

## **Gate City Book Award Nominees**

## 2014-2015

The **Gate City Book Award** is sponsored by the Elementary School Librarians of Nashua, New Hampshire. This award is given each year to the author whose book receives the most votes from third and fourth graders in Nashua.

We have selected 20 books that are well written as well as intriguing. Voting will take place in May 2015 in the elementary school libraries. Enjoy!

- 1. 8 Class Pets + 1 Squirrel  $\div$ 1 Dog = Chaos /by Vivan Vande Velde
- 2. Boy on the Porch /by Sharon Creech
- 3. Dog Days /by Karen English
- 4. Flora & Ulysses: the Illuminated Adventures /by Kate DiCamillo
- 5. The Forbidden Stone /by Tony Abbott
- 6. Fortunately, the Milk /by Neil Gaiman
- 7. The Japanese Tsunami, 2011 (I Survived series) /by Lauren Tarshis
- 8. Kelsey Green, Reading Queen /by Claudia Mills
- 9. Look up!: Bird Watching in Your Own Backyard /by Annette LeBlanc Cate
- 10. The Mouse with the Question Mark Tail /by Richard Peck
- 11. The Odd Squad: Zero Tolerance /by Michael Fry
- 12. The One and Only Ivan /by Katherine Applegate
- *13. The Pet War* /by Allan Woodrow
- 14. Rise of the Balloon Goons /by Troy Cummings
- 15. Snicker of Magic /by Natalie Lloyd
- 16. Sunny Sweet Is So NOT Sorry /by Jennifer Ann Mann
- 17. The True Blue Scouts of Sugar Man Swamp /by Kathi Appelt
- 18. Who Says Women Can't Be Doctors? The Story of Elizabeth Blackwell /by Tanya Lee Stone
- 19. Wyatt Burp Rides Again /by Greg Trine
- 20. The Year of Billy Miller /by Kevin Henkes