

Michael Cart Aug 17, 2009 Podcast: Cleaning out the In-Basket:

The Bookseller/Diagram Prize for the Oddest Book Title of the Year Award.

2009 winner: "The 2009-2014 World Outlook for 60-Milligram Containers of Fromage Frais"

2009 Shortlist:

"Curbside Consultation of the Colon"

"The Large Sieve and Its Applications"

"Strip and Knit with Style"

"Techniques for Corrosion Monitoring"

"Return to the Hundred Acre Wood" by David Benedictus. Illus. by Mark Burgess. To be published 10/5/09 by Dutton.

See also: "Winnie-the-Pooh's Pop-up Theater Book" and "Peek-a-Pooh"

R. Crumb. "The Book of Genesis Illustrated." Norton. 2009

National Endowment for the Arts. The Survey of Public Participation in the Arts.

Alice Munro wins the Man Booker International Prize

Anthony Browne is named sixth British Children's Book Laureate

Melvin Burgess proposed memoir is dropped by British publisher Andersen Press

"Brave New Voices" HBO documentary series on poetry

Mark Kelly Smith. "Stage a Poetry Slam" and "Take the Mic"