

**Hartland Public Library**  
**New Children's Books – March 2015**

**BOARD BOOKS**

**BD BK WIL Willems, Mo. The pigeon has feelings, too! : a smidgeon of pigeon / Hyperion Books for Children, 2005**

Presents a children's board book for early readers about a pigeon who doesn't want to show a happy face until he is tricked into doing so.

**EARLY/EMERGENT READERS**

**E KIM Kimmelman, Leslie. Everybody bonjours! / Knopf, 2008**

Describes in rhymed text the many ways to use the greeting "Bonjour" when visiting Paris.

**E KUH Kuhlmann, Torben, Lindbergh : the tale of a flying mouse /**

In a country far away, a new invention--the mechanical mousetrap--has caused all the mice but one to flee to America. Now stranded in a dangerous country, the last mouse decides to build a plane and fly to the land of freedom.

**EC DUF Dufresne, Matthew. The pirate treasure / Pioneer Valley Educational Press, 2013**

Daisy and Jack find a treasure map; taking Bella along, they search for hidden treasure, but Rosie has a surprise for them all.

**EC DUF Dufresne, Michele. A bide ride for Jack / Pioneer Valley Educational Press, 2013**

Bella, Rosie, Jack, and Daisy go for a ride in Dad's bike cart.

**EC DUF Dufresne, Michele. The fourth of July / Pioneer Valley Educational Press, 2013**

Bella, Rosie, Jack, and Daisy go with Mom and Dad to the Fourth of July celebration, and aren't sure if they like the noise.

**EC DUF Dufresne, Michele. The hungry birds / Pioneer Valley Educational Press, 2013**

Jack hears baby birds outside and decides to share his food.

**EC JOY Joyner, Andrew. Boris gets a lizard / Branches/Scholastic Inc., 2011**

Boris has a lot of pets, but what he really wants is a Komodo dragon, so he comes up with a plan--and invites his class to come and see his lizard.

**EM CRO Cronin, Doreen. Smick /**

Can friendship bloom between a dog and a chick?

**EM DUF Dufresne, Matthew. Football / Pioneer Valley Educational Press, 2011**

What is football?

**EM DUF Dufresne, Matthew. Penguins / Pioneer Valley Educational Press, 2011**

A little book about penguins.

- EM DUF Dufresne, Matthew. Mice / Pioneer Valley Educational Press, 2011**  
A little book about mice.
- EM DUF Dufresne, Matthew. The ocean / Pioneer Valley Educational Press, 2011**  
A little book about the ocean.
- EM DUF Dufresne, Michele. Little knight goes shopping / Pioneer Valley Educational Press, 2010**  
A little mouse goes shopping with his mother to buy all he'll need to become a knight.
- EM FIN Finnigan, Sean. We can do it / Pioneer Valley Educational Press, 2011**  
What activities can the boys and girls do?
- EM HOW Howard, Emily. We like balloons / Pioneer Valley Educational Press, 2010**  
A boy and a girl show their favorite-colored balloons.
- EM HUG Hugo, Matthew. The circus / Pioneer Valley Educational Press, 2011**  
What are some of the things you'll see at the circus?
- EM LEW Lewis, Rose. Up in the sky / Pioneer Valley Educational Press, 2011**  
Look at all the different things in the sky!
- EM LEW Lewis, Rose. A fruit smoothie / Pioneer Valley Educational Press, 2011**  
What do you need to make a fruit smoothie?
- EM MAT Mattison, Ruth Cars / Pioneer Valley Educational Press, 2011**  
A small book of different color cars.
- EM MAT Mattison, Ruth. Baby animals of the rain forest / Pioneer Valley Educational Press, 2010**  
Shows animals of the rain forest.
- EM MAT Mattison, Ruth. The bird and the worm / Pioneer Valley Educational Press, 2010**  
Will the bird eat the worm?
- EM REN Renton, Will. A nap for Oliver / Pioneer Valley Educational Press, 2011**  
Oliver the cat gathers everything he needs to take a nap.

#### **YOUTH NON-FICTION/GRAPHIC NOVELS**

- J 629.454 BUR Burleigh, Robert. One giant leap / Philomel Books, 2009**  
An illustrated retelling of Neil Armstrong and Buzz Aldrin's lunar landing in 1969.
- J 741.5 GAI Russell, P. Craig. The graveyard book.**  
The concluding volume of the graphic novel adaptation of the book about a boy, raised by the inhabitants of the local graveyard who rally to protect him from a league of villains named Jack that seeks to destroy him.

**J 741.597 DAV Davis, Jim, Garfield pulls his weight / Ballantine Books, 2013**  
Cartoons take a humorous look at Garfield's encounters with food, Odie, television, mice, bungee jumping, and spiders.

#### YOUTH FICTION

**J FIC HOL Holub, Joan. Zeus and the Thunderbolt of Doom / Aladdin, 2012**  
When ten-year-old Zeus is kidnapped, he discovers he can defend himself with a magical thunderbolt.

**J FIC HOL Holub, Joan. Poseidon and the sea of fury / Aladdin, 2012**  
The merciless Cronus and his Titan buddies are in hot pursuit of Zeus, Hera, and Poseidon, who plan to travel across the treacherous boiling sea in order to save a fellow Olympian. They have a boat, but they also have a problem: Poseidon can't swim and is terrified of the water (well, really of the creatures that lurk in its depths). The group faces danger after danger as they battle singing sirens, a fishy and ferocious Titan named Oceanus, and people-eating monsters sent by Cronus himself. Can Poseidon overcome his fears and help his fellow heroes escape Cronus and his cronies

**J FIC HOL Holub, Joan. Persephone the phony / Aladdin, 2010**  
Despite the warnings of her friends at Mount Olympus Academy, Persephone befriends bad-boy Hades, but following her mother's advice to "go along to get along" complicates Persephone's relationships with all of them.

**J FIC HOL Holub, Joan. Athena the wise / Aladdin, 2011**  
Athena isn't the only new kid at Mount Olympus! When a mortal named Heracles transfers to the Academy, Athena understands what he's going through. She started there a few months ago herself. Not only does Heracles need help fitting in, he also has to complete twelve 'labors' or be kicked out of school!"--P. [4] of cover.

**J FIC OCO O'Connor, Jane, Nancy Clancy, star of stage and screen / Harpercollins Childrens Books 2015**  
Nancy is elated to be in the school play, but when her embarrassing performance is posted on YouTube, she must overcome her shame and embrace her infamy.

**J FIC PYR Pyron, Bobbie, Lucky strike /**  
Nathaniel Harlow lives with his grandfather in a trailer park in Franklin County, Florida, and he has always been unlucky--but when he is struck by lightning on his eleventh birthday and survives, it seems like his luck starts to change.

#### YOUNG ADULT FICTION

**YA 92 LEW Lewis, John, March. Book 2**  
After the success of the Nashville sit-in campaign, John Lewis is more committed than ever to changing the world through nonviolence -- but as he and his fellow Freedom Riders board a bus into the vicious heart of the deep south, they will be tested like never before.

**YA FIC HOC Hocking, Amanda. Torn / St. Martin's Griffin, 2012**  
Wendy, a changeling troll princess, returns to her rightful home, a frightening, beautiful world where she discovers her new powers, fights enemies who want to use her abilities for evil, and struggles with romantic decisions.

**YA FIC HOC    Hocking, Amanda.    Ascend /    St. Martin's Griffin,    2012** Duty-bound to marry her friend Tove in order to give the Trylle people their strongest king and queen in history, Wendy, a changeling troll princess, is torn between two other suitors, Finn and Loki.

**YA FIC KNU    Knudsen, Michelle,    Evil librarian /**  
Cynthia's best friend falls head-over-heels for the new, hot librarian, but almost right away Cyn senses something is wrong. Maybe it's his mesmerizing eyes, or possibly the horns and giant bat-like wings that appear when he thinks no one is looking. Before long, Cyn realizes that Mr. Gabriel is a demon. Will Cynthia be able to save the school musical from technical disaster, avoid making a fool of herself in front of her own hopeless crush, and save her best friend from the attractive-yet-very-very-bad clutches of the evil librarian?

**YA FIC MAY    May, Elizabeth, The falconer /**  
In 1844 Edinburgh eighteen-year-old Lady Aileana Kameron is neither an ordinary debutante, nor a murderess--she is a Falconer, a female warrior born with the gift for hunting and killing the faeries who prey on mankind and who killed her mother.

**YA FIC MAR    Marchetta, Melina,    Finnikin of the rock /    Candlewick Press,    2008**  
Now on the cusp of manhood, Finnikin, who was a child when the royal family of Lumatere was brutally murdered and replaced by an imposter, reluctantly joins forces with an enigmatic young novice and fellow-exile, who claims that her dark dreams will lead them to a surviving royal child and a way to regain the throne of Lumatere.

**YA FIC PEN    Peña, Matt de la    The living /**  
After an earthquake destroys California and a tsunami wrecks the luxury cruise ship where he is a summer employee, high schooler Shy confronts another deadly surprise.