

New Nonfiction in the Cal Young Library - Fall 2012

004 Gif

Cool Tech: Gadgets, Games, Robots, and the Digital World by Gifford, Clive; Goldsmith, Mike

Looks at the technology behind computers, the Internet, video games, and digital devices, as well as their history and some of the prominent minds behind their creation.

031.02 Tur

101 Things You Need to Know. . . and Some You Don't! by Horne, Richard; Turner, Tracey

Part humor, part educational, this interactive resource, featuring checklists and activities, presents 101 interesting, extraordinary, and disgusting facts, including What Makes Farts So Smelly? and What Makes Things Glow in the Dark?

133.1 Gud

Ghost Trackers : The Unreal World of Ghosts, Ghost-Hunting, and the Paranormal by Gudgeon, Chris

A book inspired by the hit television series Ghost Trackers invites readers to explore mysteries with kids who are interested in ghosts and the paranormal, including how to explore a haunted house, discover the latest on what scientists think about paranormal phenomena and much more.

155.5086 Gal

Gifted Teen Survival Guide : Smart, Sharp, and Ready for (Almost) Anything by Galbraith, Judy; Delisle, Jim

A latest edition of a reference for advanced students draws on new surveys of hundreds of gifted teens on how to thrive in a world that does not always support or understand high cognitive abilities, sharing step-by-step strategies, inspiring quotes and expert essays on topics ranging from adolescent brain development and online life to standardized tests and bullying.

174 Roc

Get Real : What Kind of World Are You Buying? by Rockliff, Mara

A consumer guide for tweens provides insight into a range of topics from truth about fast-food nutrition to the environmental costs of cheap products, and shares related counsel on how to make informed shopping decisions.

297 Ali

Growing Up Muslim: Understanding the Beliefs and Practices of Islam by Ali-karamali, Sumbul

An awareness-raising portrait of the author's growing-up years in Southern California as a member of the Islamic faith discusses the varied questions she fielded from curious friends and schoolmates regarding diet, dress, prayers, holidays and everything in between, while also providing an academically reliable introduction to Islam that examines its traditions, beliefs and current demographics.

302.3 Dip

Friend Me!: 600 Years of Social Networking in America by Dipiazza, Francesca Davis

Chronicles the various types of networks that have connected people throughout history, from wampum belts and ring shouts to calling cards and telegrams, offering insight into the social networking predecessors of today's text and email practices.

305.235 Man

How to Feel Good: 20 Things Teens Can Do by Mangan, Tricia

Presents advice and exercises to help teenagers feel good about themselves and their abilities.

320.6097 And

Americapedia: Taking the Dumb Out of Freedom by Anderson, Jodi Lynn; Ehrenhaft, Daniel; Nourae, Andisheh

A primer of critical events in American history and the structure of the U.S. government provides insight into the American electoral system, the world economy, the role religion plays in world conflicts and America's place in world affairs.

342.7308 Hud

Let the Students Speak!: A History of the Fight for Free Expression in American Schools by Hudson, David L., Jr.

Hudson (First Amendment Center, Vanderbilt U.) reviews stories and cases involving struggles over student free speech rights in US schools, from the 1858 case of an eleven-year old who insulted his teacher while not in school and received a rawhide whipping for it the next day, a case that went to the Vermont Supreme Court, to the 2010 defamation cases involving student use of MySpace to mock school principals.

363.4109 Blu

Bootleg: Murder, Moonshine, and the Lawless Years of Prohibition by Blumenthal, Karen

Filled with period art and photographs, anecdotes and portraits of unique characters from the era, a review of an important time in American history looks at the rise and fall of the disastrous social experiment known as Prohibition.

364.1552 Gra

Skyjack: The Hunt for D. B. Cooper by Gray, Geoffrey

Describes the search for D. B. Cooper, a hijacker who mysteriously disappeared after parachuting from a plane with \$200,000 in ransom money during a rainy night over Washington state.

391.3 Sho

Seventeen Ultimate Guide to Style: How to Find Your Perfect Look by Shoket, Ann

323.092 Bau

Marching to the Mountaintop: How Poverty, Labor Fights, and Civil Rights Set the Stage for Martin Luther King's Final Hours by Bausum, Ann; Lawson, James

The Sibert Honor-winning author of *Freedom Riders* explores how the media, politics, the Civil Rights Movement and labor protests all converged to set the scene for one of Dr. King's greatest speeches and for his tragic death on April 4, 1968, in Memphis, Tennessee.

398.2093 Wil

Ancient Egypt: Tales of Gods and Pharaohs by Marcia Williams

Retells nine tales of ancient Egypt, including the story of Ra rising from the waters of the Nile to create the gods of the earth, sky, and rain.

398.45 Los

Fairy Ring: Or Elsie and Frances Fool the World by Losure, Mary

Relates the story of two early-twentieth-century cousins who believed they saw real fairies, created photographs using paper cutouts when they were teased by adult family members, and inadvertently drew the attention of Sir Arthur Conan Doyle, a fellow believer.

529

Discovering the Construct of Time by Kagayame, Johnny; Sherman, Josepha

Explores the concept of time; describes calendars formulated by the Romans, Mayans, and Egyptians; and discusses scientists' theories of time.

553.28 Mar

Black Gold: The Story of Oil in Our Lives by Marrin, Albert

An introduction to the role of oil as an essential resource that drives the modern world explains its use in everyday products and tools while revealing how oil has influenced every aspect of today's economy, politics, and culture.

598.0723 Hoo

Moonbird: A Year on the Wind With the Great Survivor B95 by Hoose, Phillip

The Newbery Honor-and National Book Award-winning author of *Claudette Colvin: Twice Toward Justice* documents the survival tale of an intrepid shorebird who has endured 9,000-mile annual migrations between Argentina and the Canadian Arctic throughout the course of a long lifetime while his species continues to decline.

616.8522 Lev

Phobiapedia: All the Things We Fear the Most! by Levy, Joel

An introduction to common fears includes coverage of such phobias as spiders, heights, and confined spaces, revealing their scientific names, psychological effects, and why such things cause fear.

616.995 Mur

Invincible Microbe: Tuberculosis and the Never-ending Search for a Cure by Murphy, Jim

A thoroughly researched history of tuberculosis incorporates more than 100 archival images and traces centuries of ineffective treatments before the causative microorganism was identified, describing modern tactics for addressing drug-resistant varieties.

646.7808 Bur

How to Raise Your Parents: A Teen Girl's Survival Guide by Burningham, Sarah O'leary; Pilar, Bella

Helps young girls and their parents navigate the early teen years, offering advice about parental hot buttons and insight into what the world looks like from a parent's point of view.

664.109 Aro

Sugar Changed the World: A Story of Magic, Spice, Slavery, Freedom, and Science by Aronson, Marc; Budhos, Marina

Sugar has left a bloody trail through human history. Cane--not cotton or tobacco--drove the bloody Atlantic slave trade and took the lives of countless Africans who toiled on vast sugar plantations under cruel overseers. And yet the very popularity of sugar gave abolitionists in England the one tool that could finally end the slave trade. This book traces the history of sugar from its origins in New Guinea around 7000 B.C. to its use in the 21st century to produce ethanol.

741.5973 Bow

Superman Versus The Ku Klux Klan: The True Story of How the Iconic Superhero Battled the Men of Hate by Bowers, Rick

Intertwining stories about the invention of Superman as a defender of the little guy, his rise as a media force, and the real fight against the Ku Klux Klan demonstrate how a mythical hero could take on the fight for civil rights.

782.4216 Dar

Dare to Dream: Life As One Direction by One Direction

Describes the early lives of the band members and their journey to superstardom as One Direction.

796.48 Bob

Passion for Victory: The Story of the Olympics in Ancient and Early Modern Times by Bobrick, Benson

A chronicle of Olympics history from the eighth century B.C. to the competitions of the 20th century includes historical profiles of athletes while offering insight into how the games were shaped by international events.

811 Lov

Love and Longing: A Collection of Classic Poetry and Prose by Agnew, Kate (EDT); Wilson, Jacqueline (INT)

Presents a selection of love poems by English and American poets, including Richard Lovelace, Thomas Hardy, Robert Burns, Robert Louis Stevenson, and Edgar Allan Poe.

811.54 Sil

Every Thing On It: Poems and Drawings by Silverstein, Shel

With over 100 never-before-seen poems and illustrations, this book follows in the tradition and format of the beloved author/illustrator's acclaimed and best-selling poetry collections: *Where the Sidewalk Ends*, *A Light in the Attic* and *Falling Up*.

811.008 Poe

Poetry Speaks Who I Am by Paschen, Elise (EDT); Alexander, Elizabeth (EDT); Harjo, Joy (EDT); Leithauser, Brad (EDT)

From the creators of the New York Times best-sellers *Poetry Speaks* and *Poetry Speaks to Children* comes a collection filled with more than 100 remarkable selections from a wide variety of poets in an anthology featuring both classic and contemporary works. Also includes an audio CD showcasing poets reading their own work.

910.9163 Hop

Titanic: Voices from the Disaster by Hopkinson, Deborah

Presents a one hundredth anniversary tribute to the Titanic tragedy based on the words and stories of its witnesses and survivors, in an account that is complemented by archival photographs.

921 Ear

Amelia Lost: The Life and Disappearance of Amelia Earhart by Fleming, Candace; Hische, Jessica (CON)

Tells the story of Amelia Earhart's life--as a child, a woman, and a pilot--and describes the search for her missing plane.

921 Gra

Temple Grandin: How the Girl Who Loved Cows Embraced Autism and Changed the World by Montgomery, Sy; Grandin, Temple (FRW)

An authorized portrait about the co-author's life with autism and her groundbreaking work as a scientist and designer of cruelty-free livestock facilities includes photographs from Grandin's personal collection and describes how she overcame key disabilities through education and the support of her mother.

921 Ham

Beyond Belief: Finding the Strength to Come Back by Hamilton, Josh; Keown, Tim (CON)

The outfielder for the Texas Rangers relates the drug and alcohol abuse that derailed his baseball career and led to his estrangement from friends and family, and describes his spiritual journey back from addiction.

921 Hen

Jimi: Sounds Like a Rainbow: A Story of the Young Jimi Hendrix by Golio, Gary; Steptoe, Javaka (ILT)

Presents an introduction to the legendary musician's childhood, revealing how he loved to draw, paint, and listen to records, while playing air guitar and dreaming about making pictures with music. (ORCA Nominee 2013 – Illustrated book)

921 Job

Steve Jobs: The Man Who Thought Different by Blumenthal, Karen

Presents the life and career of the computer industry visionary, from his early life and creation of Apple Computer at the age of twenty to his accomplishments in technology and design.

921 Keh

Small Steps: The Year I Got Polio by Kehret, Peg; Shanahan, Denise

The author describes her battle against polio when she was thirteen and her efforts to overcome its debilitating effects.

921 Nor

Stolen into Slavery: The True Story of Solomon Northup, Free Black Man by Fradin, Judith; Fradin, Dennis B.

Follows the story of Solomon Northup--a free black man who was kidnapped and forced into slavery--through his twelve years of bondage in Louisiana until friends from New York rescued him from a cotton plantation.

921 One

Shaq Uncut: My Story by O'Neal, Shaquille; Macmullan, Jackie (CON)

This autobiography from the four-time NBA champion describes his life and colorful career, from his sports victories to acting and rapping and offers his thoughts on fellow luminaries including Kobe Bryant and Phil Jackson.

970.016 Moo

Explorers of the New World: Discover the Golden Age of Exploration by Mooney, Carla; Casteel, Tom (ILT)

Provides twenty-two step-by-step projects to help readers learn about the explorers that discovered America and their voyages.

973.7092 Fre

Abraham Lincoln and Frederick Douglass: The Story Behind an American Friendship by Freedman, Russell

A Newbery Medal winner recounts Abraham Lincoln's brief friendship with African-American leader Frederick Douglass before and during the Civil War, narrated against the backdrop of the race relations and politics of the time. Includes 70 archival photographs.

973.7301 Mou

Technology and the Civil War by Mountjoy, Shane (EDT)

Describes the developing technologies explored and implemented during the Civil War, including exploding shells, hot air balloons, anesthesia, land mines, submarines, and the telegraph.

973.7 Rob

Untold Civil War: Exploring the Human Side of War by Robertson, James; Kagan, Neil (EDT)

Photographs, illustrations, and text describe lesser-known aspects of the American Civil War, discussing the significance of access to fresh water during the battle at Gettysburg, how the need to spread news about the dead and wounded gave rise to the USPostal Service, the introduction of "standard time," pre-sized clothing, canned goods, and more.

978.004

Cheyenne by Crompton, Samuel Willard; Rosier, Paul C. (EDT)

Presents a history of the Cheyene Indians, discusses their interactions with Europeans and the United States government, and describes their society and way of life.

978.0049 Pat

Buffalo And the Indians: A Shared Destiny by Patent, Dorothy Hinshaw; Munoz, William (PHT)

Provides an historical review of the special bond between Native Americans and buffalos throughout history in relation to their hunting rituals and their respect for them with regard to their own survival, and examines how European settlers disrupted nature's balance and nearly caused the extinction of an animal so highly respected by the native tribes.

978.0049 Pat

Horse and the Plains Indians: A Powerful Partnership by Patent, Dorothy Hinshaw; Munoz, William (ILT)

Documents the transformative period in the early sixteenth century when the Spaniards introduced horses to the Great Plains and how horses became an integral part of the Plains Indians' culture.

979.701 Kir

Mysterious Bones: The Story of Kennewick Man by Kirkpatrick, Katherine; Stevenson, Emma (ILT)

Looks at the 1996 discovery of a nearly complete ancient human skeleton along a bank of the Columbia River in Kennewick Washington, the legal battle that followed over the status of the remains, the methods used to study them, and the surprises that they revealed.