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## 2017 Leacock Medal Long List

The long list for the 2017 Leacock Medal (in alphabetical order by author surname) is:

- **John Armstrong** for *A Series of Dogs*, New Star Books.
- **Mona Awad** for *13 Ways of Looking at a Fat Girl*, Penguin Canada.
- **Gary Barwin** for *Yiddish for Pirates*, Random House Canada.
- **Judy Batalion** for *White Walls*, New American Library/Random House Canada.
- **Lesley Crewe** for *Mary, Mary*, Nimbus Publishing.
- **C.P. Hoff** for *A Town Called Forget*, Five Rivers Publishing.
- **Marni Jackson** for *Don't I Know You*, Flatiron Books.
- **Amy Jones** for *We're All in This Together*, McClelland & Stewart.
- **Jack Knox** for *Hard Knox: Musings from the Edge of Canada*, Heritage House Publishing.
- **Noah Richler** for *The Candidate: Fear and Loathing on the Campaign Trail*, Doubleday Canada.
- **Drew Hayden Taylor** for *Take Us to Your Chief And Other Stories*, Douglas & McIntyre.

There are 11 instead of 10 because two of the books tied in the judges' marks.

This year's longlist will be narrowed down to a shortlist of three Leacock Medal finalists, who will be announced in Orillia on Wednesday, May 3, 2017.

The winner of the Leacock Medal and accompanying \$15,000 prize will be announced at a gala dinner celebrating all three shortlisted authors June 10, 2017, at Geneva Park Conference Centre near Orillia, Ontario.