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Responding to Oil Spills in the U.S. Arctic Marine

Environment Univ. of Queensland Press

Nim loves her island home and the animals she shares it with, even while her scientist father is away doing research, but trouble

is on the way and a new e-mail friend could be the only one who can help.

Dragonfly Song Houghton Mifflin Harcourt

From the author of the beloved classic *Where the Red Fern Grows* comes a timeless adventure about a boy who discovers a tree full of monkeys. The last thing fourteen-year-old Jay Berry Lee expects to find while trekking through the Ozark Mountains of Oklahoma is a

tree full of monkeys. But then Jay learns from his grandpa that the monkeys have escaped from a traveling circus, and there ' s a big reward for the person who finds and returns them. His family could really use the money, so Jay sets off, determined to catch them. But by the end of the summer, Jay will have learned a lot more than he bargained for—and not just about monkeys. From the beloved author of *Where the Red Fern Grows* comes another memorable adventure novel filled with heart, humor, and excitement. Honors and Praise for Wilson Rawls ' *Where the Red Fern Grows*: A School Library Journal Top 100 Children ' s Novel An NPR Must-Read for Kids Ages 9 to 14 Winner of 4 State Awards Over 7 million copies in print! “ A rewarding book

... [with] careful, precise observation, all of it rightly phrased. ” —The New York Times Book Review “ One of the great classics of children ' s literature . . . Any child who doesn ' t get to read this beloved and powerfully emotional book has missed out on an important piece of childhood for the last 40-plus years. ” —Common Sense Media “ An exciting tale of love and adventure you ' ll never forget. ” —School Library Journal

The Nim Stories

HarperCollins

An honest, unsentimental story of pain and change and love. A powerful novel about a girl re-making her life after a car accident. For teenagers and young adults.

Rescue on Nim's Island
Allen & Unwin
Anything can happen on Nim's Island, a magical place ruled by a young girl's imagination. Young Nim lives alone on an undiscovered tropical island with her scientist dad. Her only friends are imaginary literary figures (Alice in Wonderland, Huck Finn) as well as animals from the island (a sea lion, an iguana, a sea turtle). Nim's life mirrors that of her favorite literary character, Alex Rover, the world's greatest adventurer. But Alexandra, the author of the Alex Rover books, is an agoraphobic living in San Francisco. When Nim's father disappears from the island, a twist of fate brings Nim together with Alexandra. They

must find strength in one another to conquer Nim's island.

The Future of Children:
Spring 2005 Yearling
There isn't really a word to describe the noise a volcano makes when it erupts. You don't just hear it, you feel it.

BOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOM!

A class trip to Borneo starts off with a bang – a visit to a real-life volcano! But when Mount Bako erupts, Sam Fox is left stranded with his teacher, Mr Griffin, who's suffering from a heart attack. They make it down the mountain to the cool blue sea – only to be hemmed in by blood-thirsty sharks . . . An action-packed adventure, *Monkey Mountain* is the hottest Extreme Adventure yet! Visit puffin.com.au/extreme for more.

[The Complete Adventures on Nim's Island](#) Penguin

After escaping from the clutches of Denver Wolf, Jack and Molly return to Australia and the sanctuary of City Zoo. But GI agent Mark Staines pays them an unexpected visit with information that Wolf is on his way to Australia to track them down. Jack and Molly are to lie low, and contact Staines when Wolf shows up. But when Jack encounters a huge python in the zoo garden, events take an unexpected turn, for in that moment when the snake's eyes meet his, Jack has his first inkling that something sinister is going on at City Zoo

Monkey Mountain:
Extreme Adventures
Allen & Unwin

In a northern English town, Lizzie, despite her own grief over the death of her mother, tries to distract her grief-stricken father by helping him enter and prepare for the Great Human Bird Competition.

Swashbuckler Allen & Unwin

A historical chapter book series from three-time Coretta Scott King Award winner and Newbery Honor author, Patricia C. McKissack. For Lilly Belle, ?the capital of Black America? is about as far from her hometown of Smyrna, Tennessee, as a twelve-year-old can get?maybe not in miles but certainly in mindset. Then a summer program for gifted young writers opens a whole new world for Lilly Belle. Jazz music in the street lulls

her to sleep, her classroom is in a mansion, and the author Zora Neale Hurston is her teacher, helping her understand the power of words, especially her own. Once again, award-winning author Patricia C. McKissack builds an involving story around real events and famous figures. "McKissack writes with empathy for the characters as well as a good eye for details that bring the period to life." --Booklist

Al Capone Does My Shirts Lothian Children's Books

First it was MEGA, then it was EXTREME. Now it's ULTIMATE! Is this the last Zac Power super series? A very special format for all Zac Power fans, the Ultimate Mission is three times the length of a regular

Zac Power mission! Zac Power is facing his biggest challenge ever! And this time the whole world is in danger... GIB's worst enemies have joined forces for their most evil plan yet, led by a mysterious new enemy called the Shadow. This mission will be the ultimate test of Zac's spy skills – especially if it means the end of the Government Investigation Bureau. Nim's Island Allen & Unwin

Three children and their hilariously subversive nanny pig embark on zany adventures in this award-winning middle grade debut illustrated by Caldecott winner Dan Santat. The three Green children are cared for by a nanny

pig. Yes, a pig--a fabulously sassy and impeccably dressed pig, as a matter of fact! With her insatiable urge to eat chocolate (and feed chocolate to everyone she loves), her high-flying spirit, and her unending sense of fun, Nanny Piggins takes Derrick, Samantha, and Michael on a year of surprises, yummy treats, and adventures they'll never forget. It's no surprise that Booklist proclaimed, "Mary Poppins, move over--or get shoved out of the way." Nanny Piggins is a refreshing and dynamic addition to favorite classic nannies: Amelia Bedelia, Mrs. Piggle Wiggle, and, of course,

Mary Poppins. Read more books in the series: *Nanny Piggins and the Wicked Plan* and *Nanny Piggins and the Runaway Lion*. *Nim's Island* Allen & Unwin Nicky Flamel, a motorbike racing ace. Andromeda Frost, a beautiful English socialite. Otis Falcon, a young American ex-boxer. When three teenagers from diverse backgrounds find themselves on a mysterious island, they discover that they have one thing in common - psychic powers triggered by a recent accident. But it's no accident that they are together on Archangel Island, a top-secret institution that trains talented young psychics to battle a secret army - the evil Nazis and their associates. A brilliant graphic novel for teenagers. *Prisoner of the Ant*

People Yearling

WINNER: 2017 Prime Minister's Literary Award, Children's Fiction

WINNER: 2018 Adelaide Festival Awards for Literature, Children's Literature HONOUR

BOOK: CBCA Book of the Year, Younger Readers, 2017 There are two ways of looking at Aissa's story. She's the miracle girl who escaped the raiders. Or she's the cursed child who called the Bull King's ship to the island. The firstborn daughter of a priestess is cast out as a baby, and after raiders kill her adopted family, she is abandoned at the gates of the Great Hall, anonymous and mute. Called No-Name, the cursed child, she is raised a slave, and not until she is twelve does she learn her name is

Aissa: the dragonfly. Now every year the Bull King takes a tribute from the island: two thirteen-year-old children to brave the bloody bull dances in his royal court. None have ever returned - but for Aissa it is the only escape. Aissa is resilient, resourceful, and fast - but to survive the bull ring, she will have to learn the mystery of her true nature. A riveting, mythic Bronze Age adventure from award-winning author Wendy Orr.

Nim at Sea Allen & Unwin

The Newbery Honor Book and New York Times Bestseller that is historical fiction with a hint of mystery about living at Alcatraz not as a prisoner, but as a kid meeting some of the most famous criminals in

our history. Al Capone Does My Shirts has become an instant classic for all kids to read! Today I moved to Alcatraz, a twelve-acre rock covered with cement, topped with bird turd and surrounded by water. I'm not the only kid who lives here. There are twenty-three other kids who live on the island because their dads work as guards or cooks or doctors or electricians for the prison, like my dad does. And then there are a ton of murderers, rapists, hit men, con men, stickup men, embezzlers, connivers, burglars, kidnapers and maybe even an innocent man or two, though I doubt it. The convicts we have are the kind other prisons don't want. I never knew prisons could be picky, but I guess they can. You

get to Alcatraz by being the worst of the worst. Unless you're me. I came here because my mother said I had to. A Newbery Honor Book A New York Times Bestseller A People magazine "Best kid's Book" An ALA Book for Young Adults An ALA Notable Book A School Library Journal Best Book of the Year A Krikus Reviews Editor's Choice A San Francisco Chronicle Best Book of the Year A Publishers Weekly Best Book of the Year A Parents' Choice Silver Honor Book A New York Public Library "100 Titles for Reading and Sharing" Selection A New York Public Library Best Book for the Teen Age *"Choldenko's pacing is exquisite. . . . [A] great read."—Kirkus Reviews, starred review *"Exceptionally

atmospheric, fast-paced and memorable!"—Publishers Weekly, starred review *"The story, told with humor and skill, will fascinate readers."—School Library Journal, starred review "AI is the perfect novel for a young guy or moll who digs books by Gordon Korman, or Louis Sachar."—Time Out New York for Kids "Funny situations and plot twists abound!"—People magazine "Heartstopping in some places, heartrending in others, and most of all, it is heartwarming."—San Francisco Chronicle A Song for Harlem Allen & Unwin Special Agent EJ12 cracks codes and foils evil plans all over the world. Emma Jacks

worries about mean girls, swimming carnivals and not having perfect hair. EJ12 is Emma Jacks. Saving the world is the easy part. Boston Jane: An Adventure Yearling For use in schools and libraries only. If readers make the right decisions, they can help Peter and Lucy find the mysterious jewels of a secret African kingdom. Jack Brown and the Trail of the Python Lothian Children's Books This time Nim 's the fish-out-of-water as she stows away on a cruise ship to save her kidnapped sea lion friend. Accompanied by her likeable iguana, Fred, the island girl lands with a splash in Manhattan, on the run from of a very Bad Guy, and on her way

to reunite with her friend, cowardly adventure novelist Alex Rover. Kids who are interested in animals and animal welfare will enjoy this warmhearted story 's combo of suspenseful high-seas happenings, New York City excitement, and family drama.

Cuckoo's Flight Chooseco
A novel "as haunting as a dream" from the New York Times-bestselling, Newbery Medal-winning author of *The Giver* (Kirkus Reviews, starred review). Where do dreams come from? What stealthy nighttime messengers are the guardians of our most deeply hidden hopes and our half-forgotten fears? This imaginative novel confronts these questions and explores the conflicts between the gentle bits and pieces of the past that come to life in dream, and the darker horrors that find their form in nightmare. In a haunting story that

tiptoes between reality and fantasy, two people—a lonely, sensitive woman and a damaged, angry boy—face their own histories and discover what they can be to one another, renewed by the strength that comes from a tiny, caring creature they will never see. "Lyrical, richly descriptive prose ushers readers into a fascinating parallel world inhabited by appealingly quirky characters." —Publishers Weekly (starred review)
"A beautiful novel with an intriguing premise." —School Library Journal (starred review)

Nim at Sea Allen & Unwin

Animal lover and kid scientist Olga is back! Great for fans of the acclaimed graphic novels *Real Friends* and *Invisible Emmie*. In this second installment of a series *Franny K.*

Stein creator Jim Benton called “great, kooky, monstrous fun,” Olga wants to leave earth in search of Meh’s home planet, but first she’ll have to discover why Meh is acting so strange. Olga: We’re Out of Here is jam-packed with facts and fun: Elise Gravel’s classic comic illustrations, hilarious word bubbles, space travel facts, and a diverse cast of memorable characters. Brightly.com put Olga and the Smelly Thing from Nowhere on their “Ultimate Summer Reading List for 9- to 12-Year-Olds.” And Kirkus said of it: “A visually interesting mix of illustration and story, punctuated by

numerous lists, comic panels, and cartoon diagrams and led by a smart female protagonist. A bubble-gum crowd pleaser with wide audience appeal.” Peeling the Onion Penguin Group Australia Fans of adventure, romance, and a strong heroine will love this action-packed historical trilogy by three-time Newbery Honor winner and New York Times bestselling author Jennifer L. Holm. 1855. The unknown wilds of the Pacific Northwest—a land not yet tamed, and certainly not fitting for a proper young lady! Yet that’s just where Miss Jane Peck finds herself. After a tumultuous childhood on the wrong side of Philadelphia high society, Jane is trying to put aside her reckless ways and be accepted as a

proper young lady. And so when handsome William Baldt proposes, she joyfully accepts and prepares to join him in a world away from her home in Washington Territory. But Miss Hepplewhite ' s straitlaced finishing school was hardly preparation for the treacherous months at sea it takes to get there, the haunting loss she ' ll face on the way, or the colorful characters and crude life that await her on the frontier.

My Dad's a Birdman

Hardie Grant Egmont

A bind-up edition of two exciting adventure

stories by Wendy Orr -

Nim's Island and Nim at

Sea . Nim's Island was a

major international

movie, and now there's a

second action-packed

movie inspired by Nim at

Sea , called Return to

Nim's Isl.