

Noted Author/Illustrator

Lynne Cherry

Book Talk and
Film Preview

THURSDAY JULY 16TH 7- 8 PM

CHILDREN'S SCHOOL OF SCIENCE, SCHOOL STREET, WOODS HOLE

Lynne Cherry is Author/Illustrator is author/illustrator of over 30 children's books that teach conservation.

She will also show two SHORT MOVIES she has produced about KIDS FIGHTING CLIMATE CHANGE.

Book Signing to Follow:

The Great Kapok Tree, A River Ran Wild

How We Know What We Know About Our Changing Climate: Scientists and Kids Explore Global Warming

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by Lynne Cherry and Gary Braasch
With a Foreword by Prof. David Sobel

Cherry/Braasch How We Know What We Know About Our Changing Climate Dawn Publications

When the **weather** changes daily, how do we really know that Earth's **climate** is changing?

HERE IS THE SCIENCE behind the headlines—evidence from flowers, butterflies, birds, frogs, trees and much more, gathered by scientists from all over the world, sometimes with assistance from young “citizen-scientists.” And here is what both scientists and young people are doing that makes a difference.

Climate change is an important and timely topic of deep concern, here told in an age-appropriate manner, with clarity and hope. Kids can make a difference!

This book combines the talents of two uniquely qualified authors: **Lynne Cherry**, the leading children's environmental writer/illustrator and author of *The Great Kapok Tree*, and **Gary Braasch**, award-winning photojournalist and author of *Earth Under Fire: How Global Warming is Changing the World*.

Parents today have the toughest and most important job in the world—passing the torch of knowledge and environmental stewardship on to their children. This magical book provides an invaluable service to parents by blazing open the doors to the world of climate science. A world that our children will be required to know well to solve the problem of global warming.

—Dr. Heidi Collins, climate expert at The Weather Channel

This is a necessary book. It treats kids with respect—they deserve to know what's going on. But they also deserve to know that there's much that can be done, and much that is being done. In a word, it's empowering!

—Bill McKibben, author, *Deep Economy*

This beautiful and informative book fills a major gap in environmental writing for children. It covers a wide range of research, defining technical terms gracefully and naturally as they arise. The overall tone—urgent without being shrill, hopeful without being complacent—strikes me as just right. I happily recommend it.

—Robert Coontz, editor, *Science Magazine*

Children of all ages will delight in this introduction to the science of climate change—a thrilling inspiration for one and all to get outdoors and experience the adventure of citizen science.

—Thomas Lovejoy, tropical biologist and President of the Heinz Center

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