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Pixel+Ink 9781645950219 On Sale Date: 10/6/20 \$14.99 USD Hardcover

112 Pages Ages 5 to 7. Grades K to 2 Juvenile Fiction / Family JUV013070 Series: TWIG AND TURTLE 7.6 in H | 5 in W | 1.3 lb Wt

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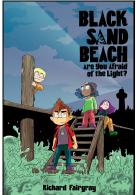
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192 Pages

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Graphic Novels JUV008040

On Sale Date: 4/16/20

Ages 8 to 12, Grades 3 to 7 Juvenile Fiction / Comics &

Series: BLACK SAND BEACH

Black Sand Beach 1: Are You Afraid of the Light?

Richard Fairgray

Summary

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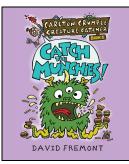
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Pixel+Ink 9781645950011 On Sale Date: 8/4/20 \$12.99 USD Hardcover

128 Pages Ages 8 to 12, Grades 3 to 7 Juvenile Fiction / Comics & Graphic Novels JUV008110 Series: CARLTON CRUMPLE CREATURE CATCH

7.3 in H | 6.2 in W | 0.5 in T | 0.7 lb Wt

Carlton Crumple Creature Catcher 1: Catch the Munchies! David Fremont

Summary

A super funny and madcap adventure starring Carlton Crumple, on the quest to stop the Munchie monsters from taking over every Chubbzy Cheeseburger in America!

Carlton Crumple has been obsessed with monsters ever since his older brother dressed up like them to scare him. He is determined to rid the world of monsters! Even though he's only 11....

When a band of fast food crazed Munchies storm into a burger joint where Carlton is working, he finally has his chance! A cross country chase ensues. Cops! Munchies! Carlton and his best friend Lulu!

Cheeseburgers! Awesome!

Contributor Bio

The youngest of 5 children, David Fremont grew up in Fremont, CA (true story), where he loved drawing while watching cartoons. He is now an animated content creator who most recently created web series for DreamWorks TV. When not pitching pilots, David teaches cartoon classes to kids.

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AURILIA DA ALARADISE BY ZACH SMITH

Pixel+Ink 9781645950172 On Sale Date: 10/6/20 \$22.99 USD Hardcover

144 Pages Ages 8 to 12, Grades 3 to 7 Juvenile Fiction / Comics & Graphic Novels JUV008020 Series: DOLPHIN GIRL

9 in H | 6 in W | 1.3 lb Wt



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272 Pages Ages 10 to 14, Grades 5 to 9 Juvenile Fiction / Mysteries & Detective Stories JUV028000 Series: THE INFAMOUS FRANKIE LORDE

8.3 in H | 5.5 in W | 1.3 lb Wt

The Infamous Frankie Lorde 1: Stealing Greenwich

Brittany Geragotelis

Summary

Launch of a new series for upper middle graders about a girl who has lived as an international thief, now returned to the real world.

Frankie Lorde and her dad have been a team for as long as Frankie can remember. Being a tutor under the man responsible for some of the world's biggest heists has given Frankie a unique perspective on the world. And a special set of life skills. Frankie can spot an FBI agent in a second. Pick a lock in two seconds. Steal a Bugatti in three. Then dad is arrested.

Frankie is sent to live with her uncle, her dad's brother who she barely knows, and is, ironically a cop. Now Frankie has to go to middle school, learn what suburban kids wear and eat. But also ironically, Frankie is in Greenwich, CT, one of the richest towns in America. Seeing the starkness of super rich and the super *not* rich who support the community gives Frankie an idea. How to use her skills for doing good, to even the score...

Contributor Bio

Brittany Geragotelis, a former Olympic-bound gymnast and magazine editor, is a self-professed pop culture junkie turned author. Her paranormal action book *Life's a Witch* received 18 million reads on the writing site <u>Wattpad.com</u>. What the Spell is the first published book in the series, followed by *Life's a Witch* and *The Witch Is Back*. Brittany lives in Los Angeles with her husband, Matt, and two cats.

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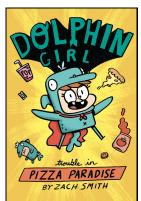
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