The Black-Eyed Susan Committee of the Maryland Association of School Librarians is pleased to announce the 2019-2020 nominees. As always, please be sure that these books fit the needs of your school and community.

**Picture Book**

Ben-Barak, Idan – Do Not Lick This Book: *It’s Full of Germs*
de la Pena, Matt – Carmela Full of Wishes
Doerrfeld, Cori – The Rabbit Listened
Fogliano, Julie – A House That Once Was
Higgins, Ryan T – We Don’t Eat Our Classmates!
Kerascoet – I Walk with Vanessa: a Story About a Simple Act of Kindness
Le, Minh – Drawn Together
Lilly, Elizabeth - Geraldine
Messner, Kate – The Brilliant Deep: Rebuilding the World’s Coral Reefs
Montgomery, Sy – Inky’s Amazing Escape: How a Very Smart Octopus Found His Way Home
Pimentel, Annette Bay – Girl Running: Bobbi Gibb and the Boston Marathon
Rex, Adam – Are You Scared, Darth Vader?
Wade Stef – A Place for Pluto
Wallace, Sandra Neil – Between the Lines: How Ernie Barnes Went from the Football Field to the Art Gallery
Woodson, Jacqueline – The Day You Begin

**Grades 4-6**

Auxier, Jonathan – Sweep: The Story of a Girl and Her Monster
Bowling, Dusti – 24 Hours in Nowhere
Connor, Leslie – The Truth as Told by Mason Buttle
Creech, Sharon – Saving Winslow
Fleming, Candace – Strongheart: Wonder Dog of the Silver Screen
Magoon, Kekla – The Season of Styx Malone
Mass, Wendy & Rebecca Stead – Bob
Oppel, Kenneth – Inkling
Swanson, Matthew & Robbi Behr – The Real McCoys
Yang, Kelly – Front Desk

**Graphic Novels: Grades 4-6**

Boothby, Ian – Sparks!
Breach, Jen – Clem Hetherington and the Ironwood Race
Brooks, Molly – Sanity & Tallulah
Hernandez, Jaime – The Dragon Slayer: Folktales from Latin America
Jun, Nie – My Beijing: Four Stories of Everyday Wonder
Marsden, Mariah – Anne of Green Gables: A Graphic Novel
Mercado, Yehudi – Sci-Fu: Kick It Off
Scott, Mirghread – The City on the Other Side
Tatulli, Mark – Short and Skinny