

## Vacanze Allisola Dei Gabbiani

While on summer vacation at the seaside, twelve-year-old Irene Adler meets the young Sherlock Holmes, and his friend Arsène Lupin--and when a dead body floats ashore the three young friends set out to solve the mystery.

Ten-year-old Lisa tells about her brothers and playmates and the happy times they spend at work and at play in their Swedish village.

Momenti di felicità in puro stile nordico. Un viaggio ideale che parte dalla Svezia e prosegue in Danimarca, Norvegia e Finlandia. Per condividere emozioni e suggestioni in un percorso originale tra stili di vita, cultura, storia e identità, design e tendenze, gastronomia, innovazione e creatività, modernità e bellezza. Nel buio dell'inverno artico o nelle giornate infinite d'estate, per aprire prospettive nuove e dare un gusto speciale all'esistenza. Con una lentezza contemporanea tutta nordica.

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"If somewhere in the afterlife Roald Dahl met Charles Dickens and they cooked up a new Christmas tale, it couldn't have much on this fleet, verbally rambunctious, heart-stealing follow-up to *A Boy Called Christmas*."—The New York Times Amelia Wishart was the first child ever to receive a Christmas present. It was her Christmas spirit that

gave Santa the extra boost of magic he needed to make his first trip around the world. But now Amelia is in trouble. When her mother falls ill, she is sent to the workhouse to toil under cruel Mr. Creeper. For a whole year, Amelia scrubs the floors and eats watery gruel, without a whiff of kindness to keep her going. It's not long before her hope begins to drain away. Meanwhile, up at the North Pole, magic levels dip dangerously low as Christmas approaches, and Santa knows that something is gravely wrong. With the help of his trusty reindeer, a curious cat, and Charles Dickens, he sets out to find Amelia, the only girl who might be able to save Christmas. But first Amelia must learn to believe again. . . . "Matt Haig has an empathy for the human condition, the light and the dark of it, and he uses the full palette to build his excellent stories." —Neil Gaiman, Newbery-winning author of *The Graveyard Book* "With a little bit of naughty and a lot of nice, this Christmastime yarn is a veritable sugarplum." —Kirkus Reviews

Bullerby è un paese piccolo, anzi, piccolissimo. Ci sono solo tre caschine, e in queste tre caschine abitano sei bambini, insieme alle loro mamme, ai loro papà e a tanti animali. Non c'è nient'altro a Bullerby, tanto che per andare a scuola Lisa, Lasse, Bosse, Olle, Britta e Anna devono fare ogni giorno una strada lunghissima per arrivare a Storby, che è un paese po' più grande, dove c'è la scuola e un negozio dove comprare le cose che non crescono nei loro campi. A Bullerby però non ci si annoia mai: c'è il Natale, quando si devono preparare i biscotti allo zenzero e ricevere tanti regali; c'è l'ultimo dell'anno, da festeggiare ballando e cercando di rimanere svegli per aspettare la

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mezzanotte; c'è Pasqua e la caccia alle uova, e l'estate! Niente è bello come l'estate! E poi c'è la gara di salti nel fienile e i racconti davanti al fuoco e una teleferica per mandarsi i messaggi, e mille giochi che si possono fare anche con niente. Non devi essere per forza a Bullerby per divertirti così: basta questo libro, l'immaginazione, l'amicizia, e tanta fantasia.

Struggling to survive in a postapocalyptic world after his village is destroyed, Yorsh, the Earth's last elf, must embark on a perilous quest to decipher a powerful prophecy and find the last dragon, who holds the key to saving the world from the Dark Age

Join Katie Morag McColl and her family on the Isle of Struay in this beautiful gift collection of classic stories. There are many adventures to be had on the Isle of Struay. There's her mum and dad's Shop and Post Office, Grannie Island's house across the bay, the dancing classes at the hall - and just wait till the mischevious Big Boy Cousins come to visit - they're lots of fun! Also included in this new collection are six folk tales, as featured in the popular CBeebies series, specially illustrated by Mairi Hedderwick for the show, and exclusively printed in this collection. So grab your jumper, don your wellies and discover the delights of Struay! "Katie Morag lives the life that country dreams are made of" Independent

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A Swedish tomboy with an unusual style makes life an adventure for her new neighbors Edward Tulane, a cold-hearted and proud toy rabbit, loves only himself until he is

separated from the little girl who adores him and travels across the country, acquiring new owners and listening to their hopes, dreams, and histories. Jr Lib Guild. Teacher's Guide available. Reprint.

When his class of underachievers is assigned to spend three torturous weeks taking care of their own "babies" in the form of bags of flour, Simon makes amazing discoveries about himself while coming to terms with his long-absent father.

Astrid Lindgren è una delle scrittrici per l'infanzia più conosciute al mondo: anticonformista e generosa, impegnata nella difesa dei valori umani, dei diritti dei bambini e degli animali, ha rivoluzionato la letteratura per ragazzi a livello mondiale. Quante generazioni di bambine e bambini sono cresciute ascoltando le incredibili avventure di Pippi Calzelunghe! E certo i bambini di tutto il mondo conoscono personaggi come il biondo monello Emil, Karlsson sul tetto e il curioso vagabondo Rasmus. Questa biografia a lei dedicata riferisce non solo della sua produzione letteraria, ma della sua vita e dei suoi interventi nella società. Attraverso un'accurata ricerca sul campo, tra ricordi e interviste, Annalisa Comes ci racconta con passione una donna e una scrittrice eccezionali.

Un delicato affresco narrativo sottende la tela su cui s'intrecciano le vicende di persone e luoghi che hanno in comune una passione: la scrittura e i libri. Lettere intense, briciole di gioia, pagine di diario, tazze di tè, necrologi, momenti di sconforto, racconti pornografici, sentimenti, articoli di quotidiani, il sole d'inverno, capolavori immortali

della letteratura, le notti sognate... Come se non fosse successo niente è un vortice che s'avviluppa, lieve, intorno a una piccola, preziosa libreria gestita da due donne che hanno tanto da raccontare e da dirsi, a edizioni di pregio e libri affidati al cuore del mondo sulle ali metropolitane del bookcrossing. Un romanzo per ricordare a chi legge che scrivere è un amore difficile, che per farlo forse non basta un'esistenza intera, ma anche che i libri sono gli unici oggetti magici che, seppur malandati, maltrattati, conservano intatto, attraverso le epoche, il potere di salvare vite e coscienze

Piccoli capricci, problemi di concentrazione, grandi domande sulla vita e sulla morte: il percorso di crescita di un bambino mette i genitori continuamente alle prese con sfide di ogni genere. Il metodo di Tata Lucia insegna come prevenirle, dalla prima infanzia fino ai 15 anni. Basta prendere la buona abitudine di condividere la lettura con i propri figli. Dai volumetti a colori per i più piccoli ai grandi classici come Il Piccolo Principe, passando per le fiabe e le storie avventurose alla Tom Sawyer, questo libro è una guida che aiuta i genitori a scegliere i testi più adatti per ogni età e situazione. Con il suo approccio concreto Lucia Rizzi spiega anche come porre, durante la lettura e la discussione che ne segue, le domande giuste per trasmettere valori e importanti messaggi educativi. Aiutando i propri figli a sentirsi forti, consapevoli e curiosi: in poche parole, a diventare ogni giorno un po' più grandi.

Peter Nimble and His Fantastic Eyes is the utterly beguiling tale of a ten-year-old blind orphan who has been schooled in a life of thievery. One fateful afternoon, he steals a

box from a mysterious traveling haberdasher—a box that contains three pairs of magical eyes. When he tries the first pair, he is instantly transported to a hidden island where he is presented with a special quest: to travel to the dangerous Vanished Kingdom and rescue a people in need. Along with his loyal sidekick—a knight who has been turned into an unfortunate combination of horse and cat—and the magic eyes, he embarks on an unforgettable, swashbuckling adventure to discover his true destiny. Praise for Peter Nimble and His Fantastic Eyes “Auxier has a juggler’s dexterity with prose that makes this fantastical tale quicken the senses.” –Kirkus Reviews

In a gripping thriller with a hint of *Oliver Twist*, a street kid and his dog are chasing an unlikely fortune — and dodging the thugs who would steal it. Twelve-year-old Bully has lost his mum and his old life. Living rough on the streets of London with his dog, Jack, he can’t imagine a future. But one day he finds, tucked inside his most cherished possession—the last birthday card his mother ever gave him—a lottery ticket he bought her. And it’s a winner. A big winner. Suddenly there’s hope, if only he can get to his prize on time! But just as Bully’s prospects open up, peril closes in. Now ruthless gangsters are in hot pursuit, and everyone wants a piece of him. Whom can he trust to help him retrieve what's his? And even if Bully does claim all that money, will he really be winning what he needs most? Michael Byrne's thrill-packed debut delivers the emotionally charged story of a boy whose luck has changed for the better, if only he can survive long enough to claim it.

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Award-winning author Susin Nielsen has written a laugh-out-loud and heartrending novel for fans of Robyn Schneider's *Extraordinary Means* and Cammie McGovern's *Say What You Will*. *Beware: Life ahead*. Sixteen-year-old Petula de Wilde is anything but wild. A former crafting fiend with a happy life, Petula shut herself off from the world after a family tragedy. She sees danger in all the ordinary things, like crossing the street, a bug bite, or a germly handshake. She knows: life is out to get you. The worst part of her week is her comically lame mandatory art therapy class with a small group of fellow misfits. Then a new boy, Jacob, appears at school and in her therapy group. He seems so normal and confident, though he has a prosthetic arm; and soon he teams up with Petula on a hilarious project, gradually inspiring her to let go of some of her fears. But as the two grow closer, a hidden truth behind why he's in the group threatens to derail them, unless Petula takes a huge risk. . . . *Praise: Bank Street Best Children's Books of the Year* "Nielsen writes with sensitivity, empathy, and humor." —Kirkus Reviews, Starred "Nielsen excels at depicting troubled, clever teenagers in familiar environments." —School Library Journal, Starred "[An] empathic and deeply moving story, balanced by sharply funny narration and dialogue." —Publishers Weekly, Starred "A poignant exploration into the nuances of healing." —Quill and Quire, Starred The escapades of a nine-year-old Swedish girl and her younger sister, as they picnic on the woodshed roof, play Moses in the bullrushes, go for a walk on the frozen river, and celebrate Christmas.

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Classic short stories set in Naples in the 1940s and 50s that inspired Elena Ferrante's Neapolitan novels

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All children dream of having a secret house where they can live on their own, far from any rules and regulations. But not all of them are as lucky as Aglaia, who lives at the top of a magical tree together with her friend Bianca and an incredible host of flying dogs, talking cats, carnivorous flowers and children who speak in verse. Inventively illustrated by Quentin Blake, Aglaia's adventures - and her battles with the gruff Signor Brullo and the woodmen who want to cut down the tree - are sure to enchant and inspire the imagination of every child.

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When Kid accompanies her parents to New York City, she discovers a goat living on the roof of her Manhattan apartment building— but she soon realizes a goat on the roof may be the least strange thing about her new home, whose residents are both fascinating and unforgettable. When Kid accompanies her parents to New York City for a six-month stint of dog-sitting and home-schooling, she sees what looks like a tiny white cloud on the top of their apartment building. Rumor says there's a goat living on the roof, but how can that be? As Kid soon discovers, a goat on the roof may be the



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least strange thing about her new home, whose residents are both fascinating unforgettable. In the penthouse lives Joff Vanderlinden, the famous skateboarding fantasy writer, who happens to be blind. On the ninth floor are Doris and Jonathan, a retired couple trying to adapt to a new lifestyle after Jonathan's stroke. Kenneth P. Gill, on the tenth, loves opera and tends to burble on nervously about his two hamsters — or are they guinea pigs? Then there's Kid's own high-maintenance mother, Lisa, who is rehearsing for an Off Broadway play and is sure it will be the world's biggest flop. Then Kid meets Will, whose parents died in the Twin Towers. And when she learns that the goat will bring good luck to whoever sees it, suddenly it becomes very important to know whether the goat on the roof is real. Correlates to the Common Core State Standards in English Language Arts: CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RL.4.6 Compare and contrast the point of view from which different stories are narrated, including the difference between first- and third-person narrations. CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RL.5.6 Describe how a narrator's or speaker's point of view influences how events are described. CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RL.5.9 Compare and contrast stories in the same genre (e.g., mysteries and adventure stories) on their approaches to similar themes and topics.

'Dog' is a delightful tale, funny and touching in turns, following the fortunes of an abandoned puppy as he grows up, fending for himself. Then he meets Plum. Could she be the mistress of his dreams?

Una banda di ragazzini chiamati I Mostri Selvaggi, in guerra contro distinti e abbronzati Predators per il possesso di una Ostinata Dimora, una scimmia destinata allo zoo vaticano che non arriva mai a destinazione, una Beauty Farm dove avvengono strabilianti metamorfosi...

I due fratelli Cuordileone passano, come in una grande, fatale avventura, da una vita all'altra. Nel mondo di là c'è pace ma c'è anche, eterna, lotta tra il bene e il male; non c'è dunque riposo, ma un continuo superamento, pervaso dalla stessa mobilità della vita. E lo attua il bellissimo Jonatan Cuordileone, l'eroe medioevale dai capelli d'oro e dagli occhi di cielo, ma anche il gracile fratellino Briciola.

Briciola è, come è stato Mio, l'anti-eroe che la Lindgren ama, il bambino timido e pauroso ma sensibile e giusto, che con la sua debolezza sconfigge i più forti.

Quello che anche il bambino più comune vorrebbe essere: il vincitore di mostri, senz'armi, col suo solo cuore spaventato ed eroico.

In a U.S. release of an internationally award-winning debut, young Trille struggles with the fear that nothing will ever be right again when his best friend moves and his waffle-making Auntie Granny passes away.

Tom must capture the final piece of the Amulet of Avantia from Stealth, the ghost panther, who can turn the good citizens of Avantia into evildoers with a scratch of his claws.

Nel 1978 i librai tedeschi assegnano ad Astrid Lindgren il Premio per la Pace. Nel suo memorabile discorso di ringraziamento, la scrittrice prova a rispondere a una domanda che le sta a cuore da sempre: è possibile costruire un mondo senza violenza? Per farlo la via da percorrere, anche se ardua, è una sola: bisogna partire dai bambini e dalle bambine, educarne la fantasia e l'immaginazione, circondarli di bontà e affetto. Solo l'amore infatti può mettere in atto una piccola grande rivoluzione in quelli che saranno gli adulti di domani, chiamandoli a costruire una società finalmente equa, dove ci sia più pace per tutti. Con infinita saggezza Astrid Lindgren ci insegna a mettere da parte la paura e spalancare con fiducia il nostro cuore, in un libro che parla insieme ai genitori e ai loro figli. Un'indimenticabile lezione di ottimismo e umanità, nella convinzione che, se 'da violenza nasce violenza', dall'amore nasce l'amore.

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