

What Is The Award?

These awards were established by the Westchester Library Association to honor Westchester authors and to promote reading. All titles were published during 1985-86 by a Westchester County author.

Candidates for the awards were selected by a committee of adult and young adult librarians, and were based on a combination of literary quality, readability and wide general appeal.

How You Can Vote!

Vote for one title in each category — fiction and nonfiction — and submit the ballot by March 15, 1987 to any of the locations listed on the back of this brochure, or mail to the Westchester Library Association, 8 Westchester Plaza, Elmsford, NY 10523 Attn: Washington Irving Award.

The books will be on display and available at libraries and bookstores from January 15 to March 15, 1987.

The winners will be announced during National Library Week, April 5-11, 1987, and the medals will be awarded at the Westchester Library Association Annual Conference May 9, 1987.

Where to Vote

Ardley Public Library
9 American Legion Dr., 693-6636
(Armonk)

North Castle Public Library
19 Whippoorwill Rd., 273-3887

North White Plains Branch
760 No. Broadway, 948-6359

Bedford Free Library
Village Green, 234-3570

Bedford Hills Free Library
26 Main St., 666-6472

Briarcliff Manor Public Library
Library Rd., 941-7072

Bronxville Public Library
201 Pondfield Rd., 337-7680

Chappaqua Library
195 So. Greeley Ave., 238-4779

Croton Free Library
171 Cleveland Dr., 271-6612

Dobbs Ferry Public Library
153 Main St., 693-6614

Eastchester Public Library
11 Oak Ridge Pl., 793-5055

Greenburgh Public Library
300 Tarrytown Rd., 993-1600

Harrison Public Library
Bruce Ave., 835-0324

West Harrison Branch
2 E. Madison St., White Plains
948-2092

Hastings-on-Hudson
Public Library
Maple Ave., 478-3334

Irvington Public Library
Town Hall — Main St., 591-7840

Katonah Village Library
Bedford Rd. (Rte. 117), 232-3508

Larchmont Public Library
121 Larchmont Ave., 834-2281

Mamaroneck Free Library
Library Lane, 698-1250

(Monroese)

Hendrick Hudson Free Library
1 Kings Ferry Rd., 739-5654

Mount Kisco Public Library
Main St., 666-8041

Mount Vernon Public Library
28 South First Ave., 668-1840

New Rochelle Public Library
Library Plaza, 632-7878

Huquenot Park Branch Library
794 North Ave., 632-7878

North Salem Free Library
Route 116, 669-5161

Ossining Public Library
53 Croton Ave., 941-2416

(Peekskill) The Field Library
4 Nelson Ave., 737-0010

Pelham Public Library
Lincoln and Third Ave., 738-3263
(Pleasantville)

Mt. Pleasant Public Library
350 Bedford Rd., 769-0548

Valhalla Branch
6 Cleveland St., 948-2455

Port Chester Public Library
1 Haseco Ave., 939-6710

(Pound Ridge)

Hiram Halle Memorial Library
R.F.D. #4, Box 152, 764-5085

Purchase Free Library
Purchase St., 948-0550

Rye Free Reading Room
1061 Boston Post Rd., 967-0480

Scarsdale Public Library
Post & Olmstead Rds., 723-2005
(Shrub Oak)

John C. Hart Memorial Library
1130 Main St., 245-5262

Yorktown Heights Branch
1974 Commerce St., 962-2818

Somers Library
Route 139, Reis Park, 232-5717

South Salem Library
Main St., 763-3857

(Tarrytown) The Warner Library
121 North Broadway, 631-2189

Tuckahoe Public Library
71 Columbus Ave., 961-2121

White Plains Public Library
100 Martine Ave., 682-4480

Yonkers Public Library
Getty Square
7 Main St., 337-1500

Crestwood Branch
17 Thompson St., 337-1500

Grinton I. Will Branch
1500 Central Ave., 337-1500

You can also vote at any Westchester bookstore or college library that features the Washington Irving Book Award display.

Vote for a
Westchester IRVING
BOOK AWARDS



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Washington Irving Book Award Titles

Fiction

C.B. GREENFIELD: A LITTLE MADNESS

Lucille Kallen
Pantheon 1986
Greenfield, spellbound by a female violinist from England, comes to her aid when she is implicated in a crime.

DIARY OF A YUPPIE

Louis Auchincloss
Houghton, Mifflin 1986
A satiric portrait of a yuppie lawyer who lets nothing stand in his way as he strives for success.

DREAM DREDGER, THE

Roberta Silman
Persea 1986
A young woman explores her mother's mysterious death in this novel about loss and madness.

INTERNATIONAL GARAGE SALE, THE

Stefan Kanfer
Norton 1985
When a TV correspondent is assigned to the "World Body," we learn much about life at the UN in this satiric farce.

LAST BLOSSOM ON THE PLUM TREE, THE

Brooke Astor
Random House 1986
Two high society widows accept the risk of love in this novel set in the roaring twenties.

LEAH'S CHILDREN

Gloria Goldreich
Macmillan 1985
A family saga, spanning the last three decades, follows Leah's children as they pursue their destinies.

LOVE IN THE MIDDLE AGES

Helen Barolini
Morrow 1986
The love story of two disparate middle-aged people, and the problems they encounter in making a life together.

PROBITY CHORUS, THE

Richard Lemon
Norton 1986
A funny, tender novel of love, fidelity, sex, and honor among the married, the unmarried, and the once married.

RED BANNER MUTINY

Andrew O'Rourke
Barntam 1986
A Russian officer seizes a destroyer in a desperate attempt to escape a tyrannical government.

SMALL TOWN, A

Shelby Hearon
Athenum 1985
A doctor's daughter's life mirrors the changes in the life of a small town in Missouri.

WORLD'S FAIR

E.L. Doctorow
Pantheon 1985
An evocative novel of the Bronx of the 1930s as seen through the eyes of a sensitive boy and other family members.

Nonfiction

GOOD ENOUGH TO DREAM

Roger Kahn
Doubleday 1985
This heart-warming account of Kahn's year as owner and president of a very minor league baseball club, the Utica Blue Sox, conveys his love for the game.

HELPING CHILDREN OF DIVORCE: A HANDBOOK FOR PARENTS AND TEACHERS

Susan Arnsberg Diamond
Schocken Books 1986
A practical handbook that can be used to recognize and deal with the special needs of children of divorce in the schools.

REDISCOVERING LOVE

Willard Gaylin, M.D.
Viking 1986
An exploration of the roots and nature of love; how to make it the center of our lives in a potentially loveless world.

ROGER MARIS: A MAN FOR ALL SEASONS

Maury Allen
Donald I. Fine 1986
The story behind one of America's baseball heroes — the man who broke Babe Ruth's single season home run mark.

STRANGER IN TWO WORLDS

Jean Harris
Macmillan 1986
Harris's account of her early years, her relationship with Dr. Tarnower, the "event" itself, and her life in a Westchester prison.

BEAUTY BOUND

Rita Freedman
Heath 1986
The conflicts and confusion of beauty as related to divorce, dieting and eating disorders, fitness, aging, cosmetic surgery.

CLARA SCHUMANN — THE ARTIST AND THE WOMAN

Nancy B. Reich
Cornell University Press 1985
Artist, composer, editor, teacher, mother of eight, and wife of Robert Schumann, Clara was an important force in the musical world of her time.

COMPLETE FAMILY GUIDE TO JEWISH HOLIDAYS

Dalia Hardof Renberg
Adama Books 1985
Information on the Jewish holidays, including recipes, arts and crafts, songs and prayers, and activities for children's parties.

EATING OUT: FEARLESS DINING IN ETHNIC RESTAURANTS

John Mariani
Quill 1985
Not a restaurant guide, but everything you need to know to feel comfortable eating in ethnic restaurants, including a dictionary of dishes.

FIGHTING FEAR: AN 8 WEEK GUIDE TO TREATING YOUR OWN PHOBIAS

Frederic Neuman, M.D.
Macmillan 1985
A physician explains how to identify and conquer phobias by developing easy-to-use techniques for everyday situations.

VOTE FOR ONE TITLE FROM EACH CATEGORY

Nonfiction Nominees

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