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DAHLIAS
A Little Book of Flowers

Tara Austen Weaver; Illustrated by Emily Poole

Perfect for flower lovers, these little giftable love letters to dahlias and peonies are bursting with tips, tricks, facts, and beautiful illustrations. These charming little hardcover books includes 60+ full-color botanical illustrations, tips for creating beautiful arrangements and preserving flowers, notable gardens and growers, and more, making them the perfect hostess or Mother’s Day gift.

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PEONIES
A Little Book of Flowers

TARA AUSTEN WEAVER is an award-winning writer, editor, and avid gardener. She is author of several books, including Orchard House (finalist for the 2016 Washington State Book Awards) and Growing Berries and Fruit Trees in the Pacific Northwest. She is trained as a Permaculture Designer, Master Gardener, and Master Composter/Soil Builder.

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EMILY POOLE is the illustrator of BirdNote: Chirps, Quirks, and Stories of 100 Birds from the Popular Radio Show. She has created work for the Teton Raptor Center, World Wildlife Fund Guyana, and the National Museum of Wildlife Art. She lives in Oregon.

FIRE & WINE
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Mary Cressler and Sean Martin

Wood-fired food and well-chosen wines come together in perfect harmony in this book that’s sure to appeal to BBQ and wine enthusiasts alike.

Pit master Sean Martin and sommelier Mary Cressler explore the world of wood-fired smoking and grilling, and include not only meats and fish but vegetarian dishes and wines. They highlight the ingredients and flavors of the Pacific Northwest to create a fresh, lighter take on smoking and grilling. But they put their spin on the classics too—brisket, ribs, steaks, pulled pork—and offer up wine pairings to complete your meal. Master the fundamentals to successful grilling and smoking, and discover the secret sauce—and the wine—that will take your grilling to the next level. Seventy-five recipes (and the wines that love them!) include Grilled Cedar Plank Brie and Strawberry Balsamic Glaze, Merlot Spritzed Beef Brisket, Perfect Smoked Salmon Fillet with Beurre Blanc, and more.

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Mary Cressler and Sean Martin’s blog Vindulge received an IACP nomination for Best Recipe-Based Blog in 2017. In 2016, their website won Best Original Photography from the Wine Blog Awards, as well as a nomination for Best Overall Wine Blog. Mary is a certified sommelier, recipe developer, and food writer with credits in Wine Enthusiast, Serious Eats, and Weber.com. Mary and Sean founded Ember and Vine, an award-winning catering and events firm specializing in wood-fired cooking.

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Jackie Freeman

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Up your sandwich game with tempting vegan and vegetarian fillings that are paired with a variety of breads and other essentials to excite your taste buds—from open-faced crostini, bruschetta, and tartine recipes to burritos, paninis, and wraps. There’s also a section devoted to making your own sides like Cashew Ricotta, Vegan Mayonnaise, and Homemade Tapenade.

Recipes include the likes of:
• The Elevated Grilled Cheese
• Kimchi Quesadilla
• King Mushroom Po’ Boys
• Black-Eyed Pea Sloppy Joes
• and more!

SHELLFISH
50 Seafood Recipes for Shrimp, Crab, Mussels, Clams, Oysters, Scallops, and Lobster
Cynthia Nims

These 50 delicious and approachable shellfish recipes—which includes shrimp, crab, scallops, oysters, clams, mussels, and lobster—are perfect for busy home cooks who want to create satisfying dishes and who also may be new to cooking with shellfish.

Arranged by shellfish type, this collection of recipes from Deviled Eggs with Crab and Wasabi to Harissa-Roasted Shrimp, Carrots and Radishes to Cornmeal-Fried Oysters with Pickled Pepper-Tartar Sauce incorporate varieties enjoyed around the country, including everyone’s favorite: shrimp! Additionally, each chapter includes helpful tips and information about each species, including seasonality, sustainability, shopping for shellfish, as well as storing and handling. You’ll find recipes for dinners and appetizers, as well as soups and salads. Written in a friendly voice, these 50 simple, nourishing recipes will have even novices feeling confident cooking shellfish in the kitchen.
TINY SPACE GARDENING
Growing Vegetables, Fruits, and Herbs in Small Outdoor Spaces

Amy Pennington

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AMY PENNINGTON is the author of Urban Pantry, Apples, Fresh Pantry, and Salad Days. Pennington was named one of Bon Appétit’s Tasteemakers and Seattle magazine’s fifty most powerful players in Seattle’s food scene. She has been featured in the Wall Street Journal, the Huffington Post, Clean Eating, GOOP, and Apartment Therapy. She runs GoGo Green Garden, an urban farming service specializing in organic edible gardens for homes and businesses.

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“A favorite cookbook author, Amy Pennington has written an incredibly handy manual full of information on how to grow plants in small spaces. The book is full of wonderful tips, recipes and information on all the best things to grow in your home.”
—GOOP

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Year-Round Adventures in the Olympics and West Cascades

Nancy Blakey

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• Activities for green and snow season, including hikes, backpacking trips, winter skiing, snowboarding, snowshoeing, and more, coded with handy icons (accessible, near campground, bird-watching, wow factor, dogs allowed, etc.)
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**Rena Priest; Illustrated by Jake Stoumbos**

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**SEABURY BLAIR JR.** is a retired columnist and outdoors editor for the Kitsap Sun newspaper and has written numerous hiking guides, including those in both the Day Hike! and Creaky Knees series. He is a hard-core backcountry skier and hiker, and lives near Spokane, Washington, with his wife, Marlene, who is a graphic artist and mapmaker.

**ONLINE:** @sasquatchbooks
QUEER CONCEPTION
The Complete Fertility Guide for Queer and Trans Parents-to-Be
Kristin Kali

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—TONI WESCHLER, MPH
author of Taking Charge of Your Fertility

Finally, queer prospective parents will find sound advice for navigating complex medical, social, and financial decisions. Trusted fertility midwife Kristin Kali walks prospective parents through the baby-making process and covers creating a timeline; fertile health for every body; preconception tests; identifying ovulation; donors; gamete banks, and surrogacy; methods of insemination including IUI, IVF, and reciprocal IVF; navigating early pregnancy; and preparing for infant feeding, including lactation induction for trans women and nonnatal parents. This first-of-its-kind resource also contains sidebars with guidance for reproductive healthcare professionals.

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HOW TO RAISE A FEMINIST SON
A Memoir and Manifesto
Sonora Jha; Contributions by Ijeoma Oluo

From teaching consent to countering problematic messages from the media, well-meaning family, and the culture at large, this empowering book offers much-needed insight and actionable advice. It’s also a beautifully written and deeply personal story of struggling, failing, and eventually succeeding at raising a feminist son. Informed by the author’s work as a professor of journalism specializing in social justice movements and social media, as well as by conversations with psychologists, experts, and other parents and boys, it follows one mother’s journey to raise a feminist son as a single immigrant woman of color in America. Sonora Jha shows us all how to be better teachers of the next generation of men in this electrifying tour de force.

Includes reading group guide with discussion questions and interview with New York Times-bestselling author Ijeoma Oluo.
ART FROM MINDFUL SKETCHING
BY PEGGY DEAN

SPRUCE BOOKS
A Sasquatch Books Imprint
MINDFUL SKETCHING
How to Develop a Drawing Practice and Embrace the Art of Imperfection
Peggy Dean

Embrace imperfection and express your own unique creativity by learning how to stay in the moment as you draw with this how-to guide to mindful sketching by beloved art teacher and bestselling author Peggy Dean.

Combine the mental health benefits of mindfulness with the joy of sketching. This illustrated book walks you through the basics of staying present while you draw—and teaches you how to enjoy your work without self-criticism. Includes instruction on materials, techniques, and working with different subject matter and locations; plus offers step-by-step exercises to guide you through the learning process, and fun sketching prompts. Learn how to stay in the moment while you’re working, draw what you see around you, and embrace the results: the mental state of calmness, flow, and nonjudgmental self-expression that is mindfulness.

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Sammy Nickalls

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Maiysha Kai

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Sue didn’t really plan to stay in Seattle for her whole career, but the team was always good. She was growing in a city that believed in her. Her teammates trusted her completely. With Sue as the heart of the Seattle Storm, the team became a force to be reckoned with in the WNBA.

Her success and reputation grew far and wide. She accomplished her dream of going to the Olympics five times.

During off-seasons, she delighted in playing overseas for Russia in an international league. She circled the world, speaking and coaching at youth camps, clinics, and schools—thrilled to be the role model she once wished she’d had growing up.

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LARRY GETS LOST IN THE USA ACTIVITY BOOK

John Skewes; Created by Birdhouse Kids Media; Text by Eric Ode; Designed by Edouard Sitbon

Larry, Pete, and his parents are going on a coast-to-coast summer road trip and all young Larry Gets Lost fans are invited! A companion to the bestselling Larry Gets Lost series, Larry and Pete return in this entertaining activity book that includes more than 50 puzzles and activities covering every region of the United States.

In this narrative-driven activity book, children can engage in a variety of original and classic activities and get rewarded for their accomplishments with local memorabilia stickers that they collect along the way. These little moments of achievement build their confidence as they learn about America’s geography, history, and culture with the characters they love.

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Larry Gets Lost in Seattle 978-1-63217-092-7 | $17.99

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Larry Gets Lost in Portland 978-1-57061-679-2 | $17.99

THE BIRDERS

An Unexpected Encounter in the Northwest Woods

Rob Albanese

This humorous picture book with graphic-novel elements shares an unexpected friendship between a young boy and his older neighbor as they discover they have a lot to learn from each other.

As an elderly man wonders if his days of adventure are behind him, across the street a young boy is struggling with boredom. Everything changes when they run into each other outside and, after a bit of commotion, get caught up in the pursuit to document an elusive snowy owl in the woods behind their houses.

As the day unfolds, they get to know each other better and realize they each have something to teach the other; their friendship starts to grow. The Birders is a humorous and heartwarming intergenerational story.
I DON’T HAVE A CAT
I DON’T HAVE A DOG

Contessa Hileman; Illustrated by Carolyn Conahan

Two entertaining stories about new friends, a young boy and a sweet and cuddly cat, and a celebration of the relationship between a young girl and her four-legged best friend.

In these great read aloud picture books, our protagonists insist they don’t have a cat or a dog but rather a homework helper, an alarm clock, and a paper shredder. Filled with delightful illustrations, these charming and creative stories explore all the reasons why we love our pets so much.

WHO LIVES NEAR A GLACIER?

Alaska Animals in the Wild

Susi Gregg Fowler; Illustrated by Jim Fowler

A gorgeously illustrated ode to the Alaska animals that live and play in an environment that features some of the region’s most impressive, natural, and constantly changing landscapes.

Whether towering high above the water’s surface or spreading out as a massive ice field in an open plain, glaciers slowly shape the environments and ecosystems that they move through. And while the size, scale, and temperatures may seem extreme, there is a vibrant community of wildlife living in and around these massive flows of ice. Through poignant poems paired with informative facts about each animal, Who Lives near a Glacier? celebrates the creatures that not only survive but thrive among the shifting landscape. From enormous whales swimming alongside ice walls rising out of the ocean to the tiniest of ice worms that make their homes inside glaciers, readers will learn about a variety of local wildlife and enjoy beautiful full-page illustrations.