

On October 15, the award-winning author David Adler will be visiting our students. David has been writing fiction and non-fiction for young readers for over thirty years.

Should you wish to purchase a book, to be autographed for your child or as a gift for someone else, please fill in the information below. The deadline for orders is OCTOBER 5. Checks should be made payable to: Holmes PTO

**NON-FICTION** 

#### Prices! Prices! Why They Go Up and Down (hardcover) ------ \$18.00 \_

This entertaining introduction to economics will promote financial literacy. In simple language and with colorful graphics and amusing characters, this picture book explains the basic laws of supply and demand, using examples kids will understand, such as dueling lemonade stands on the same block. (grade 2-5)

#### Simple Machines: Wheels, Levers and Pulleys (hardcover) ------ \$18.00 \_\_

This lively introduction to physics will get kids excited about how simple machines simplify our lives. (K-3)

#### A Picture Book of Harry Houdini (paperback)------ \$ 8.00 \_\_\_\_\_

A biography of the famous magician Harry Houdini who astounded audiences around the globe when he freed himself from ropes, handcuffs, and prison cells.

#### **FICTION**

#### **<u>Picture Books/ Early Readers:</u>**

The Babe & I (paperback)------ \$ 7.00 \_\_\_\_\_

In this picture book set during the Great Depression, a boy goes to work selling papers in order to help support his family. The boy works hard but business improves even more when the boy gets some help--from legendary slugger Babe Ruth.

Don't Throw it to Mo! (hardcover) ------ \$15.00 \_\_

In this brand new early reader, Mo Jackson is a little boy with a big passion for sports. He may not be the biggest, the strongest, or the fastest player, but he won't let that stop him from playing!

# Young Cam Jansen and the Lost Tooth Mystery (paperback)------\$ 4.00

In this early reader, Cam Jansen uses her photographic memory to find Annie's lost tooth.



#### **Chapter Books:**

### Cam Jansen and the Sports Day Mysteries (paperback)------ \$ 6.00

It's Sports and Good Nutrition Day for the fifth grade at Cam Jansen's school! Cam and her friends are going to the park to run races, play soccer and baseball, and have a picnic lunch. But when three different mysteries occur, Cam is going to have to click her way into solving them and saving sports day

## Cam Jansen and the Spaghetti Max Mystery (paperback)------ \$ 5.00 \_

Mr. Jansen's best friend from childhood, "Spaghetti" Max, is coming for a visit. Cam Jansen, her best friend Eric, and Mr. Jansen go to the airport to meet Max. While they're looking for him, a distressed traveler asks Cam to help him find his missing daughter. But what use is Cam's photographic memory if she has never seen the missing girl? And where is Spaghetti Max? Can Cam solve this double mystery?

#### Danny's Doodles: The Jellybean Experiment (paperback)------\$ 5.00 \_\_\_\_

Danny Cohen and Calvin Waffle are two very different kids. Danny like baseball; Calvin enjoys strange experiments. Danny follows the rules at school. Calvin tires to drive his teacher crazy. Danny and Calvin decide to team up for the big jelly bean experiment. Will it lead to trouble? Maybe. Will they have fun trying?

## Danny's Doodles: The Squirting Donuts (paperback)------ \$ 5.00 \_\_\_\_\_

Something has gone wrong in Danny and Calvin's fourth-grade classroom-out of the blue, Mrs. Cakel has transformed from a rampant rule-enforcer to a quiet excuse-accepter. Has she been replaced with an alien? Has she undergone a top-secret personality makeover? Danny and Calvin decide there's only one way to find out what's really going on-*spy*. But spying soon leads to a greater mystery filled with dog chasing, jelly-injected donuts, prune butter-included experiments, riddle mania, and more!

## Danny's Doodles and The Dog Biscuit Breakfast (paperback) ------ \$ 5.00\_\_\_\_\_

Danny knows his friend Calvin has crazy ideas, so he's not surprised when Calvin suggests they start a Rent-a-Pet business. But in order to rent a pet, you need a renter. Which Calvin and Danny don't have. Can the two drum up some business before it's too late? Or will their plan go to the dogs?

## Don't Talk To Me About the War (4<sup>th</sup> and up) (paperback) ------ \$ 7.00 \_\_\_\_\_

Thirteen-year-old Tommy Duncan just wants to root for the Brooklyn Dodgers and listen to his favorite radio programs. But it's 1940, and the world is about to change. All his friend Beth wants to discuss is the war in Europe. Don't talk to Tommy about that, though. He has more immediate concerns? like Beth starting to wear earrings and his mother's declining health. The stories of a Jewish friend at school, however, begin to make the war more real to him, and Tommy, like the world around him, is sure to be forever changed.

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Student Name (books delivered to): \_\_\_\_\_Grade/Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_