

THE PIGEON HAS TO GO TO SCHOOL!

by Mo Willems

Disney-Hyperion Books, Fall 2019

Why does The Pigeon have to go to school? He already knows everything! And what if he doesn't like it? What if the teacher doesn't like him? What if he learns TOO MUCH!?!

Ask not for whom the school bell rings; it rings for The Pigeon!



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The Squirrels are BACK!

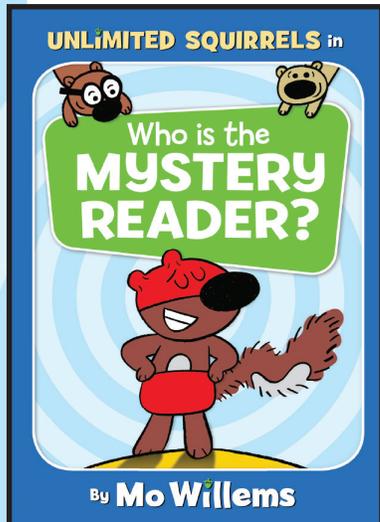
“PRESCHOOLERS’ NEWEST OBSESSION STARTS HERE. HOARD IT LIKE ACORNS.” –BOOKLIST

UNLIMITED SQUIRRELS #2: WHO IS THE MYSTERY READER? by Mo Willems

Disney-Hyperion Books, Fall 2019

From Mo Willems, creator of the revolutionary, award-winning, best-selling Elephant & Piggie books, comes this breakout beginning-reader series. An ensemble cast of Squirrels, Acorns, and pop-in guests hosts a page-turning extravaganza. Each book features a funny, furry adventure AND bonus jokes, quirky quizzes, nutty facts, and so, so many Squirrels!

In *Who is the Mystery Reader?*, Zoom Squirrel tries out a new superpower with help from a mysterious Mystery Reader. But will the Squirrel pals ever find out who the real Mystery Reader is? Do you know more about reading than the Squirrels do? You will by the end of this book!

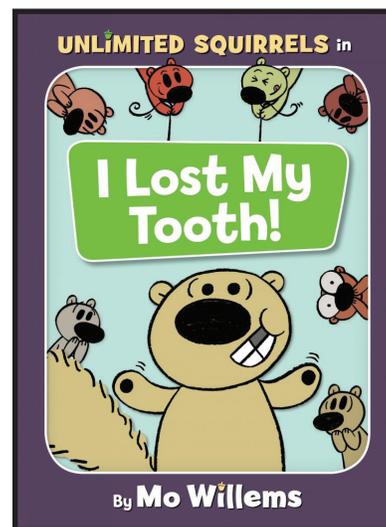


UNLIMITED SQUIRRELS #1: I LOST MY TOOTH! ★★ by Mo Willems

STARRED REVIEWS FROM BOOKLIST AND SLJ

Disney-Hyperion Books, Fall 2018

In *I Lost My Tooth!*, Zoom Squirrel has lost a front tooth! The Squirrels leap into action when they discover the missing tooth is a baby tooth! Do you know more about teeth than the Squirrels do? You will by the end of this book!



NEW TITLES FROM AUTHOR-ILLUSTRATOR LITA JUDGE



**MARY'S MONSTER:
LOVE, MADNESS,
AND HOW MARY
SHELLEY CREATED
FRANKENSTEIN**
by Lita Judge ★

STARRED REVIEW FROM SLJ
Roaring Brook Press, Winter 2018,
320 pages

ON THE 2019 KATE GREENAWAY MEDAL
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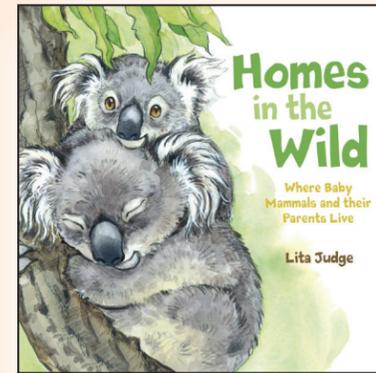
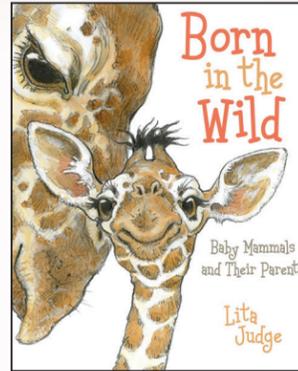
BORN IN THE WILD by
Lita Judge ★★★

STARRED REVIEWS FROM KIRKUS,
PW, AND SLJ

Roaring Brook Press, Fall 2014

What do grizzly bear cubs eat? Where do baby raccoons sleep? How does a baby otter learn to swim? Filled with illustrations of the most adorable babies in the kingdom, this *awww*-inspiring book looks at the traits that all baby mammals share, proving that even though they're born in the wild, they're not so very different from us after all!

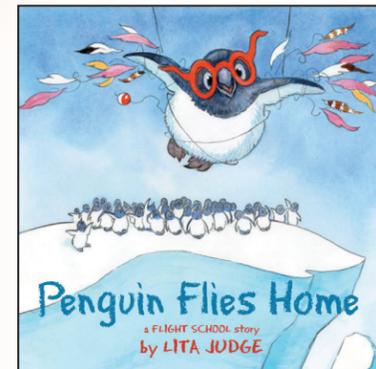
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HOMES IN THE WILD by Lita Judge

Roaring Brook Press, Spring 2019

Every baby mammal has a home, somewhere safe where they can eat, sleep, learn, and stay safe as they grow. Some of these homes are simple, and some are much more complex. In this adorably illustrated nonfiction picture book, author-illustrator Lita Judge takes readers along to investigate the intricacies of baby animals' homes and families, from deep underground to high in the trees.



PENGUIN FLIES HOME by Lita Judge

Atheneum Books for Young Readers, Spring 2019

Penguin loves everything about flying: the wind beneath his wings, the song that rises from his belly, and the sight of new and wonderful places.

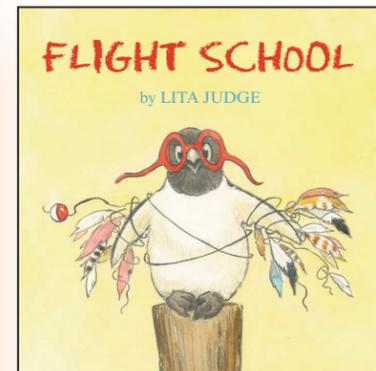
Still, he misses his penguin friends back in Antarctica. So he flips and flaps back home, ready to teach them the magic of flight! But when he arrives, he doesn't get quite the reaction he expected. Will Penguin's friends still like him, even if they don't share his soaring dreams?

WINGBEATS by Lita Judge

Atheneum Books for Young Readers, Spring 2020

On a day when you feel like no one is listening, and you wish you could just disappear, shut your eyes and listen. Do you hear it? That isn't your heart. That is the sound of your very own wings beating within.

Acclaimed author-illustrator Lita Judge takes readers on a wonder-filled exploration of a child's imagination, thoughtfully weaving in a gentle suggestion of how to explore that bountiful inner world and let it help you shine with courage in the real one.



FLIGHT SCHOOL by Lita Judge ★★

STARRED REVIEWS FROM BCCB AND SLJ

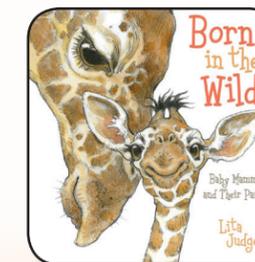
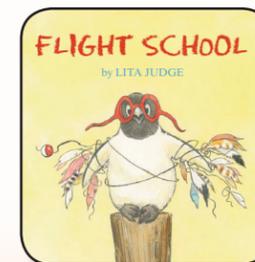
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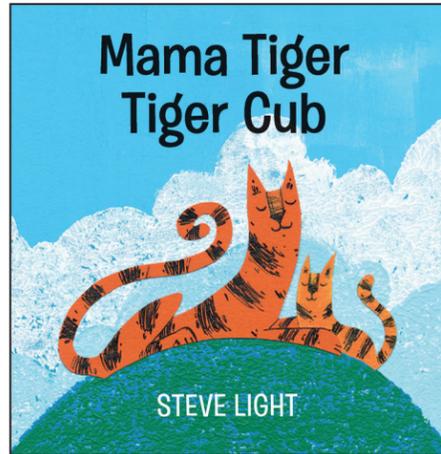
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**FLIGHT SCHOOL: THE MUSICAL PREMIERED IN
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NEW BOARD BOOK EDITIONS!





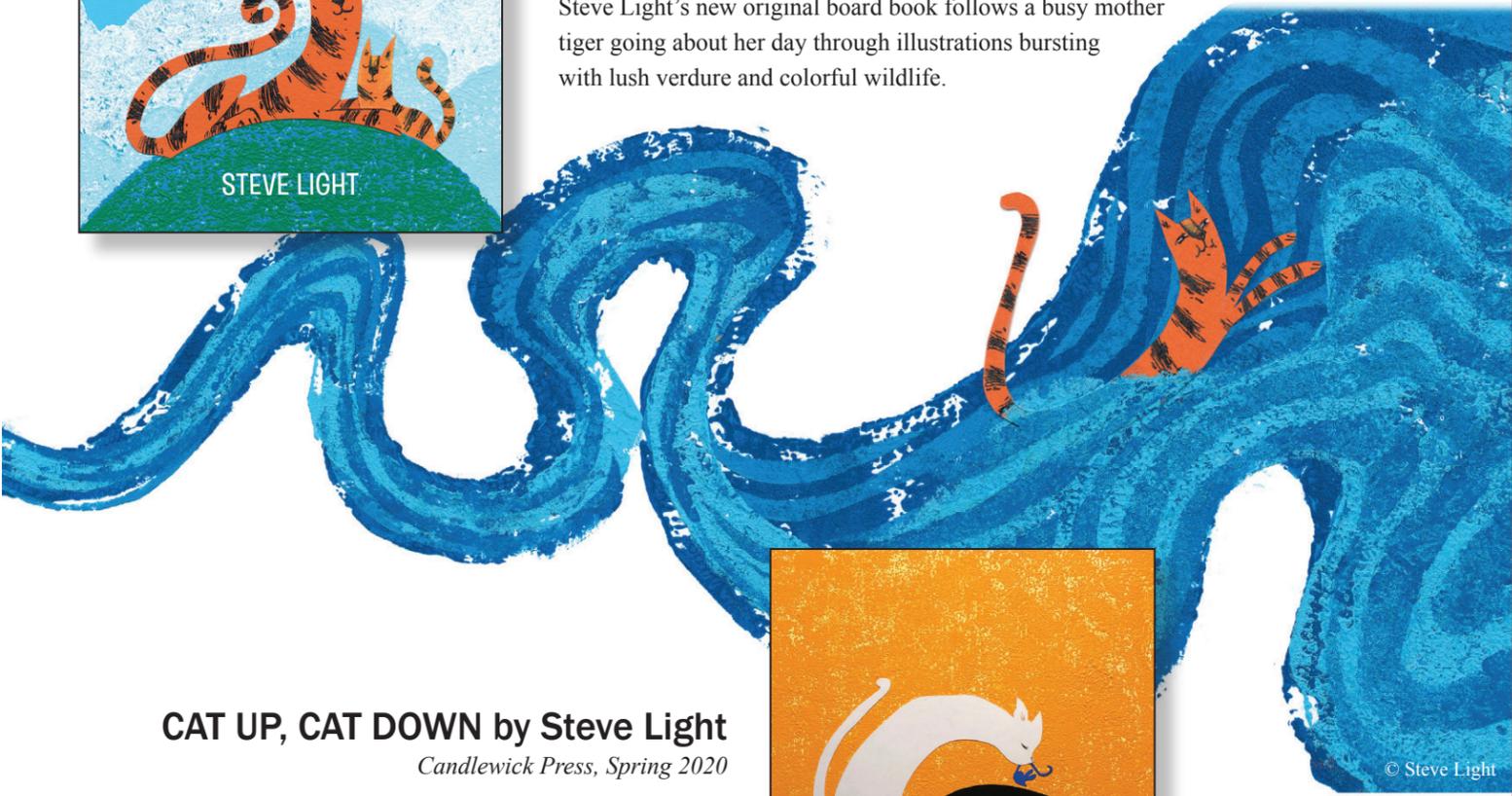
MAMA TIGER, TIGER CUB by Steve Light

Candlewick Press, Spring 2019

Up the zigzag river, past a slippery fish, beside the fragrant flowers . . .

What is Mama Tiger looking for?

Steve Light's new original board book follows a busy mother tiger going about her day through illustrations bursting with lush verdure and colorful wildlife.



© Steve Light

CAT UP, CAT DOWN by Steve Light

Candlewick Press, Spring 2020

In Steve Light's third original board book, a black cat and a white cat seem to be quite opposites, but are they? Children can follow the journey toward the answer through a tiny blue toy mouse that appears divided between them in each of the vibrant spreads of rich oranges, purples, and greens until the gentle, satisfying end.



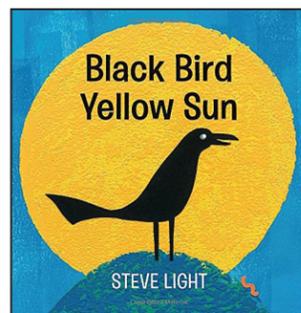
© Steve Light

BLACK BIRD, YELLOW SUN by Steve Light ★★

STARRED REVIEW FROM KIRKUS AND SLJ

Candlewick Press, Spring 2018

As a black bird wings its way through the day, little ones are treated to a magnificent flight from one vibrant color to another. Children can journey with the graceful black bird and its tiny worm friend past orange leaves, green grass, gray rocks, pink flowers, and more before resting beneath a brilliant blue moon. Inimitable illustrator Steve Light showcases a new style in this board book for the youngest readers.



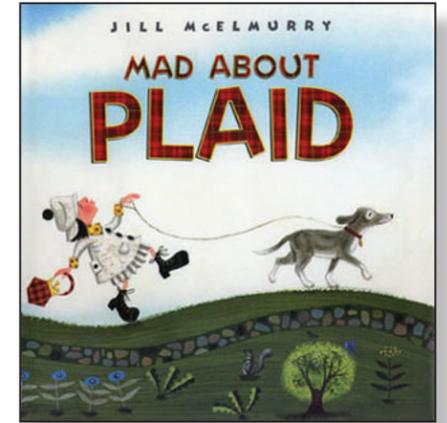
MAD ABOUT PLAID by Jill McElmurry

Houghton Mifflin Harcourt, Spring 2020

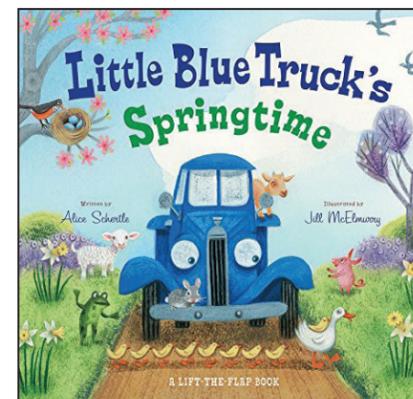
THE LONG-AWAITED REISSUE OF MCELMURRY'S CRITICALLY ACCLAIMED DEBUT

Madison Pratt is delighted to find a lonely plaid purse in the park one afternoon. Then the purse's mad curse causes Madison—and her whole neighborhood—to turn plaid! Will Madison's spunk and optimism help reverse the curse before it's too late?

Filled with vivid colors and rich textures that enhance the story's humor, Jill McElmurry's first picture book is just as bright and creative as her irresistible heroine.



SERIES SALES OVER 5 MILLION COPIES!



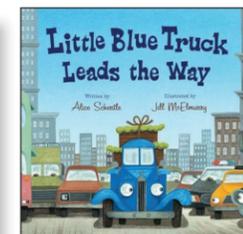
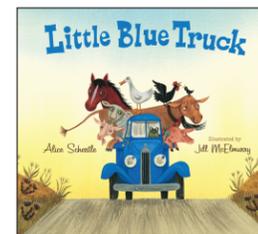
LITTLE BLUE TRUCK'S SPRINGTIME by Alice Schertle, illustrated by Jill McElmurry

Houghton Mifflin Harcourt, Winter 2018

Celebrate the beauty of springtime with Little Blue Truck! Young fans will love finding all sorts of baby animals beneath the flaps in this delightful novelty board book. *Beep! Beep! Peep!*

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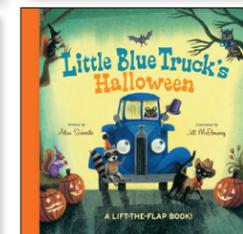
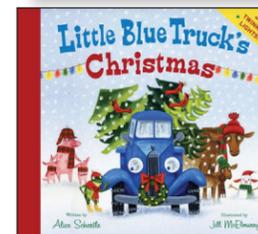


LITTLE BLUE TRUCK

Houghton Mifflin Harcourt, Fall 2008

LITTLE BLUE TRUCK LEADS THE WAY

Houghton Mifflin Harcourt, Fall 2009



LITTLE BLUE TRUCK'S CHRISTMAS

Houghton Mifflin Harcourt, Fall 2014

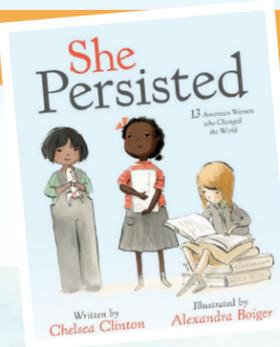
ONE OF PW'S TOP 20 BEST-SELLERS!

LITTLE BLUE TRUCK'S HALLOWEEN

Houghton Mifflin Harcourt, Fall 2016

WITH TWINKLE LIGHTS!

A LIFT-THE-FLAP BOOK



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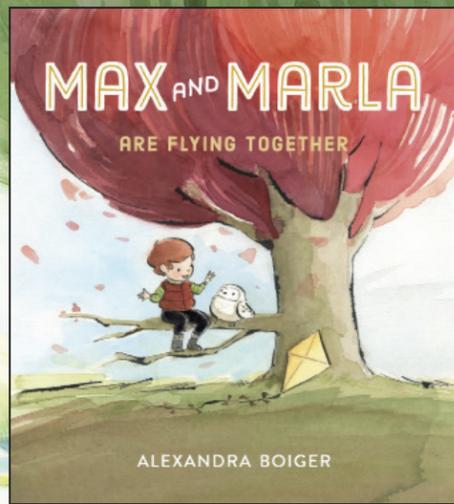
STARRED REVIEW FROM PUBLISHERS WEEKLY ★
OVER HALF A YEAR ON THE NEW YORK TIMES BEST-SELLER LIST!

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MAX AND MARLA ARE FLYING TOGETHER by Alexandra Boiger

Philomel Books, Fall 2019

Max and Marla do everything together. So when Max makes a kite and wants to go fly it, he can't understand why Marla doesn't want to join! And when an autumn wind makes a mess in their yard, Marla finds a perfect pile of leaves to hide away in. Little does she know that she can't avoid the kite forever! All she needs is the courage to believe in herself. In this heartwarming tale of flying and fun, Max and Marla learn that the best way to face your fears is to have a best friend at your side.



PICTURE BOOKS ABOUT LOVE AND FAMILY

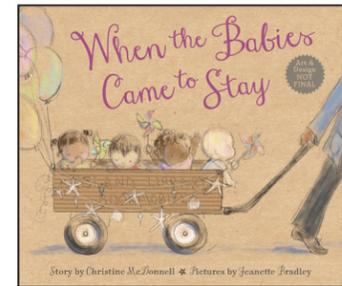
WHEN THE BABIES CAME TO STAY by Christine McDonnell, illustrated by Jeanette Bradley

Viking Children's Books, Spring 2020

The first baby arrived on the mail plane, the second two on the ferry, the fourth on a pile of nets. Who were the babies? Where did they come from? Only the librarian can take them home, and the library is where they grow up.

The fisherman teaches them to cast from the pier, the ferryman shows them charts of the sea, and from the harbormaster they learn to recognize birds. Soon the whole island is raising the babies, of which no two look alike. This charming, lighthearted fairytale contains a message of acceptance particularly significant for our time.

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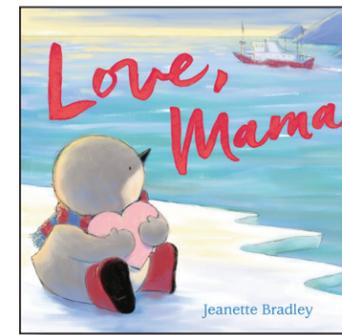
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LOVE, MAMA by Jeanette Bradley

Roaring Brook Press, Winter 2018

When Mama goes on a trip, Kipling knows she'll return, yet can't help but miss her. After all, Pillow Mama won't read, Picture Mama won't laugh, and Snow Mama is too cold to cuddle. But when Kipling receives a special delivery from Mama, he knows that no matter where she is, he is always loved.

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A STONE FOR SASCHA by Aaron Becker ★★ ★

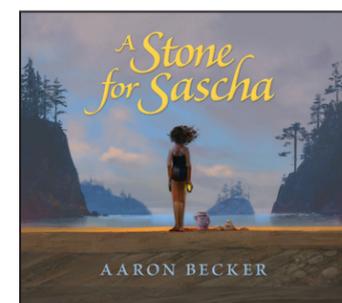
STARRED REVIEWS FROM KIRKUS, PW, AND SLJ

Candlewick Press, Spring 2018

This year's summer vacation will be very different for a young girl and her family without Sascha, the beloved family dog, along for the ride. But a wistful walk along the beach to gather cool, polished stones becomes a brilliant turning point in the girl's grief. There, at the edge of a vast ocean beneath an infinite sky, she uncovers a profound and joyous truth.

ON THE 2019 KATE GREENAWAY MEDAL LONGLIST!

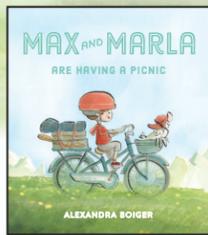
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MAX AND MARLA by Alexandra Boiger

Philomel Books, Fall 2015

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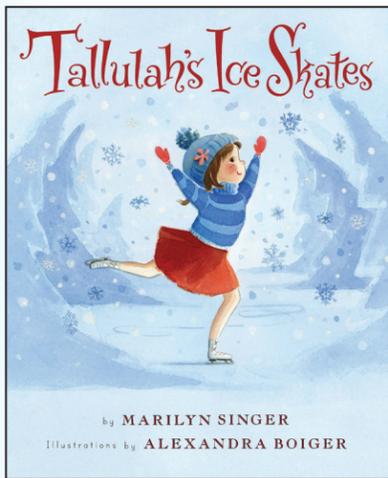


MAX AND MARLA ARE HAVING A PICNIC by Alexandra Boiger

Philomel Books, Spring 2018

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MAX AND MARLA #4 ARRIVING IN 2020



TALLULAH'S ICE SKATES by Marilyn Singer Illustrated by Alexandra Boiger

Clarion Books, Fall 2018

Tallulah is an accomplished ballerina, but she also loves to skate. After all, skating's a lot like ballet—challenging, graceful, and glamorous. Tallulah is positive that with some hard work, she and her friend Kacie will be just as good on the ice as they are at dance, until an encounter with a talented boy ends with an embarrassing mishap.

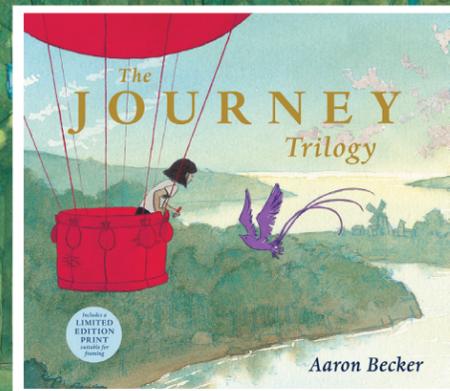
Tallulah slowly begins to realize that sometimes having fun is more important than being the best, a needed message for today's goal-oriented, busy kids.

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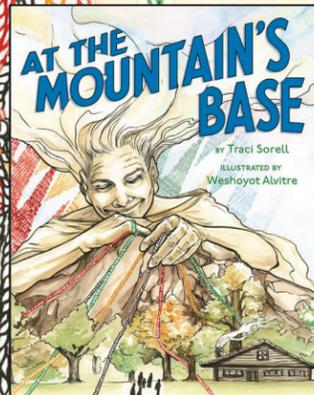


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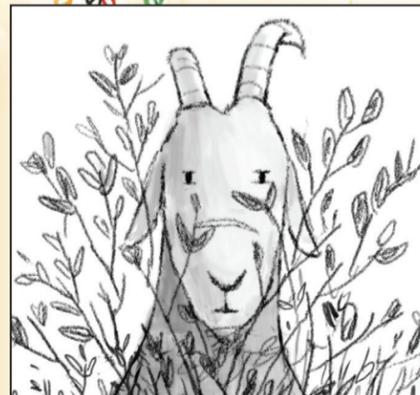
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AT THE MOUNTAIN'S BASE by Traci Sorell
Illustrated by Weshoyot Alvitre

Kokila, Fall 2019

At the mountain's base sits a cabin under an old hickory tree. And in that cabin lives a Cherokee family—loving, weaving, cooking, and singing. The strength in their song sustains them through trials on the ground and in the sky as they wait for their loved one, a pilot, to return home. With moving poetry and breathtaking art, this is a story that reveals the roots that ground us, the dreams that help us soar, and the people and traditions that hold us up.

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THIS WAY, CHARLIE by Caron Levis
Illustrated by Charles Santoso

Abrams Books for Young Readers, Spring 2020

All the animals at the Open Bud Ranch can see Jack likes keeping his space to himself—all, that is, except Charlie. When Charlie arrives, he doesn't see Jack at all. In fact, he can only see out of one of his eyes.

While Jack begins to act as Charlie's eyes, Charlie provides Jack with the calm and kindness he's been missing. Slowly, they see that they can't make blindness, or the past, or even scary thunderstorms disappear—but they can be there for each other, because that's what friends are for.

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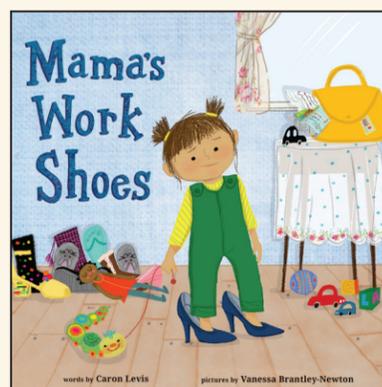
MAMA'S WORK SHOES by Caron Levis
Illustrated by Vanessa Brantley-Newton

Abrams Books for Young Readers, Fall 2019

Perry knows all about Mama's shoes. The *swish-swush* slippers are for cuddle time, the *zip-zup* sneakers are for play time, and no shoes are needed for bath time! But one morning, Mama puts on an unfamiliar pair of *click-clack* shoes that are for taking Mama to work—and away from Perry all day.

In this tender story about a parent's return to the workforce, Perry discovers the joys of just-socks days with Nan and the importance of her own new job: greeting Mama, whose go-to-work shoes also bring her home every evening—*clickety-clack* fast!

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words by Caron Levis pictures by Vanessa Brantley-Newton



VAMPIRINA IN THE SNOW
by Anne Marie Pace
Illustrated by LeUyen Pham

Disney-Hyperion Books, Fall 2018

Get ready for a monster storm! Vampirina and her clan are determined to suck as much fun as they can from a host of wintry activities. From sledding to snow angels, there's so much to do on this hauntingly beautiful night—and it's not complete until Vampirina tests her ballet skills on the ice! This cozy snow day tale and its enchanting cast of characters will warm your spirits.



© LeUyen Pham



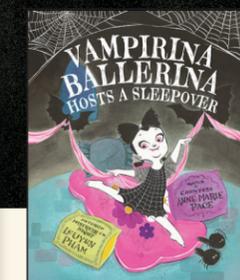
VAMPIRINA AT THE BEACH
by Anne Marie Pace
Illustrated by LeUyen Pham

Disney-Hyperion Books, Spring 2017

When the summer moon is full, a beach trip is an epic way to spend the night! With her signature poise, Vampirina and her clan gear up for a festive time at the beach. Keeping her ballet lessons in mind, Vampirina demi-pliés on a surfboard, leaps for a volleyball, and finishes each competition with style, even if she doesn't always come out on top.

AND DON'T FORGET
**VAMPIRINA
BALLERINA
#1 AND #2!**

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WHERE LILY ISN'T by Julie Paschkis
Illustrated by Margaret Chodos-Irvine

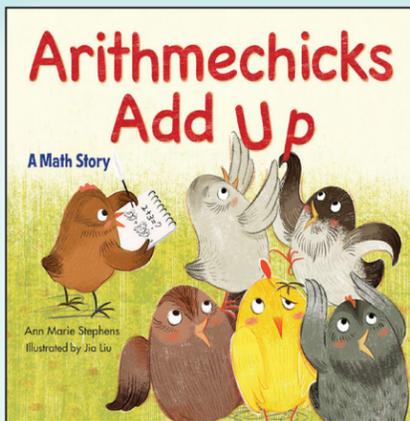
Henry Holt Books for Young Readers, Winter 2020

Lily ran and jumped and barked . . . Wiggled, wagged, licked, and snuggled. Until now. Now there seem to be only places that Lily isn't. But for all the places that Lily isn't, she is and will always be inside the hearts of those who loved her.

The loss of a beloved pet is simply and beautifully captured through absence both in text and pictures of this poignant story.



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ARITHMECHICKS ADD UP by Anne Marie Stephens

Illustrated by Jia Liu

Boyd's Mills Press, Fall 2019

As the Arithmechicks slide down the slide, swing on the swings, and play hide-and-seek, they don't realize that a lonely mouse is copying them, longing to join in. However, when their basketball becomes stuck, the chicks discover that a two-inch-tall new friend is exactly what they need. In this heartwarming story, there are many ways to add up ten cheerful chicks, but a new friend is what makes them cheer.

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COMING FALL 2020: ARITHMECHICKS TAKE AWAY

THURGOOD by Jonah Winter

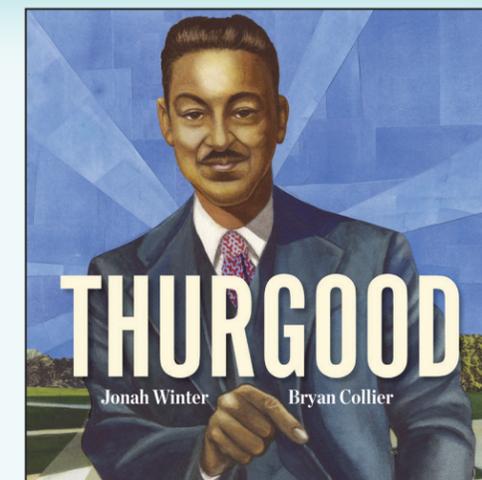
Illustrated by Bryan Collier

Schwartz & Wade, Fall 2019

Thurgood Marshall was a born lawyer—the loudest talker, funniest joke-teller, and best arguer even when he was a kid growing up in Baltimore in the early 1900s. He would go on to become a one-man weapon against the discriminatory laws against black Americans, winning numerous cases before the Supreme Court, including *Brown v. Board of Education*, and eventually becoming the first black U.S. Supreme Court Justice in history.

Like its subject, here is a biography that crackles with energy and intensity—a great introduction to a great man.

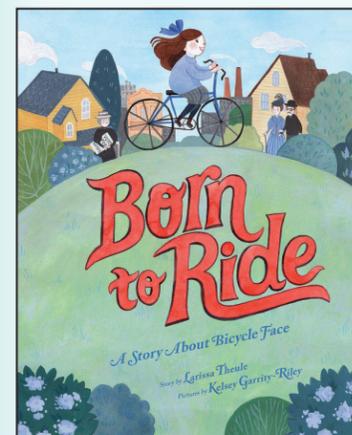
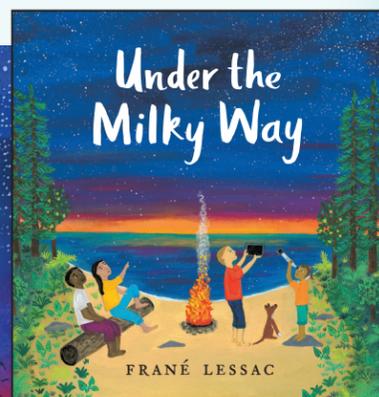
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UNDER THE MILKY WAY by Frané Lessac

Candlewick Press, Winter 2020

This celebratory picture book from Frané Lessac shines a light on beloved nighttime traditions under the starry skies of North America. Beneath a blanket of stars, crowds cheer at Little League games, campers share fireside stories, bull-riders hold on tight, and sled dogs race through falling snow—all under the Milky Way. Vivid artwork, engaging verses, and facts about the United States and Canada will captivate readers of all ages in a joyful offering from Frané Lessac.



BORN TO RIDE by Larissa Theule

Illustrated by Kelsey Garrity Riley

Abrams Books for Young Readers, Spring 2019

Louise Belinda Bellflower lives in Rochester, New York, in 1896 and spends her days playing with her brother, Joe. But Joe gets to ride a bicycle, and Louise Belinda doesn't. In fact, Joe issues a solemn warning: If girls ride bikes, their faces will get so scrunched up, eyes bulging from the effort of balancing, that they'll get stuck that way FOREVER! Appalled by this nonsense, Louise Belinda strikes out to discover the truth about this so-called "bicycle face."

Set against the backdrop of the women's suffrage movement, *Born to Ride* is the story of one girl's courageous quest to prove that she can do everything the boys can do, while capturing the universal freedom and accomplishment children experience when riding a bike.

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YOGI by Barb Rosenstock

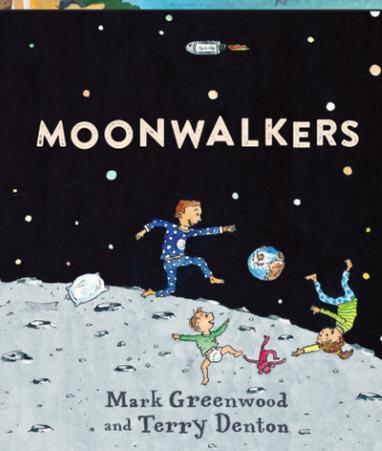
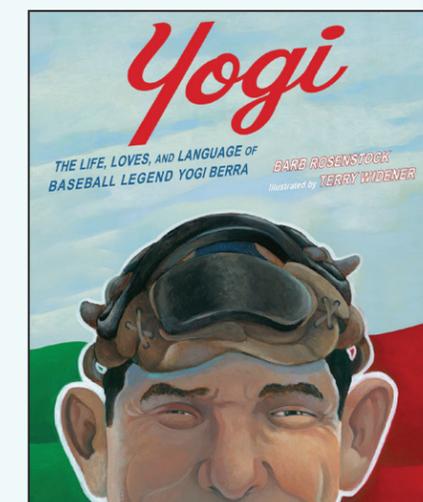
Illustrated by Terry Widener

Boyd's Mills Press, Fall 2019

Yogi was crazy for baseball, but baseball didn't love him back. He was different. He didn't have the right look. When he finally made it to the major leagues, he faced pranks and harassment from players, sportswriters, and fans. Their words hurt, but they made Yogi determined to show all that he could do.

The life and famous words, such as "it ain't over till it's over," of Major League Baseball player and New York Yankee Lawrence "Yogi" Berra are explored in this nonfiction picture book, celebrating this American icon who earned a World Series ring for each finger and made baseball love him back.

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MOONWALKERS by Mark Greenwood

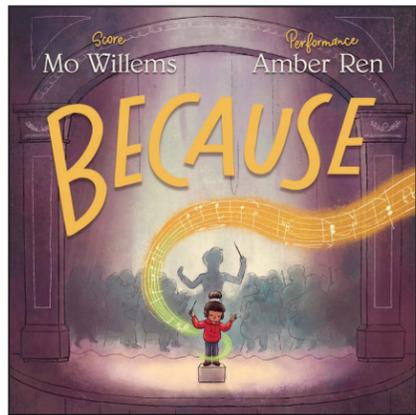
Illustrated by Terry Denton

Penguin Australia, Spring 2019

Dream astronaut dreams, and celebrate Australia's role in one of humanity's greatest achievements, the moon landing of 1969. *Moonwalkers* is a joyous story of imagination and play—the greatest bedtime story ever told.

When Apollo 11 blasts off for the moon, the whole world is watching. On the other side of the planet, Billy, Mickey, and Buzz decide to be astronauts too.

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BECAUSE by Mo Willems, illustrated by Amber Ren ★★

STARRED REVIEWS FROM BOOKLIST AND PW

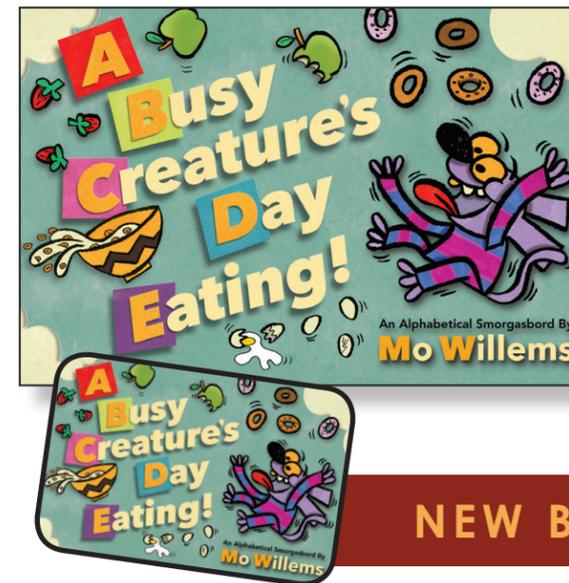
Disney-Hyperion Books, Spring 2019

BECAUSE . . . an unexpected note can change a life.

Mo Willems, a number-one *New York Times* best-selling author and illustrator, composes a powerful symphony of chance, discovery, persistence, and magic in this moving tale of a young girl's journey to center stage. Illustrator Amber Ren brings the author's music to life, conducting a stunning picture book debut.

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A BUSY CREATURE'S DAY EATING ★★★
by Mo Willems

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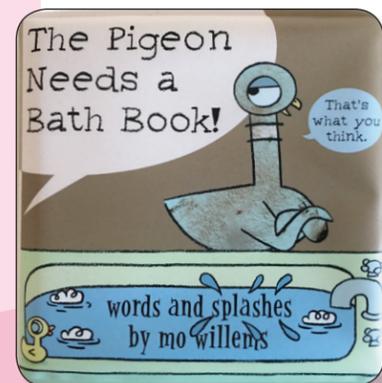
Disney-Hyperion Books, Spring 2018

Apples! Berries! Cereal! Is there anything this Busy Creature can't crunch? Mo Willems tells an alphabetical tale of hunger, hubris, regret, and redemption as a Busy Creature hilariously chomps and chews its way from A to P and then to Z.

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STELLA DÍAZ HAS SOMETHING TO SAY ★

by Angela Dominguez

STARRED REVIEW FROM SCHOOL LIBRARY JOURNAL

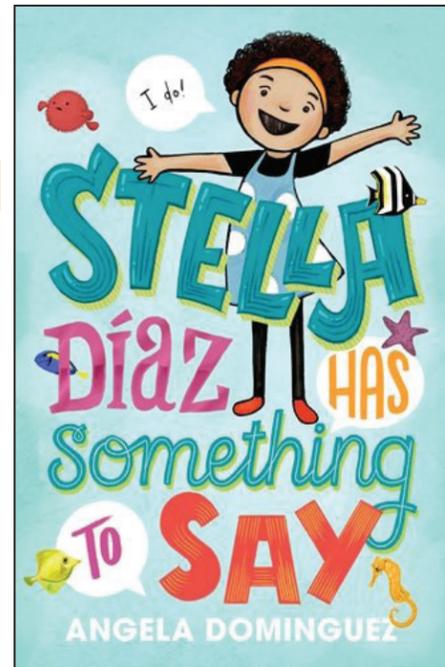
WINNER OF THE 2019 SID FLEISCHMAN HUMOR AWARD

Roaring Brook Press, Winter 2018, 208 pages

Stella Díaz loves marine animals, especially her betta fish, Pancho. But Stella Díaz is not a betta fish. Betta fish like to be alone, while Stella loves spending time with her mom and brother and her best friend, Jenny. Trouble is, Jenny is in another class this year, and Stella feels very lonely.

When a new boy arrives in Stella’s class, she really wants to be his friend, but sometimes Stella accidentally speaks Spanish instead of English and pronounces words wrong, which makes her turn *roja*. Plus, she has to speak in front of her whole class for a big presentation at school! But she better get over her fears soon, because Stella Díaz has something to say!

Stella Díaz Has Something to Say introduces an infectiously charming new character, with relatable writing and adorable black-and-white art throughout. Simple Spanish vocabulary is also integrated within the text, providing a bilingual element.



COMING IN 2020: STELLA DÍAZ HAS SOMETHING TO DO

**MONSTER AND BOY by Hannah Barnaby
Illustrated by Anoosha Syed**

Godwin Books, Fall 2020, 120 pages

There once was a monster who loved a boy.

The monster had never met the boy because monsters are nocturnal and boys (well, most boys) are not. But he knew the sound of the boy’s voice, and he loved that sound. He knew the smell of the boy’s dirty socks, and he loved that smell. He knew the sight of the boy’s slippers by the side of the bed, waiting for the boy’s feet, and he loved those slippers and those feet.

Monsters don’t know much about love. Or maybe they do.

From award-winning author Hannah Barnaby comes a new three-book series about mischief and love, proving that friendship can flourish between the unlikeliest of pairs.

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SEQUEL COMING SPRING 2020: NEVER FEAR, MEENA’S HERE

MEENA MEETS HER MATCH by Karla Manternach

Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers, Spring 2019, 160 pages

Nine-year-old Meena is a creative dynamo, turning trash into art and always making sure she has all the colors of the rainbow with her—on her body, in her food, and even permanent-markered into her hair.

But now Meena is a mess. Her former best friend Sofia is constantly clipping up on the classroom behavior chart while Meena is stuck at “Think About Your Choices,” her presidential portrait is a scribbly nightmare, and worst of all, Meena’s body has started misbehaving—her arms and legs don’t always work right, and her head sometimes goes hazy and dizzy.

Then Meena has a seizure one morning and wakes up in the hospital, with an X-ray showing a strange, fuzzy white spot on her skull. Now she can’t even work on her homework without her parents hovering or collect the school lunch tickets without an escort (Ms. Perfect Sofia, of course). What if Meena never clips up on the behavior chart? What if Sofia’s Valentine box is better than hers? And what if that fuzzy white spot is . . . something?



BLUE SKIES by Anne Bustard

Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers, Spring 2020, 192 pages

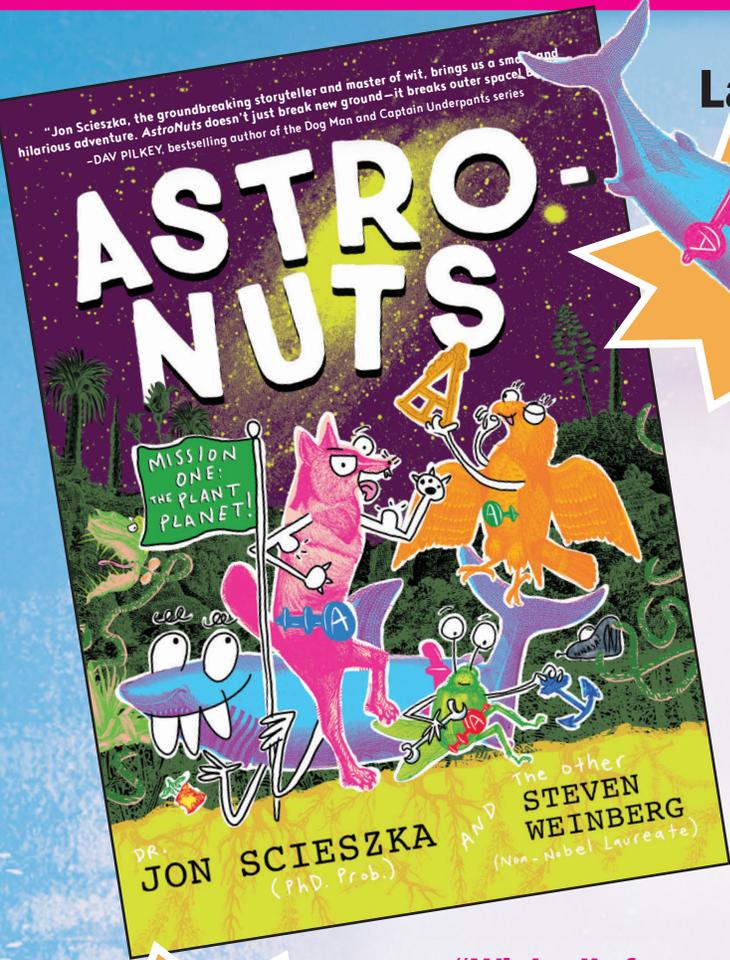
Glory Bea Bennett knows that miracles happen in Gladiola, Texas, population 3,421. After all, her grandmother—the best matchmaker in the whole county—is responsible for thirty-nine of them.

But now, Glory Bea needs a miracle of her own.

The war ended three years ago, but Glory Bea’s father never returned home from the front in France. Glory Bea understands what Mama and Grams and Grandpa say—that Daddy died a hero on Omaha Beach—but deep down in her heart, she believes that Daddy is still out there.

But miracles, like people, are always changing, until at last they find their way home.

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ASTRONUTS MISSION ONE: THE PLANT PLANET by Jon Scieszka Illustrated by Steven Weinberg

Chronicle Books, Fall 2019, 220 pages

This laugh-out-loud, visually groundbreaking read launches a major new series by children’s literature legend Jon Scieszka. Featuring full-color illustrations throughout, a spectacular gatefold, plus how-to-draw pages in the back, it’s an outer space adventure that demonstrates a giant leap for bookmaking and a giant leap for any kid looking for their next go-to series.

AstroWolf, LaserShark, SmartHawk, and StinkBug are animals that have been hybridized to find other planets for humans to live on once we’ve ruined Earth. So off they rocket to the Plant Planet! Will that planet support human life? Or do Plant Planet’s inhabitants have a more sinister plan?

AstroNuts Mission One is a can’t-put-it-down page-turner for reluctant readers and fans ready to blast past *Wimpy Kid*.

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