

## Lars Mæhle Odd Henning Skyllingstad

CHILDREN AND YOUNG ADULTS
PICTURE BOOK (VOL. 1 IN A SERIES)

Who stole the glasses *Hvem har tatt brillene?* 

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Everyone in the kindergarten is helping make vegetable soup. But amidst the commotion in the kitchen, someone needs a plaster. Suddenly Leon and Livia have a new case! Where are Elin's glasses? They were here a second ago ... Through solid detective work, the kindergarten's very own investigators set forth to crack the case!

*Crow's Nest Kindergarten Mysteries* is a playful new series of books written by Lars Mæhle, illustrated by Odd Henning Skyllingstad.

Leon and Livia, Crow's Nest Kindergarten's very own detectives, solve mysteries relatable to all children: Why are there muddy footsteps on the floor? Where are Elin's glasses? This is charming miniature crime fiction for children aged 3-6 years.

Mæhle and Skyllingstad have created a recognizable, urban, and multicultural universe in which these stories unfold. Exploring through the eyes of Leon and Livia, the curious child is encouraged to really pay close attention. Written with a comforting warmth, adults will enjoy reading these stories aloud. Welcome to Crow's Nest Kindergarten, a place full of everyday mysteries, juice and buns!

Lars Mæhle (b. 1971) has written several books for children and teenagers. His big breakthrough came in 2009 with the multi-award-winning fantasy novel *The Land Beneath the Ice*. The second book in the series was published in 2014, to further acclaim and awards. He published his first book on Ena in 2016, *The Counting Troll Counts to Ten* (Telle-trollet teller til ti).

Odd Henning Skyllingstad (b. 1978) is an experienced cartoonist and illustrator. Skyllingstad has a degree in Animation from Volda University College. He is known for his series on the frog Kolbein. Skyllingstad also works as a librarian at Serieteket, Deichman library's Cartoon branch, plays the guitar and is a tea-connoisseur!

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