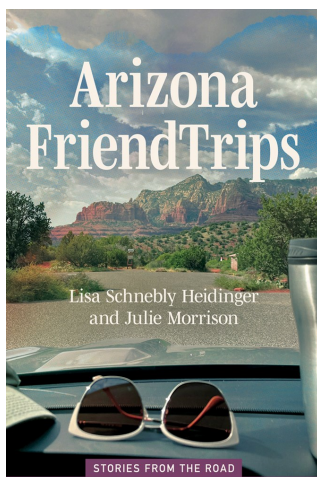


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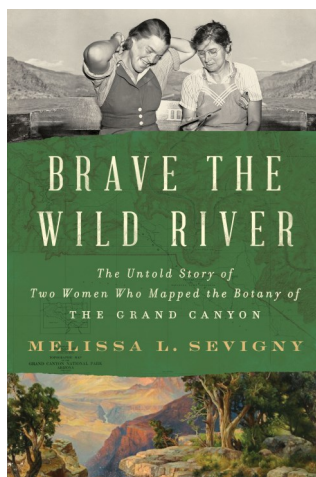
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This is the 3rd year that the Arizona Center for the Book chose both a children's and adult selection.



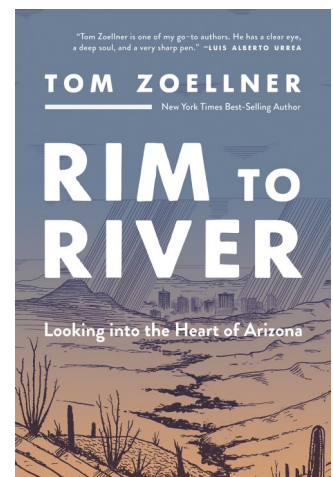
2025

*Arizona Friend Trips:  
Stories from the Road*  
by Lisa Schnebly Heidinger,  
and Julie Morrison



2024

*Brave the Wild River: The Untold Story  
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2023

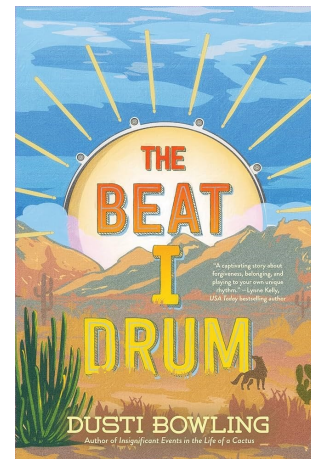
*Rim to River: Looking into  
the Heart of Arizona*  
by Tom Zoellner

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## Arizona Great Reads from Great Places for Kids

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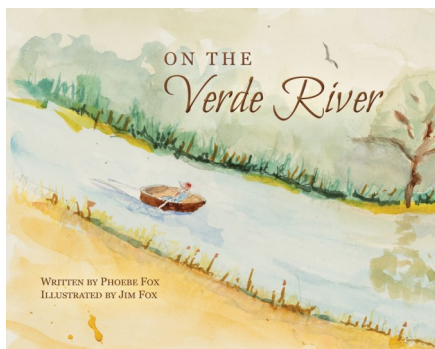
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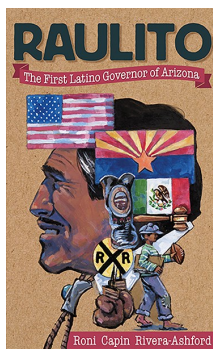
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### *Previous Arizona Youth Great Read Selections*



2024

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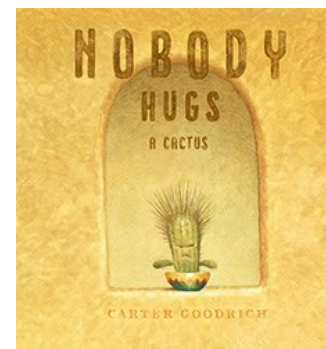
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Roni Capin Rivera-Ashford



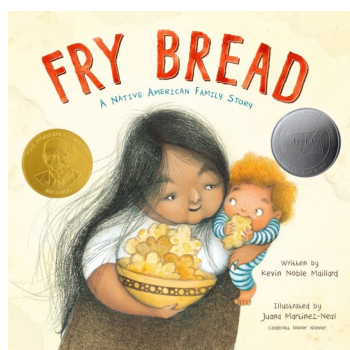
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2021

Carter Goodrich



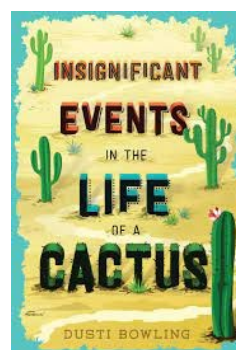
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Kevin Maillard



2019

Lara Hawthorne



2018

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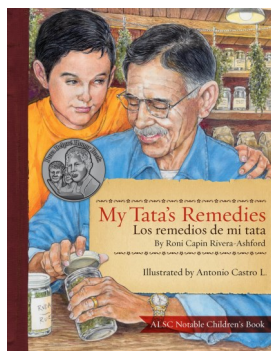


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Jason Chin



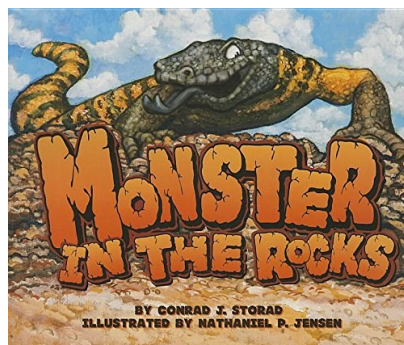
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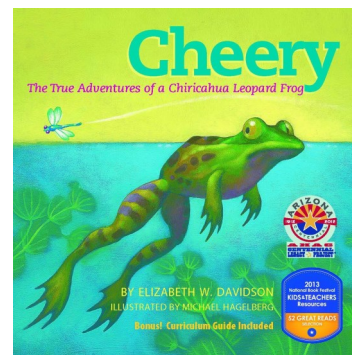
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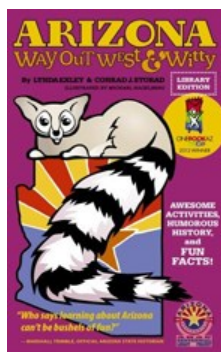
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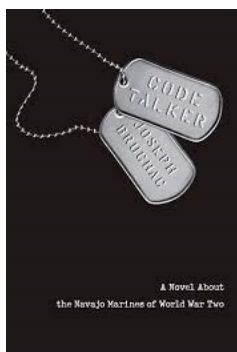
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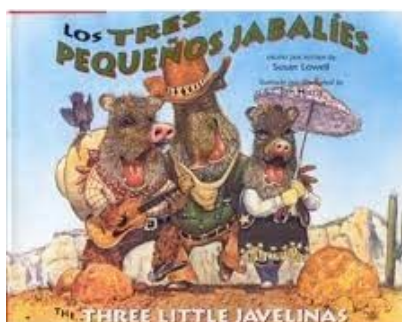
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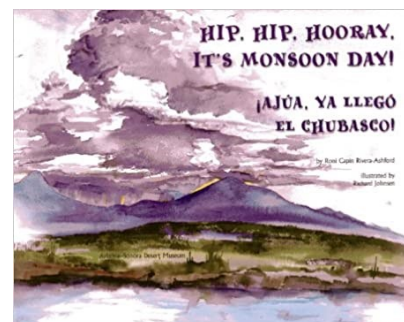
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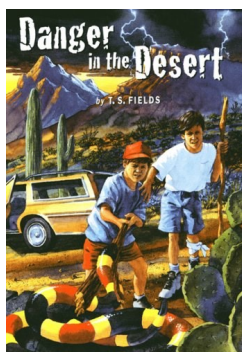
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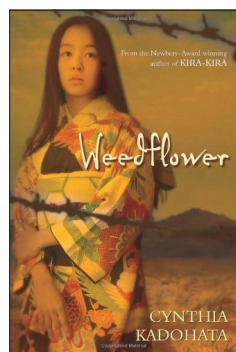
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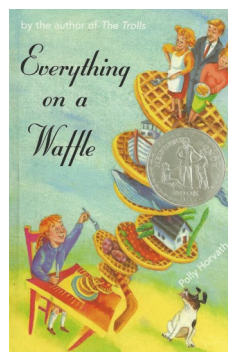
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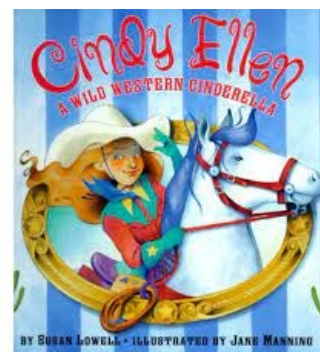
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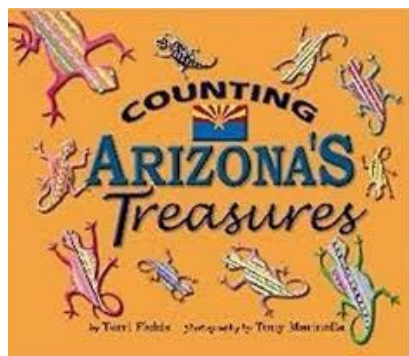
2007  
Cynthia Kadohata



2006  
Polly Horvath



2005  
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2004  
Terri Fields

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