

Attention parents:

Westview Elementary School

Presents Author's Day 2014 on Jan. 31st with

"Children's Author Daryl Cobb"

(For author book signing, use this form to place book orders)

*CHAPTER BOOKS 1&2

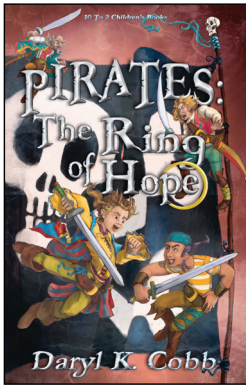
For ages 10-15 and up or strong younger readers.

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* "PIRATES: THE RING OF HOPE"

(287 pages/softcover) \$9.00 Great for boys & girls

Kirkus Reviews says that "Pirates: The Ring of Hope is ... [A]



spirited swashbuckling tale of mystery and magic. The characters are rich and beautifully rendered, and the story is sprinkled with humor. . . . Much of the dialogue is delightfully silly." Twelve year old Peter Nichols steps out of the modern world and right into the middle of this funny fun pirate mystery that has him struggling with right and wrong and the meaning of friendship and family. After a week filled with strange dreams, missing friends and menacing pirates, Peter's struggle to do the right thing comes to a head as he puts not only

himself but his best friend in danger.

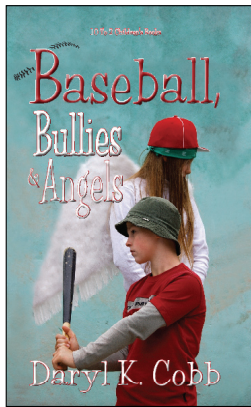
* --Kirkus Reviews

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*Baseball, Bullies & Angels

(288 pages/softcover)\$9.00

"Always sincere, occasionally shocking, this tale is required reading for kids and parents."



Stephen is a typical 13 year old, but is having trouble in school, both socially and academically. When a group of bullies target Stephen, the pressure and pain he feels each day starts to get to him, and the one place he finds hope and happiness is playing baseball. Stephen is a talented baseball player, but as his flame grows brighter, one particular competitor and classmate doesn't like getting overshadowed. He and his friends, "The Bully Gang", set a plan in motion to get Stephen kicked off the baseball team. As the bullying gets worse, Stephen's friends Charlie and Megan try to fill his world with *hope, happiness and laughter.*

SPECIAL! 2013-14 PERSONALIZED SCHOOL BOOK Do Pirates Go To Westview Elementary School?

SB School Book \$13.00

This is a customized school version of Daryl's "Do Pirates Go To School?" with your school name added to the title. It includes a special dedication page with a dedication made directly to your students. Throughout it, one can find the names of teachers, faculty and staff on street signs, pirate rosters and mailboxes, to name a few of the personalized illustrations.

This is a great keepsake!

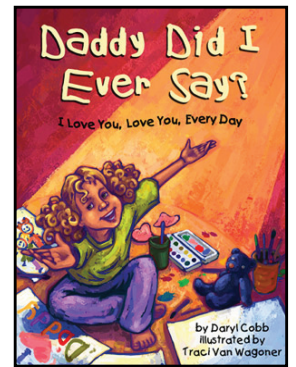
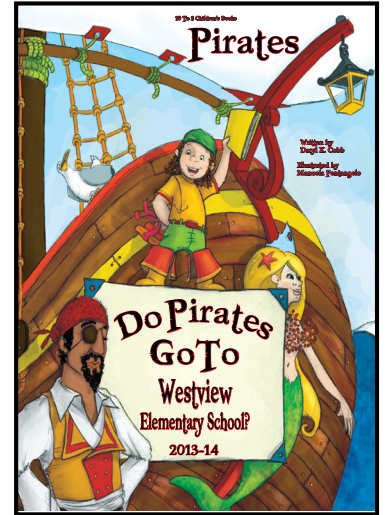
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Daddy Did I Ever Say?

I Love You, Love You Every

\$15.99/ \$11.50 HC

Kirkus Reviews calls Daddy Did I Ever Say? I Love You, Love You, Every Day "[a] charming tale. A cute, curly-haired, kindergarten-aged girl opens the story by asking her father if she's ever told him how much she loves him. She loves him, she explains, because of how he plays, tickles, squeezes, chases, even roughhouses with her. She loves him because whenever she's afraid at night, she knows she can always find him, and he'll make her feel better. ... [T]he sentiment is sweet and Van Wagoner's illustrations are eye catching, though it's the little girl's expression that shines through on every page. The verse Cobb has penned is appealing and...[t]he idea behind the story of the little girl and her doting father is charming[.]" **Appropriate for children 0 to 10. A Perfect Father's Day gift for every day (hardcover)**



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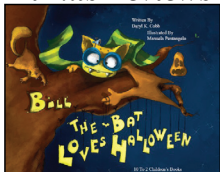
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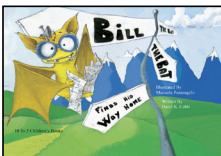
Kirkus Reviews-- Bill is a curious bat who loves Halloween and watching trick-or-treaters. The little ghouls and goblins run away when he swoops in for a closer look, but Bill is undaunted. He keeps following them until he takes a broom to the head.... Colorful illustrations fill the pages with movement and detail [in this] fast-moving, fun rhyming picture book.



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"Bill the Bat Finds His Way Home"

When Bill's sonar goes on the fritz he looks to others to help guide him home. He pays a visit on the sleepy old owl and crashes into Dave the duck but can anyone help this poor lost bat find his way?



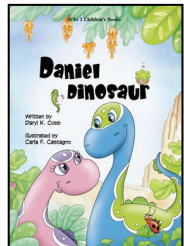
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-- **Kirkus Reviews** calls **Bill the Bat Babysits Bella** "[a] sweet book celebrating brother-sister bonds. Bill is back, and it's time for him to watch his little sister Bella for a week while their parents are away. While Bill makes his late, frantic trip to her house, Bella waits with adoring eyes and a long list of games and activities. The brother and sister do every single one and live it up all week long with pizza and treats and trips to the zoo. ... [T]he kid listening is probably thinking, 'I wish I had a big brother like Bill.' ... [The] illustrations are rich with color and detail and full of little quirks to *discuss*." Ages up to 10



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--**Kirkus Reviews** calls **Daniel Dinosaur** "A sweet story told in simple rhymes that young children will likely enjoy. Daniel has just turned 4... his parents ask him to watch over [his sister Sue] while their away, and he loses track of her. Danny's search for Sue is humorous, and it is rendered with lively drawings."



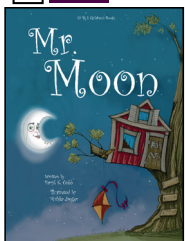
~~\$11.99~~ **\$9.00** *Soft Cover - only* **8**

"Kirkus Reviews says that **Greta Magical Mistake** is told "With simple rhymes and a gentle spirit, veteran children's author Cobb offers an enjoyable story of a witch-in-training whose good intentions go awry." Greta Grohm, a student at Wilhelm's Magic Academy, quickly discovers how good intentions can go wrong. When Greta finds a stray cat on the way home from magic school she immediately thinks he would make a great new friend for her two pet birds, Dew and Ray. She takes the cat home, a wild chase ensues and a magic spell goes bad to set this tale in motion.

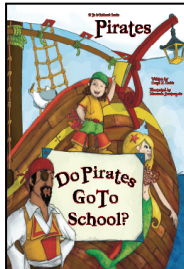


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Kirkus Reviews calls **Mr. Moon** "[a] pleasing children's narrative with a relevant message." When the moon over stays his welcome he gets a little heat from his friend the sun. We all must learn at some point to appreciate the things that make us individuals and what makes each of our own lives special as Mr. Moon does in this unique and fun story.



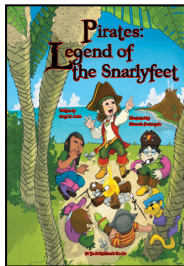
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Pirates: Do Pirates Go To School? is a fun story about a young boy who finds a pair of boots that turn out to be a little out of the ordinary. Come join Pete as he learns if Pirates really do go to school. illustrations by Manuela Pentangelo. **Appropriate for children 0 to 10**

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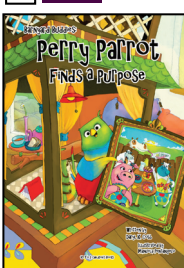
Pirates: Legend of the Snarlyfeet



is a follow up to Daryl K. Cobb's "Do Pirates Go To School?" This is a fun adventure that follows Pirate Pete and his friends to the mysterious land of Hogantail in a search for buried treasure. Readers will be introduced to the most feared animal on the island, the dreaded Snarlyfeet, and . . . they will just love them. The pirates in this tale learn a very important life lesson about judging others, one that your children will certainly take with them as well.

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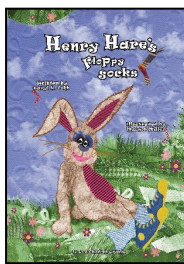
"Barnyard Buddies:



Perry Parrot Finds a Purpose" is an imaginative story about discovery. Perry, a young parrot, grows up on a farm and one day becomes aware that all of his barnyard friends have jobs to do. As the rest of the animals set off to do their daily chores, Perry looks closely at the roles his friends play on the farm and contemplates where he fits in. Young readers will have fun with this story and the rhyming text as Perry tries to figure out what his purpose really is.

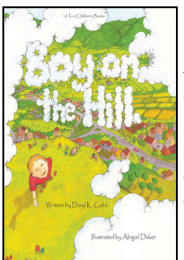
13 ~~\$10.99~~ **\$8.50** *Soft Cover - only*

Kirkus Reviews says that **"Henry Hare's Floppy Socks** is a fun romp with uniquely illustrated characters and a simple solution to an amusingly silly dilemma." When Henry Hare can't keep his socks from falling down, all of his friends come together to try to help Henry find a solution to this problem. Margot Miller creates colorful illustrations from household textures and helps makes this story fun to read and look at.



~~\$10.99~~ **\$8.50** *SC-only* **14**

Boy on the Hill by Daryl K. Cobb, As a child, did you ever wonder how the clouds could look like animals, planes and so many other fun things? Daryl K. Cobb did, and in his mind he always dreamed there had to be someone out there sculpting these beautiful billowy shapes. "Boy on the Hill" perfectly captures this source of childhood amusement with whimsical illustrations by Abigail Daker.



~~\$10.99~~ **\$8.50** *Soft Cover - only* **15**

"Count with Daniel Dinosaur is a wonderful counting story. Come and join Daniel and his sister Sue for some counting fun. Seek and find pages have been added to the end of the book for interactive entertainment. There are some fun dinosaur facts, as well (did you know they've found dinosaur fossils in New Jersey?)" **Counting story for children up to 6**

