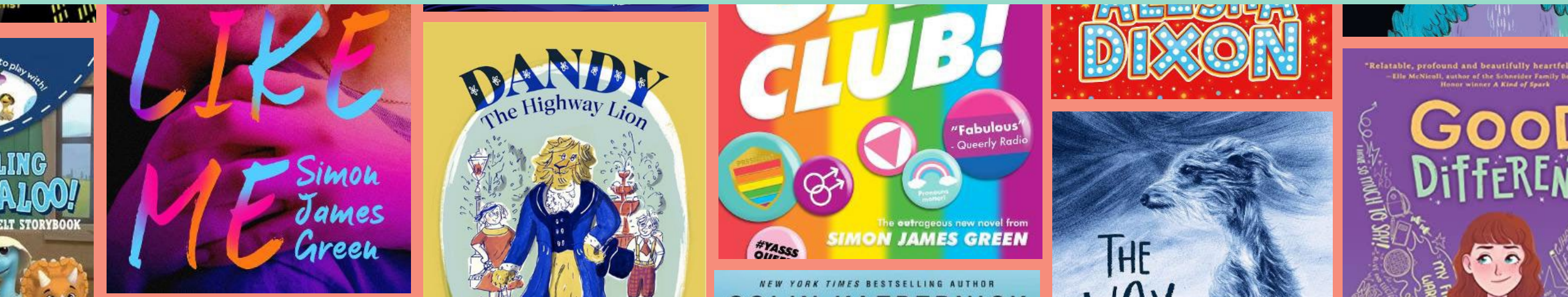
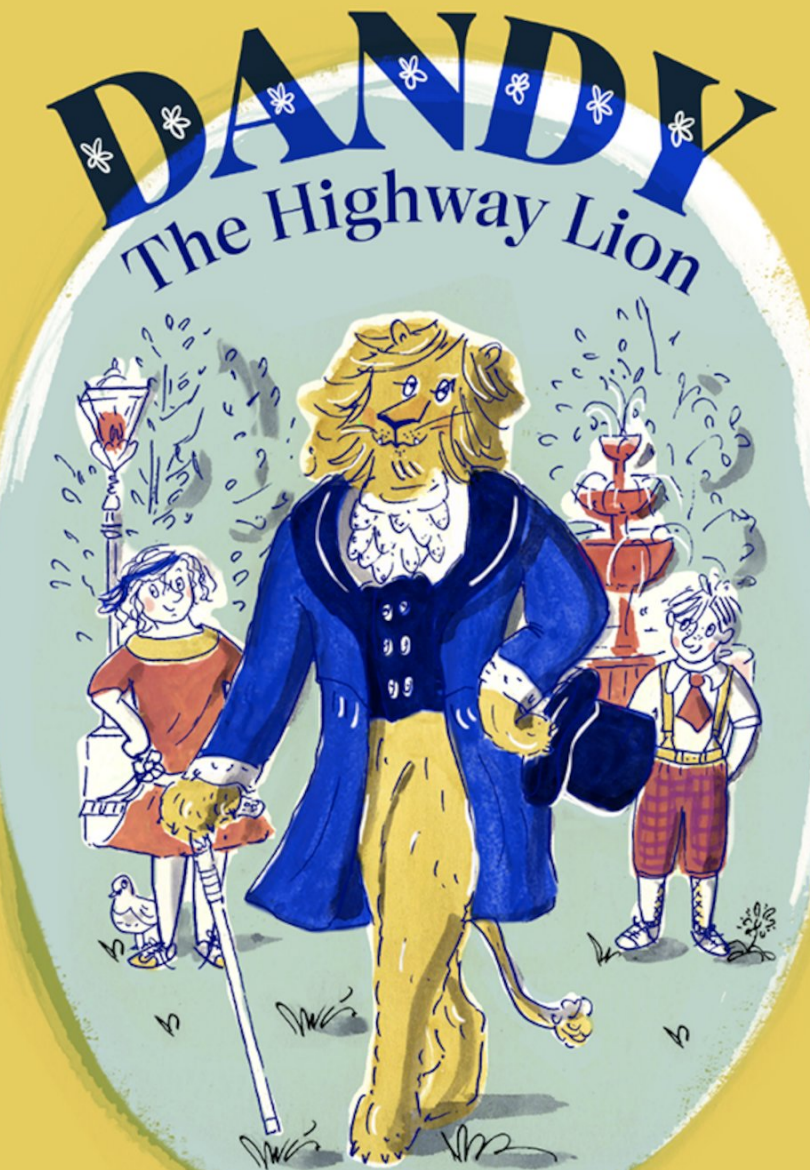




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Illustrated by Roxana de Rond

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DANDY THE HIGHWAY LION

Stephanie Sorrell

Lonely after their family moves to London, Ben and Hattie are delighted to find a new friend in the park. But Mr Dandy Paws is a highway lion – and with a P.I. on his tail, his latest scheme could get Ben and Hattie into far more trouble than they bargained for ...

- A delightfully old-fashioned debut adventure for modern children aged 7-11, full of friendship, daring and fun.
- Set in an off-the-wall 1920s London complete with talking animals.
- Strong animal welfare and ecological themes with a funny and fantastical twist.
- Illustrated by Roxane de Rond with a classic nostalgic feel.

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An extract from

DANDY THE HIGHWAY LION

Stephanie Sorrell

'Shall we go and say hello?'

'What?' Hattie spluttered, but Ben was already running across the grass towards the other end of the park. 'You don't just go and say hello to a lion,' she muttered to herself. What would her parents say if she allowed him to get eaten?

She caught up to Ben as he came to a halt a few yards away from the lion, and they both stared in amazement. This was clearly no ordinary lion. He hadn't noticed them, as he was busy performing what Hattie thought must be exercises of some sort. They reminded her of the movements recommended in the magazines her mother sometimes bought. Calisthenics, she thought they were called.

The lion would have looked graceful, except that he was dressed in a black tailcoat, with a long slit at the back for his tail to poke through. Under this, he wore a waistcoat and a wine-red cravat, which was like a tie but wider and bulkier, almost a scarf. What spoilt the effect was that he wore nothing at all below his ... would you call it a waist on a lion?

She noticed a very large and glossy top hat lying a few feet away. She supposed the lion must have removed it to stop it falling off while he did ... well, whatever it was he was doing.

They watched open-mouthed as the lion stretched himself into peculiar positions that surely couldn't be helped by the tailcoat, neither of them keen to make the first move. Eventually, the lion seemed to finish his routine. He yawned widely, stretched just like a cat, and swept the ends of his tailcoat out of the way before sitting down on the grass with a satisfied sigh.

'Nothing like a little exercise first thing in the morning,' he remarked to nobody in particular in a surprisingly mellow voice; Hattie had been expecting a growl.

'First thing in the morning?' Ben whispered to Hattie, showing her his watch; it was nearly half past eleven.

'Shhh!' she hissed, but the lion had already turned his amber eyes to look at them.

Immediately, the lion rose again, picked up his hat and bowed deeply, before settling the hat on top of his mane. 'I must apologise; I did not realise I had company. I wouldn't dream of appearing before strangers bare-headed.'

Disconcerted, the two children glanced at each other. Hattie had no idea what to make of this lion, but at least he seemed to have no interest in eating them.


DESCRIPTION

Lonely after their family moves to London, Ben and Hattie are delighted to find a new friend in the park: a talking lion wearing a top hat, dress suit and red cravat. But not only is Mr Dandy Paws an exceptionally well-dressed feline, he's a highway lion who robs from those who are cruel to animals and invests the proceeds in animal justice. But with a P.I. on his tail, Dandy's latest scheme – a daring break-out at London Zoo – could get Ben and Hattie into far more trouble than they bargained for ...

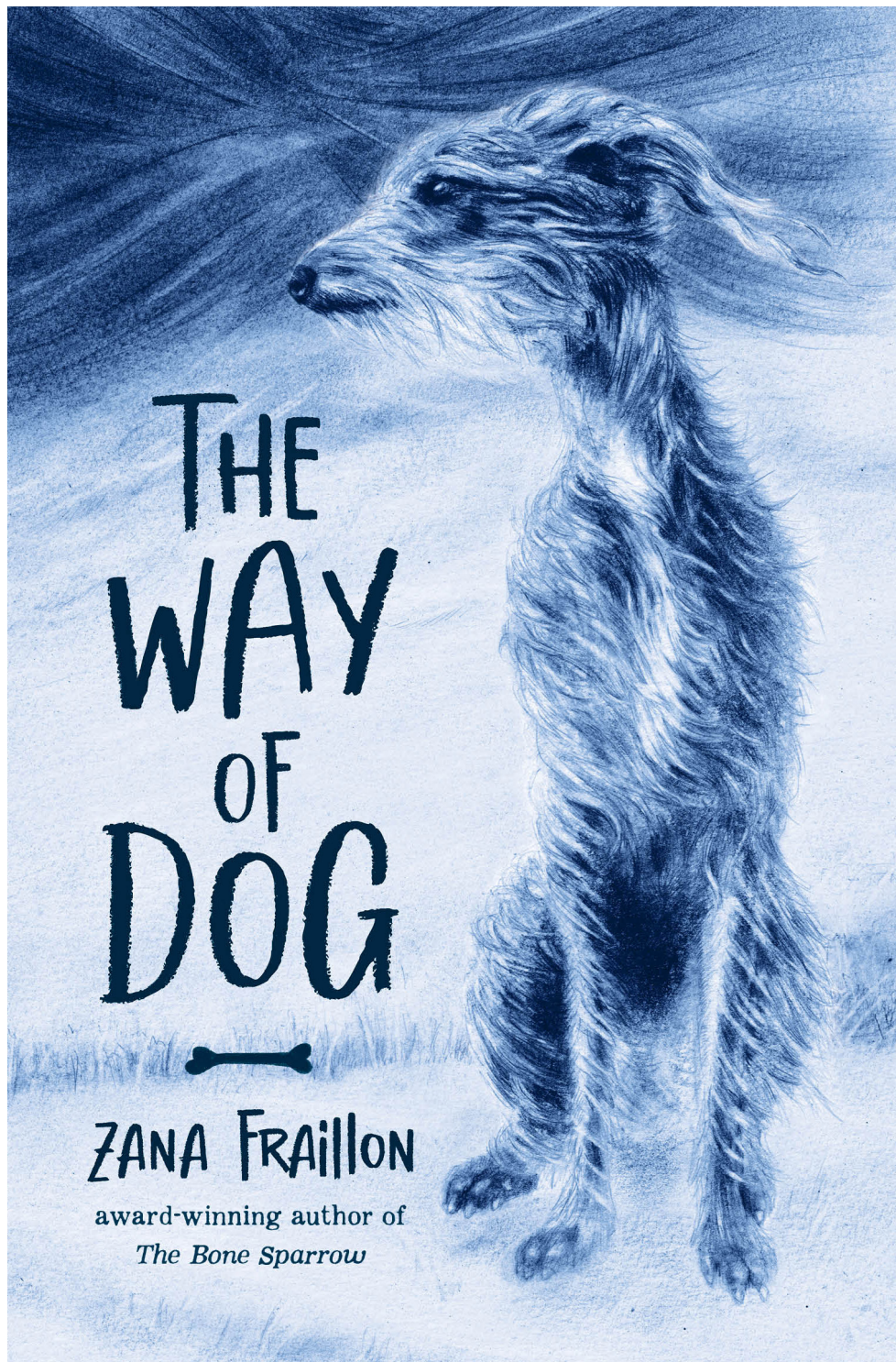


STEPHANIE SORRELL

Stephanie spent much of her childhood running around the hills of north-west England, and wishing she could somehow fall into the worlds of her favourite books. After university, she set off to explore the world.

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THE WAY OF DOG

Zana Fraillon

Orphan puppy Scruffity yearns for Family – and when he is set free by a boy as unwanted and lonely as he is, his dream is fulfilled. But when tragedy strikes, Scruffity is alone again. How does a dog find his way home when he never had one to begin with?

- A fiercely original verse novel for middle-grade readers and beyond from Zana Fraillon, the Carnegie-shortlisted author of *The Bone Sparrow*.
- Universal themes of friendship, loss and hope.
- Published in May 2022 in Australia to critical acclaim.

'Tender and gritty' **THE SYDNEY MORNING HERALD**

'Beautifully written ... ambitious and absorbing'

BOOKS + PUBLISHING

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A look inside

THE WAY OF DOG

Zana Fraillon

FOX SMARTS

That PatchFox is real smart
if not just a little bit
sneaky.

Those shoe-legs from the shop come running
their hands on my head patting
voices cooing

wooing

*Awwww, look at this poor dog! What happened?
Come here, pup-pup. Let me have a look at you.*

And while they're all happy-helping me
they don't even see
that PatchFox creep inside

not even trying to hide and

he's munching and crunching on meats and
treats and with his teeth he grabbles up
a whole long string of
sausages.

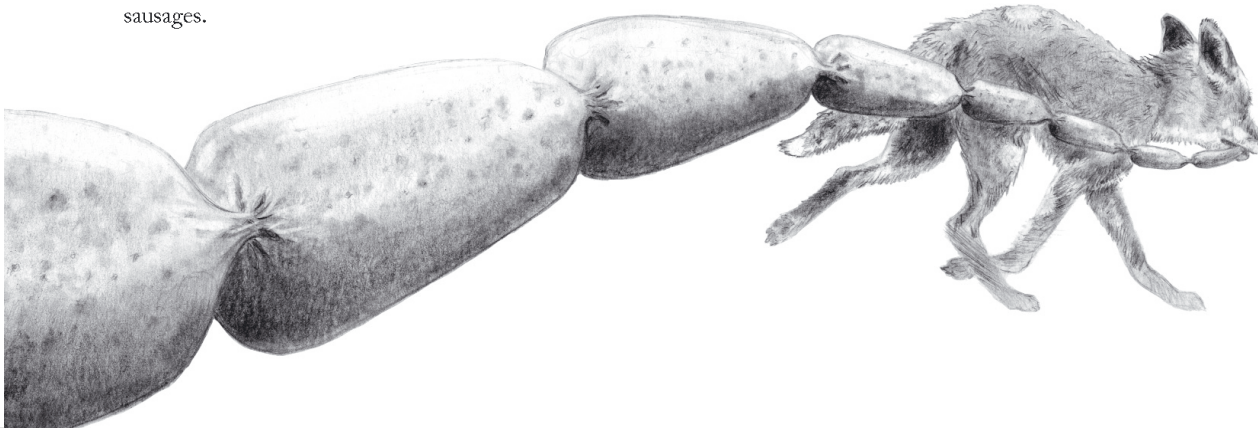
*Hey! Is that that bloody fox again?! In my shop?! Get
out of there!*

And then those knives and boots and kicking legs
appear—

We're done here!

PatchFox scampers out the door
Come on, friend! Run! Run! Run!

Easier said than done
when your favourite paw
is still throbbing.



ZANA FRAILLON

Zana Fraillon is an internationally acclaimed, multi-award-winning author of books for children and young adults. Her work has been published in over 15 countries and is in development for both stage and screen. Zana was born and currently lives in Melbourne/Naarm.

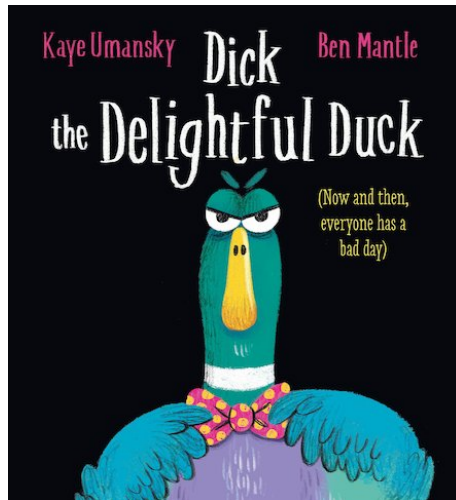
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ALISON GREEN BOOKS

DICK THE DELIGHTFUL DUCK (HB)

KAYE UMANSKY Illustrated by BEN MANTLE



Even the most delightful ducks can have a bad day . . .

What's the matter with Dick the Duck? He's usually **so kind and friendly!**

But today Dick got out on **The Wrong Side of Bed**. He feels humpy and grumpy, cranky and cross. Not delightful at all!

Luckily Dick's friends rally round, **shower him with kindness** – and restore him to his usual delightful self!

This magnificently funny rhyming story shows that even the most delightful ducks can have a bad day. (And that's totally okay!)

Key selling points

- DICK THE DELIGHTFUL DUCK is a superbly funny rhyming picture book about the importance of kindness and friendship
- Shows that even the most delightful ducks can have a bad day. (And that's totally okay!)
- Gloriously entertaining – but also a gentle way to talk about mental health with even the youngest children
- Kaye Umansky is one of the funniest children's writers around, and the much-loved author of the PONGWIFFY books (Simon & Schuster)
- This brilliant rhyming story is a joy to read aloud – with echoes of Dr Seuss
- Superb, colourful illustrations by rising star Ben Mantle – and a fantastically eye-catching cover

About the author: Kaye Umansky is one of the UK's best-loved children's authors. She is a brilliant comic writer, and the award-winning creator of the bestselling Pongwiffy fiction series. Kaye lives in London.

About the illustrator: Ben Mantle has won many awards and widespread acclaim. Having originally trained as an animator, he creates fabulously expressive characters that really leap off the page. Ben lives in Leamington Spa.

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Rights: World Rights

DICK THE DELIGHTFUL DUCK

By KAYE UMANSKY

Illustrated by BEN MANTLE

Dick was a duck
who was always polite.
Everyone said, "That duck
Dick's a delight."



He held open doors



and he gave up his seat.

Everyone said,
"That duck Dick is so sweet."



DICK THE DELIGHTFUL DUCK

By KAYE UMANSKY

Illustrated by BEN MANTLE

He always said
thank you.



he always said please.



He dried all the dishes
and made all the teas.

He always was ready
with help and advice.

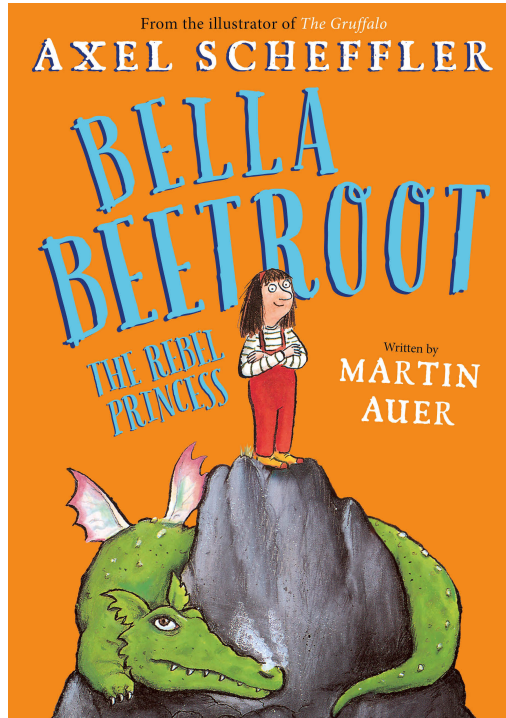


Everyone said, "That duck Dick is so *nice*."

ALISON GREEN BOOKS

BELLA BEETROOT - THE REBEL PRINCESS

MARTIN AUER Illustrated by AXEL SCHEFFLER



When Bella Beetroot is asked to do anything she doesn't want to, she holds her breath and goes until she goes bright red in the face - **as red as a beetroot!** And then one day, right in the middle of a tantrum, a mighty eagle comes and swoops her away, on an **incredible adventure**. She defeats dragons, *doesn't* marry a prince, and is still home in time for tea!

With stunning illustrations by Axel Scheffler, the illustrator of *The Gruffalo* this is sure to become a family favourite.

Key selling points

- A fabulous modern fable told in English for the first time, this is a powerful princess tale with a twist!
- Perfect for determined children who want to strike out on their own
- With stunning full-colour illustrations by Axel Scheffler, illustrator of *The Gruffalo*
- Translated into English by Alison Green, author of the bestselling picture book *KIND*

About the illustrator: Axel Scheffler is an award-winning, internationally-acclaimed illustrator of some of the most well-loved children's books. He has brought to life a huge variety of characters, from dragons to gruffalos. Axel lives in London. www.axelscheffler.com

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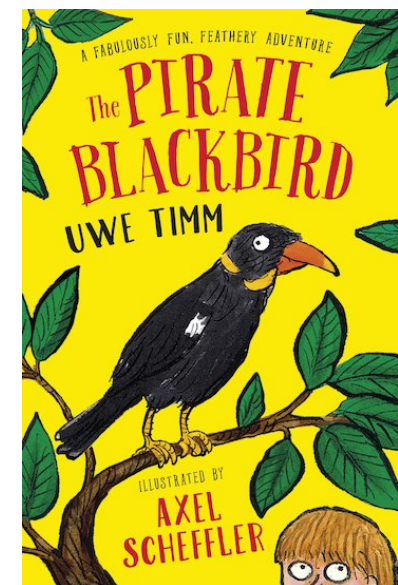
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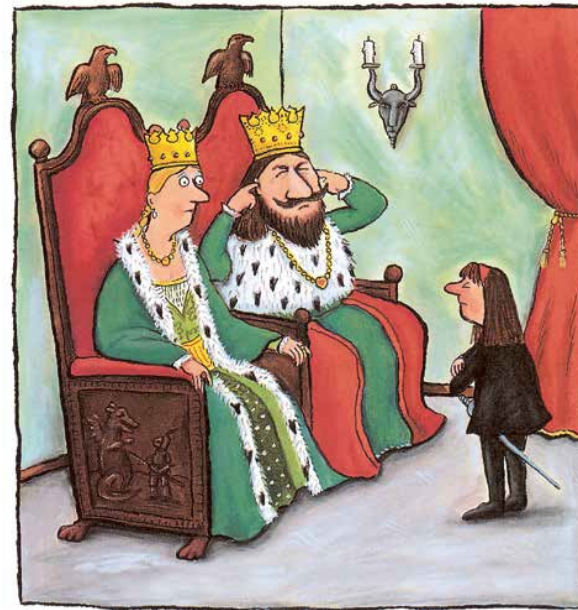
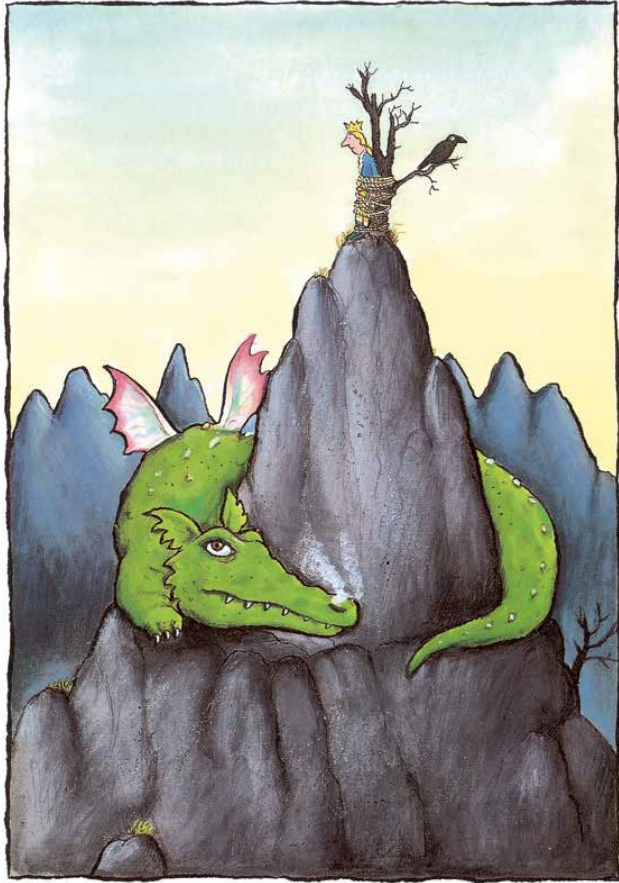


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BELLA BEETROOT

By MARTIN AUER

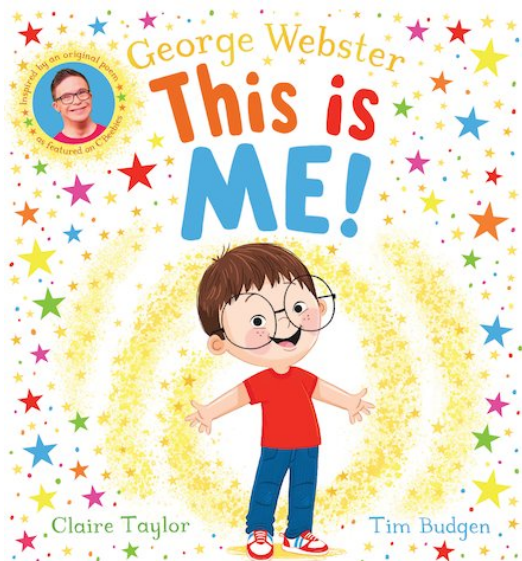
Illustrated by AXEL SCHEFFLER



PICTURE & NOVELTY

THIS IS ME (PB)

GEORGE WEBSTER Illustrated by TIM BUDGEN



A hugely uplifting and full-of-heart picture book by CBeebies sensation George Webster and bestselling illustrator Tim Budgen!

*This is me. I am George. My eyes are sparkly, just like my mum.
Like my dad, I'm determined and brave, and like my sister, I'm full of FUN!*

In this beautifully written and gorgeously illustrated picture book, a little boy called George wants to tell you all about himself. You see, just like lots of people in the world, George has Down syndrome and he knows it doesn't define him - as there are so many things that make George wonderful, and Down syndrome is just one of them.

With bright and engaging illustrations alongside a genuine and heartfelt story, *This is Me* is the perfect picture book for any child. So, get ready to read all about George, a little boy with the biggest heart!

Key selling points

- This celebration of Down syndrome is joyous, uplifting and a welcome reminder of all that's good in the world
- Pairing CBeebies star George Webster with bestselling illustrator Tim Budgen, this is a commercial picture book match made in heaven
- With a joyous rhyming story and a whole host of children alongside the main character, this powerful picture book is the perfect way to show children that not only are they amazing, but their friends, family and even people they haven't yet met are amazing too!
- Publishing March 2023, in time for Down Syndrome Awareness Day, with an additional PR push for Down Syndrome Awareness Month in October 2023

About the author: An actor, presenter and Ambassador for Mencap, George Webster was catapulted into the public eye when he spoke about Down syndrome in his myth-busting video for BBC Bitesize and was later asked to be a presenter on CBeebies. George was the first ever CBeebies presenter to have Down syndrome. George lives in Leeds.

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This is Me

George Webster is a hugely popular actor, presenter and ambassador for Mencap. George is the first Cbeebies presenter to have Down syndrome and his uplifting new picture book is set to show every child that they are amazing!

Publishing ahead of World Down Syndrome Day on 21 March.

Guaranteed national TV,
radio, print & podcast
**reach 6 million
+ online**

the
one
show

THE  TIMES

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RADIO

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PR and Marketing:

- Major features, interviews and reviews
- Building George's popularity and work as a great role model
- Promotion alongside upcoming TV
- Must-see events – public & school
- Celebrity endorsements
- Work with leading Down Syndrome charities
- Major schools campaign for widespread classroom use

- Paid and organic social targeting parents reaching 400k inc videos and rich assets
- Bespoke videos
- Branded social graphics



100k+ Scholastic



THIS IS ME

INSIDE PAGES

This is me, I am George.

My eyes are sparkly,
just like my mum.

Like my dad,
I'm determined
and brave,

and like my sister,
I'm FULL OF FUN!



THIS IS ME
INSIDE PAGES

There are lots of ways of talking.
We can smile, blink, gaze or shout loud.

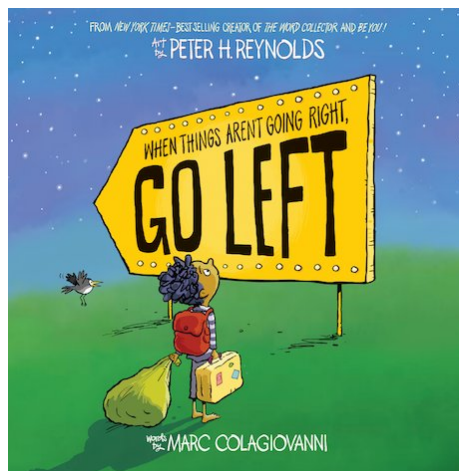


However we talk, we need to be heard,
it's what makes us feel bold and proud.

PICTURE & NOVELTY

WHEN THINGS AREN'T GOING RIGHT, GO LEFT (PB)

MARC COLAGIOVANNI Illustrated by PETER H. REYNOLDS



One day, for no particular reason, nothing was going right.

Absolutely, positively, NOTHING was going right.

So... I decided to go left.

Some days your worries, doubts, fears and frustrations can become too heavy to carry. But what if you just left them behind...?

Key selling points

- A new story from *New York Times* bestselling illustrator, Peter H. Reynolds
- Lyrical text from debut talent, Marc Colagiovanni
- An empowering story exploring emotions in an accessible and fun way!
- Perfect for fans of Peter H. Reynold's other books, SAY SOMETHING, THE WORD COLLECTOR, LOVE YOU BY HEART and OUR TABLE

About the author: Marc Colagiovanni is from Rhode Island, USA, where he still lives with his wife and three daughters. He's been a practicing attorney for the past 20 years but his passion truly lies in writing. This is his debut picture book.

About the illustrator: Peter H. Reynolds is a *New York Times* bestselling author and illustrator of many books for children, including *The Dot*, *I Am Human*, *Happy Dreamer*, *The Word Collector* and *Say Something*. His books have been translated into over 25 languages around the globe and are celebrated worldwide. In 1996, he founded FableVision with his brother, Paul, as a social change agency to help create "stories that matter, stories that move." He lives in Dedham, Massachusetts, with his family.
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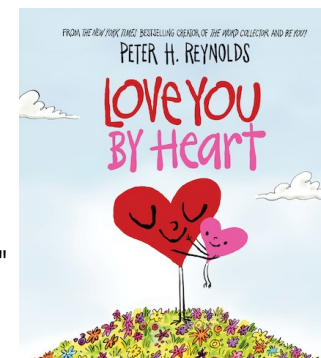
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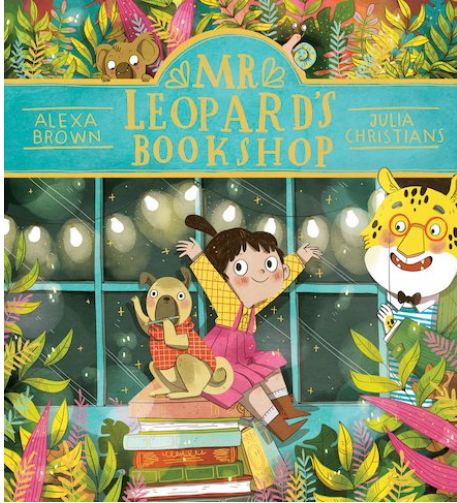


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PICTURE & NOVELTY

MR LEOPARD'S BOOKSHOP (HB)

ALEXA BROWN Illustrated by JULIA CHRISTIANS



There's a **mysterious bookshop**, tucked away from the world, with a rather unique bookseller... **Mr Leopard!** Not only does Mr Leopard sell the most **exciting** books, he also has a whole team of **animals** creating the very best stories for children – **just like this one!**

And as one little girl is about to discover, Mr Leopard's Bookshop is the most **magical** place in the world...

Key selling points

- A gloriously magical story about an extra-special bookshop and its larger-than-life owner
- Beautifully illustrated by exciting talent Julia Christians
- Filled with fun, mischief and even a surprise or two!

About the author: Alexa Brown is a debut author - and this is her very first picture book! Alexa lives in Bristol, England, with her family.

About the illustrator: Julia Christians is an illustrator from Germany, currently living in the forest of the Harz Mountains with her husband, kids and their pack of dogs. She is the illustrator of Ben Davis' *What's that in Dog Years?*.

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MR LEOPARD'S BOOKSHOP

By ALEXA BROWN

Illustrated by JULIA CHRISTIANS



The bookshop was like **nothing** Sophie had seen –
the place was **magnificent** (but needed a clean).

Books bulged out of sacks and were stuffed on the racks,
they swayed in tall, tumbling dangerous stacks.

There was **SO** much to see in this magical place –
could Sophie be dreaming? (She blinked, just in case.)
For there, looking up from some papers he'd dropped . . .

MR LEOPARD'S BOOKSHOP

By ALEXA BROWN

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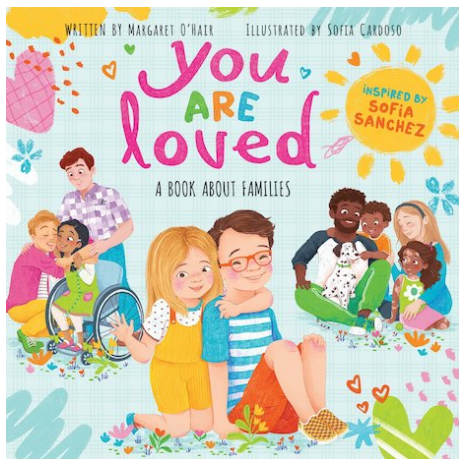


Mr Leopard was beaming. "Forget human tales!
Our writers are zebras and lions and snails!
Our artists are penguins and parrots, you see..."
Mr Leopard was literally trembling with glee.

PICTURE & NOVELTY

YOU ARE LOVED

SOFIA SANCHEZ, MARGARET O'HAIR Illustrated by SOFIA CARDOSO



You are loved by so many people...

Most of all you are loved by your family. No one loves you like your family loves you.

Families come in so many different shapes and sizes - some are far away, some live all together, some have two mummies and some two daddies. Every family is unique!

No matter what, families show you how strong you are and how much they love you!

Key selling points

- Written by Sofia Sanchez, a 13-year-old model and actress with Down syndrome
- Sofia counts over 51K Instagram followers and 19K Facebook followers and is a self-defined 'Down Syndrome Trailblazer'
- Sofia has recently been cast in the upcoming film adaptation of *The Ballard of Songbirds and Snakes*
- This is a great companion book for fans of *You are Enough*, Sofia's first book
- A brilliant celebrations of all the different types of families - including the people in your school, your community and those you chose to love as family

About the author:

Sofia Sanchez is a twelve-year-old student, actress, model, and self-advocate for Down syndrome. Sofia loves people, and she first went viral for her video that told the world 'Down syndrome is not scary...it's exciting!' sofia-sanchez.com @thesanchezsix

About the illustrator:

Sofia Cardoso is an illustrator and designer currently living and creating from Portugal. Sofia's work aims to inspire joy and creativity in both kids and kids at heart. <http://sofiacardoso.com/>

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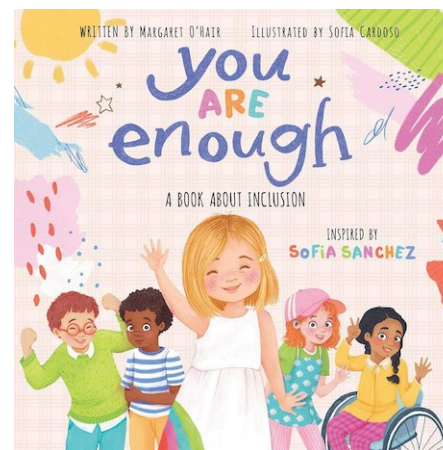
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YOU ARE LOVED

INSIDE PAGES



My name is Sofia Sanchez. I live with my parents, my three older brothers, two dogs, and an orange kitty. Diego is my oldest brother. Mateo is the second oldest in my family. Joaquin is next. He is just one year older than me! They are my family.

My three brothers were born into my family. But I came into my family in a different way. My parents saw a picture of me when I was in an orphanage in Ukraine. I was just one year old.

My parents knew I was supposed to be in the Sanchez family. They traveled all the way across the globe to meet me. My mom and dad adopted me, and I chose them right back. That's how we became a family.

But my family is more than just the people I live with. I have family spread out all over the world!

YOU ARE LOVED

INSIDE PAGES

You are loved by so many people.



Your friends love you.

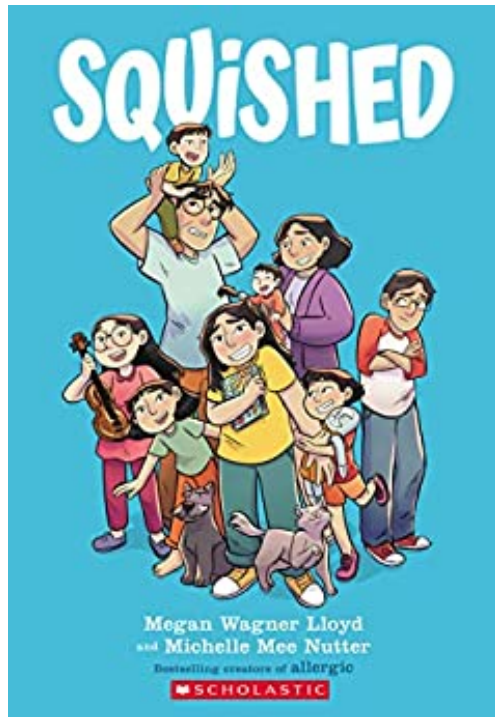


So do your neighbors
and teachers.

GRAPHIC NOVEL

SQUISHED

MEGAN WAGNER LLOYD



Avery Lee is tired of feeling squished by her six siblings! All Avery wants is her own room to be alone and make art. She hatches a plan to finally get her own room, while navigating changes in her friendships, and working on an art entry for the fair. But her family might move across the country and things get even more complicated.

About the author: Megan Wagner Lloyd is the author of the kids' graphic novel ALLERGIC, co-created with illustrator Michelle Mee Nutter. She's also the author of the picture books FINDING WILD and FORT-BUILDING TIME, illustrated by Abigail Halpin, BUILDING BOOKS, illustrated by Brianne Farley, and PAPER MICE, illustrated by Phoebe Wahl. She lives with her family in the Washington DC area.

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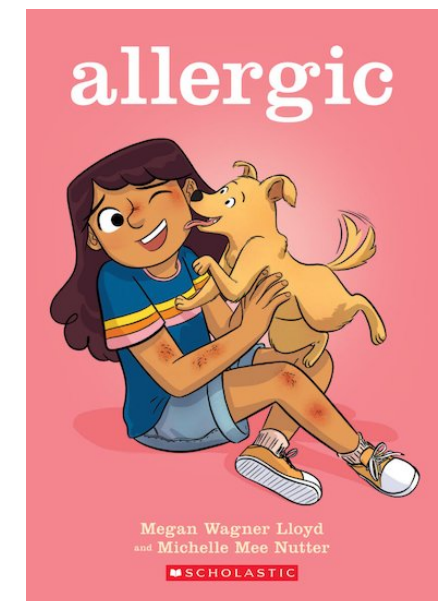
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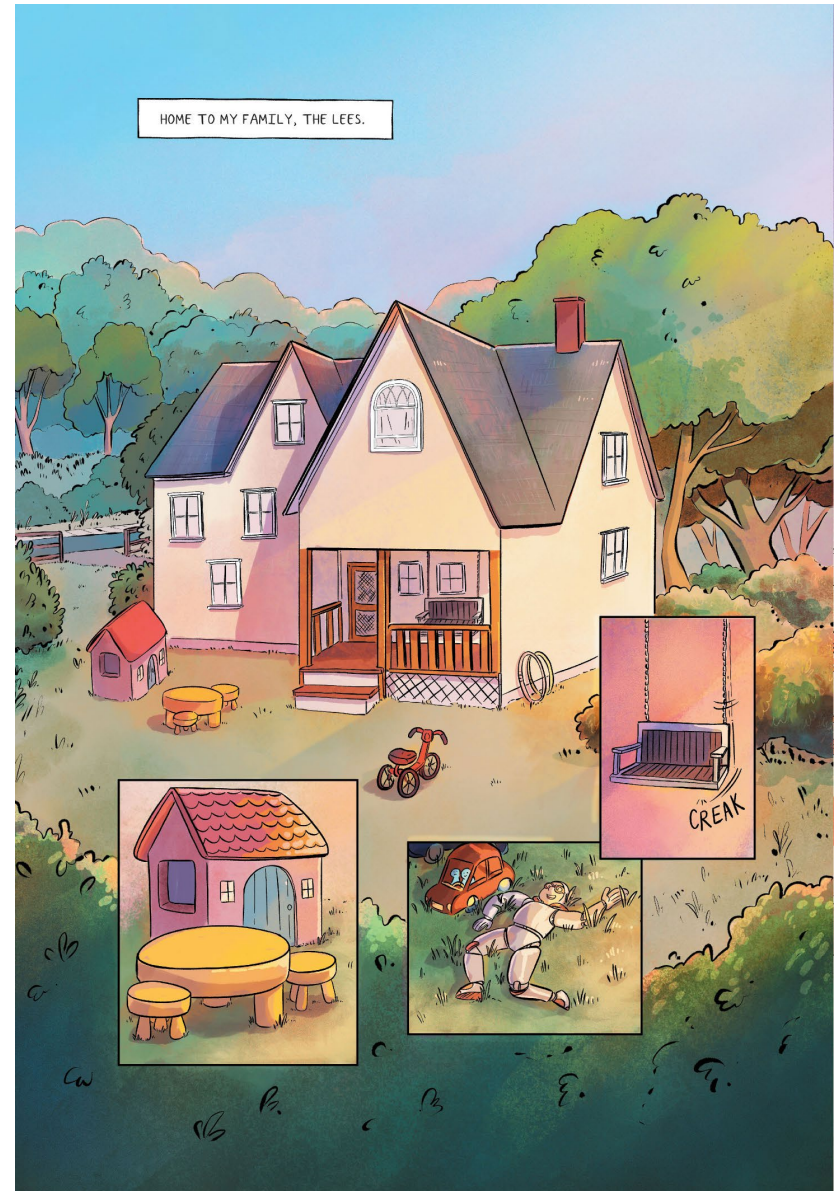
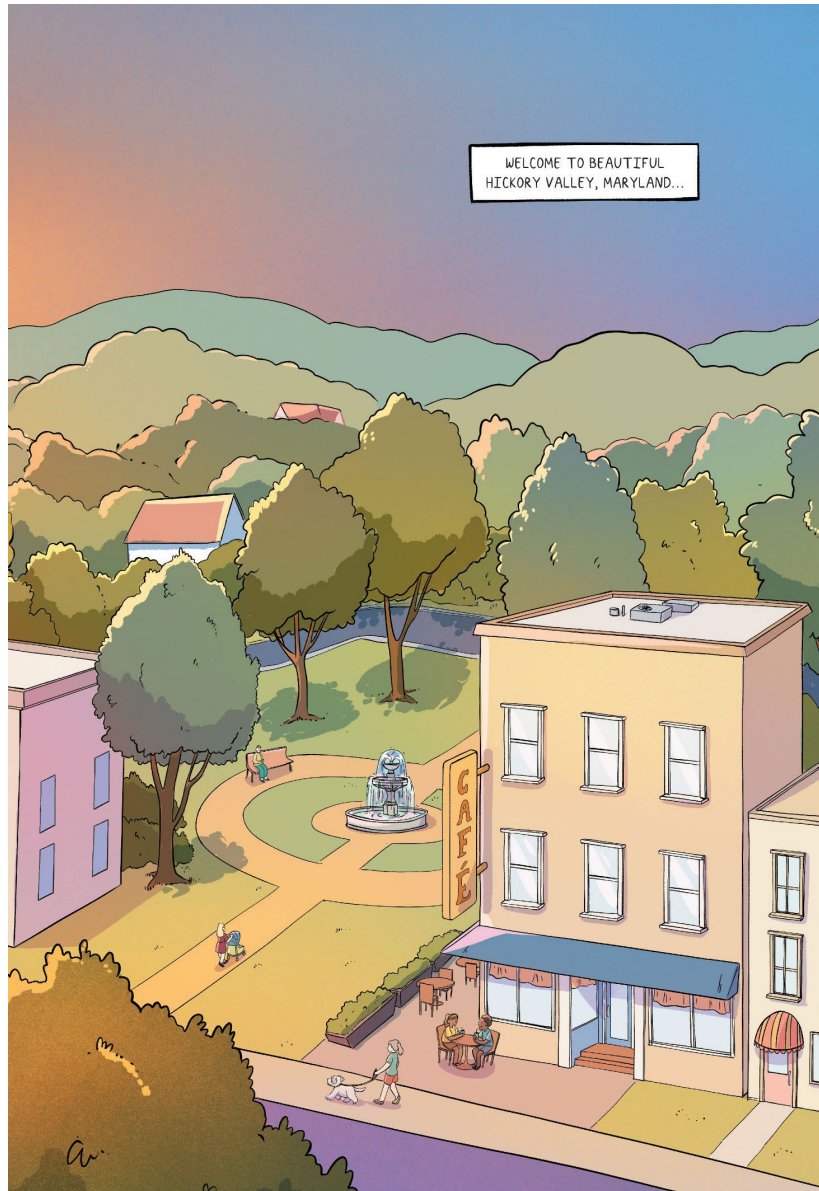
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INSIDE PAGES



FICTION

OWL DIARIES: OWL DIARIES BIND-UP 1: EVA'S TREETOP FESTIVAL & EVA SEES A GHOST

REBECCA ELLIOTT



COVER COMING SOON

Two Books in one! Now on Apple TV. This full-colour, highly illustrated diary series is perfect for young readers who love friendship stories starring animal characters!

BOOK 1: EVA'S TREETOP FESTIVAL

Eva Wingdale gets in over her head when she offers to organize a spring festival at school. Even with her best friend Lucy's help, there is NO way she will get everything done in time. Will Eva have to ask Sue (a.k.a. Meanie McMeanerson) for help? Or will the festival have to be cancelled?!

BOOK 2: EVA SEES A GHOST

Eva sees a ghost! Or at least, she thinks she does . . . What else could that all-white owl Eva sees be? With her friend Lucy by her side, Eva goes in search of the ghost. Eek!

Key selling points

- A full-colour, highly illustrated diary series starring owls! Author/illustrator Rebecca Elliott brings these colourful owls and their vibrant world to life
- Adapted by Apple TV

About the Author: Rebecca Elliott has illustrated many children's books, including KISS, KISS GOOD NIGHT. She wrote and illustrated the OWL DIARIES series, JUST BECAUSE, and ZOO GIRL (which was nominated for the Kate Greenaway Medal). She lives with her family in the countryside of Suffolk, England. www.rebeccaelliott.com

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FICTION

OWL DIARIES: OWL DIARIES BIND-UP 2: A WOODLAND WEDDING & EVA AND THE NEW OWL

REBECCA ELLIOTT



COVER COMING SOON

Two Books in one! Now on Apple TV. This full-colour, highly illustrated diary series is perfect for young readers who love friendship stories starring animal characters!

BOOK 3: A WOODLAND WEDDING

Eva's teacher, Miss Featherbottom, is getting married. All of her students have been invited to the wedding. And Eva starts a Secret Wedding Planners Club! But before Miss Featherbottom walks down the aisle, her necklace goes missing. Eva wants to help! She quickly turns her Wedding Planners Club into a Detectives Club. Can Eva track down the missing necklace before Miss Featherbottom's wedding is ruined?

BOOK 4: EVA AND THE NEW OWL

A new owl named Hailey has started in Eva's class at school. Eva is always happy to meet new people, and she's excited to make a new friend! But the new owl befriends Lucy instead of her. So Eva gets jealous. Lucy is Eva's best friend! Will Eva lose her best friend? Or can Eva and Lucy both make a new friend instead?

Key selling points

- A full-colour, highly illustrated diary series starring owls! Author/illustrator Rebecca Elliott brings these colourful owls and their vibrant world to life
- Adapted by Apple TV

About the Author: Rebecca Elliott has illustrated many children's books, including KISS, KISS GOOD NIGHT. She wrote and illustrated the OWL DIARIES series, JUST BECAUSE, and ZOO GIRL (which was nominated for the Kate Greenaway Medal). She lives with her family in the countryside of Suffolk, England. www.rebeccaelliott.com

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FICTION

THE BAD GUYS: THE BAD GUYS 3 COLOUR EDITION: THE FURBALL STRIKES BACK

AARON BLABEY



COVER COMING SOON

The Bad Guys are about to have a very BAD day! Mr. Wolf and his bad buddies have messed with the wrong guinea pig; one who is secretly an evil mad scientist. And the nasty little furball wants revenge! Will they survive? Will they be heroes? And will they ever stop trying to eat each other?!?

It's time for the Bad Guys to spring into action!

Key selling points

- The third laugh-out-loud Bad Guys episode by award-winning creator Aaron Blabey, now in full colour.
- "I wish I'd had these books as a kid. Hilarious!" Dav Pilkey, creator of Captain Underpants and Dog Man
- Full of hilarious line illustrations throughout
- Perfect for children who are struggling with reading - or who just want to laugh their socks off

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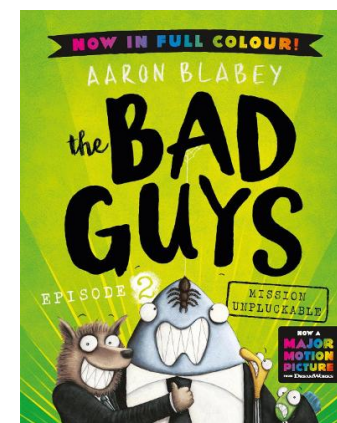
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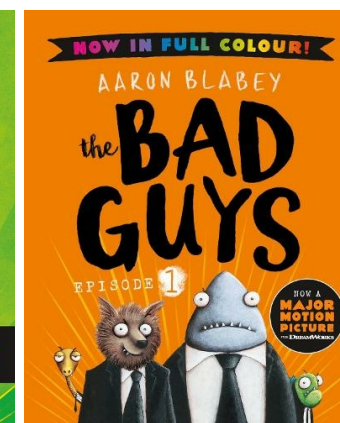
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FICTION

LUNA WOLF: ANIMAL WIZARD

ALESHA DIXON



Luna has just moved to London with her dad and is feeling anxious about starting at a new school and trying to make friends. Helping out at an animal rescue centre over the summer, she meets a dog, Silver, who is as shy and wary as she is: they quickly become inseparable. One evening, there is a break-in at the rescue centre, and when Silver smells danger, he transforms into a wolf in a flash of blue light, to protect Luna. She discovers that her late scientist mum was involved in a top secret project to create super pets, including a dog turning into a wolf, a gecko into a crocodile, a cat into a tiger. But the director of the project wanted to sell these animals to collectors on the black market: Luna's brave mum released them into the wild to foil this plan - and now the villain is hot on their trail, determined to capture them again. Luna discovers that she has the ability to power-up the animals; and that she's the hero they need to protect them and stop the villain!

Key selling points

- An action-packed, magical, empowering middle grade story for fans of Lightning Girl, Vet Man and Encanto.
- Alesha Dixon's books for children have sold over 125,000 copies through TCM in four years, and LIGHTNING GIRL was the market's bestselling debut of 2018.
- There will be an unmissable television, radio and print PR campaign on publication.

About the author: Alesha Dixon is a much-loved TV star, who first found fame as part of MOBO Award-winning group Mis-teeq. Her appearance on Strictly Come Dancing in 2007 led to her winning the series and becoming a judge for three seasons. She is currently a hugely popular judge on the UK's number one TV show, Britain's Got Talent. **About her co-writer:** Katy Birchall is the author of the Vampire Slayer series and the rom coms for adult readers The Secret Bridesmaid and The Wedding Season.

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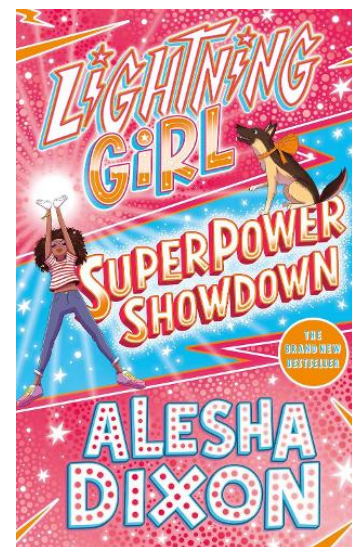
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FICTION

CAPTAIN UNDERPANTS: THE ADVENTURES OF CAPTAIN UNDERPANTS: (NOW WITH A DOG MAN COMIC!) 25TH ANNIVERSARY

DAV PILKEY



A special anniversary edition of the first book in this #1 New York Times bestselling series by Dav Pilkey, the author and illustrator of the Dog Man and Cat Kid Comic Club series - featuring a BRAND NEW comic, starring DOG MAN!

Key selling points

- Dav Pilkey is one of the biggest selling creators of children's books in the UK, with total TCM sales of 5 million copies.
- Funny; accessible; his books are a joyful, inclusive celebration of creativity and are full of genuine child appeal.

About the Author: Dav Pilkey is the author and illustrator of the Captain Underpants, Cat Kid Comic Club and Dog Man series, which have sold millions of copies in the UK. His books are funny; accessible; full of genuine child appeal.

 SCHOLASTIC

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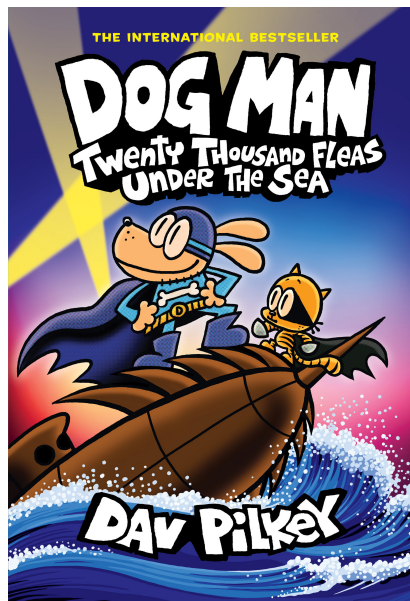
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FICTION

DOG MAN: DOG MAN 11: TWENTY THOUSAND FLEAS UNDER THE SEA

DAV PILKEY



The eleventh Dog Man adventure from the worldwide bestselling author and artist Dav Pilkey. You'll howl with laughter!

Piggy is back, and his newest plot is his most diabolical yet. Dog Man and the rest of your favourite characters must join together in this heroic and hilarious, ALL NEW adventure. WHAT new villains are on the horizon? WHERE are they all coming from? And WHO will step forward to save the city when scoundrels sabotage our Supa Buddies?

Dav Pilkey's wildly popular Dog Man series appeals to readers of all ages and explores universally positive themes, including empathy, kindness, persistence, and the importance of doing good.

Key selling points

- DOG MAN has swiftly become one of the major children's books brands in the UK: 1 million copies sold in five years.
- Funny; accessible; full of genuine child appeal.

About the author: Dav Pilkey is the author of the Captain Underpants, Dog Man and Cat Kid Comic Clube series, which have sold millions of copies worldwide.

By the same author:

 SCHOLASTIC

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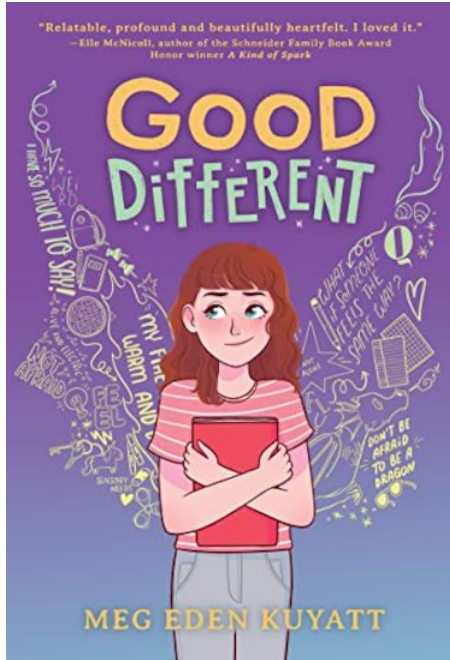


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FICTION

GOOD DIFFERENT

MEG EDEN KUYATT



A DEBUT NOVEL-IN-VERSE ABOUT UNDERSTANDING AND CELEBRATING YOUR OWN DIFFERENCE

Selah knows her rules for being normal. This means keeping her feelings locked tightly inside, despite the way they build up inside her as each school day goes on, so that she has to run to the bathroom and hide in the stall until she can calm down. Selah feels like a dragon stuck in a world of humans, but she knows how to hide it.

Until the day she explodes and hits a fellow student.

About the author: Meg Eden Kuyatt is a 2020 Pitch Wars mentee, and teaches creative writing at Anne Arundel Community College. She is the author of the 2021 Towson Prize for Literature winning poetry collection "Drowning in the Floating World" (Press 53, 2020) and children's novels, most recently "Good Different" (Scholastic, 2023). Find her online at www.megedenbooks.com or on Twitter at @ConfusedNarwhal and Instagram at @meden_author.

 SCHOLASTIC

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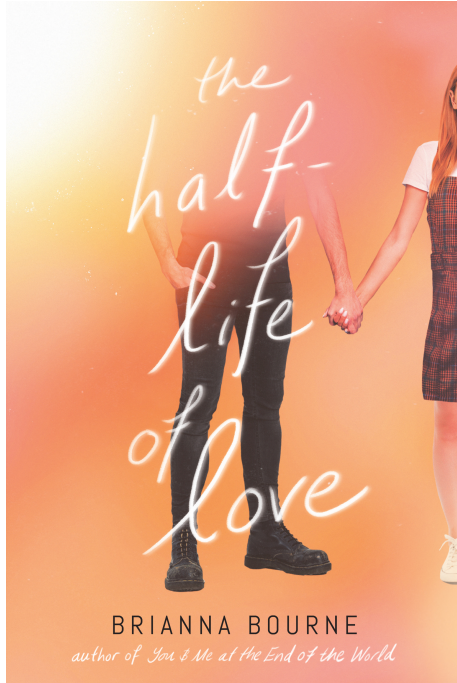
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FICTION

THE HALF-LIFE OF LOVE

BRIANNA BOURNE



COVER NOT FINAL

It comes as a twinge, a signal that you've reached the exact half point of your life...

Flint knows he will die at 16 so he's never really tried to live. With 6 weeks left, he returns to his hometown with his family, determined to go quietly. Science-obsessed September interns at the world-renowned Half Life Institute. She has never grieved the death of her younger sister who "half-lived" the previous year but she is determined to find a cure. Chance brings the two together. A friendship - and then something more —starts to form. September's easy warmth gives Flint permission to enjoy his life, and in turn Flint allows September to grieve. But time's running out and Flint hasn't shared his secret yet - will their connection prove extraordinary enough to last beyond those last few weeks, or is their time together destined to end in heartbreak?

Key selling points

- Brianna's previous book, *You & Me At the End of the World* has sold very strongly for us (4000 TCM copies and 6000 via Horizon as of March 2022)
- Brianna has also sold very well via TikTok which has given YA a boost throughout 2021 and we hope this book will do the same.
- We are in touch with the US and hope for another beautiful package for supers.
- Another unique and beautiful love story with a high-concept twist which is just the sort of content that producers like Netflix are looking for.

About the Author: Brianna Bourne is author of *You & Me at the End of the World*. When she's not writing, she works as a stage manager for ballet companies. Originally from Texas, Brianna grew up in Indonesia and Egypt and now lives in England with her rock musician husband and their two daughters. You can find out more about her on Twitter at [@briannabourneYA](https://twitter.com/briannabourneYA).

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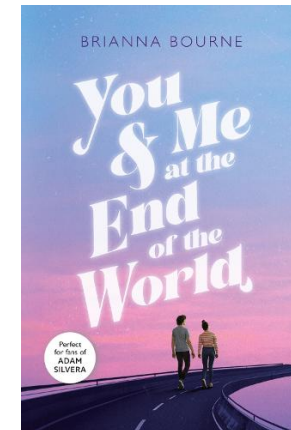
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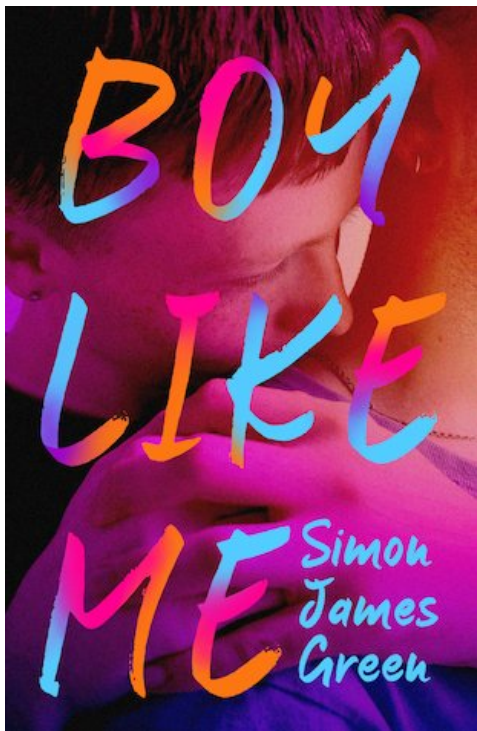


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FICTION

BOY LIKE ME

SIMON JAMES GREEN



In the margins of a book's pages, sparks fly as a teenage romance begins. But in this time and place, sparks like that can only ignite trouble.

It's 1994 and thanks to Section 28, there can be no mention of gay relationships in UK schools. When a kind librarian leads Jamie to a disguised novel in the library that reflects his own confused feelings towards boys, Jamie sees that he's not the only one who has checked the book out. Will Jamie and this mystery boy have the courage to meet - and if they do, what will it take to hold on to each other?

Key selling points

- THEY BOTH DIE AT THE END meets IT'S A SIN, a gay teenage romance against the backdrop of Section 28 in the 1990s from award-winning and leading LGBTQ+ author Simon James Green.
- Simon's profile has really risen over the past two years due to the banning of his appearances by the Archdiocese of Southwark, and the resultant outpouring of love and support for him that followed. This book squarely takes on book censorship, a topic that is still (increasingly!) at the forefront of student's, teachers' and librarians' minds.
- An ideal next-read for fans of Alice Oseman and Adam Silvera, with Simon James Green's distinctive brand of humour making this an important but also very enjoyable read.

About the author: Simon James Green is a leading LGBTQ+ author for children's books in the UK. He contributed to the PROUD book anthology, and his Noah books (NOAH CAN'T EVEN, NOAH COULD NEVER, and the short story 'Noah Goes Nuclear') were optioned for television. ALEX IN WONDERLAND, HEARTBREAK BOYS, and YOU'RE THE ONE THAT I WANT are his other YA novels, and his novels for younger readers (8-12) are LIFE OF RILEY: BEGINNER'S LUCK (finalist for the Blue Peter Best Story Award) and SLEEPOVER TAKEOVER. His picture books, LLAMA GLAMARAMA and FABULOUS FRANKIE are illustrated by Garry Parsons.

Also available:

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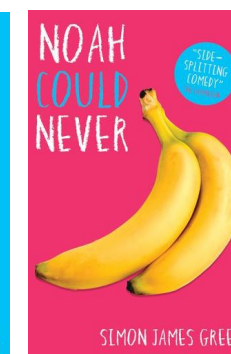
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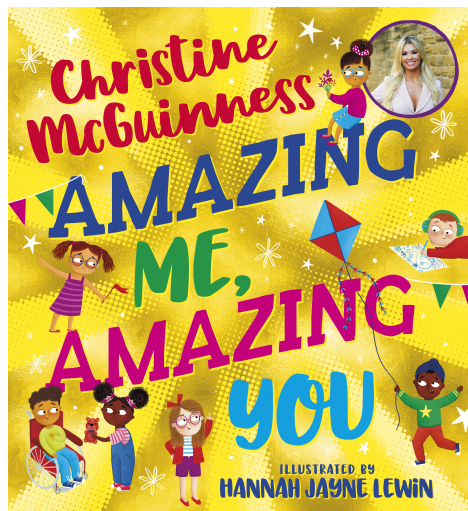


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NON FICTION

AMAZING ME, AMAZING YOU

CHRISTINE MCGUINNESS Illustrated by HANNAH JAYNE LEWIN



The perfect picture book celebrating all children - everyone is unique, and it's that uniqueness that makes us all special!

With strong messages of kindness and friendship, this book celebrates diversity and inclusivity and highlights just how important it is to accept each other, just as we are.

Recently diagnosed with autism, and as the parent of three autistic children, Christine has written non-fiction content at the back of the book to help parents teach their children about neurodiversity.

Key selling points

- By autism ambassador, Christine McGuinness
- This picture book for 3+ emphasises the importance of empathy and kindness
- A focus on celebrating all children and encouraging the idea of being kind to others who might not be like you
- Strong messages of kindness, empathy, friendship, courage and self-belief
- Vibrant art communicates a positive message
- Recently diagnosed with autism alongside her three children, Christine has written non-fiction content at the back of the book to help parents teach their children about neurodiversity

About the author: Author, model and autism ambassador, Christine McGuinness is a force to be reckoned with. She was herself recently diagnosed with autism, alongside her three children, and she hasn't let that diagnosis stop her from living her best life.

In 2021 Christine released her debut adult book, bestseller *A Beautiful Nightmare* and BBC documentary *Our Family and Autism*.

Christine is a charity ambassador for Caudwell Children and the National Autistic Society.

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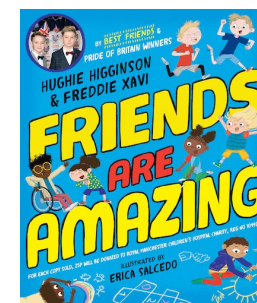
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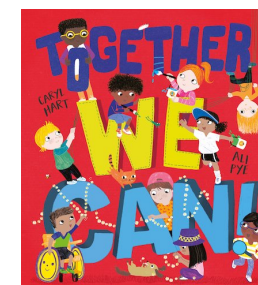
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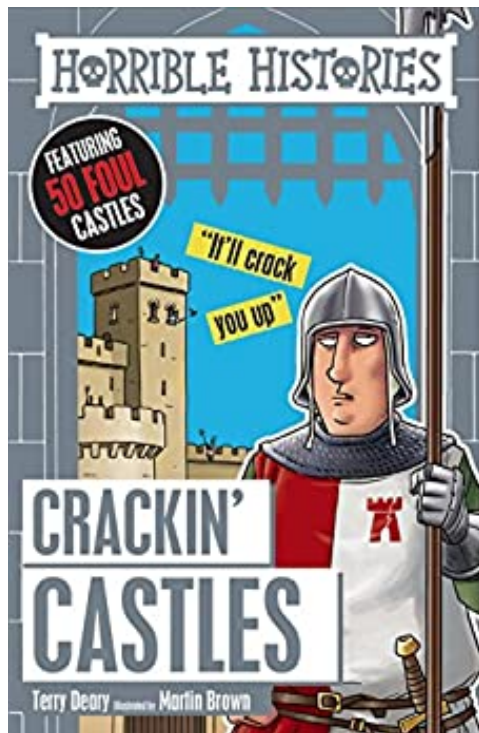


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NON FICTION

HORRIBLE HISTORIES: CRACKIN' CASTLES

TERRY DEARY Illustrated by MARTIN BROWN



From Tintagel Castle in Cornwall to Skibo Castle in the Scottish highlands, HORRIBLE HISTORIES: CRACKIN' CASTLES covers the history of Britain from the time of the Romans to the London Blitz. Filled with adventure, danger, magic, sieges, treachery, spies, revenge and much more besides - all in a new Horrible Histories newspaper style!

It's a seriously horrible read.

Key selling points

- A brand new HORRIBLE HISTORIES series look
- From the team that brought you everything from Awful Egyptians to the Woeful Second World War
- *Horrible Histories: The Movie - Rotten Romans* was released in the cinemas in July 2019
- Horrible Histories BAFTA award-winning TV series returned for season 9 in spring 2021
- Horrible Histories is celebrating its 30th anniversary in 2023
- Over 30 million copies of Horrible Histories books in print internationally
- The perfect book for children who like their history a little more gory

About the author: Terry Deary has written fiction and popular non fiction, including more than 60 HORRIBLE HISTORIES titles. In 2011 he became the 10th most borrowed author from British libraries. He lives in County Durham.

About the illustrator: Martin Brown was born in Australia but currently lives in Dorset. In 1993 he illustrated the first of the HORRIBLE HISTORIES, and has now contributed to more than 60 titles in the series. www.horrible-histories.co.uk
www.facebook.com/HorribleHistories

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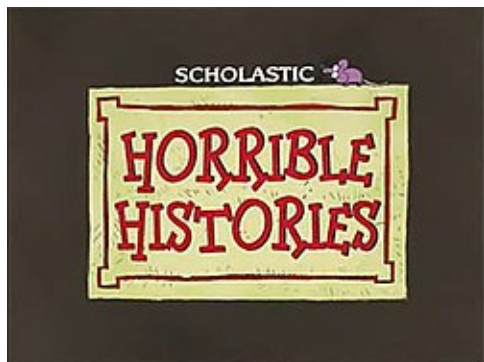
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NON FICTION

HORRIBLE HISTORIES: GRUESOME GUIDE TO STRATFORD-UPON-AVON (NEWSPAPER EDITION)

TERRY DEARY Illustrated by MIKE PHILLIPS



COVER COMING SOON

A stunning new edition of this gory city guide with all the gruesome bits left in!

HORRIBLE HISTORIES: GRUESOME GUIDE TO STRATFORD-UPON-AVON takes readers on a gore-tastic tour of the streets of Stratford exposing all of its most scurrilous secrets. With the frightful map, tourists can plot their path to the past, pay their respects at Shakespeare's grave, brave spooky Sheep street and lob cheese in the river. Fatal fleabites, bloody battles and brutal beheadings - it's a trip no Horrible Histories fan will want to miss!

Key selling points

- HORRIBLE HISTORIES: GRUESOME GUIDE TO STRATFORD-UPON-AVON takes readers on a gore-tastic tour of the streets of Stratford exposing all of its most scurrilous secrets
- 2023 is HORRIBLE HISTORIES' thirtieth anniversary
- The perfect book for children who like their history a little more gory
- With hilarious illustrations by Martin Brown & Mike Phillips
- HORRIBLE HISTORIES' BAFTA AWARD WINNING TV show returning with series 7 this year
- Over 12 million copies in print across the HORRIBLE HISTORIES series (UK edition)

About the author: Terry Deary has written fiction and popular non fiction, including more than 60 HORRIBLE HISTORIES titles. He lives in County Durham.

About the illustrators: Martin Brown was born in Australia but currently lives in Dorset. In 1993 he illustrated the first of the HORRIBLE HISTORIES, and has now contributed to more than 60 titles in the series. Mike Phillips is a British illustrator who has worked on various children's books, including HORRIBLE GEOGRAPHY and some HORRIBLE HISTORIES titles.

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NON FICTION

HORRIBLE HISTORIES: TOP 50 KINGS AND QUEENS

TERRY DEARY Illustrated by MARTIN BROWN



TOP 50 KINGS AND QUEENS is packed full of foul facts and loathsome lists all about our ruthless rulers. Filled with brand-new material, this pocket-sized guide to rotten royalty has all the trademark HORRIBLE HISTORIES humour in bite-sized chunks. With eye-catching layouts and new illustrations from Martin Brown, it's perfect for fans of the series and new readers alike.

Key selling points

- A brand new HORRIBLE HISTORIES series look
- From the team that brought you everything from Awful Egyptians to the Woeful Second World War
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MEDIA

DINO RANCH: HATCHLING HULLABALOO! FELT STORYBOOK

ZACKERY CUEVAS



Come on down to the Dino Ranch Jamboree for tons of dino fun - all based on the hit Disney + programme!

Come on down to the Dino Ranch! This interactive activity book comes with 20 felt pieces that cowpokes can place on the pages as they learn and play with the rancheroos. Based on the Disney Jr. TV show!

There's always something new to do on the Dino Ranch! This book comes with textured, soft felt pieces that kids can play with and use to make their very own cute and fun dinoriffic scenes. Join Jon, Min and Miguel as they learn how to take care of all the baby dinosaurs in the Hatchery. But watch out, those little fellas are quick! Help the rancheroos look after the dino hatchlings in this fun activity book!

Key selling points

- <i>Dino Ranch Hatchling Hullabaloo! Felt Storybook
- </i> will provide kids with hours of fun - all based on the hit Disney+ show
- Set in a fantastical "pre-western" world where dinosaurs still roam
- Launched April 2021 in the UK
- Featuring themes of friendship, fun and problem-solving - all while having big adventures
- Perfect for any aspiring Dino Rancher!

About the author: Terrance Crawford is a humour and pop culture writer from Detroit, Michigan who lives in New York. At the time of printing, he still has not received his Hogwarts letter.

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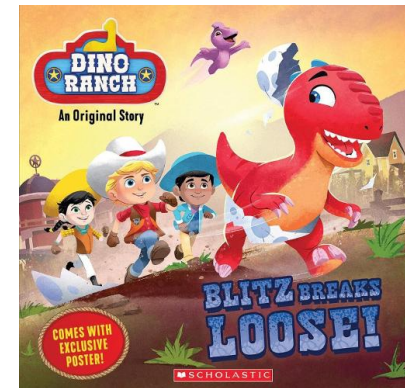
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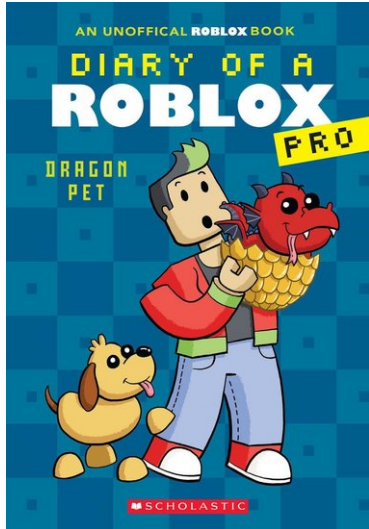


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NON FICTION

DIARY OF A ROBLOX PRO: DRAGON PET

ARI AVATAR



Ari Avatar is just your average Roblox kid living in a blocky world! Battle monsters and avoid disasters in a Roblox world; all through the eyes of Ari and his friends.

Diary of a Roblox Pro is a must-read for any kid who loves to play Roblox! It's time for another field trip! Ari and his class visit a farm where they are entrusted with an egg to adopt. This is a big responsibility for Ari but he's excited nonetheless. Everyone's egg hatches into harmless animals, except for Ari's. His hatches into a baby dragon!

Cool, right? Wrong! As the dragon grows, Ari realizes he may have bitten off more than he can chew. Ari and his friends have to figure out a way to capture the dragon before it destroys all of Blockhaven! Can they handle it?

 SCHOLASTIC

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Binding: Non Standard

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MEDIA

HARRY POTTER: HOGWARTS LEGACY: THE OFFICIAL GAME GUIDE

SCHOLASTIC



The official *Hogwarts Legacy* game guide!

Once you've played *Hogwarts Legacy* (releasing Holiday 2022, check out this official game guide to get all the important tips and tricks you need to know for the exciting new open-world action RPG game set in the wizarding world.

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Key selling points

- Ties into an all-new console game that WB is releasing in autumn 2022. There will be a big marketing push.
- Readers will go back to Hogwarts with a new cast of characters that they'll make connections with.
- We are releasing in time for merchandise to be on shelves with the game.
- Full-colour photography includes tips, tricks and more extended info that you can't get anywhere else.
- This is Hogwarts like you've never seen before: set in the 1800s, and with important mythos to Harry Potter fans young and old!

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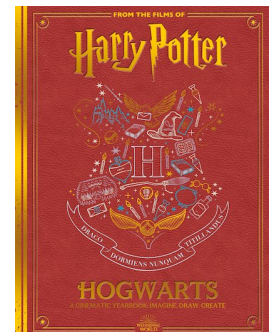
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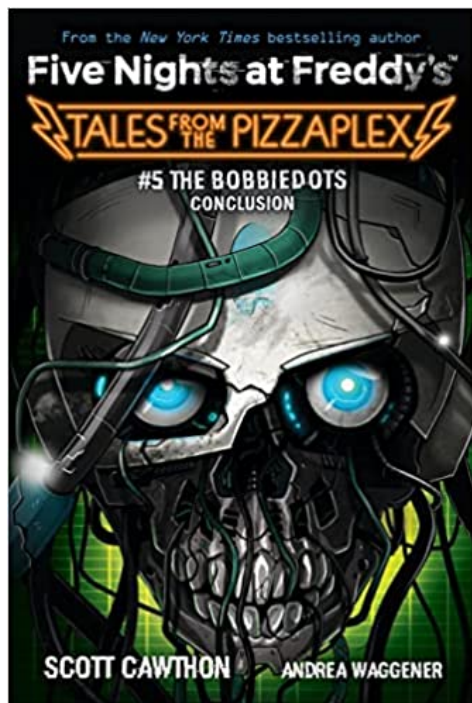


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MEDIA

FIVE NIGHTS AT FREDDY'S: TALES FROM THE PIZZAPLEX 5

SCOTT CAWTHON



The fifth volume of an **all-new series** of Five Nights at Freddy's short story collections!

A collection of new Five Nights at Freddy's short stories, set in the world of the newest games. Fans won't want to miss this pulse-pounding collection of three novella-length stories that will keep even the bravest player up at night...

Readers beware: this collection of terrifying tales is enough to unsettle even the most hardened Five Nights at Freddy's fans.

Key selling points

- A pulse-pounding collection of three terrifying *Five Night's at Freddy's* tales
- This series features the newest, futuristic animatronics and settings from the upcoming Freddy games
- Perfect for gamers and fans of horror
- The game has ranked #1 in Best Strategy Games, Kids Games and Action Games in the US
- The *Five Nights at Freddy's* movie is currently in production with Warner Brothers

About the series:

Five Nights at Freddy's is the popular and bestselling point-and-click survival mystery video game created by Scott Cawthon.

About the author:

Scott Cawthon is the author of the bestselling video game series *Five Nights at Freddy's*, and while he is a game designer by trade, he is first and foremost a storyteller at heart. He is a graduate of The Art Institute of Houston and lives in Texas with his family.

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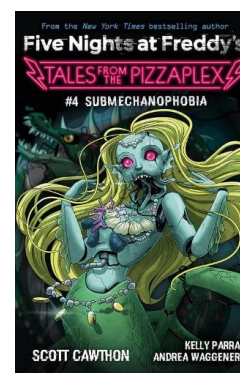
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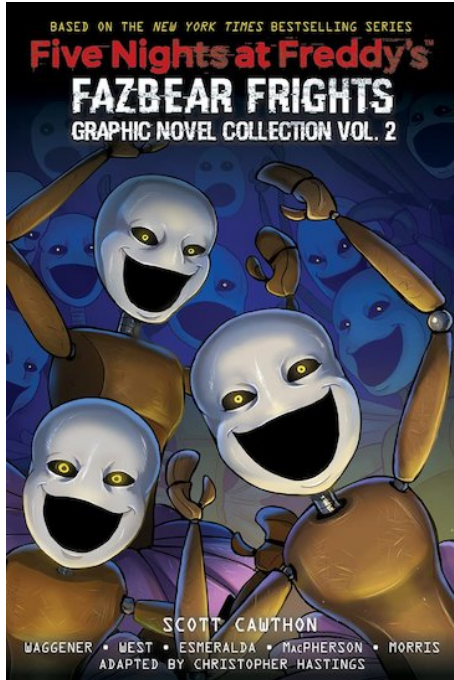


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MEDIA

FIVE NIGHTS AT FREDDY'S: FIVE NIGHTS AT FREDDY'S: FAZBEAR FRIGHTS GRAPHIC NOVEL #2

SCOTT CAWTHON



The New York Times best-selling series is now a graphic novel! Five Nights at Freddy's fans won't want to miss this pulse-pounding collection of three novella-length comic stories that will keep even the bravest player up at night . . .

Oscar, ever the miniature grown-up his mom needs him to be, decides to take something he wants . . . even though he knows it's wrong. Stanley is newly dumped, stuck in a dead-end job for a mysterious employer, and unable to connect with anyone. And Devon, abandoned by his dad and ignored by his mom, can't understand why love and friendship come so easily to everyone except him. Unfortunately, in the callous world of Five Nights at Freddy's, it's always in the depths of loneliness when evil creeps in.

In this volume, three stories from the New York Times best-selling series Five Nights at Freddy's: Fazbear Frights come to life in delightfully horrifying comics. Readers beware: This collection of terrifying tales is enough to unsettle even the most hardened Five Nights at Freddy's fans.

Key selling points

- This collection of terrifying tales is enough to unsettle even the most hardened Five Nights at Freddy's fans
- Told through delightfully scary artwork
- Three novella-length comic stories that will keep even the bravest player up at night
- Five Nights at Freddy's Fazbear Frights is a NYT Bestselling series!
- This series features the newest, futuristic animatronics and settings from the upcoming Freddy games
- Perfect for gamers and fans of horror

About the series:

Five Nights at Freddy's is the popular and bestselling point-and-click survival mystery video game created by Scott Cawthon.

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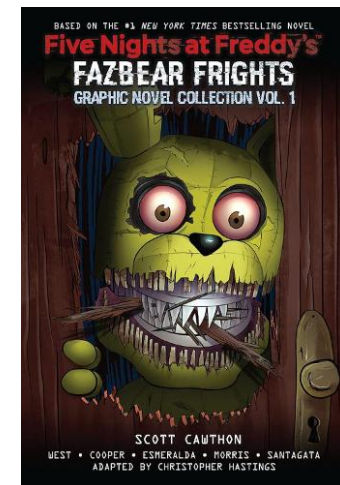
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COLIN Kaepernick: CHANGE THE GAME

COLIN Kaepernick, EVE L. EWING Illustrated by ORLANDO CAICEDO



An inspiring graphic memoir from celebrated athlete and activist Colin Kaepernick.

High school star athlete Colin Kaepernick is at a crossroads in life. Heavily scouted by colleges and Major League Baseball (MLB) as a baseball pitcher, he has a bright future ahead of him. Everyone from his parents to his teachers and coaches are in agreement on his future. Colin feels differently.

Colin isn't excited about baseball. In the words of five-time all-star MLB player Adam Jones, 'Baseball is a white man's game.' Colin looks up to athletes like Allen Iverson: talented, hyper-competitive, unapologetically Black, and dominating their sports while staying true to themselves.

College football looks a lot more fun than sleeping on hotel room floors in the minor leagues of baseball. But Colin doesn't have a single offer to play football. Yet.

Key selling points

- An inspiring graphic memoir from celebrated athlete and activist Colin Kaepernick
- Explores the story of how a young change-maker learned to find himself and never compromise
- Full-colour illustration
- A graphic novel memoir for readers 12 and up
- **See sample pages here:** <http://www.scholastic.biz/ColinKBLAD05222022/index.html>

About the author: Colin Kaepernick is a Super Bowl quarterback and New York Times and USA Today bestselling author who fights oppression globally. He founded the Know Your Rights Camp, which advances the liberation and well-being of Black and Brown people through education, self-empowerment, mass-mobilization and the creation of new systems that elevate the next generation of change leaders.

In 2019, he started Kaepernick Publishing to empower a new generation of writers and creators through the development and publication of meaningful works of all genres that focus on amplifying diverse views and voices. KaepernickPublishing.com

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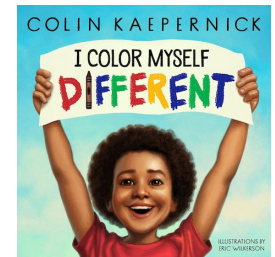
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