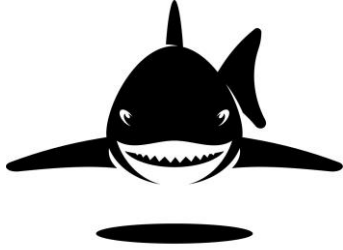


# Oceans of Possibilities

## 2022 Summer Reading Program



### NLA Conference

October 13, 2021  
Sally Snyder  
Nebraska Library Commission



### Picture Books

Abery, Julie *THE OLD MAN AND THE PENGUIN*

Illus. by Pierre Pratt unp. Kids Can Press 2020 \$18.99 ISBN 978-1-5253-0208-4

Condon, John *THE PIRATES ARE COMING!*

Illus. by Matt Hunt unp. Nosy Crow 2020 \$16.99 ISBN 978-1-5362-1216-7

Davies, Nicola *RIDE THE WIND*

Illus. by Salvatore Rubbino unp. Candlewick Press 2021 \$17.99 ISBN 978-1-5362-1284-6

Derting, Kimberly & Shelli R. Johannes *VIVI LOVES SCIENCE*

Illus. by Joelle Murray unp. Greenwillow Books (HarperCollins) 2021 \$17.99 ISBN 978-0-06-294606-5

DiPucchio, Kelly *OONA*

Illus. by Raissa Figueroa unp. Katherine Tegen Books (HarperCollins) 2021 \$17.99 ISBN 978-0-06-298224-7

Ferry, Beth *SWASHBY AND THE SEA*

Illus. by Juana Martinez-Neal unp. Houghton Mifflin Harcourt 2020 \$17.99 ISBN 978-0-544-70737-5

Frost, Maddie *SMUG SEAGULL*

Unp. Little, Brown & Co. 2020 \$17.99 ISBN 978-0-316-52319-6

Gaiman, Neil *PIRATE STEW*

Illus. by Chris Riddell unp. HarperCollins 2020 \$19.99 ISBN 978-0-06-293457-4

Gorbachev, Valeri ***NO SWIMMING FOR NELLY***

Unp. Holiday House 2018, 2021 \$17.99 ISBN 978-0-8234-3780-1; \$8.99 (pbk) ISBN 978-0-8234-4974-3

Grimes, Nikki ***OFF TO SEE THE SEA***

Illus. by Elizbeth Zunon unp. Sourcebooks 2021 \$17.99 ISBN 978-1-4926-3829-2

Hare, John ***FIELD TRIP TO THE OCEAN DEEP***

Unp. Holiday House 2020 \$17.99 ISBN 978-0-8234-4630-8; pbk in January

Hawthorne, Lara ***ALBA AND THE OCEAN CLEANUP***

Unp. Big Picture Press (Candlewick Press) 2020 \$16.99 ISBN 978-1-5362-1044-6

Henry, Steve ***HIDE!***

Unp. Holiday House 2018 \$14.99 ISBN 978-0-8234-3773-3; 7.99 (pbk) ISBN 978-0-8234-3890-7

Lebeuf, Darren ***MY OCEAN IS BLUE***

Illus. by Ashley Barren unp. Kids Can Press 2020 \$17.99 ISBN 978-1-5253-0143-8

Marlow, Layn ***NOAH'S SEAL***

Unp. Candlewick Press 2021 \$17.99 ISBN 978-1-5362-1851-0

Meloy, Maile ***THE OCTOPUS ESCAPES***

Illus. by Felicita Sala unp. G. P. Putnam's Sons (Penguin Random House) 2021 \$17.99 ISBN 978-1-9848-1269-8

Neilson, Emily ***CAN I GIVE YOU A SQUISH?***

Unp. Dial Books for Young Readers (Penguin Random House) 2020 \$17.99 ISBN 978-1-9848-1477-7

Parenteau, Shirley ***BEARS AT THE BEACH***

Illus. by David Walker unp. Candlewick Press 2021 \$16.99 ISBN 978-1-5362-0838-2

Podesta, Lena ***TOO CROWDED***

Unp. Sourcebooks 2021 \$17.99 ISBN 978-1-7282-2238-7

Raymundo, Peter ***I AM NOT A FISH!***

Unp. Dial (Penguin Random House) 2019 \$17.99 ISBN 978-0-525-55459-2

Senior, Suzy ***OCTOPANTS***

Illus. by Claire Powell unp. Tiger Tales 2019, 2021 \$9.99 (board book) ISBN 978-1-68010-661-9

Tsarfaty, Einat ***IT COULD BE WORSE***

Unp. Candlewick Press 2021 \$17.99 ISBN 978-1-5362-1791-9

Văn, Muon Thi ***WISHES***

Illus. by Victo Ngai unp. Orchard Books (Scholastic Press) 2021 \$18.99 ISBN 978-1-338-30589-0

Young, Beryl ***SHOW US WHERE YOU LIVE HUMPBACK***

Illus. by Sakika Kikuchi unp. Greystone Kids Can Press 2021 \$17.95 ISBN 978-1771645737

## **Nonfiction Picture Books**

Abery, Julie ***YUSRA SWIMS***

Illus. by Sally Deng unp. Creative Editions 2020 \$19.99 ISBN 978-1-56846-329-2

Abery, Julie ***SAKAMOTO'S SWIM CLUB***

Illus. by Chris Sasaki unp. Kids Can Press 2021 \$17.99 ISBN 978-1- 5253-0031-8

Canty, John ***HEADS AND TAILS UNDERWATER***

unp. Candlewick Press 2021 \$17.99 ISBN 978-1-5362-1460-4

Griffith, Evan ***SECRETS OF THE SEA: The Story of Jeanne Power, Revolutionary Marine Scientist***

Illus. by Joanie Stone unp. Clarion Books (Houghton Mifflin Harcourt) 2021 \$17.99 ISBN 978-0-358-24432-5

Hood, Susan ***THE LAST STRAW: Kids vs. Plastics***

Illus. by Christiane Engel HarperCollins 2021 \$18.99 ISBN 978-0-06-298139-4

Keating, Jess ***OCEAN SPEAKS: How Marie Tharp Revealed the Ocean's Biggest Secret***

Illus. by Katie Hickey unp. Tundra Books (Penguin Random House) 2020 \$17.99 ISBN 978-0-7352-6508-0

King, Heidi Tyline ***SAVING AMERICAN BEACH: The Biography of African American***

***Environmentalist MaVynne Betsch*** Illus. by Ekuia Holmes unp. G.P. Putnam's Sons (Penguin Random House) 2021 \$17.99 ISBN 978-1-101-99629-4

Montgomery, Sy ***INKY'S AMAZING ESCAPE***

Illus. by Amy Schimler-Safford unp. Simon & Schuster 2018 \$17.99 ISBN 978-1-5344-0191-4;  
\$7.99 (pbk) ISBN 978-1-5344-8044-5

Swinburne, Stephen R. ***RUN, SEA TURTLE, RUN: A Hatchling's Journey***

Photos by Guillaume Feuillet unp. Millbrook Press 2020 \$27.99 (PLB) ISBN 978-1-5415-7812-8

Tsui, Bonnie ***SARAH AND THE BIG WAVE***

Illus. by Sophie Diao unp. Henry Holt & Co. (Macmillan) 2021 \$18.99 ISBN 978-1-250-23948-8

## **Beginning Readers**

Bentley, Tadgh ***LITTLE PENGUIN AND THE MYSTERIOUS OBJECT***

32p. HarperCollins 2020 \$16.99 ISBN 978-0-06-269998-5; \$4.99 (pbk) ISBN 978-0-06-269997-8

Hale, Bruce ***CLARK THE SHARK AND THE SCHOOL SING***

Illus. by Guy Francis 32p. Harper Alley (HarperCollins) 2021 \$16.99 ISBN 978-0-06-29157-2

Lyons, Kelly Starling ***TY'S TRAVELS: Beach Day!***

Illus. by Nina Mata 32p. HarperCollins 2021 \$26.99 ISBN 978-0-06-295114-4

Ransom, Candice ***BEACH DAY!***

Illus. by Erika Meza 32p. Random House (Penguin Random House) 2020 \$12.99 (PLB) ISBN 978-1-5247-2044-5; \$4.99 (pbk) ISBN 978-1-5247-2043-8

Ruzzier, Sergio ***FISH AND SUN***

48p. Harper Alley (HarperCollins) 2021 \$16.99 ISBN 978-0-06-307664-8

## **Early Chapter Books**

Alikhan, Salima ***SORAYA AND THE MERMAID***

Illus. by Atieh Sohrabi & Jennifer Naalchigar 112p. Reycraft Books 2020 \$15.95 ISBN 978-1478868156; \$9.95 (pbk) ISBN 978-1-4788-6912-2

Anderson, Derek ***THE SHARK REPORT*** (Benny McGee & the Shark, #1)

61p. Penguin Workshop (Penguin Random House) 2020 \$15.99 ISBN 978-0-593-09338-2; \$6.99 (pbk) ISBN 978-0-593-09339-9

Anderson, Derek ***WE ARE FAMOUS!*** (Benny McGee & the Shark, #2)  
61p. Penguin Workshop (Penguin Random House) 2020 \$15.99 ISBN 978-0-593-09341-2; \$6.99  
(pbk) ISBN 978-0-593-09342-9

Goodner, David ***KONDO & KEZUMI VISIT GIANT ISLAND***  
Illus. by Andrea Tsurumi 80p. Little, Brown & Co. 2020 \$15.99 ISBN 978-1-368025775; \$6.99  
(pbk) ISBN 978-0-7595-5475-7

Goodner, David ***KONDO & KEZUMI REACH BELL BOTTOM***  
Illus. by Andrea Tsurumi 80p. Little, Brown & Co. 2021 \$15.99 ISBN 978-0-7595-5473-3; \$6.99  
(pbk) ISBN 978-0-7595-5474-0

Goodner, David ***KONDO & KEZUMI ARE NOT ALONE***  
Illus. by Andrea Tsurumi 80p. Little, Brown & Co. 2021 \$15.99 ISBN 978-0-7595-5472-6; \$6.99  
(pbk) ISBN 978-0-7595-5471-9

## **Fiction for Grades 2-5 (or so)**

Abe, Julie ***EVA EVERGREEN, SEMI-MAGICAL WITCH***  
382p. Little, Brown & Co. 2020 \$16.99 ISBN 978-0-316-49388-8

Callaghan, Cindy ***SALTWATER SECRETS***  
275p. Simon & Schuster 2020 \$18.99 ISBN 978-1-5344-1744-1

Fawcett, Heather ***THE LANGUAGE OF GHOSTS***  
356p. HarperCollins 2020 \$16.99 ISBN 978-0-06-285454-4

Gardner, Sally ***MR. TIGER, BETSY, AND THE BLUE MOON***  
Illus. by Nick Maland 183p. Penguin Workshop (Penguin Random House) 2020 \$16.99 ISBN 978-0-593-09516-4

Gardner, Sally ***MR. TIGER, BETSY, AND THE SEA DRAGON***  
Illus. by Nick Maland 197p. Penguin Workshop (Penguin Random House) 2020 \$16.99 ISBN 978-0-593-09585-0

Getten, Kereen ***WHEN LIFE GIVES YOU MANGOS***  
189p. Delacorte Press (Penguin Random House) 2020 \$16.99 ISBN 978-0-593-17397-8

Gilbert, J. J. ***THE MOUSE WATCH UNDERWATER***  
228p. Disney • Hyperion 2021 \$16.99 ISBN 978-1-368-05219-1

Jennings, Terry Catasús ***DEFINITELY DOMINGUITA: Captain Dom's Treasure***  
Illus. by Fátima Anaya 128p. Aladdin \$17.99 ISBN 978-1534465060; \$5.99 (pbk) ISBN 978-1-5344-6505-3

King, S J ***THE SECRET EXPLORERS AND THE LOST WHALES***  
127p. DK (Penguin Random House) 2020 \$18.99 ISBN 978-0-7440-2384-8; \$5.99 (pbk) ISBN 978-0-7440-2105-9

Schaap, Annet ***OF SALT AND SHORE***  
352p. Charlesbridge 2020 \$16.99 ISBN 978-1-62354-230-6

Scieszka, Jon ***THE WATER PLANET***  
Illus. by Steven Weinberg unp. (228p.) Chronicle Books 2020 \$14.99 ISBN 978-1-4521-7120-3

## **Nonfiction for Grades 2-5 (or so)**

Jenkins, Steve & Robin Page ***THE SHARK BOOK***  
33p. Houghton Mifflin Harcourt 2021 \$ 17.99 ISBN 978-1-328-56949-3

Messner, Kate ***PEARL HARBOR***  
Illus. by Dylan Meconis 194p. Random House Children's Books (Penguin Random House) 2020 \$12.99 (PLB) ISBN 978-0-593-12038-5; \$7.99 (pbk) ISBN 978-0-593-12037-8

Messner, Kate ***THE TITANIC***  
Illus. by Matt Aytch Taylor 191p. Random House Children's Books (Penguin Random House) 2021 \$12.99 (PLB) ISBN 978-0-593-12044-6; \$7.99 (pbk) ISBN 978-0-593-12043-9

## **Teen Titles**

### **Fiction for Younger Teens**

Allen, Sarah ***BREATHING UNDERWATER***

211p. Farrar Straus Giroux Books (Macmillan) 2021 \$16.99 ISBN 978-0-374-31325-8

Blake, Ashley Herring ***HAZEL BLY AND THE DEEP BLUE SEA***

339p. Little, Brown and Co. 2021 \$16.99 ISBN 978-0-316-53545-8

Older, Daniel José ***FLOOD CITY***

327p. Scholastic Press 2021 \$17.99 ISBN 978-1-338-11112-5

Ostertag, Molly Knox ***THE GIRL FROM THE SEA***

247p. Graphix (Scholastic) 2021 \$24.99 ISBN 978-1338540581; \$14.99 (pbk) ISBN 978-1-338-54057-4

## **Nonfiction for Teens**

NONE at this time.

## **Fiction for Older Teens**

NONE at this time.

## **Series Books &/or Older Titles**

### **Beginning Readers**

Yolen, Jane ***SCHOOL OF FISH: Rocking the Tide*** (School of Fish, Bk 3)

Illus. by Mike Moran unpag. Simon & Schuster 2020 \$17.99 ISBN 978-1-5344-5308-1; \$4.99 (pbk) ISBN 978-1-5344-307-4

### **Nonfiction Picture Books**

Grodzicki, Jenna ***I SEE SEA FOOD: Sea Creatures that Look Like Food***

32p. Millbrook Press (Lerner) 2019 \$27.99 (PLB) ISBN 978-1-5415-5463-4

Keating, Jess ***SHARK LADY: The True Story of How Eugenie Clark Became the Ocean's Most***

***Fearless Scientist*** Illus. by Marta Álvarez Miguéns unpag. Sourcebooks Inc. 2017 \$17.99 ISBN 978-1-4926-4204-6

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(pbk) – paperback edition

(PLB) – public library binding edition



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