The Great Stone Face Book Award is an award sponsored by the Children’s Librarians of New Hampshire (CLNH), and is given each year to an author whose book receives the most votes from fourth through sixth graders throughout the state. Each year, a committee chooses 20 recently published titles, which children then use as a guide for voting. The vote takes place every April during National Library Week, and the winner is announced in May. The purpose of the award is to promote reading enjoyment, to increase awareness of contemporary writing, and to allow children to honor their favorite books and authors.

2020 WINNER

New Kid
Jerry Craft

2021 NOMINEES

Allies by Allan Gratz
The Best of Iggy by Annie Barrows
Bouncing Back by Scott Ostler
Charlie Thorn and the Last Equation by Stuart Gibbs
From the Desk of Zoe Washington by Janae Marks
I Survived the Sinking of the Titanic, 1912 by Lauren Tarshis
Notorious by Gordon Korman
The Oddmire, Book 1: The Changeling by William Ritter
Other Words for Home by Jasmine Warga
Owl’s Outstanding Donuts by Robin Yardi
Planet Earth is Blue by Nicole Panteleakos
A Royal Guide to Monster Slaying by Kelley Armstrong
Shadow School, Book 1: Archimancy by J. A. White
Squint by Chad Morris & Shelley Brown
A Slip of a Girl by Patricia Reilly Giff
Stay by Bobbie Pyron
A Talent for Trouble by Natasha Farrant
Tito the Bonecrusher by Melissa Thomson
Wildfire by Rodman Philbrick
A Wolf Called Wander by Rosanne Parry