

Wildlife Rescue

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PICTURE BOOKS

The bat in the boot by Annie Cannon, 1996 Picture Book Cannon

A family finds a baby bat in their mudroom and takes care of him until his mother comes back for him.

Slow down for manatees by Jim Arnosky, 2010 Picture Book Arnosky

Injured by a passing motorboat, a pregnant manatee is rescued and taken to an aquarium to recover and have her baby in a safe environment.

Out of the blue by Alison Jay, 2014 Picture Book Jay

When a giant octopus entangled in fishing line is washed ashore during a big storm and becomes stranded on the beach, a young boy and girl, assisted by various sea creatures, push and pull him back to sea. Includes endnotes on marine life, lighthouses, and items that wash up on beaches.

NONFICTION

Hope for winter: the true story of a remarkable dolphin friendship by David Yates, 2014 J 599.533

Details the experiences of a dolphin who was rescued five years after the tailless dolphin, Winter, was rehabilitated by the same group, describing the efforts made by the Clearwater Marine team to save the injured animal they named Hope.

Animal helpers: Wildlife rehabilitators by Jennifer Keats Curtis, 2012 J 639.9

The book takes readers "behind the scenes" at four different wildlife rehabilitation centers, where animals are nursed back to health and released back into the wild when possible

Leopard and Silkie by Brenda Peterson, 2012 J 599.79

A first-hand look at the vulnerable baby seals that are left on shore in the Pacific Northwest while their mothers hunt for food, and the concerned volunteers who keep vigil over them"

Lucky leopards! : and more true stories of amazing animal rescues by Aline Alexander Newman, 2014 J 636.0832

Retells the stories of three animal rescues, including two orphaned leopards, a sea turtle, and a loon.

Lion rescue : all about lions and how to save them by Ashlee Brown Blewett, 2014 J599.757

Meet real-life lions and learn about their habitats, challenges, and successes, plus learn how you can take action and save these amazing endangered creatures.

Saving Animal Babies by Amy Shields, 2013 J 591.392

Heartwarming stories of animal babies rescued and nursed back to health by humans.