

## Jenny Jordahl

### What Happened to You? (Hva skjedde egentlig med deg?)

Graphic novel Cappelen Damm 2020 216 pages

Rights: Cappelen Damm Agency | foreignrights@cappelendamm.no | www.cappelendammagency.no So far sold to: Canada, Denmark, Faroe Islands, Italy, Japan, Netherlands, Republic Of Korea, Saudi Arabia, Spain, Switzerland

What Happened to You? is a powerful, brave and thought-provoking graphic novel about friendship, being an outsider and living with eating disorders. Jenny Jordahl delivers an important and absorbing story for children and young people aged 9 and older.

Winner of the 2020 Brage Prize. Nominated for the 2020 Ministry of Culture's Prize for best children's graphic novel and for the 2021/2022 Avid Reader Award "Bokslukerprisen"



### Malin Falch

#### Northern Lights (Nordlys)

Graphic novel - series Egmont Kids Media 2018-2022 Approx. 150 pages

Rights: TNT – an imprint of Bonnier Norsk Forlag | tonje.tornes@bonnierforlag.no | bonnierforlag.no | So far sold to: (Books in the series): Bulgaria, Denmark, Finland, France, Georgia, Germany, Iceland, Lithuania, The Netherlands, Northern-Macedonia, Poland, Romania, Slovakia, Sweden, Ukraine, USA Film rights: Nordisk Film

The *Northern Lights*-series invites young readers to an epic adventure to a magical Norway: Travel on the northern lights and arrives in a version of Norway different from what you see every day. A place that lives in our imagination, a place of wonder and adventure.

Book 1: The journey to the valley of the Trolls | Book 2: The Vikings and the Oracle | Book 3: The crow sisters | Book 4: The troll kingdom | Book 5: The portal tree (part 1), Book 6: The portal tree (part 2)



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### Green Stuff (Grønne greier)

Non-Fiction Ena Forlag 2018 168 pages

Rights: Ena Forlag | elisabeth.sheehy@vigmostadbjorke.no | http://enaforlag.no/ So far sold to: Czech republic, Korean, Spain

Green Stuff introduces environmental issues in a fresh and accessible way. The book is a collection of comic strips about climate and the environment.

The strips have since 2016 been on the back of Norways's largest newspaper's edition for kids (Aftenposten junior). Teachers feed back that they use the materials for ages ranging from 7 to 16. Illustrated by Jenny Jordahl.



# Magnhild Winsnes

Shhh (Hysj)

YA Graphic Novel Aschehoug 2017 368 pages

Rights: Oslo Literary Agency | evy.tillman@osloliteraryagency.no | www.osloliteraryagency.no So far sold to: Chinese (simplified), Croatian, French, Italian, Spanish (Spain and Latin America)

Beautiful, humourous and sensitive story about secrets.

During one summer, Hanna transitions from child to teenager portrayed by Winsnes with a great deal of humour and seriousness. The illustrations follow the lense of a camera making *Shhh* a graphic novel for YA readers that stays with you.

Winner of the Ministry of Culture's First Book Prize 2017, the Critics' Prize for Best Children's and YA Book 2017, the Norwegian Writers for Children First Book Prize ("Trollkrittet") 2017, "Best of Show" 2018 – The GRAFILL's Visual Prize and "GOLD – Best Children's Book" 2018 – The GRAFILL's Visual Prize.



### **Anders Kvammen**

Junior High (Ungdomsskolen)

Young Adult Graphic Novel No Comprendo Press 2016 126 pages

Rights: No Comprendo Press a.s.| espen@nocomprendopress.com / nocompre@online.no | www.nocomprendopress.com So far sold to: Poland, Russia

Aksel has just started junior high, and is having trouble fitting in. When his cousin and best friend dies in an accident, young Aksel has to fight his way through sorrow, anger and confrontations with everything from the school's psychologist to his bullies. Luckily, he has a supportive and understanding family. And even though he is a sensitive boy, he also has the strength to get through his difficulties.

Winner of the Brage Prize 2016 - the jury described it as "timeless, credible and recognizable"



# Anja Dahle Øverbye

Dog Days (Hundedagar)

Cartoon (Vol. I in a series) Jippi Comics 2015 72 pages

Rights: Jippi Comics | mail@jippicomics.com | jippicomics.com So far sold to: English, French

Anja Dahle Øverbye's graphic novel *Dog Days* won the Norwegian Comic of the Year award in 2016. It is an impressive debut book that has drawn inspiration from North-Western Norway where she grew up. Dog days are a phenomenon taking place in late summer. According to folklore, the dog days are extremely hot, muck floats up to the surface of water, food goes bad and dogs may more easily go mad. It is at this time of year we meet Anne, who is mid-way between childhood and adolescence. The intensely stifling, sultry weather that summer affects her relationships with both her friends and family.