

The Leacock Medal for Humour

Canada's Award for Literary Humour

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Leacock Medal 2023 Long List Announced

The Stephen Leacock Associates are pleased to announce the 2023 long list for the annual Stephen Leacock Memorial Medal for Humour. Celebrating 76 years since its inception, this annual award recognizes excellence in Canadian literary humour. Past winners have included Terry Fallis, Will Ferguson, W.O. Mitchell, Stuart McLean and Mordecai Richler and many others. Board President Michael Hill thanks the national panel of judges for their thoughtful recommendations with this “long list”. He also thanks the authors for



their submissions, and commends them on the quality of their writing. The three finalists for the award will be named on Tuesday, August 1, 2023, with the medal winner being announced on Saturday, September 16, 2023 at the Leacock Medal Award Gala Dinner.

The long list for the 2023 Leacock Medal is: (in alphabetical order by author surname)

Caetano, Cody	Half-Bads in White Regalia	Hamish Hamilton Canada
Carley, Rod	Grin Reaping	Latitude 46 Publishing
DeForge, Michael	Birds of Maine	Drawn and Quarterly
French, Bobbi	The Good Women of Safe Harbour	HarperCollins Publishers Ltd.
Healey, Emma	Best Young Woman Job Book	Random House Canada
Johnston, Wayne	Jennie's Boy	Alfred A. Knopf Canada
Juby, Susan	Mindful of Murder	HarperCollins Publishers Ltd.
King, Thomas	Deep House: A Dreadful Water Mystery	HarperCollins Publishers Ltd.
Nawaz, Zarqa	Jameela Green Ruins Everything	Simon and Schuster Canada
Syjuco, Miguel	I Was the President's Mistress!!	Hamish Hamilton Canada

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