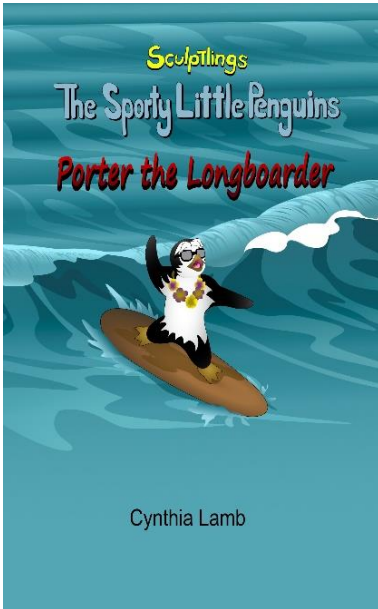


The Sporty Little Penguins Series



Porter the Longboarder

Inspirational Book that Teaches The Value of Camaraderie with Surfing Tips

Porter the Longboarder is an entertaining story for kids on surfing and it teaches kids the value of camaraderie. These sporty penguins are determined to accomplish a new skill. They learn from one another and they learn not to let disappointment stop them from reaching their goal. While Porter tries to help his friends learn to surf, he learns what not to do from them. Porter the Longboarder's story is a great resource for kids to learn how much fun they can have together and the value of camaraderie.

Book Topics

- The values of Camaraderie
- Learning to Listen
- Learning How To Take Advice
- Sharing Your Experience and Learning From Others

Ideas for how to review this book with kids 4-5:

- What was the message of the story?
- Have the child retell the story in their own words.
- Go back to each page and have the child describe what is going on.
- What words in the story Rhyme?

Tips on Topics and Discussions for Advanced Readers For Kids 6-7:

- What does Porter tell his friends to do, to make it easier to get past the break? (Or big waves?)
- What does a current do? (Rip Currents)
- How does Porter's friends use the current?
- Porter's friends would not listen to Porter at first. Why? Do you think they had to learn their own lesson the hard way?
- How does Porter learn from his friends?

Compare Books

Try comparing the story Porter the Longboarder with other Sculptlings Books, such as Lee the Ukulele Player and compare the 2 messages.

- Try comparing the characters and their lessons. How are they different? How are they the same?
(Example: Both Characters are teaching others important skills to help them learn to reach their goals.)