

## NEW RELEASES: JULY 2020

### BOOKS FOR ALL AGES



### Subterranean

ISBN: 9780648709398



RRP: \$26.99 (General)

Author: B. Michael Radburn

Release Date: 1/07/20

Publisher: Atlas Productions

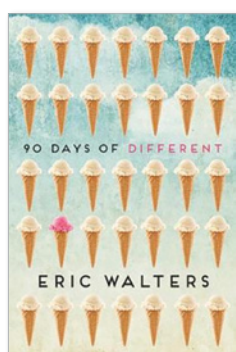
Format: PB | Pages: 238

Size: 13.3 x 20.3 cm

AU

**DESCRIPTION:** Running away was what Cassie did best – away from a possessive husband who wants her back, running from city to city, from job to job, to stay one step ahead of him. Daniel Woodsman is at home in the dark; in the abandoned railway tunnels below the city where the homeless veteran has built his life since his injuries had taken away more than just his confidence. When Cassie enters Daniel's domain in the subway their two worlds collide. Together, can they stop running long enough to begin living again?

**BISAC:** FICTION / Romance (FIC027000)



### 90 Days of Different

RRP: \$24.95 (Young Adult)

Author: Eric Walters

Release Date: 01/07/20

Publisher: Orca Books

Format: Paperback

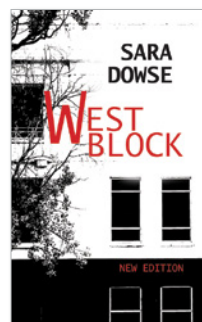
Pages: 312 | Size: 15 x 21 cm

ISBN: 9781459826427



**DESCRIPTION:** On the last day of high school, Sophie's boyfriend breaks up with her. He thinks she's too predictable, too responsible, too mature...too boring. When Sophie turns to her best friend, Ella, for comfort and reassurance, Ella confirms his opinion. And that hurts even more. Then Ella comes up with a plan to help Sophie find her wilder side. In the 90 days between the end of high school and the start of university, she is going to arrange for Sophie to do amazing, new, different and sometimes scary things. The deal is Sophie has to agree to everything, no matter what. And she has to share her adventures through social media. Can 90 days of different create a different life? Can stepping outside your comfort zone help you find yourself?

**BISAC:** YOUNG ADULT FICTION / Social Themes / Self-Esteem & Self-Reliance (YAF058220)



### West Block

RRP: \$32.99 (General)

ISBN: 9780648565789



Author: Sara Dowse

Publisher: For Pity Sake

Date: 1/07/20 | Format: HB

Pages: 350 | Ed: 2nd | Size: 12.7 x 20.3 cm

AU

**DESCRIPTION:** It's 1977, two years after Australia's constitutional crisis. The bureaucrats in West Block, home of the PM's department, are recovering from the shock of Gough Whitlam's dismissal. George Harland schemes to preserve his departmental standing; Henry Beeker stakes his career on stalling a policy; Catherine Duffy risks her life rescuing victims of an ill-conceived one; Jonathan Roe sets off the tripwires in textbook economics. And Cassie Armstrong, head of the department's women's unit, is driven to despair. Life is tense in West Block. Pigeons nest in the leaking roof. A move is imminent: it's feared the government plans to tear the building down. Old time bureaucrats are adjusting to a new, feminist presence in its corridors. At one time or other housing most of the federal public service, West Block is more than just a rundown office building. Here is the nation in microcosm.

*"With sensitivity and humour, Dowse has added features and soul to the faceless image of the public servant."* - *The Australian*

**BISAC:** FICTION / Political (FIC037000)



## The Invisible Series (Set of 3)

RRP: \$45.00 (Young Adult)



ISBN: 9780648805205

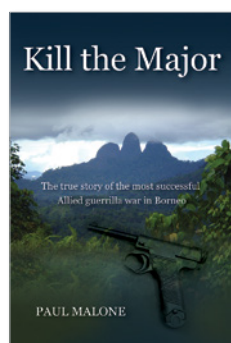


**Author:** Cecily Anne Paterson | **Release Date:** 1/07/20 | **Publisher:** Firewheel Press  
**Format:** Paperback | **Pages:** 524 | **Size:** 12.9 x 19.8 cm  
**BISAC:** YOUNG ADULT FICTION / Girls & Women (YAF022000)

All three titles in the Invisible series together for the first time. The teenage fiction reviewer from *Publisher's Weekly* called *Invisible* an 'exquisitely written story' and 'a stunning account of the reinvention of a compelling and sympathetic character'. Children's and YA author Cathy Cassidy, called *Invisible* 'Lovely... sensitive, hopeful, empowering'. *Invisible* was a semifinalist in the Amazon Breakthrough Novel Awards.

**ABOUT THE AUTHOR:** Cecily Anne Paterson lives in the Northern Beaches of Sydney and is the author of eight novels for upper middle grade/young YA readers.

**INDIVIDUAL TITLES ALSO AVAILABLE - SEE PAGE 7-8**



## Kill the Major

RRP: \$24.99 (General Nonfiction)



ISBN: 9780648758730



**Author:** Paul Malone | **Release Date:** 1/07/20 | **Publisher:** For Pity Sake Publishing  
**Format:** Paperback | **Pages:** 214 | **Size:** 15.2 x 22.9 cm

**DESCRIPTION:** Kill the Major - The true story of the most successful Allied guerrilla war in Borneo. In March 1945 British Major Tom Harrisson and 42 Australian, New Zealand and British guerrillas dropped behind enemy lines in Borneo in an operation designed to assist the Australian Imperial Force's (AIF) landings on the island, the largest amphibious operation in Australia's history. In a matter of months the guerrillas moved well beyond their initial intelligence gathering mission, disrupting enemy supply lines, mounting raids on Japanese outposts, ambushing and often beheading, Japanese soldiers in the jungle. By the War's end they had killed over 1,000 enemy. When Japan surrendered in August 1945, the AIF abruptly wound-up operations, leaving the Borneo tribespeople and brothers-in-arms to the fate of two roaming Japanese companies. Harrisson led a small band of guerrillas to hunt down these renegades, forcing their surrender on 30 October 1945, ten weeks after the war's official end. Harrisson required his men to live off the land and at times, appeared oblivious to their appalling conditions. Nevertheless all 42 members of his force survived the war. But rather than revere their leader, many hated him and three aimed to kill him. **BISAC:** HISTORY / Military / World War II (HIS027100)



## In The Dragon's Shadow: Absolution

RRP: \$28.95 (General)

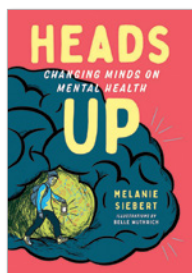


ISBN: 9780648733577



**Author:** Rufin DeVillier | **Release Date:** 15/7/20 | **Edition:** 2nd  
**Publisher:** Shawline Publishing Group | **Format:** PB | **Pages:** 250 | **Size:** 15.24 x 22.9 cm

**DESCRIPTION:** "This was not the path I had chosen. It was picked for me, and I was forced to walk down its narrow line. It is not something I will accept; it is not something I will submit to. I will fight it, and I will overcome it. What will you do?" This place was familiar, in a way, somewhat recognisable but still as abnormal as it always was. The white tree in the middle of the lake glowed brightly, on one of the branches, sat a figure cloaked in darkness. The dark consumed and nullified the light. It was difficult to make out what it was, but it was monstrous. Large wings erupted from the back of the dark figure. A tail uncoiled itself and writhed between the branches. The dark figure scowled down at him. When it spoke, the very air seemed to quake and shiver with each word ... **BISAC:** FICTION / Fantasy / Dragons & Mythical Creatures (FIC009120)



## Heads Up

*Changing Minds on Mental Health*

RRP: \$42.95 (Young Adult)

ISBN: 9781459819115



**Author:** Melanie Siebert  
**Illustrator:** Belle Wuthrich  
**Release Date:** 1/07/20  
**Publisher:** Orca Books  
**Format:** Paperback  
**Pages:** 192 | **Size:** 15.24 x 21.59 cm

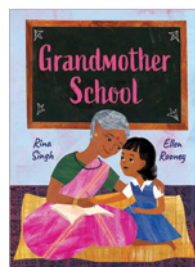
**DESCRIPTION:** Featuring real-life stories of people who have found hope and meaning in the midst of life's struggles, *Heads Up: Changing Minds on Mental Health* is the go-to guide for teenagers who want to know about mental health, mental illness, trauma and recovery.

This book, from Canadian publisher Orca Books, shines a light on the troubled history of thinking about and treating mental illness and tells the stories of courageous pioneers in the field of psychiatry who fought for more compassionate, respectful and effective treatments. It provides a helpful guide to the major mental health diagnoses along with ideas and resources to support those who are suffering.

But it also moves beyond a biomedical focus and considers the latest science that shows how trauma and social inequality impact mental health. The book explores how mental health is more than just "in our heads" and includes the voices of Indigenous people who share a more holistic way of thinking about wellness, balancing mind, body, heart and spirit.

Highlighting innovative approaches such as trauma-informed activities like yoga and hip-hop, police mental health teams, and peer support for youth, *Heads Up* shares the stories of people who are sparking change.

**BISAC:** Depression & Mental Illness (YAN051060)



## Grandmother School

RRP: \$34.95 (Picture book)

ISBN: 9781459819054



**Author:** Rina Singh, Illustrated by Ellen Rooney  
**Release Date:** 1/07/20 | **Format:** HB | **Pages:** 32  
**Publisher:** Orca Books | **Size:** 22.23 x 27.31 cm

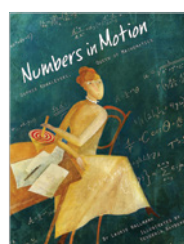
**DESCRIPTION:** Every morning, a young girl walks her grandmother to the Aajibaichi Shala, the school that was built for the grandmothers in her village to have a place to learn to read and write. The narrator beams with pride as she drops her grandmother off with the other aajis to practice the alphabet and learn simple arithmetic.

A moving story about family, women and the power of education—when Aaji learns to spell her name you'll want to dance along with her.

Women in countless countries continue to endure the limitations of illiteracy. Unjust laws have suppressed the rights of girls and women and kept many from getting an education and equal standing in society.

Based on a true story from the village of Phangane, India, this brilliantly illustrated book tells the story of the grandmothers who got to go to school for the first time in their lives.

**BISAC:** School & Education (JUV035000)



## Numbers in Motion

RRP: \$32.95 (Nonfiction)

ISBN: 9781939547637



**Author:** Laurie Wallmark | **Size:** 22.86 x 27.94 cm  
**Illustrator:** Yevgenia Nayberg | **Date:** 1/07/20  
**Publisher:** Creston Books | **Format:** PB | **Pages:** 32

**DESCRIPTION:** Sophie Kowalevski was both a brilliant mathematician and a talented writer. A wonderful STEAM figure, she not only did mathematical research, but she also created many literary works and enjoyed many firsts, such as being the first woman to receive a doctorate in mathematics.

**BISAC:** Mathematics (JNF035000)





## The Sun is a Peach

**RRP: \$19.95** (Board Book)

**Author:** Sara Cassidy, Illustrated by Josée Bisaillon

**Release Date:** 1/07/20 | **Publisher:** Orca Books

**Format:** Board Book | **Pages:** 24 | **Size:** 17.8 x 17.8 cm

**DESCRIPTION:** A young child walks along a country road into town where there's a parade on. The experiences of the day, and the child's eventual homecoming and bedtime, are chronicled and compared to the sun. The sun takes the form of the yolk of an egg, a spool of thread, the eye of a bird, an ice-cream cone and a dandelion. Each round, yellow item on the page hints at the big golden ball in the sky. Stunning illustrations by Josée Bisaillon capture how imagination shapes the environment around us. This simple board book shows children that the way they see the world—by heart, mind and imagination—is just right. Revelling in metaphor, *The Sun is a Peach* encourages that magical leap of imagination and asks the reader to look at everyday objects from a different perspective.

**BISAC:** JUVENILE FICTION / Bedtime & Dreams (JUV010000)

ISBN: 9781459818675



### ALSO AVAILABLE



## The Moon is a Silver Pond

**RRP: \$17.95**

ISBN: 9781459818644



## Play Like an Animal!: Why Critters Splash, Race, Twirl, and Chase

**RRP: \$34.95** (Picture book)

**Author:** Maria Gianferrari, Illustrated by Mia Powell

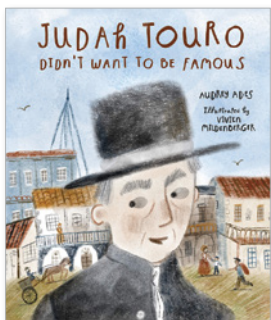
**Release Date:** 1/07/20 | **Publisher:** Millbrook Press

**Format:** Hardback | **Pages:** 32 | **Size:** 26.99 x 22.54 cm

**DESCRIPTION:** Exuberant text celebrates all the ways animals play, from rhinos taking mud baths and parrots somersaulting through the air to kangaroos boxing and dolphins diving through the surf. Additional text addresses the science of why play is important.

**BISAC:** JUVENILE NONFICTION / Animals (JNF003000)

ISBN: 9781541557710



## Judah Touro Didn't Want to be Famous

*Jewish Heroes*

**RRP: \$32.95** (Picture book)

**Author:** Audrey Ades, Illustrated by Vivien Mildenberger

**Release Date:** 1/07/20 | **Publisher:** Kar-Ben Publishing

**Format:** Paperback | **Pages:** 32 | **Size:** 23.5 x 27.94 cm

**DESCRIPTION:** Judah Touro dreamed of becoming a successful shopkeeper. Through his skill in business, he earned a great fortune. Grateful after surviving a battlefield injury, humble Judah used his riches for philanthropic deeds, large and small, all in secret.

**BISAC:** JUVENILE FICTION / Historical / United States / Colonial & Revolutionary Periods (JUV016120)

ISBN: 9781541545618

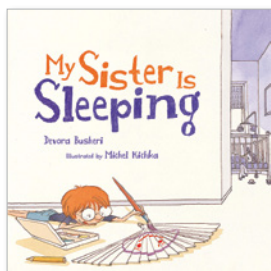


### ALSO AVAILABLE IN PAPERBACK



ISBN: 9781541545625

**RRP: \$14.95**



## My Sister Is Sleeping

RRP: \$32.95 (Picture book)

**Author:** Devora Busheri, Illustrated by Michel Kichka

**Release Date:** 1/07/20 | **Publisher:** Kar-Ben Publishing

**Format:** Paperback | **Pages:** 24 | **Size:** 24.77 x 24.77 cm

ISBN: 9781541542440



**DESCRIPTION:** A big sister proudly shares the ways she can help her mom with the new baby in this Israeli family, with the reader learning a few Hebrew words along the way.

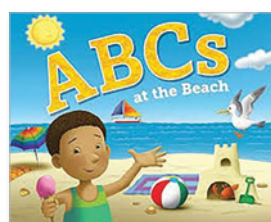
**BISAC:** JUVENILE FICTION / Religious / Jewish (JUV033020)

### ALSO AVAILABLE IN PAPERBACK



ISBN: 9781541542457

RRP: \$14.95



## ABCs at the Beach

ABC Adventures

RRP: \$32.95 (Picture book)

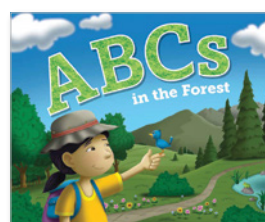
ISBN: 9781634408813



**Author:** Jennifer Marino Walters, Illustrated by Nathan Y. Jarvis | **Release Date:** 1/07/20  
**Publisher:** Red Chair Press | **Format:** Hardback  
**Pages:** 32 | **Size:** 25.4 x 20.32 cm

**DESCRIPTION:** Come along to the beach. How many letters of the alphabet can you find in the sand and sun? Remember your sunscreen!

**BISAC:** JUVENILE FICTION / Concepts / Alphabet (JUV009010)



## ABCs in the Forest

ABC Adventures

RRP: \$32.95 (Picture book)

ISBN: 9781634408912



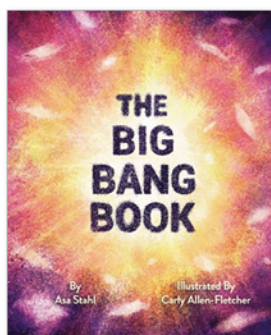
**Author:** Jennifer Marino Walters, Illustrated by Nathan Y. Jarvis | **Release Date:** 1/07/20  
**Publisher:** Red Chair Press | **Format:** Hardback  
**Pages:** 32 | **Size:** 25.4 x 20.32 cm

**DESCRIPTION:** Do you like to take a walk in nature? The forest is a great place to find all the letters of the alphabet. Be sure to look high and low!

**BISAC:** JUVENILE FICTION / Concepts / Alphabet (JUV009010)

### ALSO AVAILABLE IN ABCs Adventures

TITLE	ISBN
ABCs at the Haunted House (HB - \$32.95)	9781634408769
ABCs on Skis (HB - \$32.95)	9781634408868



## The Big Bang Book

RRP: \$34.95 (Picture book)

**Author:** Asa Stahl, Illustrated by Carly Allen-Fletcher | **Release Date:** 1/07/20

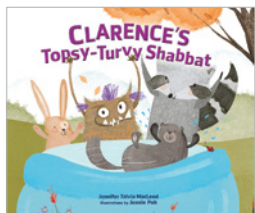
**Publisher:** Creston Books | **Format:** Hardback | **Pages:** 32 | **Size:** 21.6 x 27.3 cm

**DESCRIPTION:** Describing the birth of the universe in a compelling, accessible way, the astrophysicist author presents a picture book Carl Sagan would love, introducing the wonder of our pale blue dot to the youngest readers.

**BISAC:** JUVENILE NONFICTION / Science & Nature / Astronomy (JNF051040)

ISBN: 9781939547644





## Clarence's Topsy-Turvy Shabbat

RRP: \$32.95 (Picture book)

**Author:** Jennifer Tzivia MacLeod, Illustrated by Jennie Poh

**Release Date:** 1/07/20 | **Publisher:** Kar-Ben Publishing

**Format:** Paperback | **Pages:** 24 | **Size:** 26.99 x 22.54 cm

ISBN: 9781541542426



**DESCRIPTION:** Clarence's special Shabbat challah recipe calls for flour, oil, honey, yeast and water, and his neighbors eagerly await their loaves. But instead he gathers a silly assortment of things. How will he bake his challah?

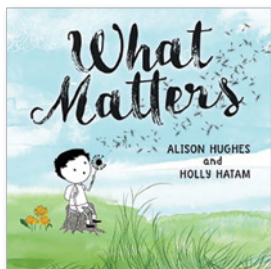
**BISAC:** JUVENILE FICTION / Religious / Jewish (JUV033020)

**ALSO AVAILABLE IN PAPERBACK**



ISBN: 9781541542433

RRP: \$14.95



## What Matters

RRP: \$21.95 (Picture book)

**Author:** Alison Hughes, Illustrated by Holly Hatam

**Release Date:** 1/7/20 | **Publisher:** Orca Book Publishers

**Format:** Paperback | **Pages:** 32 | **Size:** 25.4 x 20.32 cm

ISBN: 9781459826410



**DESCRIPTION:** What happens when one small boy picks up one small piece of litter? He doesn't know it, but his tiny act has big consequences. From the miniscule to the universal, What Matters sensitively explores nature's connections and traces the ripple effects of one child's good deed to show how we can all make a big difference.

**BISAC:** JUVENILE FICTION / Recycling & Green Living (JUV063000)

**ALSO AVAILABLE IN HARDBACK**



ISBN: 9781459809109

RRP: \$26.95

Release date: 2016



## Genius Jolene

*Orca Echoes*

RRP: \$14.95 (Junior)

**Author:** Sara Cassidy, Illustrated by Charlene Chua

**Release Date:** 1/07/20 | **Publisher:** Orca Book Publishers

**Format:** Paperback | **Pages:** 112 | **Size:** 13.34 x 19.37 cm

ISBN: 9781459825291



**DESCRIPTION:** On her annual trip in her father's 18-wheeler, eight-year-old Jolene is headed to Los Angeles on a six-day road trip to deliver some newsprint with her dad. Just like last year, they tell each other stories and listen to music. They also keep up their favorite tradition: critiquing one type of food at every stop. This time it's onion rings. But this year is also different. Unlike last year, Jolene's parents are no longer together. They split up when her father came out as gay. These are big changes for Jolene, but she is spunky and smart and has a good heart. She's ready for new adventures and to stand up for what's right—both on and off the road.

**BISAC:** JUVENILE FICTION / Family / Alternative Family (JUV013090)





## Tales from the Fringes of Fear

**RRP: \$21.95 (Junior)**

**Author:** Jeff Szpirglas, **Illustrated by** Steven P. Hughes

**Release Date:** 1/07/20 | **Publisher:** Orca Book Publishers

**Format:** Paperback | **Pages:** 192 | **Size:** 13.97 x 20.96 cm

ISBN: 9781459824584



**ALSO AVAILABLE**



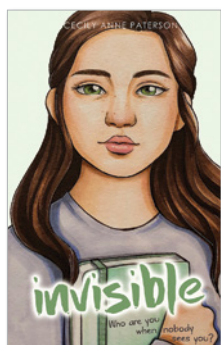
## Tales from Beyond the Brain

**RRP: \$21.95**

ISBN: 9781459820791



**DESCRIPTION:** Most kids don't have to stress about things like exotic insects with a taste for human flesh when they go to class. But students at this school have to be ever vigilant. You never know when a supernatural pastry or a clay monster bent on revenge might be lurking just around the corner. Even a simple field trip to a local animal sanctuary can have ssserious consequences. Dragged fresh from the grave and pulled out of the haunted corners of a school locker, these thirteen new stories are a nod to the storytelling style of *Tales from the Crypt* and *The Twilight Zone*. They are guaranteed to make you laugh like a hyena, shake your head in wonder or tremble with fear. A companion volume to *Tales from Beyond the Brain*. **BISAC:** JUVENILE FICTION / Horror (JUV018000)



## Invisible

*Invisible Series # 1*

**RRP: \$17.50 (Young Adult)**

**Author:** Cecily Anne Paterson | **Date:** 1/07/20 | **Publisher:** Firewheel Press

**Format:** Paperback | **Edition:** 2nd | **Pages:** 264 | **Size:** 12.9 x 19.8 cm



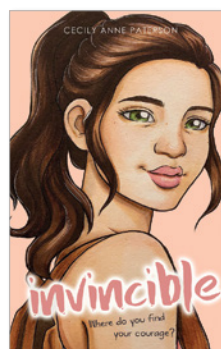
ISBN: 9780648805212



**DESCRIPTION:** Jazmine Crawford doesn't make decisions. She doesn't make choices. She doesn't make friends. Jazmine only wants one thing: to be invisible. It's a lot easier to take out her hearing aid and drift along pretending that nothing's wrong than it is to

admit that she's heartbroken. When bad girl Shalini and her mates adopt Jazmine, she quickly finds herself involved in more than she can handle. Sitting in disgrace in the principal's office, Jazmine is offered a choice: help drama teacher Miss Fraser in the upcoming production of *The Secret Garden* or face a four week suspension. It's Miss Fraser who clinches the decision. "I believe in you Jazmine," she says. "I know you can do this." And Jazmine, terrified, disbelieving and elated all at the same time, joins the play. But will Jazmine be confident enough to stand up for herself against Shalini? Will Liam still like her if he finds out who she really is? And does she have the strength to face the truth about what really happened to her dad?

*Invisible* is a novel for brave-hearted girls. Clean and inspiring, but also sensitively tackling real issues and feelings, this novel has all of the feels. If you love a good cry, or cheering on a female character who finds her voice and her spark, this is the right book for you. **BISAC:** Girls & Women (YAF022000)



## Invincible

*Invisible Series # 2*

**RRP: \$17.50 (Young Adult)**

**Author:** Cecily Anne Paterson | **Date:** 1/07/20 | **Publisher:** Firewheel Press

**Format:** Paperback | **Edition:** 2nd | **Pages:** 256 | **Size:** 12.9 x 19.8 cm



ISBN: 9780648805229



**DESCRIPTION:** Finally, everything is going right for 13 year-old Jazmine Crawford. After years of being invisible, she's making friends, talking to her mum and hanging out with Liam. But what happens when everyone around her changes? Will getting back in touch

with her grandma help her cope or just make things worse? And who's going to finally give arrogant Angela what she deserves? *Invincible* is a story for braveheart girls aged 11-14 about friendship, family, love and courage. **BISAC:** YOUNG ADULT FICTION / Girls & Women (YAF022000)



## Being Jazmine

*Invisible Series # 3*

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RRP: \$17.50 (Young Adult)

ISBN: 9780648805236



Author: Cecily Anne Paterson

Date: 1/07/20 | Edition: 2nd

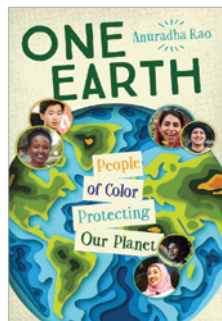
Format: Paperback | Size: 12.9 x 19.8 cm

Publisher: Firewheel Press | Pages: 256

**DESCRIPTION:** Jazmine's deaf. And she's getting tired. Tired of having to try hard, tired of fitting in, tired of pretending to be like everyone else. When Jaz goes to deaf camp, a new world opens up to her. But when you leave one world and enter another, what happens to the people you leave behind? Which world will Jaz live in? Can she keep a foot in both? How will she figure out the best way to be Jazmine?

**REVIEW:** "Jazmine and her new friends are deaf but this is not a book about deafness. With a wonderful garden metaphor that resonates throughout the series, *Being Jazmine* offers believable characters and an unpredictable plot that would be perfect to add to any reading list. The series tackles teen relationships, mean girls, family secrets, fitting in, identity, and characters finding themselves." Dr Sharon Pajka, English Professor, Gallaudet University, Washington DC

**BISAC:** YOUNG ADULT FICTION / Girls & Women (YAF022000)



## One Earth: People of Color Protecting Our Planet

RRP: \$42.95 (Junior Nonfiction)

ISBN: 9781459818866



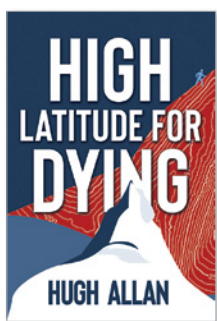
Author: Anuradha Rao | Release Date: 1/07/20 |

Publisher: Orca Book Publishers

Format: Paperback | Pages: 208 | Size: 15.24 x 21.59 cm

**DESCRIPTION:** *One Earth* profiles Black, Indigenous and People of Color who live and work as environmental defenders. Through their individual stories, the book shows that the intersection of environment and ethnicity is an asset to achieving environmental goals. The twenty short biographies introduce readers to diverse activists from all around the world, who are of all ages and ethnicities. From saving ancient trees on the West Coast of Canada, to protecting the Irrawaddy dolphins of India, to uncovering racial inequalities in the food system in the United States, these environmental heroes are celebrated by author and biologist Anuradha Rao, who outlines how they went from being kids who cared about the environment to community leaders in their field. *One Earth* is full of environmental role models waiting to be found.

**BISAC:** YOUNG ADULT NONFICTION / Biography & Autobiography / Social Activists (YAN006120)



## High Latitude for Dying

RRP: \$28.95 (General)

AU

ISBN: 9780648733584



Author: Hugh Allan | Release Date: 15/7/20 | Publisher: Shawline Publishing Group

Format: Paperback | Pages: 250 | Size: 15.24 x 22.86 cm

**DESCRIPTION:** Tanya learns that the Russian has teamed up with Chechen terrorists led by a renegade Argentine Naval officer, who has a growing contempt for the British reign. Their Mission - to find a vessel loaded with munitions that had been hijacked by Argentine renegades during the Falklands War; and then the ship and the renegades who stole it vanished somewhere near the Antarctic Peninsula with no trace or clue. To find the munitions is the priority for the terrorists and nothing will stop them from delivering their justice onto the global political powers. Aided by her brother, sister-in-law and an Australian Antarctic expert, Tanya pursues the Russian criminal half way around the world to face her attacker at the Antarctic Peninsula. Her small band of supporters follow the terrorists' trail, unaware of the potential threat looming over the world; one of absolute destruction if the terrorists succeed in their cause. Her personal mission is vengeance on the Russian but what she may actually find is an unplanned, and unexpected, chance to save the world. But her small team may be no match for the Russian and his new allies, who are hellbent on the objective ahead and hold no tolerance for a woman's bittersweet revenge...

**BISAC:** FICTION / Action & Adventure (FIC002000)



# INFORMATION BOOKS



## Orcas of the Salish Sea

RRP: \$34.95 (Nonfiction Picture Book)

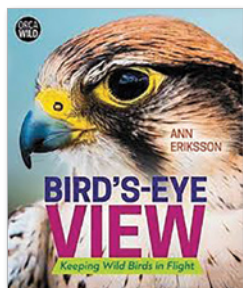
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**Author:** Mark Leiren-Young | **Release Date:** 1/07/20 | **Publisher:** Orca Books  
**Format:** Hardback | **Pages:** 32 | **Size:** 27.31 x 22.23 cm

**DESCRIPTION:** Meet Onyx and the orcas of J pod, the world's most famous whales. Illustrated with stunning photos, this picture book introduces young readers to the orcas humans first fell in love with. The members of J pod live in the Salish Sea, off the coast of Washington and British Columbia. Moby Doll was the first orca ever displayed in captivity, Granny was the oldest orca known to humanity, and Scarlet was the orca humans fought to save.

**BISAC:** JUVENILE NONFICTION / Animals / Marine Life (JNF003150)



## Bird's Eye View: Keeping Wild Birds in Flight

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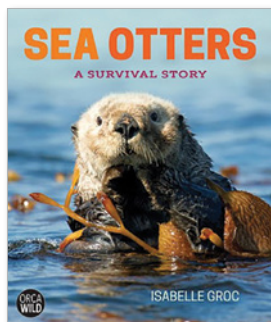
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**Author:** Ann Eriksson | **Release Date:** 1/07/20 | **Publisher:** Orca Book Publishers  
**Format:** Hardback | **Pages:** 144 | **Size:** 19.05 x 22.86 cm

**DESCRIPTION:** Wild birds are everywhere, from the dry deserts to the icy poles. We see them soaring overhead, paddling across water, flitting through trees, pecking at the ground or our backyard bird feeders and singing from fence posts. Birds contribute to the health of the planet and provide pleasure for millions of people, but wild birds are in trouble. Today, almost 200 bird species are critically endangered. They are threatened by habitat loss, invasive species, climate change, pesticides, plastics in the environment, human-made structures and other animals. Bird's Eye View looks at why wild birds are important, why they need help and what young people all over the world are doing and can do to give wild birds a boost.

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## Sea Otters: A Survival Story

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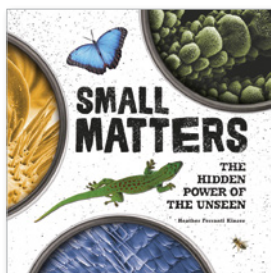
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**Author:** Isabelle Groc, Foreword by Judi Dench | **Release Date:** 1/07/20  
**Publisher:** Orca Books | **Format:** HB | **Pages:** 128 | **Size:** 19.05 x 22.86 cm

**DESCRIPTION:** Sea otters once ruled the Pacific Ocean, but the fur trade of the eighteenth and nineteenth centuries brought this predator to near extinction. Today they're slowly coming back from the brink, and scientists are learning more about their pivotal role as one of nature's keystone species. This book looks at the history, biology, behavior and uncertain future of sea otters. Author and photojournalist Isabelle Groc takes us into the field: watching sea otter rafts off the British Columbia coast from a kayak, exploring what makes their fur coats so special, understanding how their voracious appetites are helping kelp forests thrive and, ultimately, learning how sea otters are leaving their mark (or paws) on every part of the ecosystem. They might be one of the most adorable creatures in the ocean, but kids will discover how their survival is key to a rich, complex and connected ecosystem.

**BISAC:** JUVENILE NONFICTION / Animals / Endangered (JNF003270)



## Small Matters: The Hidden Power of the Unseen

RRP: \$49.95 (*Junior Nonfiction*)

**Author:** Heather Ferranti Kinser

**Release Date:** 1/07/20 | **Publisher:** Millbrook Press

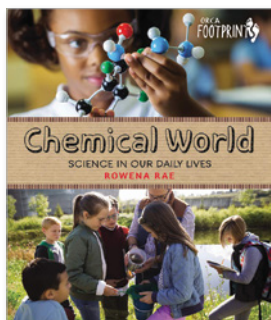
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**DESCRIPTION:** Can something small matter at all? Of course! Take a look through a powerful microscope to see the tiny details that make a big difference to creatures such as butterflies, sharks, house cats, and more.

**BISAC:** JUVENILE NONFICTION / Science & Nature (JNF051000)



## Chemical World: Science in Our Daily Lives

RRP: \$34.95 (*Orca Footprints*)

**Author:** Rowena Rae | **Release Date:** 1/07/20 | **Publisher:** Orca Book Publishers

**Format:** Hardback | **Pages:** 48 | **Size:** 20.32 x 24.13 cm

ISBN: 9781459821576



**DESCRIPTION:** *Chemical World: Science in Our Daily Lives* explores some of the materials—all of which are made of basic chemical elements—that humans use or come into contact with in their day-to-day lives. Some of these chemicals are naturally occurring—clay, mercury, lead. Others have been synthesized by chemists during the past 150 years and used in a bewildering array of products ranging from roof shingles to toothpaste. Many chemical inventions, as well as naturally produced chemicals, have had profound effects on food supply, developing medicines and creating hosts of useful items for modern life. Despite people using both natural and synthetic chemicals with (mainly) good intentions, some chemicals have had unintended negative consequences. Chemical residues have contaminated ecosystems the world over and are compromising the health of many ecosystems, animals and humans. The goal of *Chemical World: Science in our Daily Lives* is to introduce readers to basic chemistry and chemical history, and to show how chemicals are used for particular reasons but sometimes turn out to be harmful to environmental and human health. It invites readers to take a look at the world around them and ask questions about what's in their environment and how the things they use and eat every day can affect their own health and the planet's health.

**BISAC:** JUVENILE NONFICTION / Science & Nature / Environmental Conservation & Protection (JNF037020)

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**Author:** Rebecca E. Hirsch | **Publisher:** Lerner Publications

**Format:** Paperback | **Release Date:** 1/07/20

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**DESCRIPTION:** Dive into this delicious exploration of a truly flawless food—lasagna! Traditional lasagna, dessert lasagna, and even a breakfast lasagna are included with step-by-step instructions and fun asides and commentary from Garfield, Odie, and friends.

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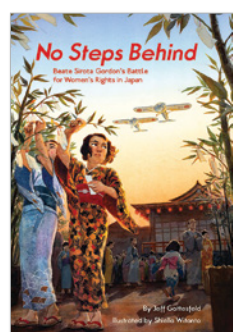
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**Author:** Jeff Gottesfeld, Illustrated by Shiella Witanto

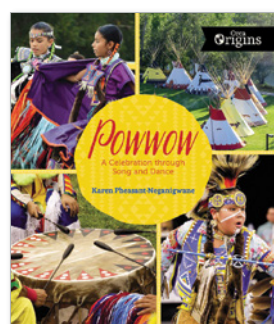
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**Format:** Hardback | **Pages:** 44 | **Size:** 21.59 x 27.94 cm

**DESCRIPTION:** Beate Sirota Gordon came to Japan as a young girl, learning its language and traditions. She loved her adopted country and when the extraordinary opportunity arose to help with Japan's new constitution, she dared to do the unthinkable—write a clause guaranteeing women equal rights.

**BISAC:** JUVENILE NONFICTION / Biography & Autobiography / Historical (JNF007020)

ISBN: 9781939547552



## Powwow: A Celebration through Song and Dance

RRP: \$42.95 (*Junior Nonfiction*)

**Author:** Karen Pheasant-Neganigwane

**Release Date:** 1/07/20 | **Publisher:** Orca Book Publishers

**Format:** Hardback | **Pages:** 88 | **Size:** 19.05 x 22.86 cm

**DESCRIPTION:** *Powwow* is a celebration of Indigenous song and dance. It's a journey through the history of powwow culture in North America, from its origins in colonization, the Indian Act and the Wild West shows of the late 1800s to the thriving powwow culture of today. As a lifelong competitive powwow dancer, Karen Pheasant-Neganigwane is a guide to the protocols, regalia, songs, dances and even food you can find at powwows from coast to coast, as well as the important role they play in Indigenous culture and reconciliation.

**BISAC:** JUVENILE NONFICTION / People & Places / Canada / Native Canadian (JNF038120)

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