseus
Fibble: Fourth Circle of Heck	Dale E. Basye	Random
Finding Mars	Ned Rozell	U. Alaska Press
First Descent	Pam Withers	Tundra Books
Flies	Michael Dickman	Copper Canyon
Floating Islands	Rachel Neumeier	Random
Flora's Wreath	Jane Dill	Ildolyn Press
Flying Canoe: A Christmas Story	Eric A. Kimmel	Holiday House
Flowers of Volunteer Park Conservatory	Sara L. Chapman	Book Pub. Network
For the Love of Music	Elizabeth Rusch	Tricycle/Random
Found	Jennifer Lauk	Seal Press
Friendship Doll	Kirby Larson	Random
Ganymede	Cherie Priest	Tor
Garden of Beasts	Anita Sullivan	Airlie Press
Genius of Islam	Bryn Barnard	Random
Girl With Brown Fur	Stacey Levine	Starcherone Books
Girl Wonder	Alexa Martin	Disney Pub.
Gluten-Free Asian Kitchen	Laura B. Russell	Ten Speed Press
Good Fish	Becky Selengut	Sasquatch Books

Greasewood Creek	Pamela Steele	Counterpoint Press
Grist: A Story of Life in Oregon Country	RC Marlen	Sunbird Press
Growing a Farmer	Kurt Timmermeister	W.W. Norton
Grumpy Lumpy	Abra Ebner	Crimson Oak Pub.
Habibi	Craig Thompson	Pantheon
Halfway to Midnight	Dr. Larry Len Peterson	Tumbleweed Reflections
Healer: A Novel	Carol Cassella	S&S
Heaven is High	Kate Wilhelm	VHPS
Holding Lies: A Novel	John Larison	Skyhorse Pub.
Horses Never Lie About Love	Jana Harris	Free Press
Hour of Sunlight	Sami Al Jundi/Jen Marlowe	Nation Books/Perseus
House Divided	Mike Lawson	Grove/Atlantic
House That Mouse Built	Maggie Rudy	Downtown Bookworks
How Dalia Put a Big Yellow Comforter...	Linda Heller/Stacy McQueerico	Random
Hugs From Pearl	Paul Schmid	HarperCollins
Hunt of the Unicorn	C.C. Humphreys	Random
Hustle	Jason Skipper	Press 53
I Taste Fire, Earth, Rain	Caryl Sherpa	Studio S Press
I Think Again of Those Ancient Chinese Poets	Tom Sexton	U. Alaska Press
I'll Be Watching	Pamela Porter	Groundwood Books
In My Old Age: Poems	Charles Deemer	Round Bend Press
In Too Deep	Jayne Ann Krentz	G.P. Putnam's Sons
Joy For Beginners	Erica Bauermeister	G.P. Putnam's Sons
Just One Catch	Tracy Daugherty	St. Martin's
Kendall's Storm	Janet Muirhead Hill	Raven Publishing
Kitchen Counter Cooking School	Kathleen Flinn	Penguin Group
Land Sharks	S.L. Stoner	Yamhill Press
Landlord's Black-Eyed Daughter	Mary Ellen Dennis	Sourcebooks
Life Gets Better	Wendy Lustbader	Tarcher/Penguin
Light Up the Night	Margaret Chodos-Irvine	Disney Pub.
Listening Against the Stone: Selected Essays	Brenda Miller	Skinner House Books
Little Office of the Immaculate Conception	Martha Sihno	Saturnalia Books
Lost! A Dog Called Bear	Wendy Orr/Susan Boase	VHPS
Magic Driver	Jason T. Ross	CC Publishing
Making the Jump into Small Bus. Owner.	Jeff Levy/David Nilssen	Book Pub. Network
Making Waves	Tawna Fenske	Sourcebooks
Map of My Dead Pilots	Colleen Mondor	Globe Pequot
Maphead	Ken Jennings	Scribner
Marry Or Burn	Valerie Trueblood	Counterpoint Press
Maya & the Cotton Candy Boy	Jean Davies Okimoto	Endicott & Hugh Books
Memoirs of the Soul	Nan Phifer	Ingot Press

MFA in a Box	John Rember	Dream of Things
Micrograms	Jorge Carrera Andrade	Wave Books
Modern Homestead	Renee Wilkinson	Fulcrum
Montana Cowboy	Wanda Resseland	Globe Pequot
More Bears!	Kenn Nesbitt/Troy Cummings	Sourcebooks
Most Human Human	Brian Christian	Doubleday
Mother's Day Delights Cookbook	Karen Jean Matsko Hood	Whispering Pines Press
My Father at 100	Ron Reagan	Penguin Group
My Name is Not Easy	Debby Dahl Edwardson	Marshall Cavendish
My Not-So-Still Life	Liz Gallagher	Random
My Woodland Wish	Kate Endle/Caspar Babypants	Sasquatch Books
Mysterious Bones	Katherine Kirkpatrick	Holiday House
Nature's Northwest	William Robbins & Katrine Barber	U. Arizona Press
Nerve	Taylor Clark	Little, Brown
New Land, North of the Columbia	Dr. Lorraine McConaghy	Sasquatch Books
New Orleans Walls: Still Standing	Marie-Dominique Verdier	First Light
Newport Blues	George Byron Wright	C3 Publications
Night Road	Kristin Hannah	St. Martins
On Mount Hood	Jon Bell	Sasquatch
Oregon Experiment	Keith Scribner	Knopf
Orientation	Daniel Orozco	VHPS
Out of Refusal	Carter McKenzie	Airlie Press
Pablo Neruda	Monica Brown/Julie Paschkis	VHPS
Pain Relief With Trigger Point Self-Help	Valerie DeLaune	Lotus Publishing
Part Wild	Ceirwen Terrill	Scribner
Peculiar Honors: Poems	Sharon Cumberland	Black Heron
Pirates Of The Sea	Brandon Dorman	Greenwillow Bks
Princess Zelda and the Frog	Carol Gardner	VHPS
Polka Dot Penguin Pottery	Lenore Look/Yumi Heo	Random
Potluck: Community on Edge of Wilderness	Ana Maria Spagna	OSU Press
Primal Body, Primal Mind	Nora T. Gedgudas	Inner Traditions/ Bear Co
Putting Makeup on Dead People	Jen Violi	Disney Pub.
Queer: The Ultimate LGBT Guide for Teens	Kathy Beige & Marke Bieschke	Zest Books
Racing In the Rain	Garth Stein	HarperCollins
Rambunctious Garden	Emma Marris	St. Martins
Raptors of the West	Kate Davis	Mountain Press
Raven's Gift	Don Rearden	Penguin
Reamde	Neal Stephenson	Morrow/HarperCollins
Recipes for Life: My Memories	Linda Evans	Vanguard Press
Recovering a Lost River	Steven Hawley	Beacon Press
Remembering the Power of Words	Avel L. Gordly/Patricia Schecter	OSU Press

Resisters #1: The Resisters	Eric Nylund	Random
Rick Steves' Mediterranean Cruise Ports	Rick Steves	Avalon Travel
Ride the Jawbone	Jim Moore	Raven Pub.
Right Where You Are Now	Lisa Montierth	Craigmore Creations
River of Darkness	Buddy Levy	Ballantine Bantam
Robocalypse	Daniel H. Wilson	Doubleday
Sanderlings	Geri Doran	Tupelo Press
Saving Audie	Dorothy Hinshaw Patent & William Munoz	VHPS
Scrap Republic	Emily Cier	C&T Publishing
Seattle in Black & White	Singler, Durning, Valentine & Adams	U. Washington Pr.
Second Fiddle	Rosanne Parry	Random
Seeing Ezra	Kerry Cohen	Seal Press
Seven Kinds of Ordinary Catastrophes	Amber Kizer	Random
Shadow in the USA	Kay Newell Plumb	Worldview Press
Shape of the Eye	George Estreich	So. Methodist U.P.
Shards	Ismet Prcic	Grove/Atlantic
Shiro: Wit , Wisdom & Recipes....	Shiro Kashiba	Chin Music Press
Sisters Brothers	Patrick DeWitt	Ecco/HarperCollins
Sniffles for Bear	Bonny Becker	Candlewick Press
Soccer Dreams	Clare Hodgson Meeker	Creating One
Songs of Unreason	Jim Harrison	Copper Canyon
Speaking Christian	Marcus J. Borg	HarperOne
Squish #1: Super Amoeba	Jennifer & Matthew Holm	Random
Squish #2: Brave New Pond	Jennifer & Matthew Holm	Random
Sticking Place	T.B. Smith	L&R Pub/Hellgate Press
Story of Esther: A Purim Tale	Eric A. Kimmel	Holiday House
Strange Stirring	Stephanie Coontz	Basic Books
Summer at the Lake Quilts	Susan Maw/Sally Bell	C&T Publishing
Sweet Venom	Tera Lynn Childs	Katherine Tegan Bks
Terra Tempo: Ice Age Cataclysm	David Shapiro	Craigmore Creations
Terrarium Craft	Amy Aiello/Kale Bryan	Timber Press
Terror of Living	Urban Waite	Little, Brown
The Bled	Frances McCue	Factory Hollow Press
The Jewel & the Key	Louise Spiegel	HMHarcourt
The Last Mountains	Rick Craig	Geyser Books
The Late Interiors: A Life Under Construction	Marjorie Sandor	Arcade Pub
The Map of Dead Pilots	Colleen Mondor	Lyons Press
The Message	LD Thompson	Divine Arts
The Nine Senses	Melissa Kwasny	Milkweed
The Pastor	Eugene H. Peterson	HarperOne
The Road Between	Florence Bell Ore	Raven Pub.

The Sliding Glass Door	Scott Poole	Colonus Publishing
The Wikkeling	Steven Arntson	Running Press
The Wild Life of Elk	Donna Love	Mountain Press
The Year We Were Famous	Carole Estby Dagg	HMHarcourt
Three Bears of the Pacific Northwest	Marcia & Robert Vaughan	Sasquatch
Three Little Aliens & Big Bad Robot	Margaret McNamara/Mark Fearing	Random
Tibet: Culture on the Edge	Phil Borges	Rizzoli
Tiger's Curse	Colleen Houck	Splinter/Sterling Pub
Tiger's Quest	Colleen Houck	Splinter/Sterling Pub
To Market, To Market	Nikki McClure	Abrams Young Reader
Treaties & Treachery	Kurt R. Nelson	Caxton Press
Trouble at Puma Creek	Wesley Murphey	Lost Creek Books
Tumford the Terrible	Nancy Tillman	VHPS
Two Gold Coins & a Prayer	James H. Keeffe III	Appell Pub
Ultimate Top Secret GT Taking Over...	Kenn Nesbitt/Ethan Long	Sourcebooks
Undone	Maxine Scates	New Issues Poetry
Unexpected Patriot	Shannen Rossmiller	VHPS
Vanishing Act	Phillip Margolin/Ami Margolin	HarperCollins
Vegan Diner	Julie Hasson	Running Press
Vertigo	Marvin Bell	Copper Canyon
Volt	Alan Heathcock	Graywolf Press
Voodoo Vintners	Katherine Cole	OSU Press
Wagons Ho!	George Hallowell/Joan Holub	Albert Whitman & Co.
Walk Like a Man	Robert J. Wiersema	Greystone Books
Warm Bodies: A Novel	Isaac Marion	Atria Books/S&S
We Love Our School	Judy Sierra/Linda Daviak	Random
West of Here	Jonathan Evison	Algonquin Books
What have you done with our ears...	Arlene Kim	Milkweed
What It Is Like To Go To War	Karl Marlantes	Grove/Atlantic
What the Alder Told Me	Anita K. Boyle	MoonPath Press
When the de la Cruz Family Danced	Donna Miscolta	Signal 8 Press
Where Elk Roam	Bruce L. Smith	Globe Pequot
Wherever You Go	Heather Davis	HMHarcourt
Why Do I Have to Make My Bed?	Wade Bradford/Johanna Van Der Sterre	Random
Wickedly Charming	Kristine Grayson	Sourcebooks
Wild Alaskan Seafood	James O. Fraioli	Globe Pequot
Wildcat Fireflies	Amber Kizer	Random
Wildwood	Colin Meloy & Carson Ellis	Balzer+Bray/Harper
Winter Arguments	Anne Pitkin	Ahadada Books
Wire to Wire	Scott Sparling	Tin House Books
Woman Who Heard Color	Kelly Jones	Berkley Pub Grp

Wonkenstein  
Words in the Dust  
World Without Islam  
Yeah. No. Totally  
You Don't Love This Man  
Your Farm In The City  
Your Magical Soul  
Zazen  
Zero Day  
Zoozical

Obert Skye  
Trent Reedy  
Graham Fuller  
Lisa Wells  
Dan DeWeese  
Lisa Taylor  
Jeffrey A. Marks  
Vanessa Veselka  
Mark Russinovich  
Judy Sierra

Holt  
Scholastic  
Little, Brown  
Perfect Day Publishing  
HarperCollins  
Blackdog & Leventhal  
Arago Press  
Red Lemonade  
VHPS  
Random