



# The 2025 Jane Addams Children's Book Award Ceremony

**Carnegie Library of Pittsburgh**  
4400 Forbes Ave. Pittsburgh PA 15213  
**South Wing Reading Room**

Come celebrate the 2025 Jane Addams Children's Book Award Ceremony at the Carnegie Library of Pittsburgh, PA on April 24th, 2025! This event is FREE and open to the public, and will include refreshments, raffles, book giveaways, and a chance to meet award-winning authors and illustrators in person!

To RSVP, you can use the link below. We hope to see you there!

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# 2025 Jane Addams Children's Book Award Ceremony

Carnegie Library of Pittsburgh Main  
Library Location, 4400 Forbes Avenue,  
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania



Thursday  
**24 APRIL, 2025**



**5:30 PM EST**

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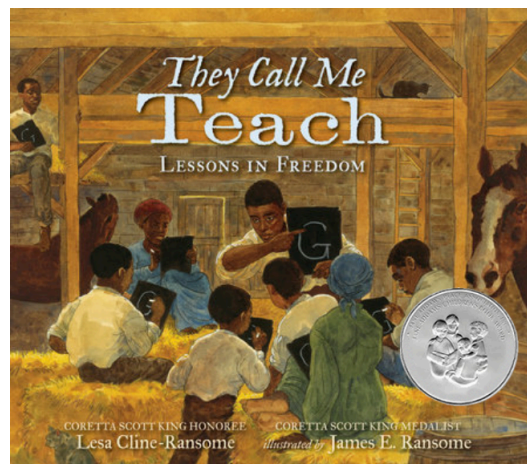
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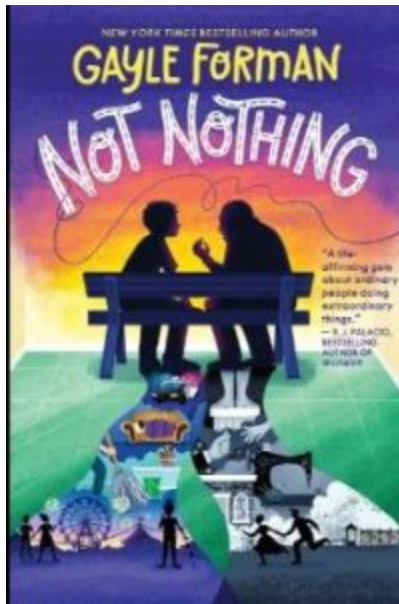
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## Books Being Awarded

***They Call Me Teach*, by Lesa Cline-Ransome, illustrated by James Ransome**

(2025 Winner)





***Not Nothing*, by Gayle Forman**

(2025 Winner)

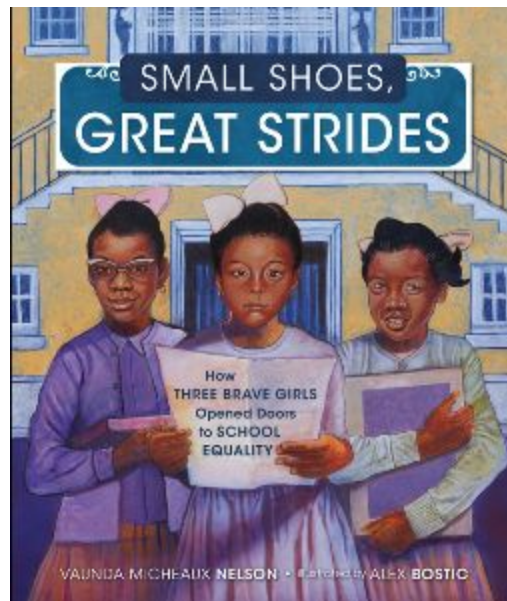
**Meet author Gayle Forman, who  
will be attending the ceremony in  
person!**

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***Small Shoes, Great Strides: How  
Three Brave Girls Opened Doors  
to School Equality*, by Vaunda  
Micheaux Nelson, illustrated by  
Alex Bostic**

(2025 Honor)

**Meet author Vaunda Micheaux  
Nelson and illustrator Alex Bostic,  
who will be attending the  
ceremony in person!**







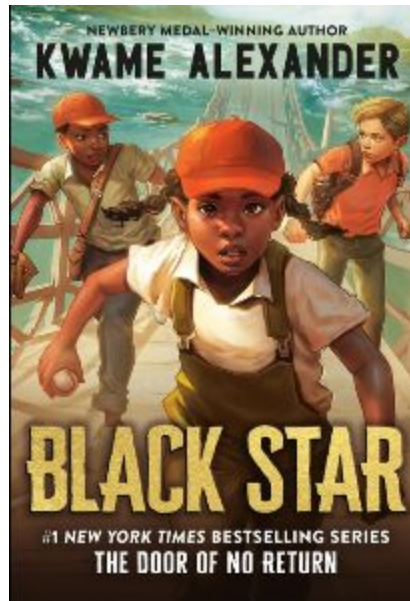
***A Map for Falasteen: A Palestinian Child's Search for Home, by Maysa Odeh, illustrated by Aliaa Betwawi***

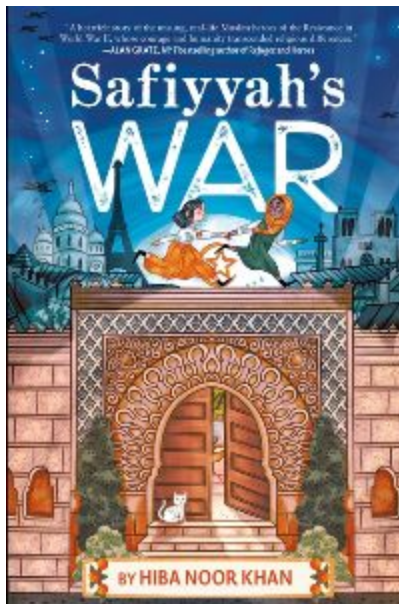
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***Black Star, by Kwame Alexander***

(2025 Honor)





***Safiyyah's War*, by Hiba Noor  
Khan**

(2025 Honor)

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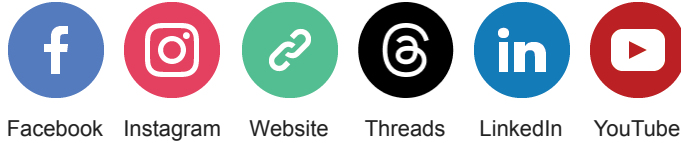


Authors and Selection Committee Members during the 2024 Jane Addams Children's Book Award  
Ceremony

The Jane Addams Peace Association perpetuates the spirit of activist and pacifist Jane Addams, her love for children and humanity, her commitment to freedom and democracy, and her devotion to the cause of world peace.

Your donation to the Jane Addams Peace Association, a 501(c)(3) organization, is tax-deductible and helps us support authors, illustrators, parents, teachers, and librarians deepen understanding of peace and justice for children and their adults through reflection, dialogue, and social action.

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