

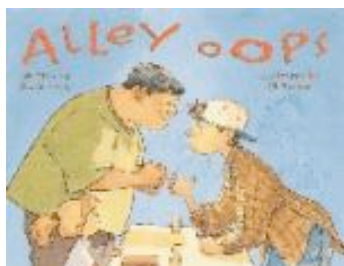
## Alley Oops Wrestles With Bullying

We are very pleased to announce our upcoming release, Alley Oops, which relates to name-calling and bullying from the novel perspective of the bully.

"Fun, progressive, excellent!" rave Carolyn and Allen Fisher, the only husband and wife World Champions in the history of the sport of Arm Wrestling.

### Alley Oops

written by Janice Levy, illustrated by Cynthia B. Decker



J.J. Jax has been tormenting an overweight boy named Patrick - calling him Pig-Pen and Porky - and now Patrick is afraid to go to school. When Mr. Jax finds out, he tells J.J. about when he was a bully, and how sorry he feels now. He explains about the two dogs inside us, one bad and one good, that fight all the time. "Which dog wins?" J.J. asks. "The one you feed the most," Mr. Jax answers.

"a little gem...[that] will empower your children to wrestle with big choices...." -Barbara Gruener, School Counselor, Friendswood, TX

\* Featured in Curriculum Connections Winter 2005: Using Children's Literature to Address Bullying

Hardcover, 32 pages, full color, May 2005, \$15.95 US, ages 5-9, ISBN 0972922547



### Awards Update - Carla's Sandwich

Carla's Sandwich (ISBN 0972922520) is shortlisted for the New York State Reading Association Charlotte Award 2006. Over the next year, youngsters in NY State schools and libraries will read or hear Carla's Sandwich and the other books in this top ten list, and will vote on their favorites.

\* Carla's Sandwich also won a Storytelling World Award 2005 Honor Title, and was an Atlanta Parent Magazine Staff Pick of 2004.



### Awards Update - Holly Bloom's Garden

Holly Bloom's Garden (ISBN 0972922504) is shortlisted for the Pennsylvania Young Readers' Choice Award 2005-2006. Youngsters in Pennsylvania will be voting on their favorite from this list of top 15 picture books.



### Awards Update - The Ring Bear

The Ring Bear (ISBN 0972922539) is a Society of School Librarians International Book Awards 2004 Honor Book in the Language Arts Picturebook category. SSLI gives annual awards to outstanding trade books for young people published in the preceding year.

Flashlight Press is an independent publishing house specializing in quality illustrated books for children that explore individuality, creativity and growth. Flashlight Press titles are available through your favorite bookstore or bookseller.

You can read more about our current and forthcoming titles at [www.FlashlightPress.com](http://www.FlashlightPress.com).

Sincerely,

Harry Mauer  
Publisher

Flashlight Press  
3709 13th Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11218  
tel: 718-288-8300, 718-972-5449, fax: 718-972-6307  
[Publisher@FlashlightPress.com](mailto:Publisher@FlashlightPress.com)  
[www.FlashlightPress.com](http://www.FlashlightPress.com)

Distributed by Independent Publishers Group (IPG).

\* If you prefer to be removed from this Flashlight Press News email list, simply click on the Unsubscribe link below to unsubscribe directly, or reply to this email with the word REMOVE in the subject field.

\*\* Please feel free to forward this email to whomever may find it of interest (but first delete your personalized footer hotlink to your unsubscribe feature), or by clicking on the Forward link below.

\*\*\* If you did not receive this email directly and would like to subscribe to future e-mails of Flashlight Press News (approximately four times a year), please subscribe through our website or email us at [News@FlashlightPress.com](mailto:News@FlashlightPress.com)  
[www.FlashlightPress.com](http://www.FlashlightPress.com)