**2017 Illinois Bluestem Readers’ Choice Award Nominees Master List**

**TITLE AUTHOR / ILLUSTRATOR PUBLISHER YEAR**

***Absolutely Almost*** Lisa Graff Philomel Books 2014

***Becoming Babe Ruth*** Matt Tavares Candlewick Press 2015

***Brilliant Fall of***Kate Messner Walker 2009

***Gianna Z., The***

***Eddie Red* *Undercover:*** Marcia Wells / Marcus Calo Houghton Mifflin Harcourt 2014

***Mystery on Museum Mile***

***El Deafo***Cece Bell Amulet Books 2014

***Fourteenth Goldfish,* *The*** Jennifer L. Holm Random House2014

***Genius Files, The:***  Dan Gutman Harper 2011

***Mission Unstoppable***

***Gone Fishing:*** Tamera Will Wissinger / Houghton Mifflin 2013

***A Novel in Verse*** Matthew Cordell

***Journey that Saved*** Louise Borden Houghton Mifflin 2005

***Curious George, The***

***Justin Case: School,*** Rachel Vail / Matthew Cordell Feiwel and Friends 2010

***Drool, and other Daily Disasters***

***Lulu’s Mysterious Mission*** Judith Viorst / Kevin Cornell Atheneum Books for Young Readers 2014

***Misadventures of the*** Dana Alison Levy A Yearling Book 2015

***Family Fletcher, The***

***Mrs. Frisby and the Rats*** Robert C. O’Brien / Atheneum 1971

***of NIMH*** Zena Bernstein

***Neighborhood Sharks:*** Katherine Roy David Macaulay Studio/ 2014

***Hunting with the Great Whites*** Roaring Brook Press

***of California’s Farallon Islands***

***Rain Reign*** Ann M. Martin Feiwel and Friends 2014

***Shooting at the Stars:***  John Hendrix Abrams Books for Young Readers 2014

***the Christmas Truce of 1914***

***Sit In: How Four Friends*** Andrea Davis Pinkney / Little, Brown 2010

***Stood Up by Sitting Down*** J. Brian Pinkney

***Spirit Animals: Wild Born*** Brandon Mull Scholastic, Inc. 2013

***Tuck Everlasting*** Natalie Babbitt Farrar, Straus, Giroux 1975

***War that Saved my Life, The*** Kimberly Bradley Brubaker Dial Books for Young Readers 2015