

# West Australian Young Readers' Book Award



Newsletter Term 2 2002

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## Nominations for Reading List 2003

Encourage your readers to nominate books they have enjoyed for the 2003 list by completing a Nomination form (photocopy after adding your Library name) and forward it to WAYRBA. Nominations received during the first semester are more likely to get on the next year's list, but we are happy to receive them at any time and will keep them on hand for the following year.

Remind readers that if their nominated book wins, they will be invited to participate in our Presentation Night!

### Criteria for Nomination

For a book to be eligible for selection on the WAYRBA Reading List:

- It must be fiction published or reprinted during the preceding 5 years (translations are acceptable)
- The author must be living
- Any author may have only one title on each list for that year
- Listed titles are excluded from the Award in subsequent years

### Voting

Remember to keep those votes coming in. The **closing date** for all voting is **August 16<sup>th</sup>**. We would appreciate it if the votes could be put in alphabetical order by the author's surname, as it makes sorting so much quicker. Please do not staple the votes together. Send the votes to this address -

**VOTE COORDINATOR**  
**PO BOX 256**  
**GUILDFORD WA 6935**

## Presentation Night

Presentation Night 2002 will be held at the Subiaco Theatre on Friday evening, October 25<sup>th</sup>. Having the Presentation Night on a Friday will allow schools from country areas to attend.

Please keep in mind that this year entrance to the WAYRBA Presentation Night will be by ticket only. This will allow us to seat everyone comfortably. Tickets will be free, but schools will be limited to fifteen tickets. More about this in later newsletters.

*We would love to hear from any school who would be interested in preparing a reader's theatre or a dramatic presentation of the winning books.*

### Please Join Us

If you would like to help out with the counting of votes or sorting of nominations for the 2003 reading list come along to any of our meetings held at -

*St Maria Goretti Primary School*  
*64 Morrison Street, Redcliffe*

We meet every third Tuesday at 4:15 PM.

May 21	June 18
July 16	August 20
September 17	October 15
November 19	December 17

Or contact anyone on the list below. We certainly would appreciate your help.

