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“BEAVER’S POND PRESS ANNOUNCES MORE THAN TWENTY-FIVE BOOK AWARD WINNERS IN 2010”

Beaver's Pond Press' authors have had another successful year, gaining national attention, and winning more than twenty-five book awards.

Minneapolis, Minn. -- (June 15, 2010) -- Beaver's Pond Press' authors continue to grow their readership while attracting national recognition, totaling more than twenty-five book awards both regionally and nationally. Below is a compilation of the latest awards. Each of the books can be purchased through the Beaver's Pond online bookstore site: www.beaverspondbooks.com or on Amazon.com.

For the [National Indie Excellence Awards](#):

Jeff Appelquist's *Sacred Ground*, WIN, military history books
Jinny Toucan's *The Tale of the Scorpion and the Caterpillar*, WIN, children's inspirational books
Mary Linda Sather's *Boo Boo Bear's Mission*, FINALIST, children's picture books
Christine Stenstrom's *Cherry Blossoms Trees*, FINALIST, art books

For the [Northeast MN Book Awards \(NEMBA\)](#):

Mary Linda Sather's *Boo Boo Bear's Mission*, FINALIST, children's books

For the [Independent Publisher's Book Awards \(IPPYs\)](#):

Brian Duren's *Whiteout*, WIN, Midwest regional fiction
Patrick Mader's *Big Brother Has Wheels*, BRONZE, children's picture books all ages

For the [Independent Book Publisher's Association Ben Franklin Award](#):

Lois West Duffy's *Zillah's Gift*, FINALIST, young adult fiction. The winner will be announced next week during Book Expo America week in New York City.

For the [Reader's View Reviewer's Awards](#):

Brian Duren's *Whiteout*, WIN, best Midwest literary fiction
Gordy Fredrickson's *A Farm Country Halloween*, FINALIST, children's books

For the [Midwest Independent Publishing Association's \(MIPA\) Midwest Book Awards](#):

Don Stolz's *The Old Log Theater and Me*, WIN, biography
Roger Stelljes' *Deadly Stillwater*, WIN, best genre fiction
Don Stolz's *The Old Log Theater and Me*, FINALIST, business
Lois West Duffy's *Zillah's Gift*, FINALIST, young adult fiction
Mary Linda Sather's *Boo Boo Bear's Mission*, FINALIST, children's picture books
Curtis Dahlin's *The Dakota Uprising*, FINALIST, history
Brian Duren's *Whiteout*, FINALIST, 2- or 3-color cover
Rod Johnson's *Without Warning*, FINALIST, 2- or 3-color cover

For the [Minnesota Book Award](#):

Trish Herbert, *JourneyWell*, FINALIST

For [ForeWord Magazine's Book of the Year Awards](#):

DeAnne and Michelle Sherman's *My Story*, FINALIST (winners still unannounced), book of the year

For the [Mom's Choice Awards](#):

Amy Recob's *The Bugabees: Friends with Food Allergies*, GOLD, health and safety
Collette Nicoleta's *There's a Frog on my Forehead!*, GOLD, basic concepts
Eva Wells' *Wishing I Was Fishing*, GOLD, sports and recreation
Lois West Duffy's *Zillah's Gift*, SILVER, historical fiction
Marsha Peterson's *Come Sign With Us*, SILVER, educational
Susie Bazil's *The Sick Bug*, GOLD, health & safety (2009)

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About Beaver's Pond Press:

Beaver's Pond Press is an independent publisher located in Minneapolis, Minnesota. The press was founded in 1998 by Milt "Beaver" Adams. Their mission is to mentor authors to publish their best books through strategic marketing and creative collaboration. They specialize in nonfiction, children's books, business/self-help, memoir, and inspirational titles. Beaver's Pond Press authors have won numerous awards including Minnesota Book Award, the Midwest Book Award, the Benjamin Franklin Award, the *Writer's Digest* Award and the Indie Excellence Award.