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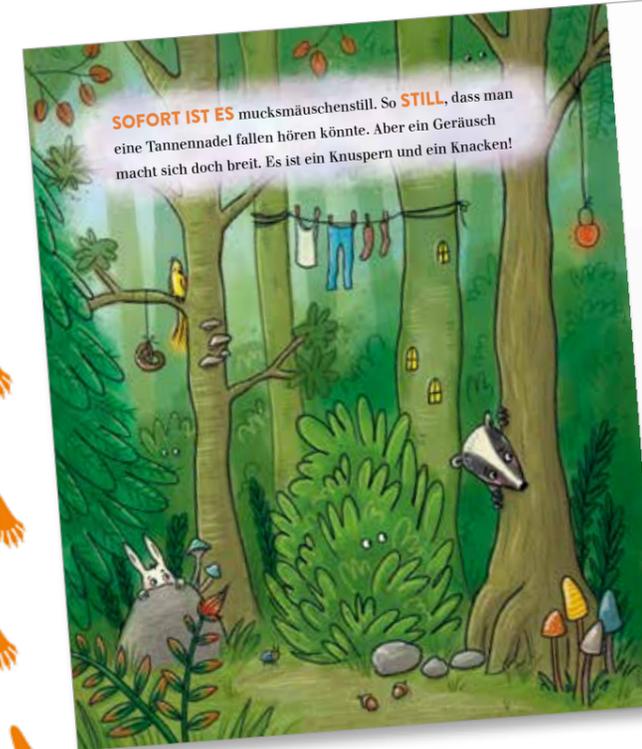
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# NEW NOW!

## The magic I AM READING ALOUD adventure



„Hmmm! Nüsse, soweit das Auge reicht!“ schwärmt Eichhörnchen Mila. Wie gut, dass ich neu hierhergezogen bin! Und **VOR DIESEM** grimmigen **ZAUBERER** mit den schlechten Manieren **FÜRCHTE ICH MICH** ganz sicher **NICHT!**“, So laut sie kann, **RUFT MILA** zurück: „Huhu! Rufus! Vor dir habe ich keine Angst!“



**EVERYTHING  
WENT QUIET.  
“I’M NOT AFRAID  
OF THIS WIZARD!”  
MILA SHOUTS.**

**Discover the story  
in the story**

The enchanting new idea to make the most of **SHARED STORYTIMES**: Discover the magic of the Enchanted Forest and its inhabitants together with your child as you read the complete story.

**THE LARGE PRINTED WORDS** on each page enable your child to become active and **DISCOVER THE STORY WITHIN THE STORY**.



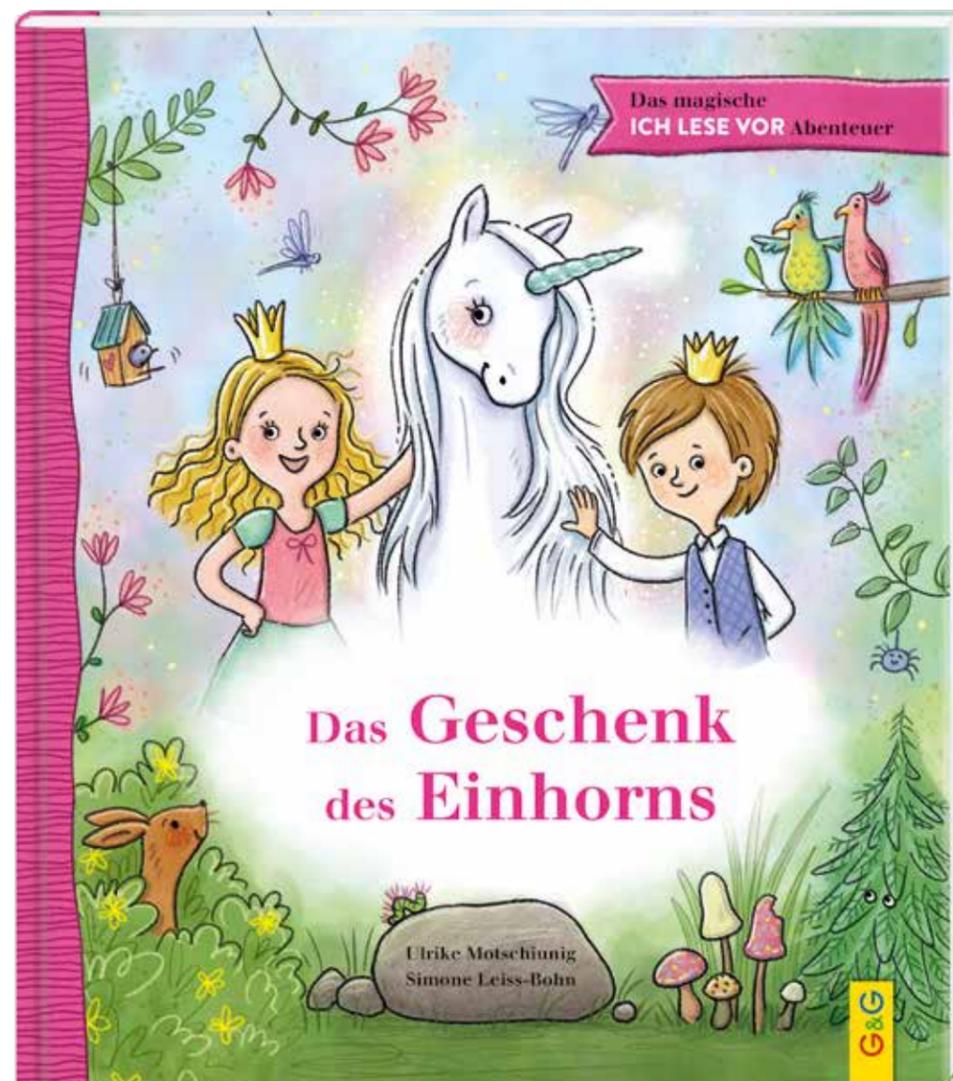
Ulrike Mutschlitz has lived in Klagenfurt since 1990. After the birth of her two children, she began to concentrate on writing children’s and young adult literature. She sees it as her calling to write “children’s books with a heart”.  
[www.kinderbuchmitherz.at](http://www.kinderbuchmitherz.at)



Simone Leiss-Bohn, born and raised near Stuttgart, spent much of her childhood drawing and sketching. She is a professional graphic designer and lives as an illustrator with her family near Bremen. More at: [www.simoneleiss.de](http://www.simoneleiss.de)

## The Unicorn's Gift

For clever “alphabet adventurers” – discover the story within the story!  
Princess Euralia and her brother Prince Janis get into big trouble in the heart of the Enchanted Forest.  
Where is the way back to the castle? And which of the magical beings they encounter can they trust?



Ulrike Motschiunig / Simone Leiss-Bohn  
**The Unicorn's Gift**

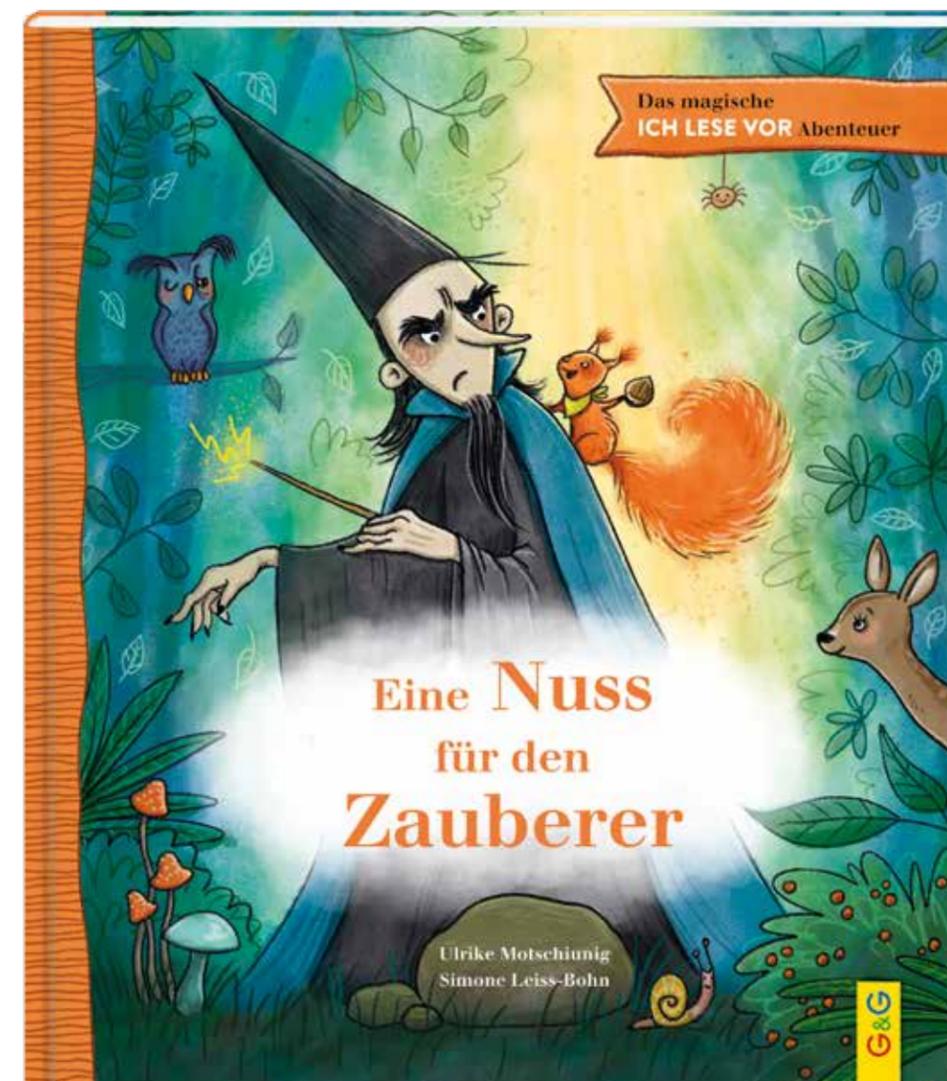
48 pages  
Age: 5+ years

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## A Nut for the Wizard

For clever “alphabet adventurers” – discover the story within the story!  
Things would be quite cheerful in the Enchanted Forest if it weren't for Rufus, the terrible wizard.  
Mila the squirrel may be small, but she has a really cunning idea to stand up to Wizard Rufus.



- **The new idea that encourages reading: clever “alphabet adventurers” read the simplified version of the story on every page**
- **Colourful and lavishly illustrated like a picture book**
- **Playful and exciting like a first reader's adventure**

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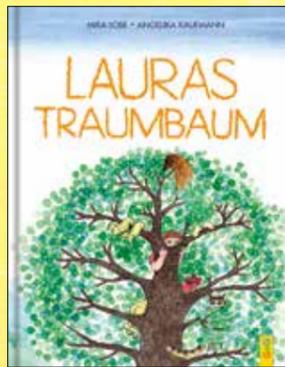
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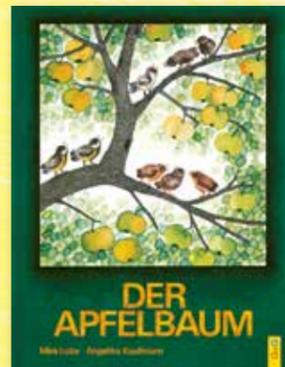
„For the most beautiful story times of the year, we have the perfect Christmas picture books – for the cosiest, snuggliest and most enjoyable hours of the year!“

Georg Glöckler, publisher

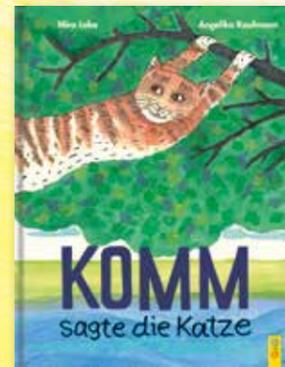
## Classic from Mira Lobe



**Laura's dream tree**  
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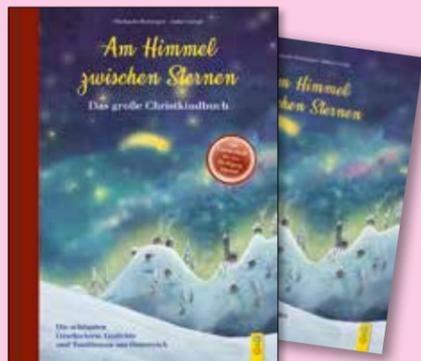
# Christmas

## 24 stories to read until Christkind comes

Valentina has got a letter from the Christkind! "Dear Valentina!" it begins. Every day, five-year-old Valentina finds the next part of the letter together with a small gift in her Advent calendar. What will the day bring when she finds a little snowman? And what will the day bring when she finds a golden crayon?



## The Christkind house book



**In the sky between stars**  
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Lisa Gallauner, was born in 1978, lives with her family in Krems. She works as a teacher. She has published her first children's book in 2008.  
[lisa.gallauner.at](http://lisa.gallauner.at)



Cornelia Seelmann was born in 1962 in Hamburg and lives in Berlin. Since 2009 she has been working as a freelance illustrator



- These 24 charming stories are perfect for shortening the wait for the Christkind
- For the cosiest story times of the year
- With a glittery cover

Lisa Gallauner / Cornelia Seelmann  
**24 stories to read until Christkind comes**

80 pages  
Age: 4+ years

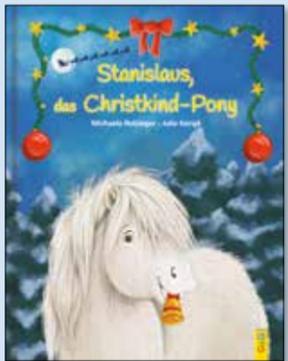
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## Stanislaus and the secret of the Christkind

What the children of the village want most for Christmas is to catch a glimpse of the Christkind. Stanislaus, the Christkind pony, realises that he needs to help and, much to everyone's amusement, slips into the Christkind's magical coat.



## Backlist-Tipp



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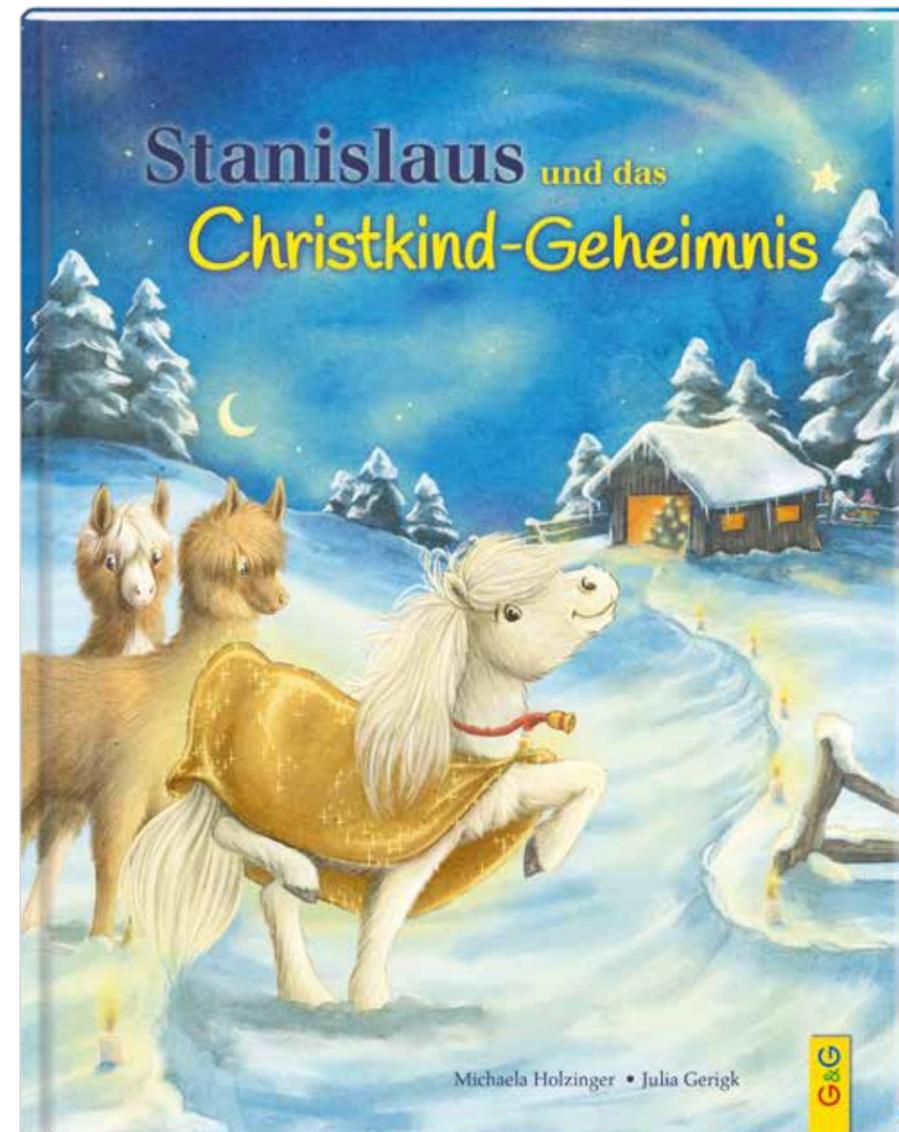
**A Donkey's Christmas**  
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Michaela Holzinger, born in 1978, lives with her family in Austria. She writes for all ages: from picture books to YA. She has published more than 20 books, some of them were multiply awarded.  
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Julia Gerigk studied communication design at Hamburg Technical Art School and has worked as a freelance graphic designer and illustrator ever since. She lives with her dogs and horses in a small village on the Baltic coastline and devotes herself exclusively to illustrating children's books.  
[www.juliagerigk.com](http://www.juliagerigk.com)



- Christkind's most faithful, laugh-out-loud helper is here: Stanislaus the pony!
- A pony that spreads Christmas cheer
- The perfect ambassador for the good news of Christmas
- The new instalment in the bestselling series – beautifully illustrated to inspire Christmas cheer

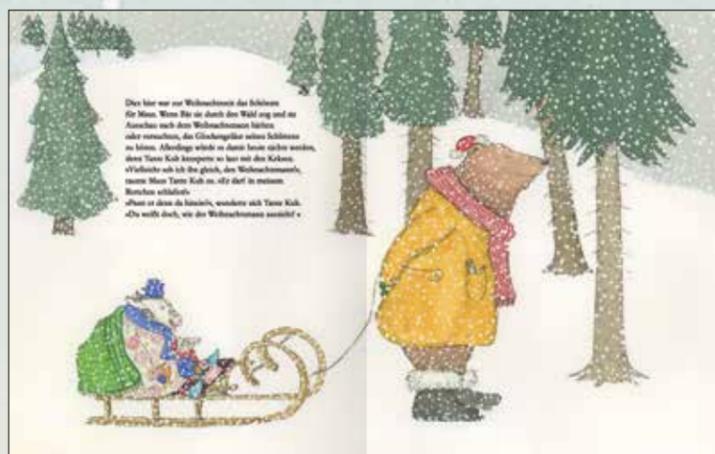
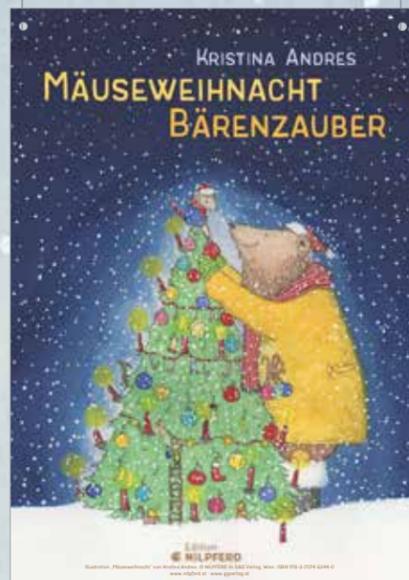
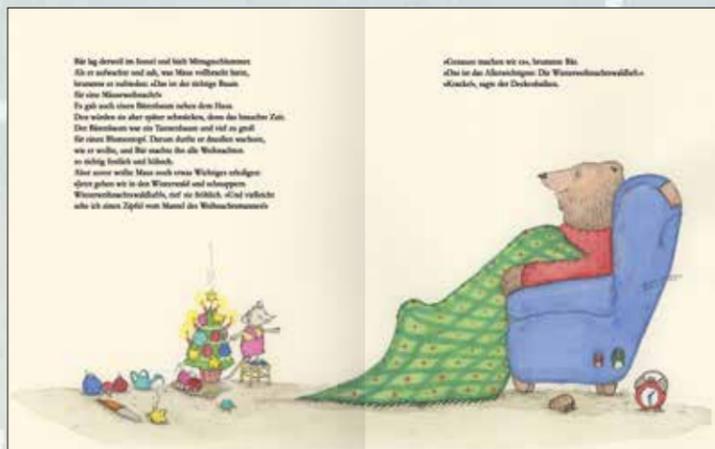
Michaela Holzinger / Julia Gerigk  
[Stanislaus and the secret of the Christkind](#)

32 pages  
Age: 3+ years

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## Mouse Christmas, Bear Magic

Bear and mouse are in a really Christmassy mood, so they decorate the bear tree and prepare a cuddly mouse bed, including a stack of books and a sheep music box. The bed is for Santa Claus, in case he needs it ... Whether they go out for a breath of crisp Christmas forest air or put a warm bobble hat on the cheese – bear and mouse enchant readers with a story full of heart, cosiness and amazing ideas.



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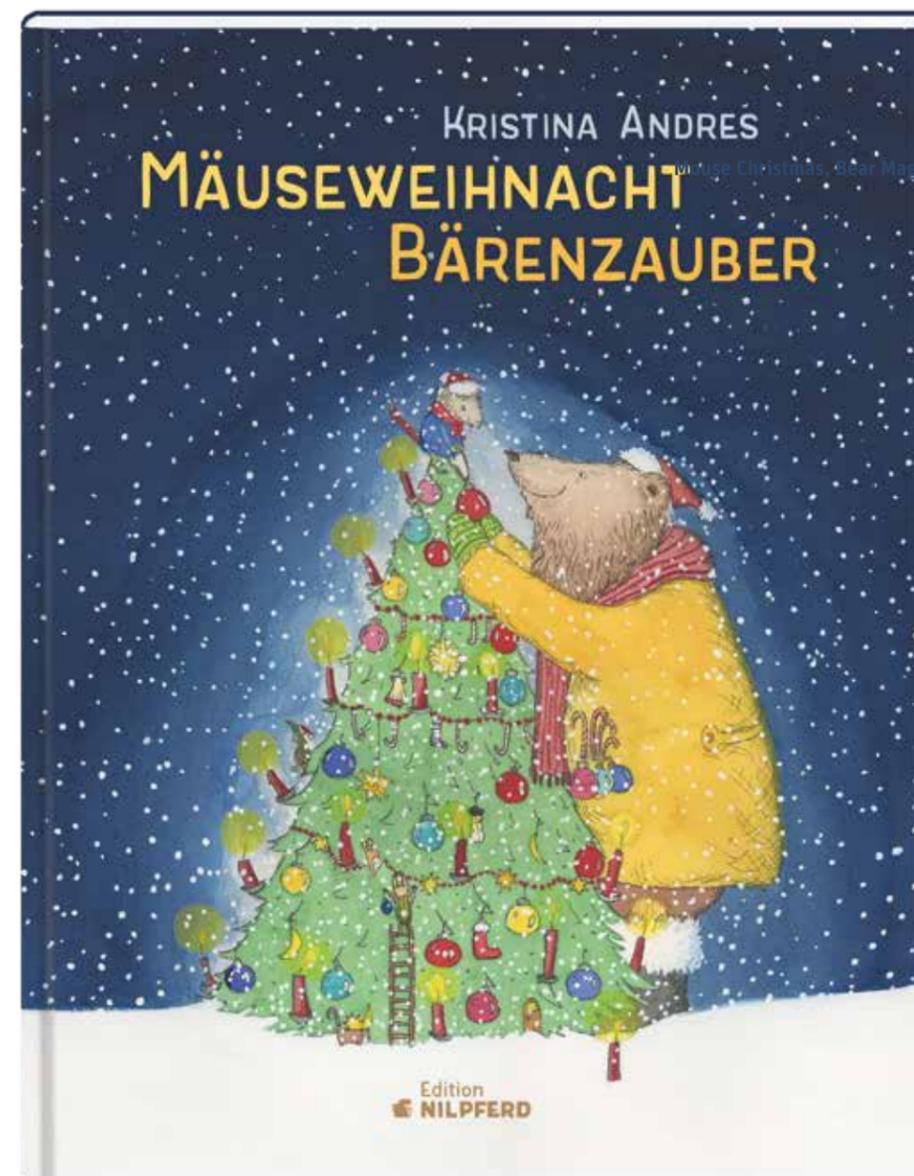


**Winter For Mouse,  
Snow For Bear**  
Age: 5+ years  
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Kristina Andres, born in Greifswald in 1971, studied in Hamburg. She is a children's books author and illustrator, whereby her preferred technique is etching. Her favourite workplace is the meadow under the pear tree in her garden.

## Picture Book 5+



- **Christmas magic with bear and mouse and an unusual Santa Claus**
- **A cheerful, cosy Christmas story**
- **A new picture book that continues the beloved story of bear and mouse**

Kristina Andres  
**Mouse Christmas, Bear Magic**

48 pages  
Age: 5+ years

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„Nilpferd is now Edition Nilpferd – with beautiful, exciting new releases. We welcome Ursula Poznanski with Theo, King of the Pirates and can't wait to share the many more highlights to come.“

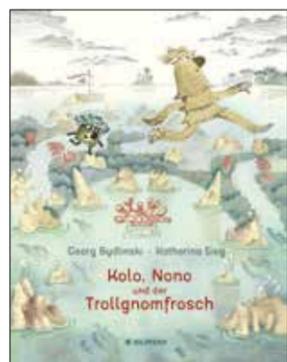
Georg Glöckler, publisher



- The Ice Dragon meets a brave girl
- Enchantingly beautiful fairy tale of kindness and love
- A long-time favourite from NILPFERD
- Austrian children's book prize – Youth jury award

**The Ice Dragon**  
Age: 5+ years  
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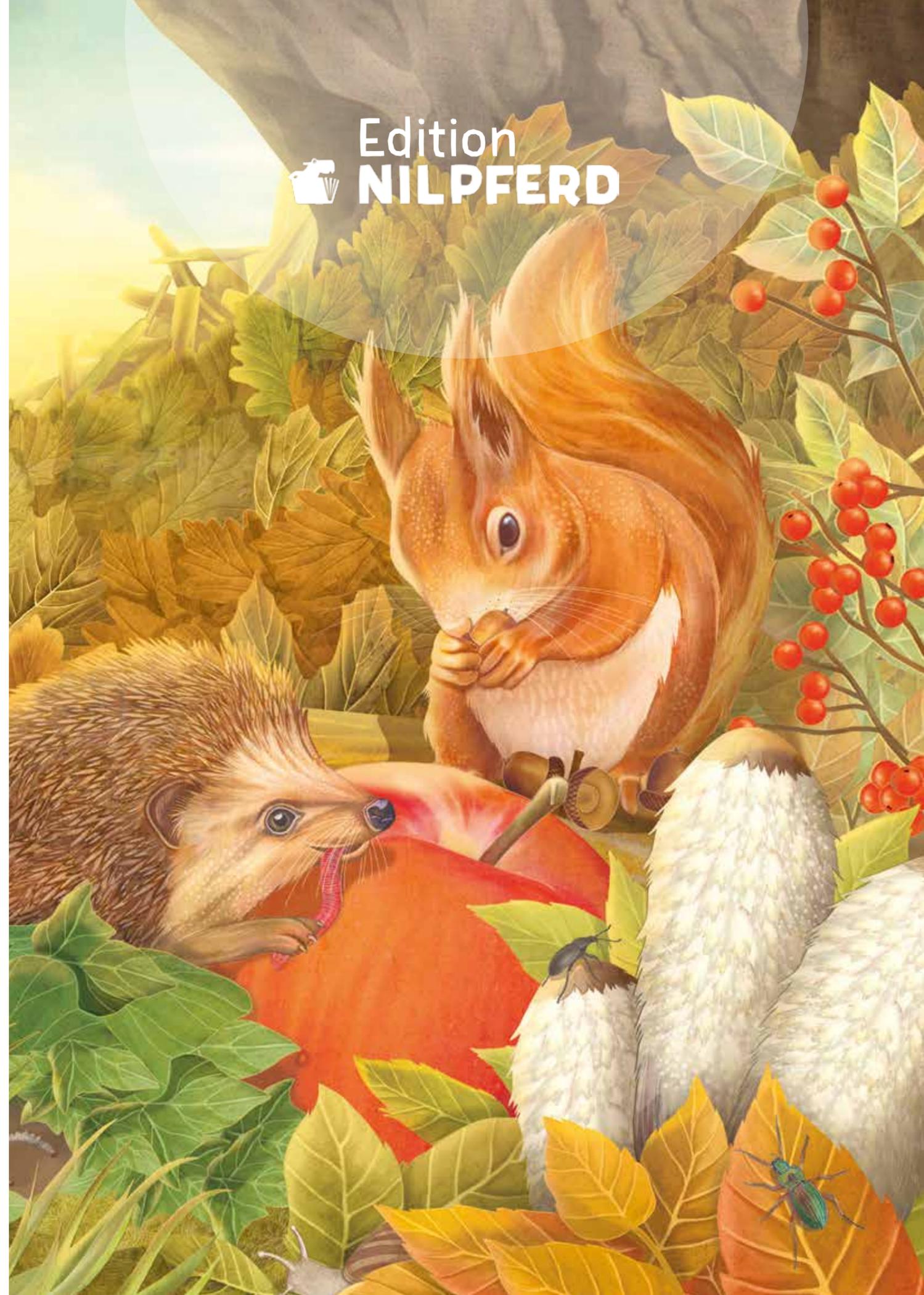
## Our spring novelties:



**Kolo, Nono and the Troll-Gnome-Frog**  
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**Is this the back of the line? - Tales from the queue**  
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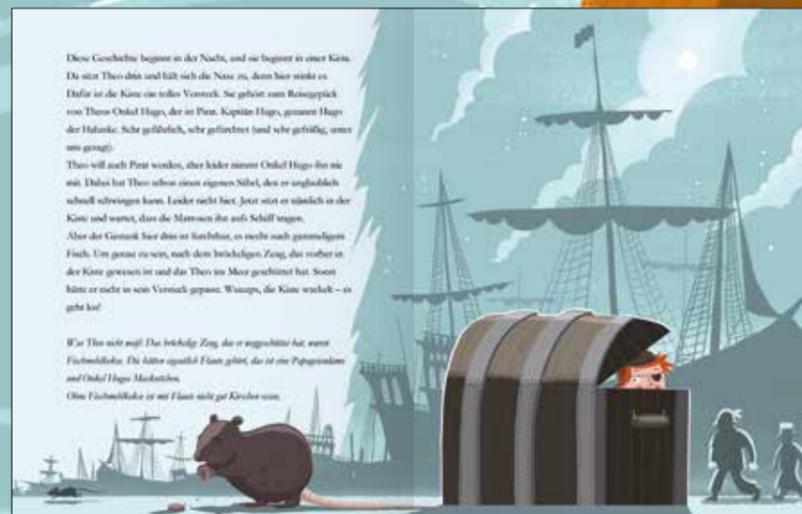


## Theo, King of the Pirates

This laugh-out-loud story is full of riddles and misadventures: Two pirate gangs embark on a wild race to find a treasure and crown the winner as their new king.

What the pirates don't know is that the captain's nephew Theo and his parrot Lull are accidentally a few steps ahead of them!

Ursula Poznanski's rip-roaring tale of adventure is full of humour and action. The illustrations are provided by Fiete Koch, whose exuberant details add to the fun.



Ursula Poznanski was born in Vienna in 1968 and is a bestselling author, famous for her exciting fantasy novels and detective stories. She has written numerous children's books, all of which she has imbued with cool ideas, fast paced plots and heaps of comedy. Theo, King of the Pirates is her latest wonderfully imaginative creation.



Fiete Koch studied communication design in Hamburg from 2011 to 2014 and now works there as a freelance illustrator and author. His favourite subjects are monsters, ghosts and other mythical creatures.



- The new tale from the bestselling author Ursula Poznanski
- A hilarious story for little pirate fans
- Rip-roaring tale of adventure, full of wit and action
- Exciting clues make every page an adventure!

Ursula Poznanski / Fiete Koch  
**Theo, King of the Pirates**

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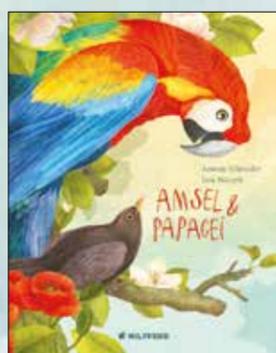
## What's that rustling in the leaves?

We join Hedgehog and Shrew on their latest voyage of discovery. Who is making their home in the pile of leaves as winter fast approaches?

Ladybirds and earthworms, dormice and Roman snails make themselves comfortable in a quiet corner of the garden, munching on ripe autumn fruit and snuggling up in the colourful foliage. A narrative non-fiction picture book with incredible pictures of nature and informative fold-out pages. With scientific input from biologists at the University of Osnabrück.



## Backlist-Tipp



**Blackbird and Parrot**  
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**"Yes, I can!", said Little Sparrow**  
Age: 4+ years  
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**Jana Walczyk**, born in Bramsche near Osnabrück in 1989, completed her design studies in Münster before studying applied sciences in Hamburg and working towards a master's degree in illustration. She is a freelance illustrator and graphic artist and has worked on various projects in book and editorial illustration.

## Picture Book 4+



Fold-out-pages  
with a lot of  
surprises.



- **Who lives in piles of leaves? A narrative picture book with informative fold-out pages**
- **Exciting topic: Who are our hidden neighbours?**
- **Magnificent, artistic and realistic pictures of the natural world**
- **Scientific input from biologists**

Jana Walczyk  
**What's that rustling in the leaves?**

32 pages  
Age: 4+ years

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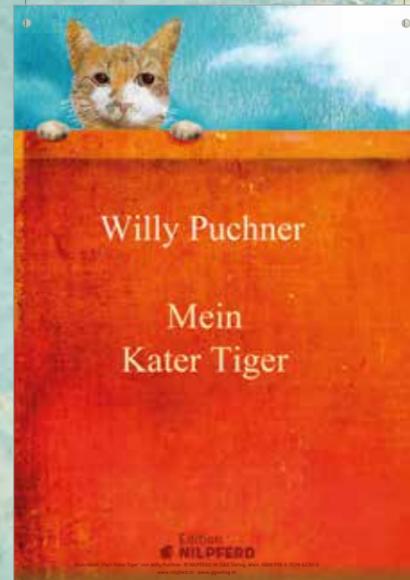
## My Tomcat, Tiger

Just think of all the thrilling things you can get up to as a cat when the day is so long and exciting.

Artist and cat lover Willy Puchner follows in the footsteps of his ginger tom, Tiger, and explores the world from his furry friend's perspective.

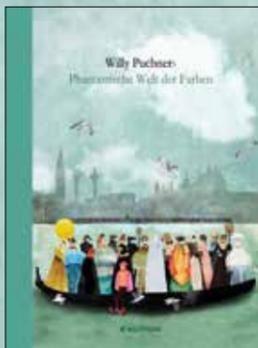
A touching, charming, feline picture book with exquisite photos and illustrations from the popular artist!

Willy Puchner's tomcat Tiger is an Instagram favourite with a loyal fan base. All the better that he now has the opportunity to share his adventures in this lovingly crafted book.

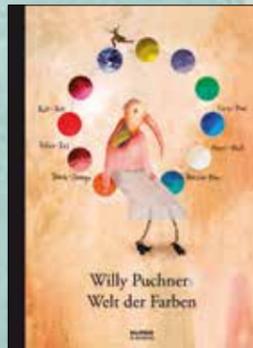


Ich liebe Schachteln, Schuhkartons, Decken und Körbe. Sie sind für mich wie kleine Häuser, kurzfristige Absteigen. Es ist dunkel und warm darin, und das beruhigt mich. Manches Mal verstecke ich mich darin, ein anderes Mal presse ich mich von außen dagegen.  
Ab und zu quetsche ich mich in so winzige Kartons hinein, dass ich kaum wieder herauskomme. Ich mag Philipp, weil er mit immer wieder unterschiedliche Schachteln in den Weg stellt. Als ich einmal für Stunden im Altpapierkarton saß, kam er immer wieder vorbei und sagte: „Schön, dass du heute in meinem Zimmer mitarbeitest!“

## Backlist-Tipp



**Fantastical World of Colours**  
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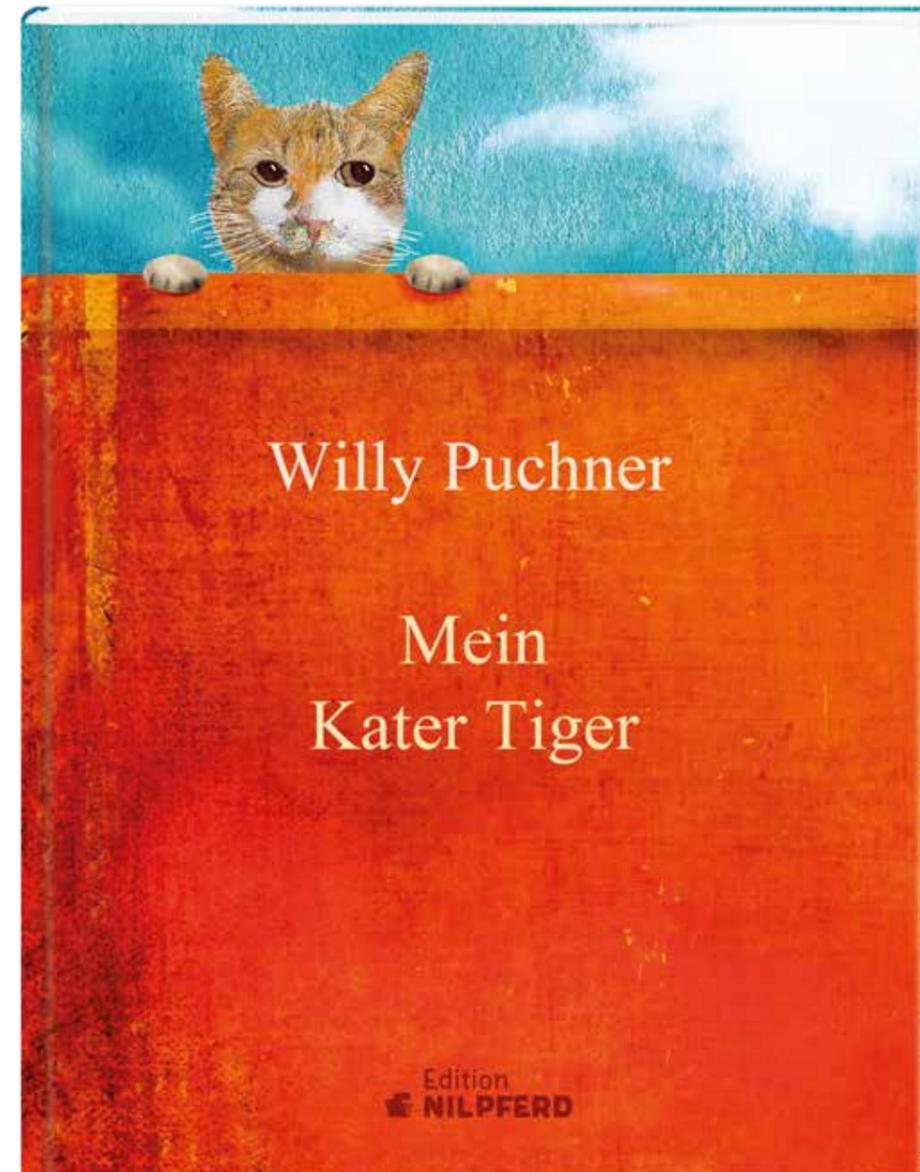


**World of Colours**  
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**Willy Puchner** is a photographer, illustrator and author. His work has been celebrated in numerous magazines, newspapers, exhibitions and lectures. His nature and travel books combine text, images and materials he finds in nature, enchanting readers of all ages with his imagination and ideas.

## Picture Book 4+



I don't like it so much to fly,  
I prefer to run after Tiger



- See the world through the eyes of a cat
- Insta-cat Tiger is a true delight for Puchner fans and cat lovers.
- Willy Puchner's cat pictures will put a smile on your face

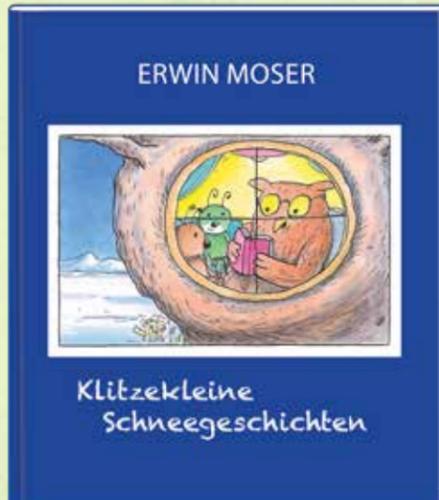
Willy Puchner  
**My Tomcat, Tiger**

48 pages  
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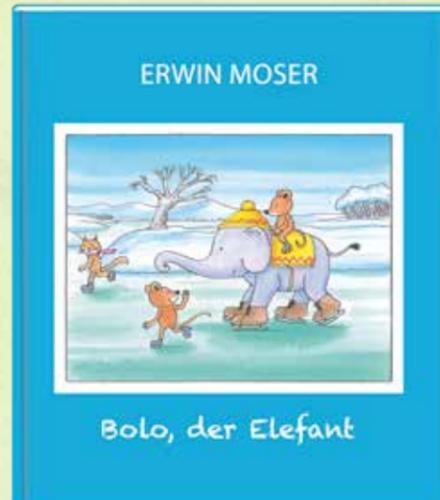
## Tiny Tales of Snow & Bolo, the Elephant

Squirrel and polar bear go skiing. Bear and mouse get stuck in the snow in their car. Owl cuddles up in a cosy tree house and two mice make an exciting bet. Bolo doesn't like living in the zoo. One day, someone leaves the door open and he simply walks out. But now he is all alone. Will he make any new friends? Erwin Moser's lovingly narrated stories enchant the whole family!



Erwin Moser  
Tiny Tales of Snow

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Erwin Moser  
Bolo, the Elephant

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- **Best value titles**
- **Two wonderful adventures for young children**
- **Erwin Moser enchants in words and pictures**

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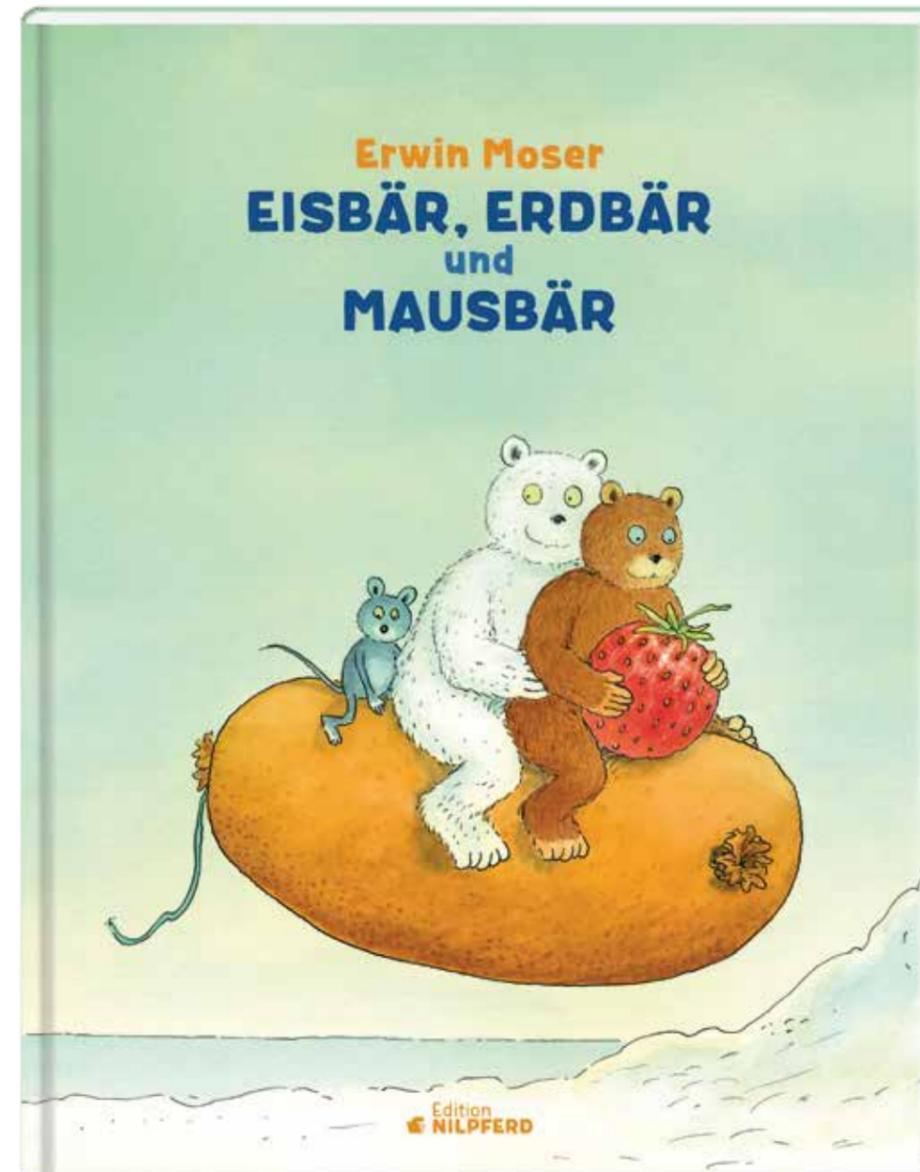
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Erwin Moser, 1954 – 2017, lived in Vienna and Burgenland. Moser's imaginatively narrated and lovingly illustrated books radiate warmth and are among the very best of German-language children's and youth literature.



- **Three unusual bears on an exciting journey**
- **Reading fun for the whole family**
- **New: now in over-sized picture book format**

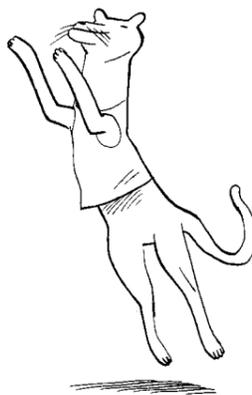
Erwin Moser  
Polar bear, Strawberry  
and Mouse-bear

48 pages  
Age: 5+ years

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„Congratulations on the funniest picture book of the season.  
A fantastic, intelligent and  
totally hilarious book. I couldn't stop laughing.“

Heike Röminger, BH Moby Dick, Berlin



„This is pure poetry and biblio-therapy, because it ...  
hits readers of all ages right in the heart. Terrific.“

Barbara Knieling, litpaed.de

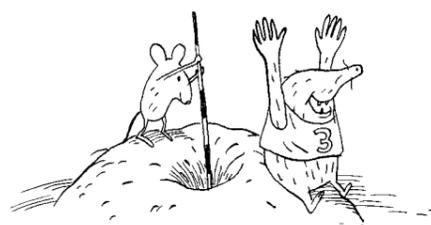


- Exciting, funny, wonderfully quirky
- An Olympics of a different kind
- Popular, multiple award-winning author
- The perfect story for reading out loud

Jens Rasmus  
Hurrah, loser!

64 pages  
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- Christine Nöstlinger tells stories from her childhood
- Authentic, honest and moving
- About children separated from their families for the first time

Christine Nöstlinger  
The Unwanted

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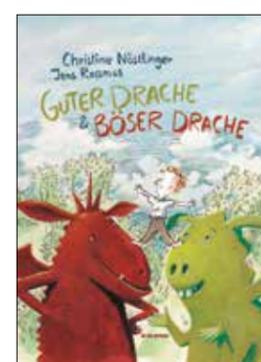


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# The Story Train

## 1. Class

**Early-Readers**  
Age 6/7+

2 exciting stories for adventurous early-readers:

Whether he's feeding monsters or hunting for treasure, Fearless the Pirate is always busy. And Fritz, the little beetle, is just as brave: he stands up to a mean gang of racing cars and shows that faster is not always better.

Hertha Kratzer / Gisela Dürr  
Lisa Gallauner / Katrin Wolff  
**Stories for first-time readers –  
Brave and feisty**

88 pages  
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2 incredible stories about friendship for early-readers:

Mari's party is great! But Julian is sad because he doesn't have a costume. Together, they come up with a great idea ... What an exciting day for Lisa and Leon. They get to play with their dogs in the park and solve the mystery of the missing cake at home.

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2 magical stories for early-readers about elves and ballerinas:

Elfi lives a carefree life in Fairy Forest. She even stands up to dragons. If only she didn't have so much trouble with sums. Klara is different. She wants to be a ballerina. But three other dancers don't want to dance with her. Both Elfi and Klara pluck up their courage and go their way to show what they are made of!

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## 2. Class

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2 great stories for animal-mad first-time readers:

From the monkeys to the pandas – a trip to the zoo is never boring. Excitement abounds when Lukas' backpack suddenly goes missing. Paila and Pit head out to sea. One day, dolphin calf Starlet disappears without a trace and a major rescue operation begins.

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1. Class

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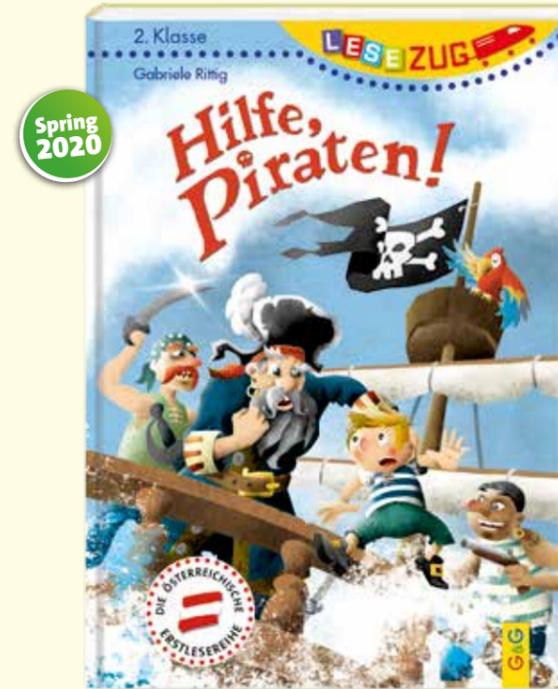
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# The Story Train

## 3. and 4. Class

Early-readers  
Age 7/8+

**Der Superwikingerknoten**

Wieder einmal hatte Gunnar, der Grimmige, versucht, das Dorf Midstöd einzunehmen. Er war auf der Jagd nach dem verschollenen Schatz, der angeblich hier versteckt sein sollte. Doch Gunnars Krieger hatten die Rechnung ohne Wikingerknaut Einar und seine Männer gemacht. Sie verteidigten ihr Dorf mit allen Kräften und schlugen die Angreifer erfolgreich in die Flucht. Ausgelassen feierten die Midstöder und ihre Familien den Triumph beim Lagerfeuer mit Speis und Trank. Danach lauschten sie bis in die frühen Morgenstunden Jörnson, dem Geschichtenerzähler von Midstöd.



Tags darauf lag die Stedlung verschlafen in der Sonne. Eine kühle Brise wehte vom Meer her übers Land. Bei der Anlegestelle, wo sich große Drachenboote und kleine Ruderkähne aneinanderreihen, war Fynn, der Hüpflingssohn, damit beschäftigt, Seemannsknoten zu üben. So wurden die

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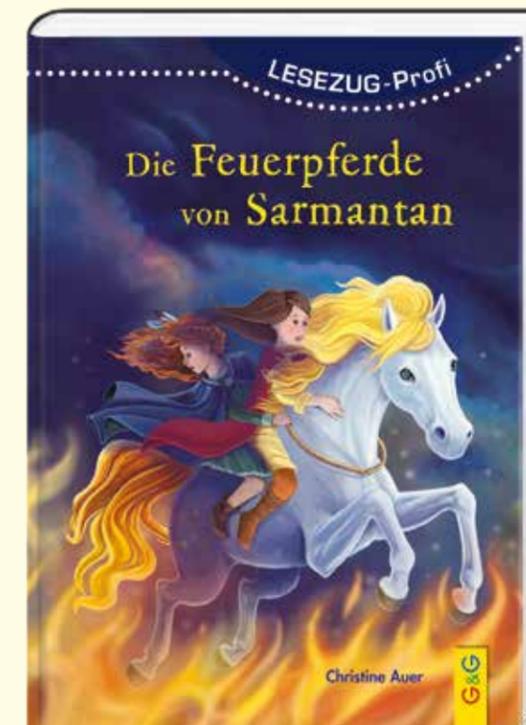
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**Malaxena**

Linus schenkte der Grotte in die weiche Mitte, als das Pferd in die Tiefe sprang. Die Wölfe lüchelten sich und die Morgenrötung verflüchtete den Himmel purpurn. Saramant lag weit unter ihnen. Wütend, wie eine Spinnweblandschaft, plötzlich stillte Salyra auf. „Ach, du dumme Elfengetöse! Oho, warum sind wir denn so hoch oben?“ Salyra starrte hoch. Ihre Flügel schlugen noch einmal verzweifelt in der Luft, dann kippte die Kraft zur Seite und sie bewegte sich nicht mehr. In stottern Sturzflug ratterte sie zu Boden. Valeros kratzte ihre Finger in Linus Schobers. „Was ist passiert?“ „Salyra ist ohnmächtig.“ Linus starrte zornig. „Aufwachen!“ Die goldenen Schwingen schlenkerten in der Luft hin und her. Schreitend trummelten die Mädchen auf das Pferd ein. Doch Salyra reagiere nicht. Sie starrten weiter unmerklich zu Boden. Die Augen knoch zurück in Linus Herz und bratterte sich endlich in ihrem Atem aus. Salyra schrie die Geschichte wiederholte sich. In diesem Moment spürte sie Valeros Atem an ihrem Ohr. „Wehe, du kippst jetzt auch weg. Das ist nicht was dein Vater damals. Du hast die Augen überwinden. Bleib gefällig bei mir. Ich schaffe das mit dir gemeinsam.“

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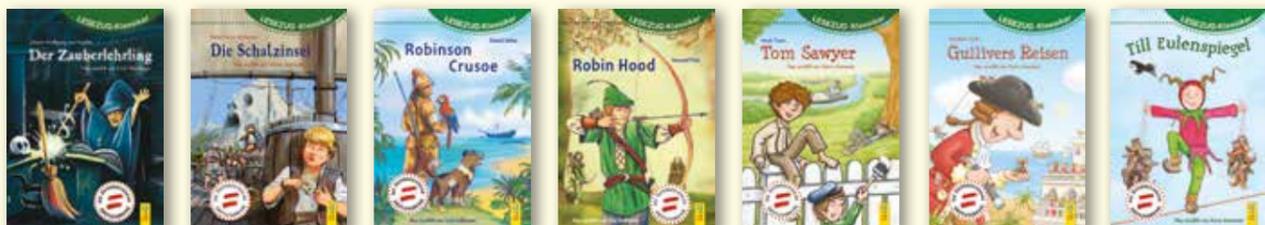


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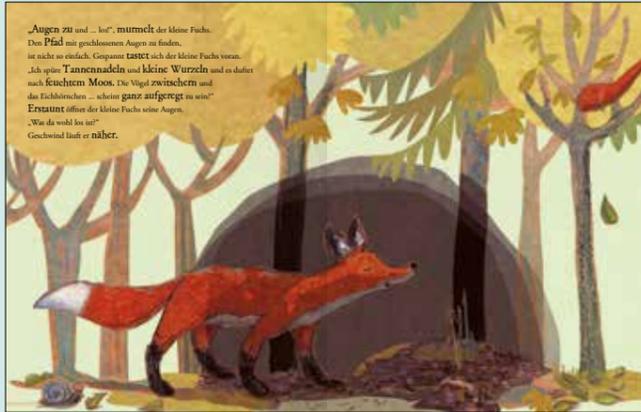
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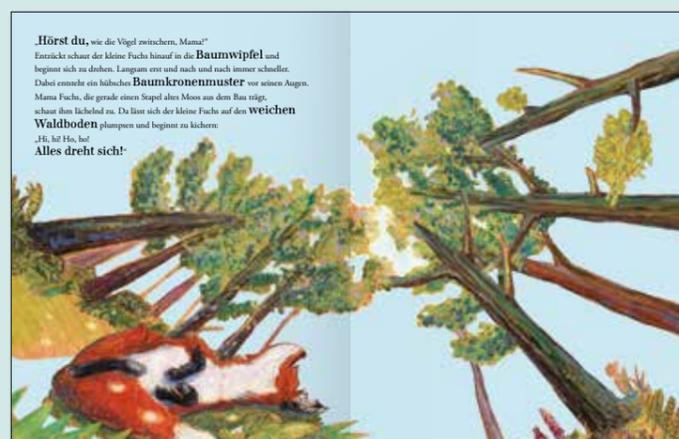
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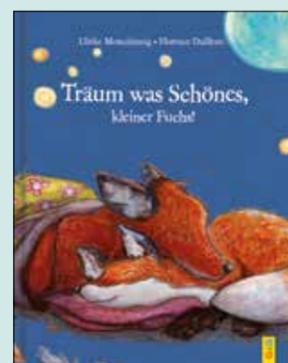
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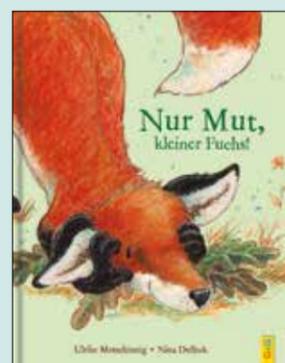
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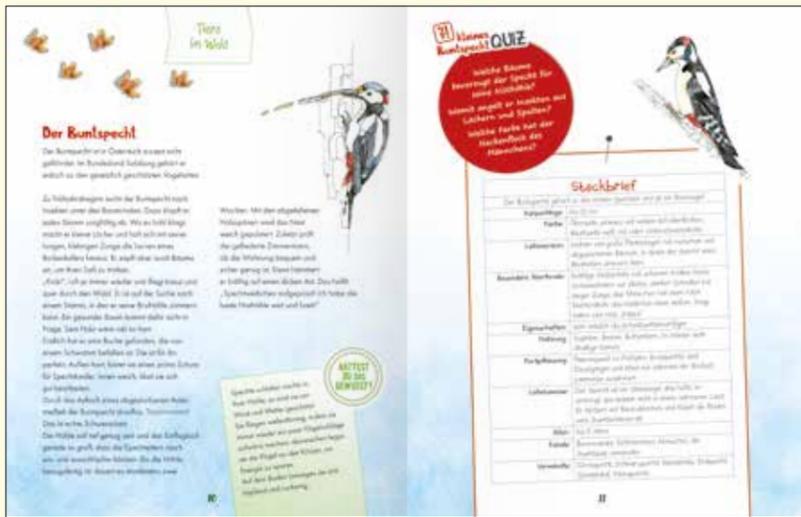
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Wie alt werden sie?  
Wie lange leben sie?

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Wie alt werden sie?  
Wie lange leben sie?



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## Extract:

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A fox almost with hunger dying,  
Some grapes on a trellis spying,  
To all appearances ripe, clad in  
Their tempting russet skin,  
Most gladly would have eat them;  
But he could not reach them,  
Ripe and rosy yet so high!  
He gazes at them with a greedy eye  
And knows he must eat and drink – or die  
When the jump proves beyond his power  
“Pooh!” says the fox. “Let the pigs devour  
Fruit of that sort. Those grapes are sour!”

Jean de La Fontaine



Friedl Hofbauer (1924-2014) is one of the most renowned Austrian authors in children's and adult literature. She has received numerous prizes and awards – including the Austrian State Prize for Children's Poetry and the Cross of Honour for Science and Art.



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1 Packung Teiglein 150 Gramm, 20 x 10 x 10  
2 bis 3 Esslöffel Sauerrahm  
20 Gramm Schinken  
1 Bund Schnittlauch  
1 Bund Petersilie  
Salz und Pfeffer

Spielt am Abend dann, der Pauli lag schon länger im Bett und dachte darüber nach, was er und die Rosi den vier Andromeda moogen am besten vorschreiben sollten, um die zusehender und Fanta von ihnen zu machen, hier er seine Mutter bekommen und im Wohnzimmer keine reden. Da seine Mutter hinter beim Heinkommen noch nie hellungespräche geführt hatte, nahm der Pauli an, dass sie nicht allein war.

Selber schuld, dachte er, ich habe ihr ja mein Okay leichfertig gegeben. Kann überlegen es, wie es wäre, wenn er aufstehen, den Roland begrüßen, ihm eine angenehme Nachtruhe wünschen, und ihn erstrahlen würde, am Morgen unter der Dusche nicht allzu laut zu singen. Er entschuld, dass er dann viel zu müde ist und das auch seiner Mutter nicht ansonsten kann.

Obwohl, dachte er glühend, obwohl ... obwohl ... obwohl sie sich schon einen hüte anschauen können, der besser zu mir passt – und nicht so einen kleinsten Ritzbeuge.

### 10. Kapitel.

*in welchem Kopf Pauli gemacht werden und sich die Rosi über den Pauli ärgern muss und indem ihre Pflge verschalt.*

Am nächsten Morgen, als der Pauli aufwachte, war es so mucksmäulisch in der Wohnung wie an jedem anderen Schmutztag auch. Seine Mutter war schon ins Büro gefahren und vom Bed-and-breakfast-Gast war keine Spur mehr zu sehen. Nicht einmal ein ausgefallenes Haar im Waschbecken. Und falls er sich die Zähne putzen haben sollte, musste er die Zahnbürste wieder mitgenommen haben.

Die Küche war blutblank aufgeräumt, ohne die üblichen Frühstückstische seiner Mutter. Statt einer Schüssel angebratenen Toastbrot, einer beheizten Kaffeemaschine und einem ausgefallenen Ei lag ein Set auf dem Küchentisch, darauf eine Tasse mit einem Teebeutel drin und eine Topfentafelchen unter Frühstückstisch und eine Serviette. Seine Mutter hatte ihm das sicher nicht zurechtgelegt, also konnte es nur dieser Roland gewesen sein.

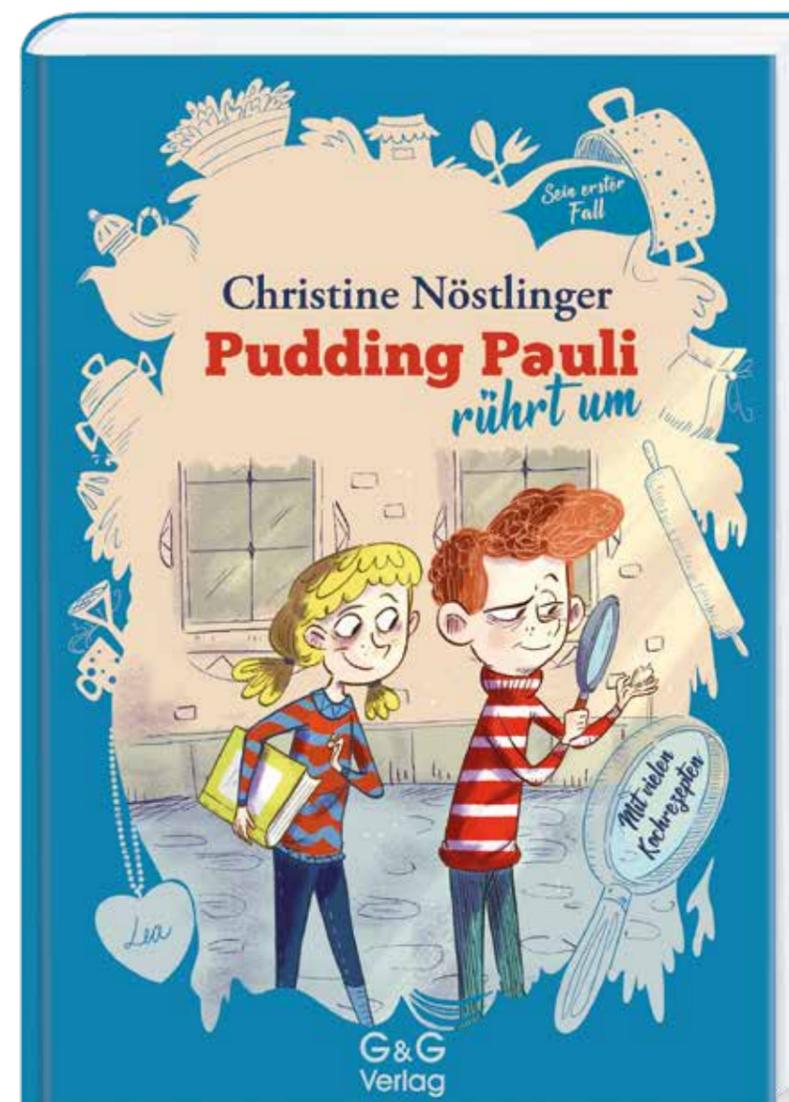
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## Heute neu! DER KLAIN DORFER BOTE

No. 186464

### Schnüffel Junior löst ersten Fall



„Wir haben in einen Stadtplan alle Orte eingezichnet, an denen Fahrräder gestohlen wurden“, schildert Maximilian, den seine Freunde nur Max nennen. „Dann haben wir ein Muster erkannt und Lea und mir war sofort klar, wo die Diebe sind.“

Die unheimliche Serie an Fahrraddiebstählen in Klaindorf in der Steiermark konnte endlich beendet werden. Der neunjährige Maximilian Kager und seine beste Freundin Lea Waldl gaben der Polizei den entscheidenden Hinweis.



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### Onkel ebenfalls Detektiv

Fahrraddiebe als nächstes zuschlagen werden!“ Daraufhin legten sich die beiden Kinder auf die Lauer. Als es dunkel wurde, erschienen drei maskierte Männer und machten sich an den Fahrrädern zu schaffen. Ohne zu zögern riefen die Nachwuchsdetektive die Polizei. Wenig später wurde die Bande festgenommen. Lea und Max wurden von Bürgermeister Willi Wichtl und Polizeipräsident Harald Handschellinger geehrt.

Max lehnt sich aus dem Fenster: „Keine Spur von ihm!“ Plötzlich klingelt sein Handy. Es ist Koko. „Kommt schnell, bitte!“, sagt er. „Es ist etwas Schreckliches passiert!“

Max und Lea schauen einander erschrocken an. „Was ist los?“, fragt Max, doch Koko hat schon aufgelegt.

Lea und Max schnappen sich ihre Räder und fahren zur Villa der Gräfin von Klunker.

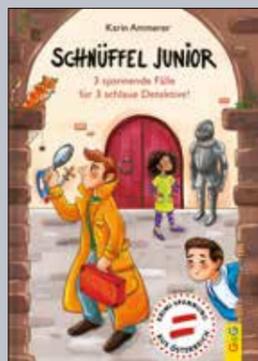


Hier wohnt Koko mit seiner Großmutter. Das Haus ist riesig, fast wie ein Schloss. Koko erwartet seine Freunde schon an der Haustür. Er ist noch blasser als sonst und sieht sehr besorgt aus. „Hier, das habe ich im Briefkasten gefunden!“, sagt er und streckt den beiden einen Zettel entgegen. Lea liest laut vor:

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Hast du ganz genau gelesen? Dann kannst du bestimmt die folgenden Fragen zu den Geschichten richtig beantworten:

- Wie heißen die beiden Katzen der Gräfin?
  - Fräulein Miezmaz und Gloria
  - Fräulein Gloria und Mauzmiez
  - Fräulein Gloria und Miezmaz
- Was findet Detektiv Max in Oma Schnüffels Streuselkuchen?
  - Streusel
  - Kieselsteine
  - Gemüse
- Wer vergrault die Gäste auf Schloss Klunker?
  - Die Köchin
  - Das unfreundliche Zimmermädchen
  - Ritter Kunibert

### Schau genau!

Gräfin von Klunkers Katze ist spurlos verschwunden. Hier siehst du ein Bild von Fräulein Gloria\*. Welche Katze sieht ganz genau so aus wie die vermisste Katze?



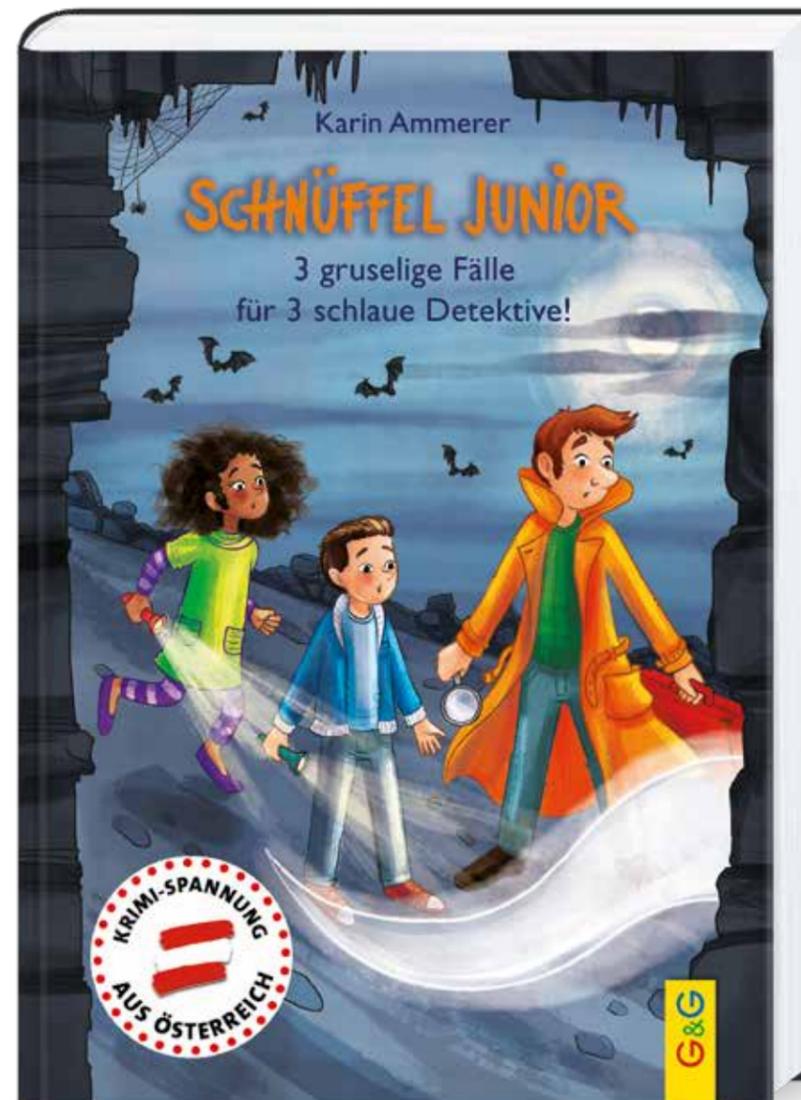
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the teenage detective  
3 chilling cases for 3 smart detectives!

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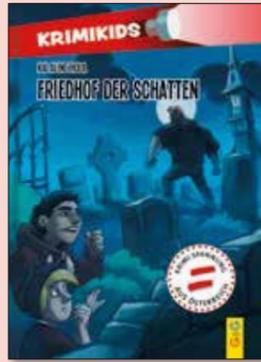
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- Detective thrills for young readers
- The author has been touring Austrian schools with her detective stories for more than 15 years



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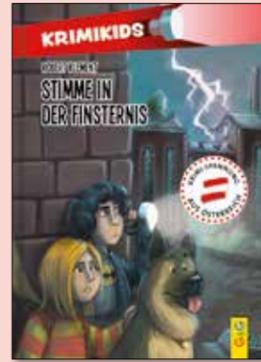
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## KrimiKids – A stable full of thieves

Ella and her twin brother Nico are spending their holidays at a riding camp. But there's a spate of things disappearing and even one of the ponies goes missing! Who could be behind the mysterious thefts? It couldn't be the old hermit's ghost, could it?

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- Crack cool cases
- Read exciting books
- Develop reading skills

### Unheimliches geschieht

Augustas Eltern und Tante Lisa waren so froh, dass den Kindern nichts geschehen war, dass sie auf lange Schimpfereien verzichteten. Es blieb bei ersten Ermahnungen, aber das war es auch schon. Augusta, Julia und Max versprochen hoch und heilig, in Zukunft nicht mehr so unvorsichtig zu sein, damit gaben sich die Erwachsenen zufrieden.

Die ganze Aufregung verlangte nach einer Stärkung. Es gab eine zünftige Jause, bald danach gingen alle zu Bett.



„Augusta – kannst du mich begleiten?“  
Augusta wälzte sich gähnend auf die Seite und blickte ihre Schwester an, die eine Taschenlampe in der Hand hielt. „Oh nein“, sagte sie unwillig. „es ist mitten in der Nacht. Kannst du es dir nicht verkneifen?“  
„Es geht nicht. Ich muss.“ Julia trat von einem Fuß auf den anderen.

„Das nächste Mal lässt du die Finger von Tante Lisas Hollundersaft. Oder trink zumindest nicht drei Gläser vor dem Schlafengehen.“

Julia zuckte verlegen mit den Achseln. „Aber wenn er doch so gut ist.“

Die beiden Mädchen verließen die Kammer und schlichen die Stiege hinab. Leise öffneten sie die Tür und traten vor die Hütte. Der Vollmond stand am Himmel, verschwand immer wieder hinter den Wolken, die vorbeizogen.

Augusta wollte gerade weitergehen, als sie stutzte. „Hörst du das?“

Julia lauschte angestrengt von den Bergen her, doch schien der Wind es aus längst vergangener Klagen ... den Mädchen aus längst vergangener Klagen verstummte. Die beiden Schwestern schüttelten sie den Kopf. Holzhäuschen zu, das h Als sie bei dem Häusd

„Darf ich die Taschenlampe mit hineinnehmen? Sonst ist es so dunkel.“  
„Klar“, sagte Augusta, „nicht dass du hineinfallst.“  
Julia grinste, dann schloss sie die Tür hinter sich. Augusta wartete. Ihr Blick glitt über die Hütte, weiter nach vorne, wo der Stall lag. Von irgendwoher war der Ruf einer Eule zu hören.  
Dann trat der Mond hinter den Wolken hervor und Augusta blieb fast das Herz stehen.  
In der Öffnung im oberen Stock war eine Gestalt zu sehen. Sie streckte Augusta die Hand entgegen.



Das Mädchen stöhnte, brachte kein Wort hervor. „Was ist denn?“ Julia war neben sie getreten, starrte sie verwundert an. „Da. Im Stall.“ Augusta deutete nach vorne, brachte kaum ein Wort hervor. „Da – da war jemand.“  
„Das hatten wir doch schon alles“, erwiderte Julia nachsichtig. „Das ist nur der Spiegel.“  
„Nein, das war nicht der Spiegel. Du musst mir glauben!“  
Julia blickte nun ebenfalls hin. Aber nichts war zu sehen, keine Gestalt, niemand. Ruhig lagen Hütte und Stall da. Julia klopfte Augusta auf die Schulter. „Komm, große Schwester. Gehen wir wieder ins Bett.“  
Augusta nickte zögernd. Sie gingen los, umrundeten die Hütte und bogen um die Ecke, dorthin, wo der Eingang lag.  
Und erstarrten.  
Eine Gestalt stand vor ihnen, keinen Meter entfernt. Sie hatte einen altertümlichen Mantel mit Kapuze an.



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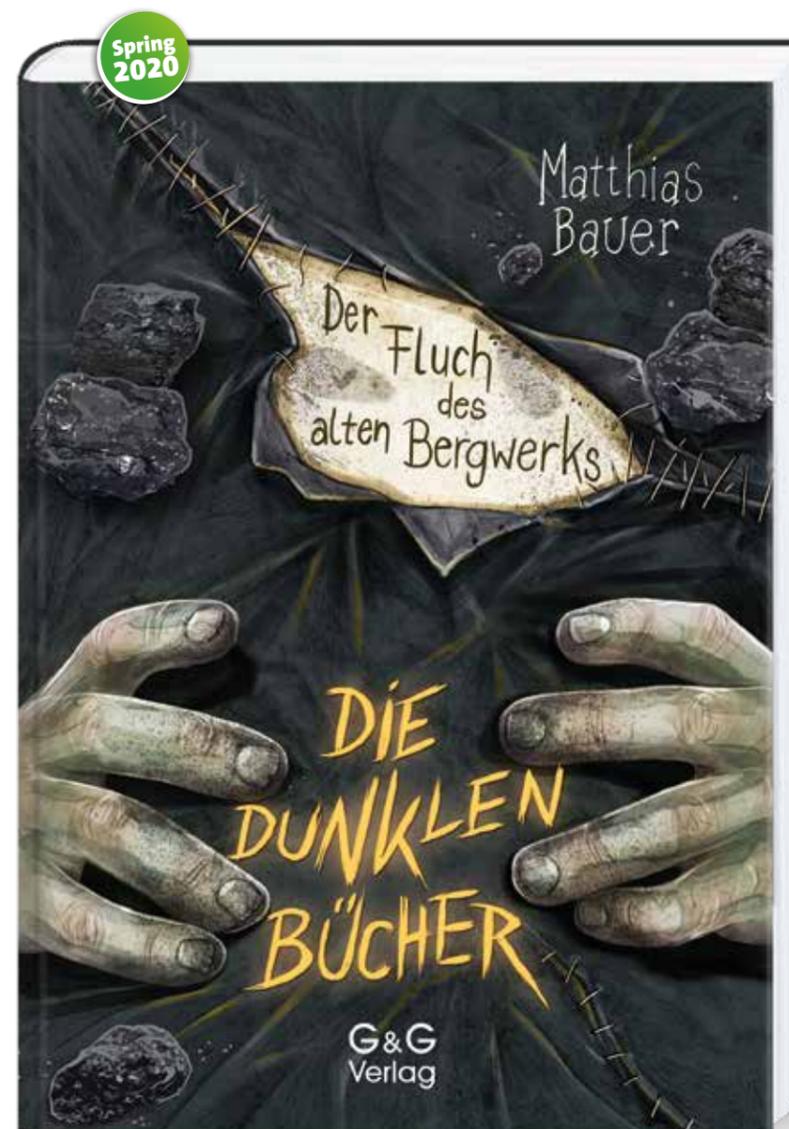
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