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Animals on the Move

Local Author Releases New Picture Book featuring Migration

Mt. Pleasant, SC (February 10, 2012)—The dynamic duo of Scotti Cohn and Susan Detwiler team up once again for *On the Move: Mass Migrations*, a new picture book released February 10th by Sylvan Dell Publishing.

Have you ever witnessed the mass gathering of butterflies in Mexico, caribou moving through Canada, or salmon in the Pacific Northwest rivers? *On the Move* explores this subject with great detail, and is released just in time to catch the elephant seals mating on the California beaches. After featuring the habits of cats both big and small in *Big Cat, Little Kitty*, and counting wolves in *One Wolf Howls*, Cohn wanted to feature all types of animals in her newest title.

“In *On the Move*, children (and parents!) get to learn about North American migration of snakes, eagles, gray whales, chimney swifts, and more,” said Cohn. “The book helps children understand where these creatures go, why they migrate, and how they know when to travel. Best of all, Sylvan Dell’s website provides information about where and when people can see mass gatherings of animals in North America. Imagine how thrilling it would be to see hundreds of polar bears or elephant seals at once! I hope to travel to some of these migration-gathering sites myself in the near future.”

Scotti Cohn is an award-winning author who has loved poetry and fiction writing since childhood. In addition to her books for Sylvan Dell, Scotti has written eight nonfiction books as well as short stories and poems. Scotti’s two grown children have done their own moving on. She and her husband live in upstate South Carolina with five little kitties.

To schedule an interview or request more information about Scotti Cohn or *On the Move* please contact Heather Williams at heatherwilliams@sylvandellpublishing.com or (843) 971-6722.

About Sylvan Dell Publishing

Sylvan Dell is on a mission to improve child literacy with science and math through fictional picture books. Using prose and pictures, children are delighted with stories of their favorite animals, planets, or even place. This leads to the exploration of facts and learning activities in each book’s *For Creative Minds* pages. Sylvan Dell carefully designs each book to portray accurately the chosen subject. Vetted by experts in that field, and aligned to common core and state standards; each book is a unique asset to educational programs. Sylvan Dell has grown to include more than 80 authors and illustrators, and honored to have won more than 70 book awards since its inception in 2005.