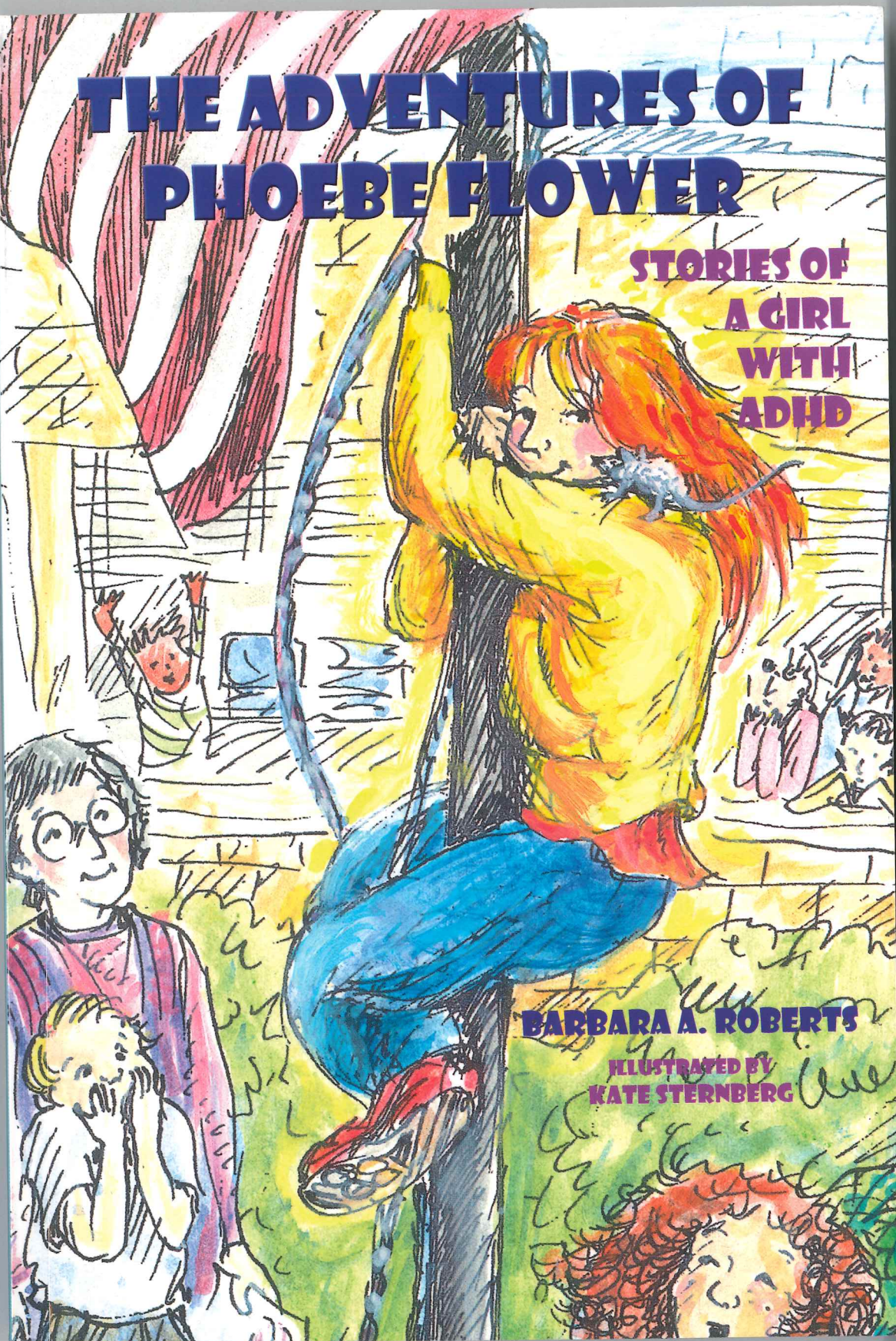


THE ADVENTURES OF PHOEBE FLOWER

STORIES OF
A GIRL
WITH
ADHD



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Brought back as a single volume,
THE ADVENTURES OF PHOEBE FLOWER
was originally published as a four-book series.

Phoebe Flower, a delightfully plucky girl, moves through ups and downs when her impulsivity and distractability land her in trouble at school. Phoebe worries when her parents talk about something called "ADHD" but is reassured by Mom who confides that she had similar problems as a girl. Phoebe learns how she can be helped to manage her ADHD challenges as well as to appreciate her warm and generous nature. Phoebe is a book that any fun-loving elementary school aged child will enjoy reading.

Praise for THE ADVENTURES OF PHOEBE FLOWER

The whimsy and foibles of Phoebe Flower will delight young readers and, perhaps, open the eyes and hearts of adults who work with youngsters like her who find themselves slightly off the beaten path again and again.

Mary Beth Denny, Assistant Superintendent, South Jefferson School District, NY

It is a pleasure for me, as a teacher, to read Phoebe Flower's Adventures and watch my students make a connection to Phoebe while they delight in the fun of the stories. We are all able to see a little Phoebe in ourselves and in other children. She helps us to know ~ we are okay just the way we are.

Maryanne Dowling, Elementary School Teacher, Walberta Park School, Syracuse, NY

This entertaining, well-written book is informative without being obviously "preachy." The protagonist is likable, the school and home situations are realistic with minimal "sugar-coating," and the tone throughout is good-natured, humorous and believable. Definitely a book to recommend to families of girls with ADHD, and to the girls themselves.

Martha Bridge Denckla, M.D., Director of the Developmental Cognitive Neurology Clinic, Kennedy Krieger Institute, Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine



About the Author

Barbara Roberts is a former kindergarten teacher from Upstate New York. She writes children's stories that deal with friendship, loss, Asperger syndrome and everyday problems which young people encounter.

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An adult with ADD, Kate often uses her own experiences for inspiration. She is the author/illustrator of MAMA'S MORNING, also published by Advantage Books, a humorous look at the daily life of an ADD mom.

She lives with her husband and two cats in Reston, VA. Her adult sons, Ryan and Max, live nearby, and are always around for Sunday dinners, providing their mom with love and encouragement.

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