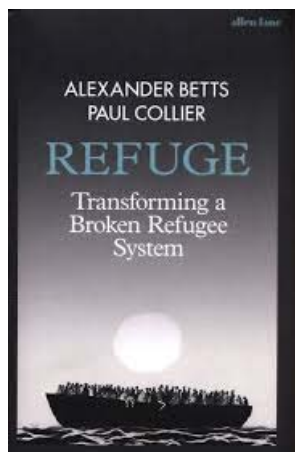


# Books of the Month

## June 2018



### **REFUGE: Transforming a Broken Refugee System**

**Alexander Betts & Paul Collier £9.99**

As neighbouring countries continue to bear the brunt of the Syrian catastrophe, European governments have enacted a series of ill-considered gestures, from shutting their borders to welcoming refugees without a plan for their safe passage or integration upon arrival. With a deepening crisis and a xenophobic backlash in Europe, it is time for a new vision for refuge. This book sets out an alternative vision that can empower refugees to help themselves, contribute to their host societies, and even rebuild their countries of origin. *Join Quakers in Britain on Saturday 23rd June at Friends House to hear from poets and musicians who are at the forefront of forging creative responses, based on kindness and common humanity, to global economic inequality, climate change, and militarisation.*

### **THE BONE SPARROW**

**Zana Fraillon £6.99**

Born in a refugee camp, all Subhi knows of the world is that he's at least 19 fence diamonds high, the nice Jackets never stay long, and at night he dreams that the sea finds its way to his tent, bringing with it unusual treasures. And one day it brings him Jimmie. Carrying a notebook that she's unable to read and wearing a sparrow made out of bone around her neck – both talismans of her family's past and the mother she's lost – Jimmie strikes up an unlikely friendship with Subhi beyond the fence. As he reads aloud the tale of how Jimmie's family came to be, both children discover the importance of their own stories in writing their futures.



### **FAITH AND EXPERIENCE IN EDUCATION: Essays from Quaker perspectives**

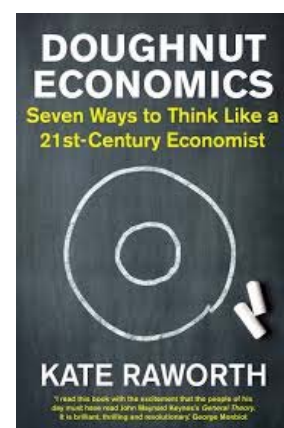
**Don Rowe & Anne Watson (eds) £24.99**

This book emerges from a deep concern about the direction of educational policy in the last decade and its effects on children, teachers and school leaders. In twelve essays from Friends with a variety of experiences in education, it addresses contemporary educational issues from the perspectives of justice, peace, equality and truth, and is informed by Quaker approaches to these values. It presents a coherent approach to education, including subject teaching, that resonates with the authors' deep integrity in practice and in making sense of education.

### **DOUGHNUT ECONOMICS: Seven Ways to Think like a 21st-Century Economist**

**Kate Raworth £9.99**

Economics is broken. Can it be fixed? In *Doughnut Economics*, Kate Raworth identifies seven critical ways in which mainstream economics has led us astray, and sets out a roadmap for bringing humanity into a sweet spot that meets the needs of all within the means of the planet. In the process, she creates a new, cutting-edge economic model that is fit for the 21st century – one in which a doughnut-shaped compass points the way to human progress. Ambitious, radical and rigorously argued, *Doughnut Economics* promises to reframe and redraw the future of economics for a new generation.





## MR SHAHA'S RECIPES FOR WONDER: Adventures in Science Round the Kitchen Table

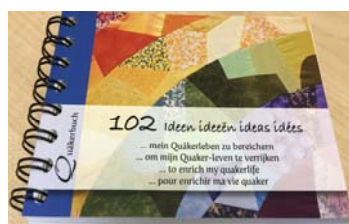
**Alom Shaha & Emily Robertson £8.99**

*Why does the...? What is...? How does...?* Don't worry if you don't know the answers, you soon will! Every child can be a scientist with the help of Mr Shaha and his recipes for wonder! Turn a rainy day at home or a walk in the park into a chance to experiment. Written by a science teacher and dad, this book gives clear, step-by-step instructions for over 15 experiments. Whether you're a science star or just starting out, it will inspire you to learn. Get the whole family joining in around the table, as you transform your kitchen into a laboratory!

## HOW TO MAKE CHILDREN LAUGH

**Michael Rosen £9.99**

Belching, banana skins, being eaten and bear hunts make children laugh. As do practical jokes, peekaboo, pantomime and poetry that makes no sense. Why and how does this work? And why does it matter? Writer and Professor of Children's Literature Michael Rosen, whose books have made millions of children rock with laughter, gives us the tools for this greatest of gifts.



## 102 IDEAS TO ENRICH MY QUAKER LIFE

**Hadeweich Touwen & EMEYF £8.00**

A collection of ways to live more adventurously, with suggestions in German, Dutch, English and French alongside space to record thoughts. Small in scale, perfect for the pocket.

## STILL ANARCHY T-SHIRT & SWARTHMORE LECTURE 2018

**Chris Alton £22.00 (t-shirt & lecture); £12 (t-shirt only); £12 (lecture only)**

Pre-order Chris Alton's lecture from this year's Yearly Meeting and get £2 off when you buy a t-shirt designed by the lecturer that is part of his latest art project – a Quaker punk band. Sizes XS to XXL. Lecture available in July.



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