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- Reading is Fundamental (SoCal)
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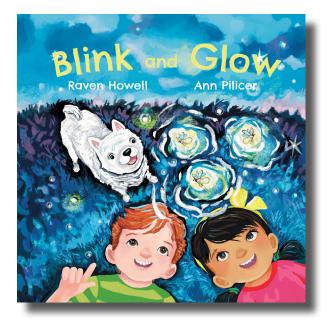
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## Blink and Glow (Available for PRE-ORDER)

Written by Raven Howell Illustrated by Ann Pilicer

## Summary



ISBN: 978-1-7382193-3-9 MSRP: \$21.99 CAD / \$18.99 US Binding: Hardcover Pub Date: July 15, 2024 Book Size: 8.5 x 8.5 Pages: 32

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Lilly and Leo think it's super to catch fireflies and salamanders – and even more exciting as they plan to bring their glowing nature finds to show and tell the next day.

That is, until Grandma's words of wisdom, guiding the children to observe the free-flying luna moth, teaches them respect for the freedom and light of the beautiful natural life surrounding them.

Blink and Glow is a unique story with a gentle, thought-provoking message about considerations towards freedom and respect for nature.

#### Reader's Favorite 5-Star Review:

"No School, My Rules! by Stephanie Henson, takes the real-life challenges that young students face and helps them to see the benefits they will reap by staying in school. Highly recommended."



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**BISAC:** JUV029010

Age Group: 4-7

**Themes:** -Respecting Nature -Arts and Crafts -Environmental Stewardship

## Illustrations



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**JUVENILE FIC-**

## No School, My Rules! (Available for PRE-ORDER)

Written by Stephanie Henson Illustrated by Mai Tran

## Summary



ISBN: 978-1-7382193-1-5 MSRP: \$21.99 CAD / \$18.99 US Binding: Hardcover Pub Date: Aug 2024 Book Size: 8.5 x 8.5 Pages: 44 "No School, My Rules!" is an imaginative and engaging story that takes readers on a delightful journey through the eyes of a child who questions the need for school. With playful comparisons to the effortless lives of birds, sandcastles, and even trees, this tale humorously explores the idea of a world without school.

As the child contemplates the freedom of these entities, she ultimately discovers the deeper significance of education. This charming narrative not only captivates with its creativity but also imparts a meaningful lesson about the importance of school in shaping a confident and independent future.

#### Reader's Favorite 5-Star Review:

"No School, My Rules! by Stephanie Henson, takes the real-life challenges that young students face and helps them to see the benefits they will reap by staying in school. Highly recommended."



**BISAC:** JUV035000 JUVENILE FIC-TION / School & Education

Age Group: 4-7

#### Themes:

-School Refusal -Anxiety -Imagination and Play



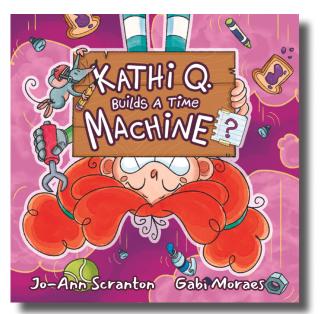


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## Kathi Q. Builds a Time Machine?

Written by Jo-Ann Scranton Illustrated by Gabi Moraes

## Summary



ISBN: 978-1-7380138-9-0 MSRP: \$19.99 CAD / 14.99 US Binding: Hardcover Pub Date: Feb 2024 Book Size: 8.5 x 8.5 Pages: 44 Kathi loves to tinker and make new machines, but what happens when she tries to make a TIME MACHINE? Things get a little... Upside down! A one-of-a-kind fiction story with STEM-related themes, brilliant illustrations, and an ending that will leave readers of all ages wanting more of Kathi Q!

This story also has representation for children with disabilities (specifically, amputees).

#### Reader's Favorite 5-Star Review:

"The incorporation of science, technology, engineering, and math themes adds an educational element to the story, making it an excellent choice for those interested in these fields. The author seamlessly blends humor and creativity. The search and find activity is interactive and a source of fun for family and friends."

**BISAC:** JUV036020 - JUVENILE FIC-TION / Technology / Inventions

#### Age Group: 4-7

#### Themes:

- -Engineering
- -Children with Disabilities
- -Technology
- -Inventions
- -Humour





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## Isaac and the Boulder

Written by Jo-Ann Scranton Illustrated by Mai Tran

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Mai Tran

ISBN: 978-1-7380138-8-3 MSRP (CAD): \$11.99 Binding: Paperback Pub Date: Dec 2023 Book Size: 8.5 x 8.5 Pages: 40

Jo-Ann Scranton

## Summary

A new-age story of grit and perseverance, with a wild twist ending.

One day, Isaac was walking to the beach, but a boulder was blocking his way! Well-intentioned, Isaac tries to set things right and help the boulder return home... if he can!

ISAAC AND THE BOULDER is a warm-hearted, vibrantly illustrated children's picture book highlighting the importance of determination and never giving up. This book is more than a story; it's an invitation to embrace challenges and celebrate the journey, whether big or small.

#### 5-Star Amazon Review:

"My kids don't often sit still for stories(2 & 4) but they were both sucked into Isaac from start to finish. They were on the edge of their seats waiting to see if Isaac would conquer the boulder in his path, then the end broke the tension and they both laughed and repeated what happened. I love when something is silly and it translates for the kids without explanation."

**BISAC:** JUV032170 - JUVENILE FIC-TION / Sports & Recreation / Camping **IIIUSTRATIONS** & Outdoor Activities

#### Age Group: 4-7

#### Themes:

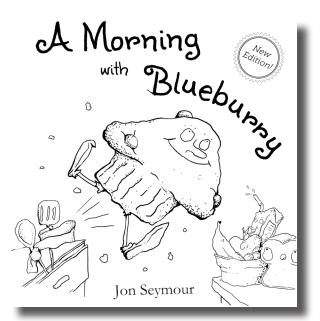
-Perseverance -Grit and Tenacity -Imagination and Play -Humour



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## A Morning With Blueburry

Written by Jon Seymour Illustrated by Jon Seymour



ISBN: 978-1-7382193-3-9 MSRP (CAD): \$12.99 Binding: Paperback Pub Date: Nov 2023 Book Size: 8.5 x 8.5 Pages: 44

## Summary

This monochrome children's story begins as a muffin named Blueburry takes a stroll on the kitchen counter looking for a tasty treat for breakfast. A bowl of icing would be perfect, but it's on a table that's some "one thousand muffin-meters away." Blueburry's thwarted efforts to reach the table include an unfortunate balloon incident, a rope made of soggy spaghetti, and a too-powerful slingshot crafted from kitchen tools. Encouraged by his kitchen counter friends—a bowl of fruit, a loaf of bread, and a juice box—Blueburry "hike[s] up his muffin liner," keeps trying, and turns failure into unexpected success.

#### Kirkus Recommended Reviews:

Illustrations

"Young children will undoubtedly get a kick out of how thoroughly Blueburry appreciates the finale to his dilemma. Still, readers will find that a clear message of peer support and self-confidence comes through. "—Kirkus Verdict: "**GET IT**"

**BISAC:** JUV050000 - JUVENILE FIC-TION / Cooking & Food

Age Group: 4-7

#### Themes:

#### -Food

- -Tenacity
- -Monochrome Illustrations
- -Adventures



He walked past a bowl of fruit.



Blueburry let go of the slingshot at launched himself through the air!

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