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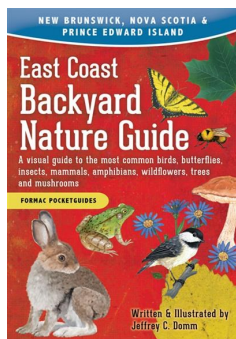
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- English
- 140 x 204 x 6 mm | 180 gr
- 96 pages
- Formac

Subject


NATURE/Animals/General

Distributor

Formac Lorimer Book Distributing Ltd.

Carton Quantity: 80

Formac Pocketguides

East Coast Backyard Nature Guide*A visual guide to the most common birds, butterflies, insects, mammals, amphibians, wildflowers, trees and mushrooms*By (author) Jeffrey C. Domm 

Apr 06, 2021 | Paperback, Trade | \$24.95

A field guide so everyone can learn more about the most common backyard plants and animals found in Canada's Maritime provinces

This concise pocketguide makes it easy to identify the most common plants and animals found in Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and PEI. Aimed at families who want to know more about the plants and animals in their backyard and neighbourhood, this highly visual guide includes more than 100 birds, butterflies, insects, mammals, amphibians, wildflowers, trees and mushrooms. Among its many features are a key to common bird songs and how to attract butterflies and pollinators with native plants suitable for any garden.

Contributor Bio

JEFFREY C. DOMM has had a lifelong fascination with nature and wildlife. He has illustrated more than twenty wildlife books including bestselling guides to Nova Scotia and New Brunswick birds. He lives in Cow Bay, Nova Scotia.

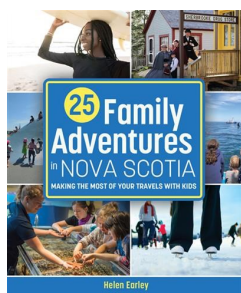
Key Selling Points

- 100+ full-colour illustrations
- Detailed information and descriptions
- Most common species, clearly organized
- Family friendly
- Backyard nature guide

**Reviews**

"It's a wonderful guide to our own backyard which is very handy to have."

- Heidi Petracek, *CTV Morning Atlantic*



9781459506701

- English
- 172 x 210 x 14 mm | 360 gr
- 160 pages
- Formac

Subject

TRAVEL/Special Interest/Family

Other formats

9781459507340 Paperback / softback, Trade paperback (US), \$24.95

Distributor

Formac Lorimer Book Distributing Ltd.

Carton Quantity: 30

25 Family Adventures in Nova Scotia

Making the most of your travels with kids

By (author) Helen Earley 

Apr 06, 2021 | Paperback , Trade binding | \$24.95 |

Twenty-five not-to-be-missed family travel adventures across Nova Scotia

Every parent knows that travelling with kids has its ups and downs, but if the kids are happy, everyone's happy. Helen Earley has travelled across Nova Scotia to find the very best kid-friendly adventures so families can make the most of their time together. The result is 25 full-day adventures and memory-making experiences that include options for every season and price point.

There's something for everyone in this collection — from a family hike through history on McNabs Island to exploring the beaches of Queens County, or going down a coal mine in Cape Breton. Helen Earley has included a range of activities that will appeal to all ages. She highlights adventures — especially less well-known ones — for every season. There are tips on the best time of day or year to visit, how to save money and the all-important information on where the bathrooms and snack bars are located. This book takes the leg-work out of planning your next family adventure or road trip so that you can focus on having a good time. The goal is to help every family achieve maximum fun with minimum stress.

Contributor Bio

HELEN EARLEY is an award-winning food and travel writer who has written for *The Globe and Mail*, *The Chronicle Herald*, *Family Fun Canada*, *Eat North*, *Fodors*, *Halifax Curated* and *CBC Life*. She is the past chair of the Atlantic Chapter of the Travel Media Association of Canada and social media manager for the Family Fun Canada network. A former flight attendant, Helen lives with her husband and children in Halifax.

**Reviews**

"This is a great book! The timing is impeccable because things are finally open in Nova Scotia and parents want ideas of what they can do...you have me sold on visiting these spots!"

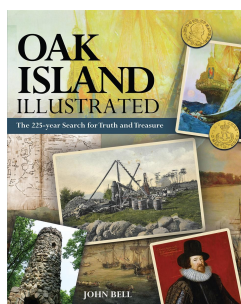
- Alyse Hand, Host, *Global News Morning Halifax*

"[The author] has given me lots of ideas for things to do as I plan my summer!"

- Portia Clark, Host, *CBC Information Morning Halifax*

"What I absolutely love about this book is that it focuses on four seasons of adventure!"

- Jan LaPierre, *A For Adventure*



9781459506725

- English
- 100+ visuals
- 254 x 204 x 13 mm | 460 gr
- 160 pages
- Formac

Subject


HISTORY/Maritime History & Piracy

Distributor

Formac Lorimer Book Distributing Ltd.

Carton Quantity: 36

Oak Island Illustrated

*The 225-year Search for Truth and Treasure*By (author) John Bell 

Sep 28, 2021 | Paperback, Trade binding, Flaps | \$29.95 |



A richly illustrated exploration of key theories about Nova Scotia's Oak Island and its fabled treasure

More than two centuries ago, compelling evidence of buried treasure was found on Nova Scotia's Oak Island. Since then, extensive engineering works have been discovered and mysterious objects unearthed in and around the island's "Money Pit." The ongoing search has been featured on a long-running popular television series, but to this day, the island guards its secrets.

In this book, historian John Bell presents all the competing theories — about who buried treasure on the island and how the complex structures in the Money Pit that have kept treasure hunters at bay were created.

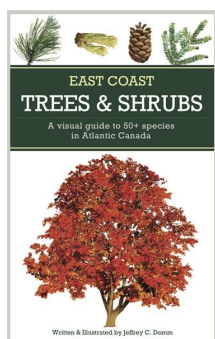
Is the island the former settlement of pre-Columbian Vikings? The location of a lost pirate treasure or royal treasures from England? The hiding spot for rogue captains of Spanish treasure ships? John Bell presents each theory in turn.

Bell also provides a detailed illustration of the mysterious work that was done on the island prior to the discovery of the Money Pit in 1795. The illustration shows each element of the Pit's design as it was first built — including elaborate flood tunnels, a cave-in shaft, and more.

This book offers a fascinating opportunity to explore many centuries of world history from the perspective of one of the greatest mysteries of all time. The extensive visuals showcase what treasures could have been hidden, and illustrate the lives of the adventurers, renegades, pirates, politicians, and paranormal entities that might be responsible for this puzzle.

Contributor Bio

JOHN BELL is a historian who worked as a senior archivist at the National Archives of Canada, where he served as a curator of several major exhibits and websites. He is the author and editor of more than twenty books on Canadian history and culture. John lives in Lunenburg, Nova Scotia.



9781459506626

- English
- 153 x 242 x 13 mm | 300 gr
- 128 pages
- Formac

Subject

NATURE/Plants/Trees

Other formats

9781459506756 Hardback, Paper over boards, \$45.95

Distributor

Formac Lorimer Book Distributing Ltd.

Carton Quantity: 72

Formac Pocketguides

East Coast Trees and Shrubs*A visual guide to 50+ species in Atlantic Canada*

By (artist) Jeffrey C. Domm 🍁

May 04, 2021 | Paperback, Trade | \$24.95 |

An all-new, richly illustrated comprehensive guide to the trees and shrubs of Canada's east coast

Get to know your own backyard and neighbourhood, and get acquainted with the trees and shrubs throughout the Atlantic region.

Features:

- Highly realistic illustrations
- Details and identifiers for featured species
- Locations and natural history of heritage trees
- Provincial maps showing the best parks and hiking trails for exploring old growth forests and experiencing the biodiversity of Canada's East Coast

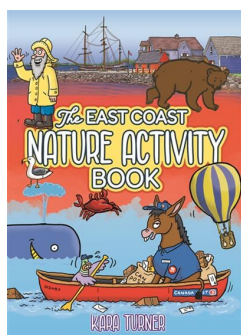
Contributor Bio

JEFFREY C. DOMM is a distinguished illustrator of wildlife and nature. He teaches illustration at the Nova Scotia College of Art and Design and has illustrated more than 20 wildlife books, including *Pocketguide to East Coast Nature* and *East Coast Birds*. He lives in Cow Bay, Nova Scotia.

**Reviews**

"This book is such a treat!...The visual art and photos taken are stunning!"

- Ana Almeida, *CTV Morning Atlantic*



9781459506640

- English
- 140 x 204 x 26 mm | 1 gr
- 96 pages
- Formac

Subject

JUVENILE NONFICTION/Games & Activities/General

Audience range

Age (years) from 8 - 12

Distributor

Formac Lorimer Book Distributing Ltd.

The East Coast Nature Activity Book for Curious Kids*Games, facts, quizzes and more*By (author) Kara Turner 

| Paperback, Trade | \$14.95

**An entertaining nature activity book for families on the East Coast**

This fully illustrated, full-colour activity book includes more than 100 fascinating and funny nature activities, jokes, questions and facts for Nova Scotia, PEI and New Brunswick. Topics include rainbows, the weather, ocean life, awesome plants, bugs, birds, the night sky, beach activities and traditional Mi'kmaq knowledge. This book is for families looking for fun activities for sunny days outdoors – and for rainy days inside.

Contributor Bio

KARA TURNER is a book editor that has worked on children's books and general reference books for more than twenty years. She loves spending time outdoors with her three children. She is also the author of *The Ultimate Nova Scotia Quiz Book*. Born in the UK, Kara has lived in Canada for two decades. She lives in Mahone Bay, Nova Scotia.



The Beginner's Guide to Space

50 Things To Know About the International Space StationBy (author) John A. Read 

Jun 01, 2021 | Hardcover \$19.95



9781459506688

- English
- 216 x 216 mm
- 88 pages
- Formac

Subject

JUVENILE NONFICTION/Science & Nature/General

Audience range

Age (years) from 9 - 10, Grade (US) exact 3, Reading age from 8 - 10

Reading Levels

Lexile measure: 1110L

Distributor

Formac Lorimer Book Distributing Ltd.

Distributor

Lerner Publisher Services

Availability: In stock

Find out what life is like aboard the International Space Station

This book tells young readers everything they want to know about life in space. With a focus on international collaboration, it details how men and women in space celebrate the holidays, watch the latest movies, go to sleep, call home, eat and drink, use the toilet and so much more. Featured astronauts include Canadians Chris Hadfield and Julie Payette — the only Canadian woman to visit the ISS.

Each page of this book is heavily illustrated with photos showing the space station and the astronauts in action. Short texts and cutlines engage readers and make this book fun to browse.

Author John Read has extensive experience as a space educator and as a bestselling author of books for young people on astronomy. In this book he provides an up-to-date account of the most exciting ongoing example of space exploration today

Contributor Bio

John A. Read is a telescope operator at the Burke-Gaffney Observatory, a member of the Halifax Centre of the Royal Astronomical Society of Canada (RASC) and recently graduated with a degree in astrophysics from Saint Mary's University. In 2020 he was presented with an RASC award for Excellence in Science Communication and is currently co-hosting RASC's new series "Explore the Universe Online." He lives with his family in Halifax, Nova Scotia.