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**Marjaleena Lembcke / Wiebke Rauers**  
**Carmen Grandezza`s Cats Home**



4 years and up  
32 full colour pages  
Publication date: July 2016  
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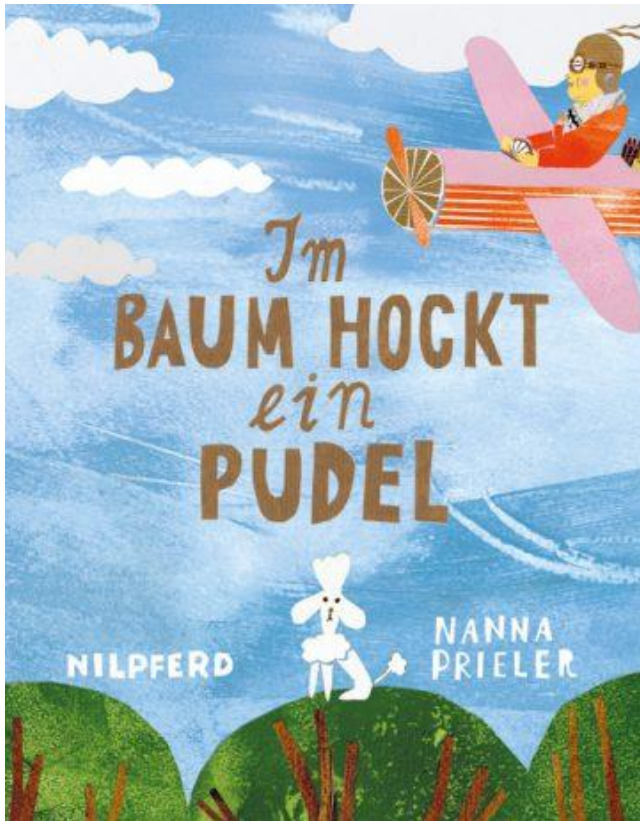
**Marjaleena Lembcke** was born in Kokkola, Finland in 1945. She studied theatre arts in Finland and has lived in Germany since 1967. She has been writing short stories, novels and poems for children and adults since 1985. She has won numerous awards for her works.

**Wiebke Rauers** was born in 1986 and studied communication design in Düsseldorf, specialising in illustration. She has been freelancing in Berlin since 2015, working on apps, exhibitions and everything connected with graphic design. Her book "Only a day" has been sold to Latin America, Spain, Hungary, Czech Republic, Romania, China

Carmen Grandezza, an ancient opera diva, lives with her cats at a sea. One day they will have a new housemate. That is no problem, the cats exclaim generously, we have enough space. But oh no, the new arrival is a dog!  
After Carmen has told them in a singing-speech, how she has rescued each of them, they understand, that the poor dog has the right to live under the lovely roof of Carmen Grandezza, too.



**Nanna Prieler**  
**There is poodle perching in the tree**



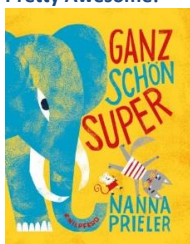
Age: 3+  
38 full colour pages  
Publication date: February 2017  
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**Nanna Prieler** was born 1991 in Friesach and grew up in Neumarkt. She studied at the Ortwein school of art and design, Graz. Illustration was always her most important medium, and even as a child she dreamt of one day making her own children’s books. Today she lives in Vienna, as a freelance illustrator and designer for various magazines and graphics companies. For her Book “Pretty Awesome!” she has won the Serafina Award.

You should be strong, smart or brave! Unfortunately Ida is too small and does not like that at all. When Grandma flies out together with poodle, he falls out of the plane. Fortunately he lands in the tree crown. Ida and the other children want to rescue poodle. They try everything: leg-up or cable haulage, nothing works. The blame lies with Ida! She is too small. But who knows...she will find a solution at the end.

Previous books by the same illustrator:

**Nanna Prieler:**  
**Pretty Awesome!**



40 Pages  
Age: 3+  
ET: Spring 2016  
Rights sold to: The Netherlands

**Jutta Treiber:**  
**The words are flying**



40 Pages  
Age: 3+  
ET: Spring 2015  
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**Jutta Treiber/Nanna Prieler:**  
**When I’m a Grown-up Fox**

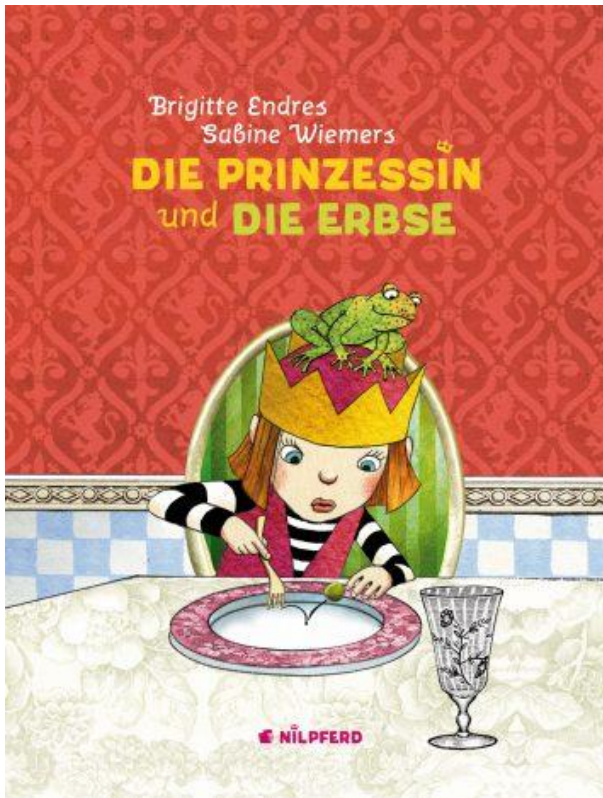


40 Pages  
Age: 3+  
ET: Spring 2014  
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Brigitte Enders/Sabine Wiemers:

**The Princess and the Pea**



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Pages: 32  
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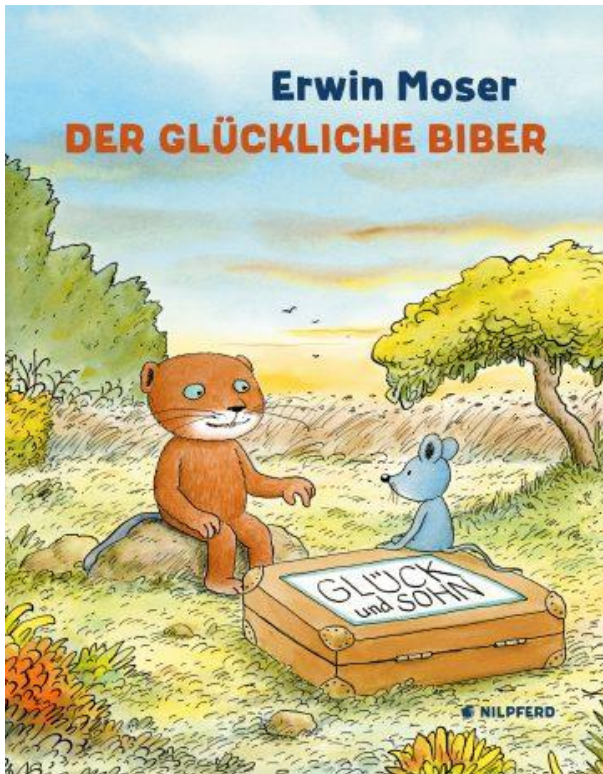
**Brigitte Endres**, born in Würzburg, study of German language and History. She lives in Munich and works as a freelance author. Next to her several books she has written audio stories for example for the Bavarian Radio Broadcasting Station.

**Sabine Wiemers**, born in 1965, study of Visual Communications at the University of Applied Sciences in Düsseldorf. Wiemers works as a freelance illustrator for many publishing houses and illustrated a lot of "Lachgeschichten" for "Die Sendung mit der Maus".

The little tyrant-ess and her wild hunting for a magic word. Even the most spoiled princesses can come across a pea which does not want to be eaten.

No roaring, wriggling and shrieking and not even a wild chase would help. Luckily, the Princess is not only in a raging temper but is also quite clever. And thus she finally remembers the magic word with which the stubborn pea will be persuaded. A tumultuous peahunt with a slipped crown, a ripped princess' dress and an important insight. With charming images full of mischievous details.

**Erwin Moser**  
**The Happy Beaver**

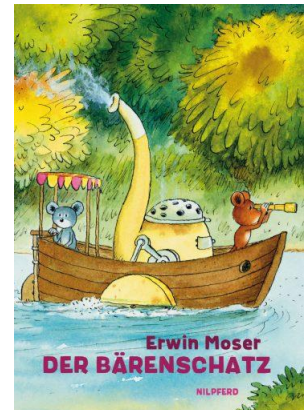
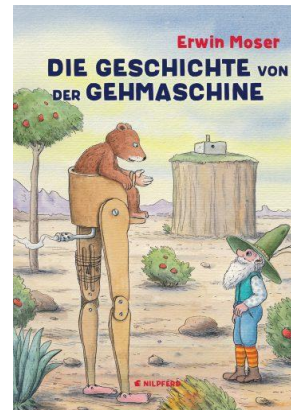
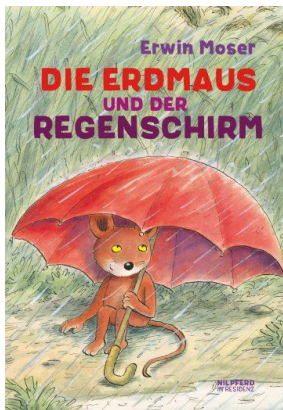


All age  
48 pages  
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Born in 1954 in Vienna, **Erwin Moser** is originally trained as a typesetter. Over the last thirty years he has published countless picture books and children’s stories, many of which have won acclaim, including the shortlist for the German Children’s Literature Award. His imaginatively narrated and illustrated books are characterized by their warmth, and have entered the canon of German children’s literature. In 2013 he was awarded the Golden Decoration of Merit from the state of Vienna.

The beaver finds a suitcase, on which is written in big letters: LUCK AND SON.  
As he is a honest finder, beaver is looking for Mr. Luck. But anyone can help him.  
The toad sends him to the pelican, the mouse has other worries and the weather does not help at all.  
Until the badger knows what to do and the secrets reveal: Who is Mr. Luck? What is inside the suitcase? And why is the Beaver happy at the end? A lovely adventure for little children with Erwin Moser`s charming pictures.

Previous titles of Erwin Moser:



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Russia



**Thomas Brezina**  
**III. by Pablo Tambusco**  
**Bronti – A Saurian is looking for Power-Carrot-Juice (Vol. 4)**



80 pages  
 4 years and up  
 Publication date: February 2017  
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**Thomas C. Brezina** lives in Vienna and London. With more than 550 books so far he fascinates children around the globe. His motto is “Reading should be an adventure”. In China he’s called “master of adventures”.

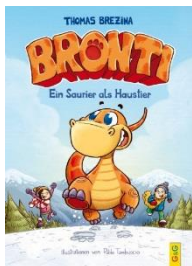
**Pablo Tambusco** was born in 1981 in Buenos Aires. He studied fine arts at the National University of Art and works as an illustrator and comic-strip artist for publishing houses, movies and TV. His works are published in Spain, Canada, Brasil, Puerto Rico, Columbia, Ireland, Poland, China, Germany and Austria.

Tina is mocked at school, because she is a bit plump. The worst mocker still discovers Bronti and challenges her to a competition. The winner can keep Bronti.

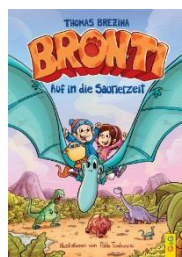
**This is the 4<sup>th</sup> volume of the Bronti-Dinosaur-Series.**

**Previous titles have been:**

Bronti –  
 A Dino rarely comes alone



Bronti –  
 In the land of the dinosaurs (Vol. 2)



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**Thomas Brezina/Ill. by Petra Herberger**  
**Pippa and the Coloured Paws**

This is a new series about Pippa, a young girl who really loves animals. Pippa has a little dog named Chips and she founded the animals club “Coloured paws”. Moreover she is the owner of a magical amulet that lets her understand the animals from time to time...

**Einstein, the School Pig (Vol. 1)**



Pippa meets a pig that can talk. It’s hard to believe, but Pippa will prove it. But suddenly, the pig is lost and an adventurous search begins...

128 pages  
8 years and up  
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**Wolli, the Wonder-Puppy (Vol. 2)**



Pippa has to take care of Wolli, the little puppy, for a whole weekend. But things get a little out of hand, because Wolli has a little secret...

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**Pudding-Star, the Ponyfoal (Vol. 3)**



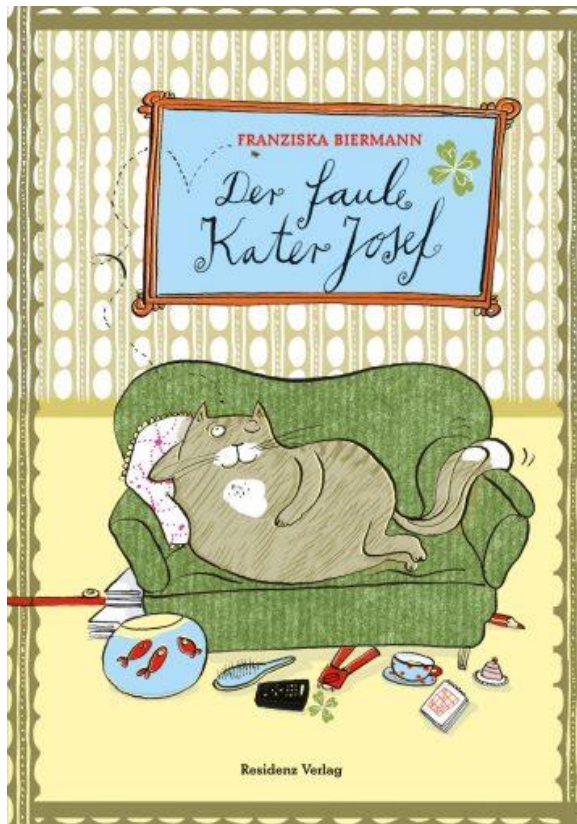
Pippa schreckt aus dem Schlaf hoch – Feuer!

Pippa starts from her sleep - Fire! A foal vanishes without a trace! Is it just a coincidence? Will Pippa be able to solve the secret?

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8 years and up  
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**Backlist-Stars:**

**Franziska Biermann**  
**The Lazy Tomcat Josef**



Franziska Biermann, born in 1970 in Bielefeld, studied Design at the University of applied sciences for design in Hamburg. She works as illustrator and author in the field children's and adolescent book as well as a freelance graphic artist and lives in Hamburg with her family.

64 pages

6 years and up

Publication date: 2008

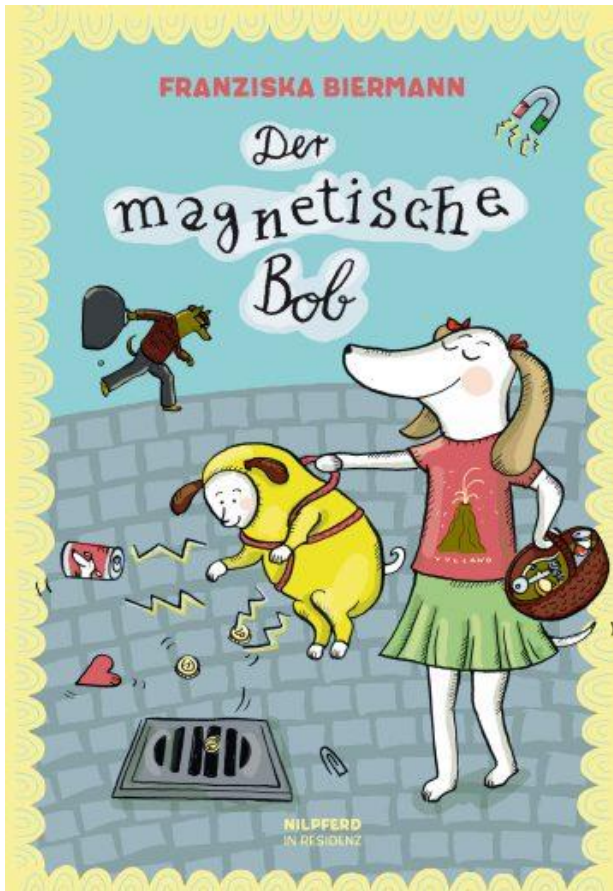
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Poland, Slovenia, Taiwan, Turkey**

Every afternoon, the tomcat Josef trudges to the edge of the world. To get to his cat litter pan, he has to interrupt his routine of digestion nap and brain relaxing and trip down the garden path. One day the neighbour's dog pins a flea on the tomcat Josef. Fortunately the cat is educated by TV and knows how to get rid of the flea – he has to find a new host!

The stupid point is that potential victims of a flea don't hang around on the cat's sofa. The fat one has to socialize. No matter if as a hairdresser for guinea pigs, a singing teacher for lady cats, the world best cuddly cat, a football coach for the dogs' team... No matter how, the tomcat Josef is hell-bent on living flea-less!



Franziska Biermann  
The Magnetic Bob



64 pages

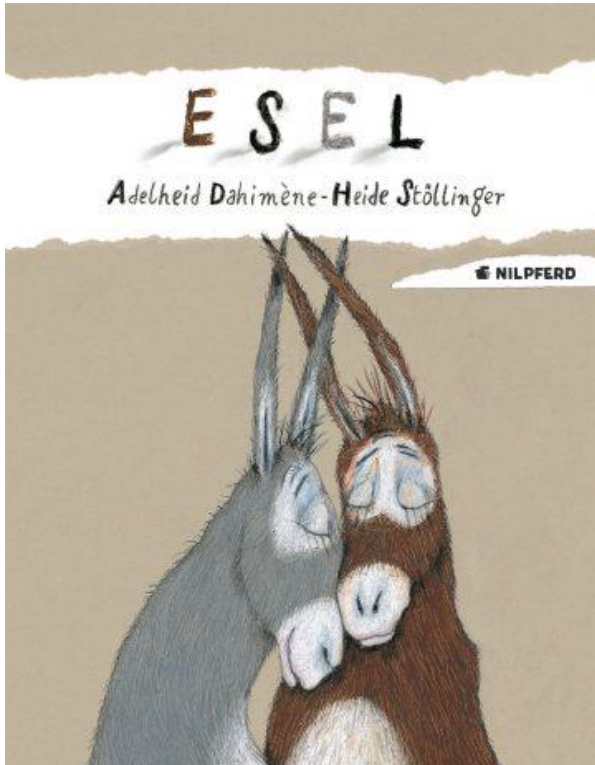
6 years and up

Publication date: 2011

Rights sold to: China, Korea

In Etna's eyes her little baby brother Bob is nothing but useless, until she discovers that he carries a secret that in fact is pretty useful: He is incredibly attractive! Really magnetic! There are plenty things to do with a magnetic Bob like finding loose change, for example, and then investing it in ice cream. Etna makes Bob her own little tracker dog and sets off to magnetic expeditions with him. That works pretty well until Etna and Bob come across a real bank robber, who has just pinched a bag full of coins. So there it goes: a turbulent chase including a load of metal and the unexpected clarification to Bob's secret...

**Adelheid Dahimène / ill. Heide Stöllinger**  
**Donkeys**



Adelheid Dahimène, born in Altheim/Upper Austria in 1956, lived as a freelance writer in Wels. She writes for children, young adults, and adults. She died 2010.

Heide Stöllinger, born in Klagenfurt in 1941, studied at the University of Applied Arts in Vienna. She works as a freelance artist in Linz.

32 pages  
For all ages  
Publication date: 2002

**Rights sold to: China, Czech Republic, Denmark, Netherlands, USA, , Croatia, Norway, Portugal, Slovenia, Taiwan, Turkey**

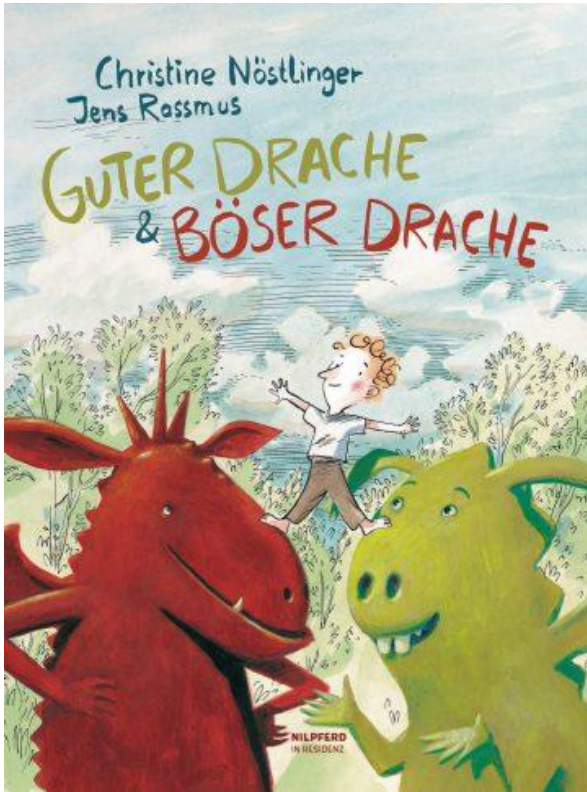
Two donkeys quarrel on their silver wedding anniversary. “I can find more clever donkeys than you at every corner!” says the jenny-ass and stomps off furiously. This wise and enchantingly illustrated picture book tells the story of their separation and of how in the end the two donkeys are reunited again in the dunes of the African desert.

*This is a cheerful book about quarrels, stubbornness, and reconciliation, and about the reliability of belonging together.* The White Ravens

Awards:

- Most Beautiful Children’s Book of Austria 2002.
- Honourable List of Austrian Children’s and Youth Book Prize 2003
- Austrian Promotion Prize for Children’s and Youth Literature
- The best 7
- The White ravens 2013

**Christine Nöstlinger / ill. Jens Rasmus**  
**Good Dragon & Bad Dragon**



Ages 4 and up

40 pages

Publication date: 2012

Rights sold to: China, Slovenia, Korea, Spain, Catalan

**Christine Nöstlinger** was born in Vienna in 1936. Since 1970 she has published more than one hundred children's and young adult's books. Most of them have been translated into many languages and have become Classics. She has received many literary awards such as the Deutscher Jugendliteraturpreis (1973), the Hans Christian Andersen Award (1984) and the Astrid Lindgren Memorial Award (2003). Christine Nöstlinger lives in Vienna, in a farm in Lower Austria.

**Jens Rasmus**, was born in 1967 in Kiel and lives in Hamburg. He studied illustration in Hamburg and Dundee, Scotland. Since 1996 he has been a freelance illustrator and author and has published several picture books and children's books. He is a magician in illustrating the mood of lights.

Florian has two dragons, a good one and a bad one. And only he can see them and no one else! Together, the three of them are invincible. Good Dragon and Bad Dragon are always there for Florian. But when they are about to leave for their vacation, Florian is really surprised: They are afraid of the sea! Fortunately, Florian's mum has an idea: They need dragon floaties! But where to get them? Online, of course! And then, all set up with invisible floaties and a lot of fun, Florian encourages his dragons to try something new...This is a truly refreshing story on being courageous and encouraging others, unique in its wisdom and funny as only Christine Nöstlinger's stories can be. Including wonderful illustrations by Jens Rasmus which will inspire both kids and grownups.



**Christine Nöstlinger/  
Franziska Biermann  
The Matter with Gruselwusel**



Ages 8 and up

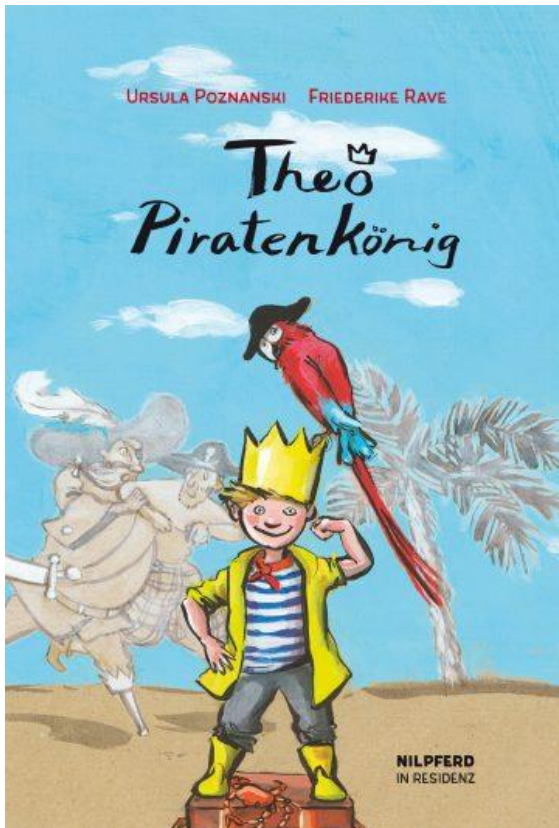
64 pages

Publication date: 2009

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Even ghosts have to grow up! Mizzi, Joschi's sister, is as brave as Joschi always wanted to be – but he is not brave at all. And although he admires her courage, he one night decides to scare her with a self-made ghost. But the idea becomes a complete flop due to failed magic: Finally Joschi ends up with a lively baby-ghost called Gruselwusel, whom he has to hide from the rest of the world, who has to be fed with cobwebs and who has to be protected. Fortunately his smart sister Mizzi soon finds out what Joschi is trying to hide and has a brilliant idea – they need a mother for the Gruselwuselbaby. But nobody could have suspected that now Mizzi learns what it means to be afraid. The lovingly and wittily told new story by Christine Nöstlinger, combined with the charming illustrations by Franziska Biermann, add up to an irresistible book.

**Ursula Poznanski / Friederike Rave**  
**Theo, King of the Pirates**



Ages 6 and up  
44 pages  
Publication date: 2010  
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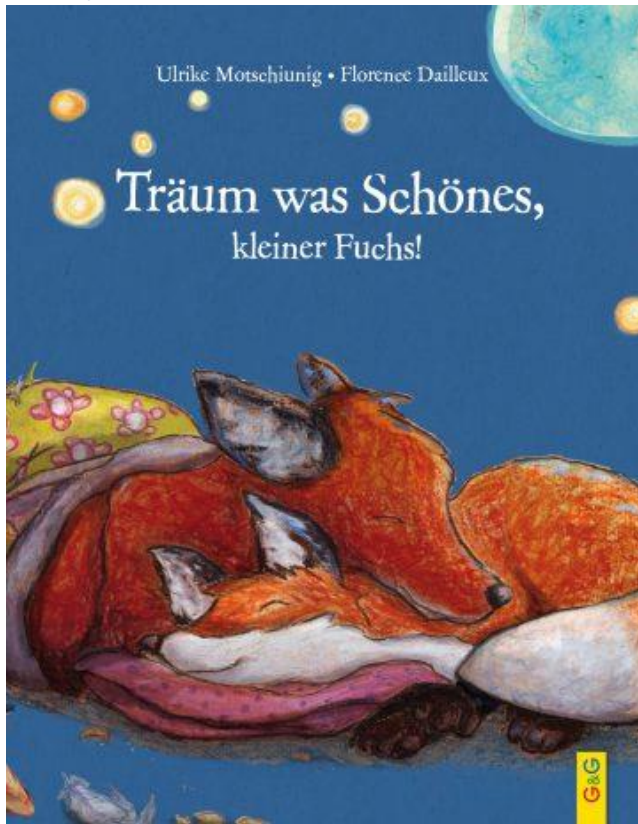
This Austrian woman is a genius.  
Brigitte

**Ursula Poznanski** was born in Vienna. First she was a medical journalist. After her son was born, she started writing books for children. Her first YA novel Erebus which has been translated into various languages won the German Youth Literature Award. 1 million books sold in total Translated into 33 languages

**Friederike Rave**, born in 1970, studied Communication Design with the main focus Illustration in Wuppertal (Wolf Erlbruch). Diploma 2002. Since then she has been working as a freelance illustrator in Wuppertal and Mecklenburg.

On a treasure hunt with tough fellows. Who is going to be the King of the Pirates?  
With his uncle Hugo, the Pirate's Captain, Theo goes in search for the treasure of the pirates. In a terrible storm they are forced to take a bath; luckily, the crew gets washed ashore – and moreover it's the right island! Unfortunately, Captain Hugo is not the only one who threw an eye on the treasure. Namely, there is Gustav Crook, a dangerous antagonist!  
The two pirate gangs start a severe race to find the treasure and to crown the winner king.  
What the pirates don't know yet: Nephew pirate Theo and Calm, the lady parrot, are several steps ahead! A fast-paced adventure full of lively dialogues and funny images.

**Ulrike Motschiunig**  
**III. by Florence Dailleux**  
**Dream, Little Fox!**



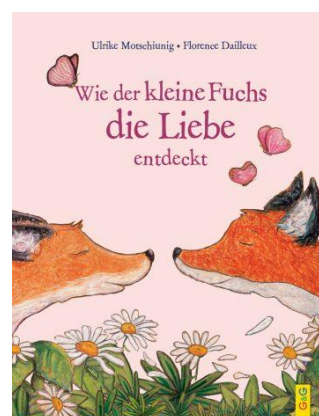
**Ulrike Motschiunig** is a talented Austrian children's book author who has already published several successful books at G&G Publishing House – the fox series being the most popular so far.

**Florence Dailleux** was born in Paris and lived in Scotland, Chile and Mexico until she moved to Frankfurt. After studying English and working in marketing, she made her dream come true and became an illustrator.

3 years and up  
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The little fox cannot sleep. So he walks through the forest at night and learns about the other animals and their sleeping habits. After the long walk the little fox is really tired and he finally falls asleep.

**Selection of previous titles in this series:**



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