

**Stories at the  
Statue of Hans Christian Andersen 2019 – 63<sup>rd</sup> Season  
Saturdays — 11:00AM-12:00PM  
72<sup>nd</sup> Street & Fifth Avenue in Central Park**

	Storyteller	Stories include	Origin
<b>June</b>			
1	Laura Simms, Musician Salieu Suso Sheila Arnold	The Nightingale The Emperor's New Clothes	H C Andersen H C Andersen
8	Noa Baum with Valentina Ortiz	Origin of Peace Baby Goat and Coyote	Burma Mexico
15	Bill Gordh with Aron Mace	In a Finnish Forrest Lion in the Well	Finland India
22	Robin Bady, Musician Concetta Abate Navida Stein	Charles Marelles Too Much Talking	France African
29	Regina Ress with Jean Hale	The Wicked Prince Emperor and the Kite	H C Andersen Jane Yolen
<b>July</b>			
6	Linda Humes, Musician Sangha of the Valley with April Armstrong	Why Anansi Hides in the Corner Three Little Pigs	African French
13	Luan Adams Len Cabral	Blue Faience Hippopotamus Let there be Light	Egypt Native American
20	Joy Kelly Arif Choudhury	Sweet and Sour Berries Arabian Nights	Chinese Arabian
27	Laura Bobrow Judith Heineman	The Swineherd Who was the Happiest?	H C Andersen H C Andersen
<b>August</b>			
3	Ron Sopyla Rita Auerbach	The Most Incredible Thing Water Carrier's Daughter	Morocco H C Andersen
10	Carol Birch with Julia Della Torre	Lou Gehrig, the story of a great man Hans Clodhopper	Original H C Andersen
17	Ed Stivender with Laura Simms	There is a Difference The Princess and the Pea	H C Andersen H C Andersen
24	Karen de Maura, Usha Ventrikan with Eileen Paley	The Brave Little Parrot, Holy Basil Five Peas in a Pod	India H C Andersen
31	Milbre Burch with Laura Simms	The Story of a Mother The Little Match Girl	H C Andersen H C Andersen
<b>September</b>			
7	Melissa Heckler Therese Plair	The Bull of Norway Sun, Moon, and Ocean	Norwegian Nigeria
14	Beatrice Bowles Heather Forest	Ole Luk Øje The Boy Who Drew Cats	H C Andersen Japan
21	David Joe Miller with Laura Simms	Jack Tale The Mud Sisters	Appalachia Original
28	<i>The Ugly Duckling's Birthday Party!</i> Laura Simms, Andrew Forbes, Musician	Misc. – Cookies served by SAS! Hans my Hedgehog	H C Andersen Grimm

Celebrating Storytelling at the Statue since 1956

Monitor: Valentina Ortiz

Artistic Director: Laura Simms [www.LauraSimms.com](http://www.LauraSimms.com)

*Storytelling is held rain or shine. The stories are appropriate for children six years and up.  
Parents or guardians are required to sit with their children. NO CLIMBING ON THE STATUE!*

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*This program is funded by the Hans Christian Andersen Story Telling Center, Inc. ("HCASTC") which also sponsors special outreach programs at public schools in New York City, where children are taught the art of storytelling. To keep these traditions going, we need your help!*

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