

KIDS FIRST! Best 2009 Nominees

INDEPENDENT SHORT, AGES 0-2	
Cuddlies: Where is Everyone	Baby TV Channel
Emma's Theatre: France	Baby TV Channel
Mr. Snail: Butterfly	Baby TV Channel
SHORT Shorts AGES 2-5	
Art	Weston Woods/Scholastic
Boy Who Cried Wolf, The	Weston Woods/Scholastic
Bugs! Bugs! Bugs!	Weston Woods/Scholastic
Knuffle Bunny Too	Weston Woods/Scholastic
Firefly and the Stars, The	Lightbug Productions
SHORTS, AGES 2-5	
Adventures of Walker and Ping Ping: The Chinese Market	Little Emperor LLC
Bali - My New Friend Mateo	Planet Nemo
Global Wonders Around the world	Global Wonders
Magic Woods, The: The Monarch Butterfly	The Magic Woods Inc.
SERIES, AGES 2-5	
My Friend Rabbit	Qubo
Pahappahooey Island	Anchor Bay Entertainment/?
Sesame Street	Sesame Workshop
Stuart Little	Sony Pictures Home Entertainment/?
Wow! Wow! Wubbzy!	Anchor Bay Entertainment/Bob Boyle
Feature Film, ages 2-5	
Elmo's Christmas Countdown	Genius Products/Sesame Workshop
INDEPENDENT SHORT SHORTS, AGES 5-8	
Billy the Squid	Artisans PR/Dan Holguin
Crocs, Pots and Wildebeests	At Last Interactive
Once Upon a Tide	Center for Health and the Global Environment, Harvard Medical School
Plastic Perils of the Pacific, The	Brandon Strathmann
Sometimes I'm Sad	Gasoline Productions
INDEPENDENT SHORT, Animated, AGES 5-8	
Little Soul And The Sun	Wakingup Media
Lokum: The Turkish Delight	Compugraf
Tomboy	Coyle Productions Inc.
Wormhead	Koolkidz Television
Zap Squad And the Sands of Time	Digital Tap LLC
INDEPENDENT SHORT, Live Action, AGES 5-8	
Alex's Halloween	Daniel Persitz
Heart Full of Love	A Heart Full of Love LLC.
Magic Ball, The	Serena Kinchla

Tooth Fairy

Craig Addison

SHORT, AGES 5-8

Ish	Weston Woods/Scholastic
Otto Runs for President	Weston Woods/Scholastic
Very Brave Witch, A	Weston Woods/Scholastic
What Do You Do With a Tail Like This	Weston Woods/Scholastic
Wild About Books	Weston Woods/Scholastic

SERIES, AGES 5-8

3-2-1 Penguins!	Qubo
Holly Hobbie	Sony Pictures Home Entertainment
Jacob Two Two	Qubo
Turbo Dogs	Qubo
Wordgirl	SCHOLASTIC ENTERTAINMENT

Music Video, Ages 5-8

Gustafer Yellowgold's Have You Never Been Yellow	Apple Eye Productions
Trout Fishing in America: My Best Day	Arkansas Educational TV

independent feature, ages 5-8

Heidi 4 Paws: A Furry Tale	4 Paws Entertainment
Hidden Treasure of Wompkee Wood	Wompkee Movies, LLC
No-Sit List	Society Entertainment
Veggie Tales: Abe and the Amazing Promise	Big Idea Productions

FEATURE FILM, AGES 5-8

Barbie and the Diamond Castle	Universal Studios Home Entertainment
Barbie and the Three Musketeers	Universal Studios Home Entertainment
Barbie in a Christmas Carol	Universal Studios Home Entertainment
Barbie Presents: Thumbelina	Universal Studios Home Entertainment
Blue Elephant, the	Genius Products

INDEPENDENT SHORT, AGES 5-12

Adam Avenger	Canadian Film Centre
BookBox Stories From Around the World	Master Communications
Goin' Up	Flexitoon
Mouse Bride, The	Pan Asian Publications
Pudge	Canadian Film Centre

Educational SHORT, AGES 5-12

Bugworld	Al Waller
Captain Jon Adventure - Sharks: Knights Of The Sea	Status Productions
Really Big Field Trip - Turkey	Max Films
Riddle In The Bottle, The	Sisbro Studios, Llc
What Makes A Fish A Fish	Dive into your Imagination

SHORT, AGES 5-12

Goosebumps: The Scarecrow Walks at Midnight	Twentieth Century Fox Home Entertainment
Grandfather's Journey	Weston Woods/Scholastic
Henry's Freedom Box: A True Story of the Underground Railroad	
Hiawatha	Weston Woods/Scholastic
Scary Godmother: The Revenge of Jimmy	Anchor Bay Entertainment

INDEPENDENT FEATURE, AGES 5-12

Click Clack Jack	Studio 26 Productions Inc.
Etienne	Giacun Caduff
Lilly's Light	Lilly's Light Productions, LLC
Stars in the Estuary, the	Isla Films
Velveteen Rabbit	Anchor Bay Entertainment/Feature Films

FEATURE Animated FILM, AGES 5-12

Dragon Hunters (Chasseurs de Dragons)	Peace Arch Home Entertainment
Igor	Twentieth Century Fox Home Entertainment
Swan Princess 2	Sony Pictures Home Entertainment
Tugger: The Jeep 4 X 4 Who Wanted To Fly	Anchor Bay Entertainment
Unstable Fables: Goldilocks	Genius Products/ Henson

FEATURE Live Action FILM, AGES 5-12

Beethoven's Big Break	Universal Studios Home Entertainment
City Of Ember	Twentieth Century Fox Home Entertainment
Gooby	monterey media
Meet Dave	Twentieth Century Fox Home Entertainment

Educational SHORT, AGES 8-12

Dig Into History With California Jones: Gold Rush	Royal Highway Productions
Frog, Chemical, Water, You	Jennifer Grace
March On! The Day My Brother Martin Changed The World	Weston Woods/Scholastic
Medieval Times In China And Beyond	Teaching For Thinking, Inc.
Professor Crunch And The Daffies	Ives Street Entertainment
Smalltalk Diaries	Ammonite Ltd
Asphalt Avengers	River Edge Productions
Folktales From Around The World: Yoshi, The Lantern Maker	Colman Communications Corp
Fridge (Lednice), The	Punk Films
Happy Duckling, The	Gili Dolev
Legend Of Ol' Goldie	Matthew Snyman

INDEPENDENT Live Action SHORT SHORTS, AGES 8-12

ALBA/Dawn	Giorgia Farina
Free to Good Home	William Donaruma
Garage Sale, The	Thin Soapy Films
I.F.	Golden Zah Productiona
Ruben's Cube	Dianne Janes

INDEPENDENT SHORT, AGES 8-12

Adina's Deck: The Case Of The Plagiarized Paper Bronx Balletomane, The Calendar Confloption Girl Who Cried Flowers, The Milagros	DMH Productions Andrew Kriss/Jeremy Joffee Brice Parker Auryn Alberto Mares
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Music Video, AGES 8-12

Yes to Running! Bill Harley Live	Round River Records
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FEATURE FILM, AGES 8-12

Delgo	Twentieth Century Fox Home Entertainment
Dr. Dolittle: Million Dollar Mutts	Twentieth Century Fox Home Entertainment
Elephant Tales (MGM)	Twentieth Century Fox Home Entertainment
Luna: Spirit of the Whale	Peach Arch
Roxy Hunter: Myth of the Mermaid	Sony Pictures Home Entertainment

INDEPENDENT FEATURE, AGES 8-12

All Roads Lead Home	Anchor Bay Entertainment
Finn On The Fly	Amaze Film and Television
IMAGINARY SUMMER	SPINKY FILMS
Mahek	Children's Film Society, India
UPLOADING TO ANGELS	Command Z films

INDEPENDENT SHORT, AGES 12-18

How to Be Popular	John Dille
Joe Limbo's Portal	Met Films
La Lune	Kyung Hee Shon
Life's Journey	James Bowman
Pool	Sharon Loudon
Ridin' the Rails to Reno	Flexitoon
Watermelon Man	Clara Bellar

FEATURE FILM, AGES 12-18

Legally Blondes	Twentieth Century Fox Home Entertainment
Love Takes Wing	Twentieth Century Fox Home Entertainment

INDEPENDENT FEATURE, AGES 12-18

Imagine A School...Summerhill	Reflections Media.
Jahmol's Vision For Youth Peace	Tony Bennis
Pollen Nation	Singeli Agnew and Joshua Fisher
Sticks & Stones	Dream Street

Special award for Peter G.

Thump it! Stomp it! And his previous films	Peter Gundling
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STUDENT PRODUCTION, MIDDLE SCHOOL

IN SEARCH OF CAPTAIN KIDD	Caleb Baechtold
Murder at the Pharaoh's Grave	Ben Kadie
Sod Hagibor	B-Tv Lora Batchelor Middle School
Transatlantique	Lucas Foster

Truth and Dare

Orange Studio

STUDENT PRODUCTION, HIGH SCHOOL

Conflict In The Middle Table
Thicker Than Water
Thoughts In A Hijab
To The Brink
Untouchable

Ben Michael Diamont
Reel Grrls
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Amanda Eakin
Jack Hestin And Justin Levine

STUDENT Animation PRODUCTION, COLLEGE

Beatless Nick
Early Nineties, The
One Seed
Out of Your Shell
WALKING WITH GRANDPA

Kelly Morrison
Chang-Pei Wu
Zachary Ruef
Trisha Hartnett
Holly Thorstad

STUDENT PRODUCTION, COLLEGE

Drama Kids, The
Jukebox Saturday Night
My Homework Ate My Dog
Mystery Badge
Plain And Simple

Danny Diaz
Daniel And Sophia Feldman
Crystal Page
Regent University/Jay Black
Eye Spy Productions

STUDENT PRODUCTION, COLLEGE INTERNATIONAL

Gaining Ground
Galactic Girls
Jigsaw Girl
Problem With Pets, The
What Georgia Doesn't Know

Marc Brummand
Claudia Vasquez Ramirez
Trinni Franke
Catriona Craig
Katelnd Griffin

SCREENPLAY FOR AGES 2-5

Elliot Moose: The Windy Creature

Katarzyna Kochany

SCREENPLAY FOR AGES 5-8

Kheng Kheng Crocodile
Lila Lymphocyte Saves the Day
Space Race

Donna Lisa
Dana Wax
R. Schweiger/J. Cohen

SCREENPLAY FOR AGES 8-12

AilemA
First Dog (2nd version)
George the Dragonslayer
Junior Detectives and the Cities of Gold
Magical Kingdom of Naga as Envisioned by the Princess Lena
Saardu: The Adventure Begins
The McNight Corporation

Cecilia Frugieue
Bryan Stoller
Heather Resatz
Irin Evers
Tanya Klein
Carma Dillon
Deirdre O'Connor

SCREENPLAY FOR AGES 12-18

Diligent Bugs of Kook Bog
Futureball (2nd version)
Ghost Sonata: The Winged Bridge

Tony Mullen
Richard Guimond
Jamie Read

Hickory Horse, The
Hunatics Club, The
Joe: The Greatest Story Never Told

Vicki Bartholomew
Jennifer Martin
Michael Kehoe