

SASKATCHEWAN BOOK AWARDS READERS' CHOICE AWARD

Criteria

This award is presented to a title in any other Saskatchewan Book Awards award competition, selected by a vote by Saskatchewan readers for their favourite title.

Ballots are available at any participating Saskatchewan Public Library or online at www.reginalibrary.ca.

The award is sponsored by the Regina Public Library, which also administers the voting process in collaboration with public libraries across the province.

AWARD

1. \$2,000 to the author or pair of authors.
2. Commemorative certificates for the writer(s) and publisher.
3. Specially designed seals for display on award-winning and short-listed books.

PROCESS

1. There will be no jury for this award. Saskatchewan readers will choose the winning title by casting votes at participating libraries or online during the month of September.
2. There is NO submission fee charged to enter this category.
3. NO copies of books must be submitted.
4. Only titles submitted to the Saskatchewan Book Awards will be under consideration for this award.
5. All eligible titles published between August 1, 2008 and July 31, 2009, and submitted to the SBA by the July 31, 2009 deadline will automatically be entered, provided that:
 - a. they meet the eligibility requirements for at least one other award category;
 - b. copies are in circulation and available to the libraries during the month of September.
6. Owing to time constraints, titles published and listed after July 31 cannot be entered in this competition. Titles published between August 1 and September 15, 2009 may be entered in 2010.
7. Titles entered for other awards in 2008 between August 1 and September 15, 2008 may be entered for the Reader's Choice Award in the current competition (2009).