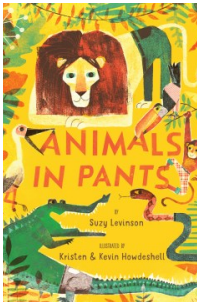


## Kitty Sweet Tooth \*

Abby Denson

With Pop-Pop's movie theater struggling to stay open, Kitty decides that only dessert can keep it from closing its doors. Kitty and her friends transform this ramshackle theater into the Taste-O-Rama!

Youth Graphic Novels - KIT

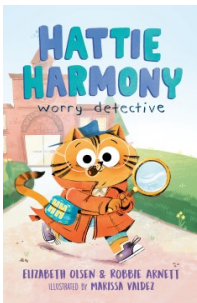


## Animals in Pants

Suzy Levinson

What? You've never seen animals in pants? A dog in yoga pants, a goat in overalls, a yak in slacks? *Animals in Pants* presents a parade of impeccable poems about animals wearing perfectly pressed pants.

Youth Nonfiction - 811.6 LEV

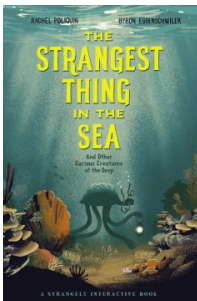


## Hattie Harmony: Worry Detective \*

Elizabeth Olsen & Robbie Arnett

On the first day of school, Hattie always knows the perfect thing to say to her friends when they start to worry. But will she know what to say to herself?

Picture Books - OLS

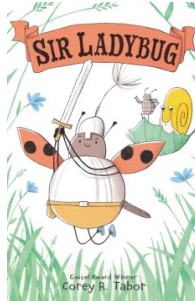


## The Strangest Thing in the Sea: and Other Curious Creatures of the Deep

Rachel Poliquin

Children can dive into the deepest depths of the sea where they'll meet 12 strange and little-known sea animals.

Youth Nonfiction - 591.77 POL



## Sir Ladybug \*

Corey R. Tabor

Sir Ladybug, who never turns down a quest, and his trusty friends must put their heads together to come up with the perfect plan to rescue a caterpillar from the clutches of a "monster" (a hungry chickadee).

Youth Graphic Novels - SIR

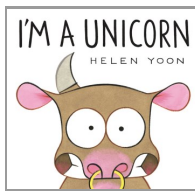


## Super Pancake

Megan Wagner Lloyd

When she accidentally gets superpowers, Peggy Pancake, with the help of her new friend, Luc Croissant, must master her newfound skills to defend her home of Breakfast Town from the evil Dr. Breakfast Sandwich.

Youth Graphic Novels - SUP



## I'm a Unicorn

Helen Yoon

Researching their claim that they are a unicorn, a one-horned calf has an identity crisis when they realize they don't quite check all the boxes until a pack of "real" unicorns shows them how to embrace who they are.

Picture Books - YOO

\* Part of a series.



oswego.lib.il.us  
630.978.1272

Montgomery Campus  
1111 Reading Drive  
Montgomery, IL

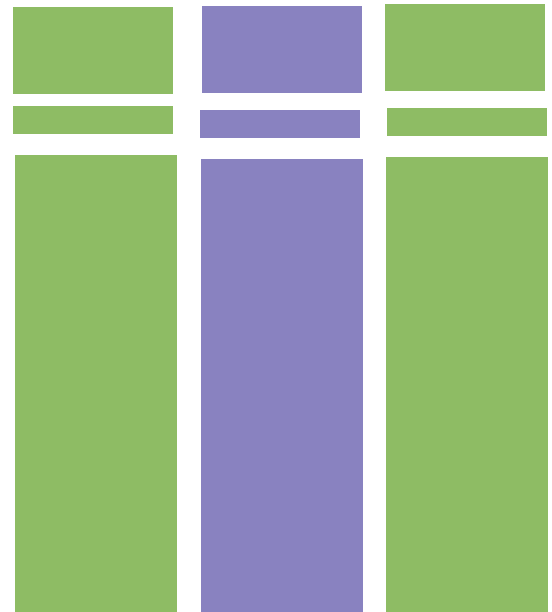
Oswego Campus  
32 West Jefferson  
Street Oswego, IL

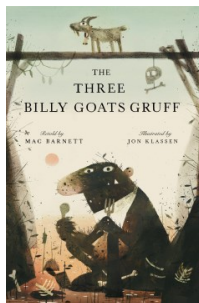
OSWEGO PUBLIC LIBRARY DISTRICT



# 2nd GRADE

RECOMMENDED READING



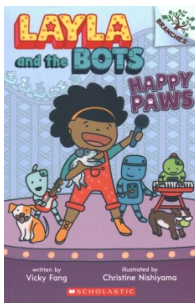


### The Three Billy Goats Gruff

Mac Barnett

Once there was a bridge and a VERY hungry troll lived beneath it. When the three Billy Goats Gruff decide to clip-clop across the bridge, the troll is already imagining a delicious goat dinner.

Youth Nonfiction - 398.2 Three Billy Goats Gruff / Barnett



### Layla and the Bots: Happy Paws \*

Vicky Fang

Layla and her bots get some bad news: Happy Days Amusement Park is closing. But Layla thinks she has the perfect solution: turn the place into an amusement park for dogs!

E Fiction Level 2 - FAN

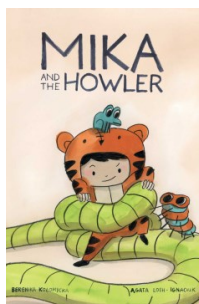


### Big

Vashti Harrison

Praised for acting like a big girl when she is small, as a young girl grows, "big" becomes a word of criticism, until the girl realizes that she is fine just the way she is.

Picture Books - HAR

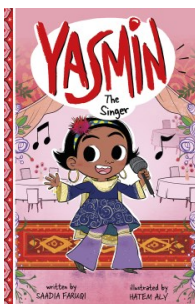


### Mika and the Howler \*

Agata Loth-Ignaciuk

Mika faces familiar-yet-not-fully-known objects and obstacles around her house and summons up the courage to face the "howler" that roams her home, sucking up dust bunnies and her socks!

Youth Graphic Novels - MIK



### Yasmin the Singer \*

Saadia Faruqi

Yasmin is excited to attend a wedding party. But when the singing starts, Yasmin is too shy to join in. She finds a quiet spot to hide. So how does Yasmin suddenly find herself in the spotlight?

E Fiction Level 2 - FAR

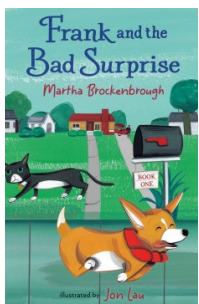


### Gigi and Ojiji \*

Melissa Iwai

Gigi is excited. Her Ojiji (Grandpa) is coming from Japan to live with her family. But her big plans to spend time with Ojiji come to a halt as Gigi struggles to understand their cultural differences.

E Fiction Level 2 - IWA

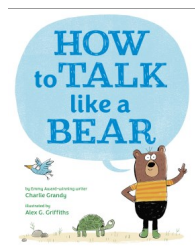


### Frank and the Bad Surprise \*

Martha Brockenbrough

When his people bring home a puppy, Frank the cat decides to look for a better home, which he soon discovers is no easy task.

E Fiction Level 2 - BRO

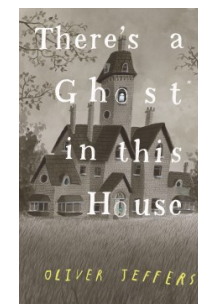


### How to Talk Like a Bear

Charlie Grandy

A young bear gives instructions on how to talk like a bear, which is far more than just growling and roaring.

Picture Books - GRA

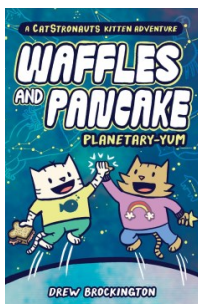


### There's a Ghost in this House

Oliver Jeffers

A small green-skinned girl in a haunted house looks for ghosts under the bed, in the library, in the bathroom, and in the cupboards.

Picture Books - JEF



### Waffles and Pancake: Planetary -YUM \*

Drew Brockington

When they lose Dad-cat in the big science museum, kittens Pancake and Waffles wonder if they'll get stuck living in the museum and eating star tots and tuna melts fur-ever.

Youth Graphic Novels - CAT

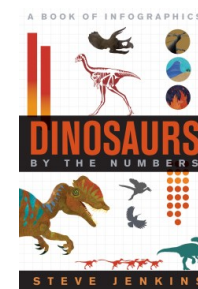


### Jeanie & Genie: The First Wish \*

Trish Granted

After Willow starts second grade at Rivertown Elementary, she becomes friends with Jeanie Bell, but Willow has a secret which turns Jeanie's life upside down.

E Fiction Level 2 - GRA



### Dinosaurs by the Numbers

Steve Jenkins

Discover fascinating aspects of dinosaurs through numbers: their size, speed, and the timeline of when they roamed the earth, and learn if any are still alive today.

Youth Nonfiction - 567.9 JEN