

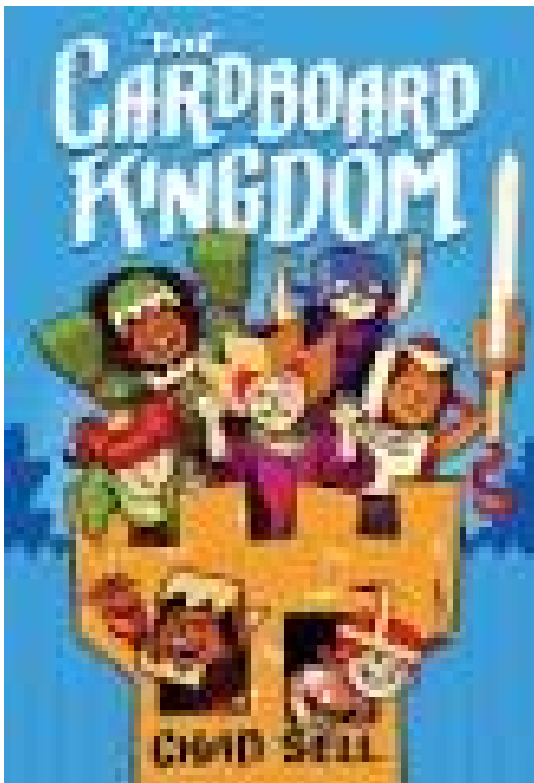
CHILDREN'S BOOK AWARDS

2019 Awards Announcements

The [Children's Book Award Committee](#) of the Wisconsin Library Association's Youth Services Section annually selects outstanding books for youth by Wisconsin-connected authors and awards the [Elizabeth Burr/Worzalla Award](#), Outstanding Books of the Year, and Notable Wisconsin Authors/Illustrators.

Elizabeth Burr/Worzalla Award

Awarded to the most distinguished work in children's and young adult literature written and/or illustrated by a Wisconsin book creator. *The Elizabeth Burr/Worzalla Award is made possible by the Worzalla Publishing Company, Stevens Point, through a grant to the WLA Foundation.*



The Cardboard Kingdom

Chad Sell

In a society where the lines that divide people have only seemed to deepen, there's one thing that can b

A neighborhood of refreshingly diverse characters each has their own personal quest to fulfill. A young b

Through the refreshingly diverse cast of characters, this compassionate gem of a graphic novel rejects s

About the Author

Chad Sell, cartoonist and *The Cardboard Kingdoms* is an impressive debut from Sell, who grew up in Wisconsin

Notable Wisconsin Author

For her amazing body of work in children's literature, former Wisconsin resident Peg Kehret was selected as this year's Wisconsin Notable Children's Author. Best known for her inspiring biography, ***Small Steps: The Year I Got Polio***, Kehret is a prolific, respected author of children's literature, with her books spanning multiple genres. Many of Kehret's novels have been selected as "children's choice" award winners by young readers across the country. The Children's Book Award Committee is very pleased to bestow yet another award upon this master storyteller.

Outstanding Achievement

The Button War by Avi ***Lowriders Blast from the Past*** by Cathy Camper ***Hooper*** by Geoff Herbach

Margot and Mateo Save the World
by Darcy Miller

Capsized!: The Forgotten Story of the SS Eastland Disaster
by Patricia Sutto

