

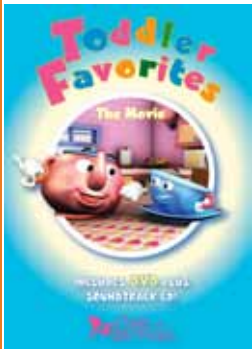
BOOKS, MUSIC, ETC.



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Toddler Favorites: The Movie – DVD with CD

Toddler Favorites: *The Movie* (running time 32 minutes – toddler length!) will be released on August 30. It comes with a 27-minute bonus CD featuring all songs included on the DVD. It is a sing, learn and dance-along DVD that combines 3-D animation and live action footage. Hosted by Little Teapot and Teeny Tea Cup, it includes a cast of adorable toddlers singing along to favorite songs. Little Teapot helps teach shy Teeny Teacup (**Cree Summer** from the TV shows “A Different World,” “Clifford The Big Red Dog,” “Rugrats,” and “Tiny Toons”) how to find her singing voice, and encourages viewers to join in. The kids really enjoyed watching this DVD over and over again. All their favorite songs put to a fun DVD, even my 1 year old enjoyed it. (ages 2 – 6)



www.musicforlittlepeople.com

Party Day, The Laurie Berkner Band – DVD with Bonus CD

Children’s music superstars and Nick Jr. channel favorites *The Laurie Berkner Band* appears in a brand-new music video collection on DVD, *Party Day!* It features 12 original videos and brand-new songs, as well as some fan favorites from the band’s best-selling CDs. Kids can dance, sing and play along as the band tries on different costumes, hunts for the birthday cake, and



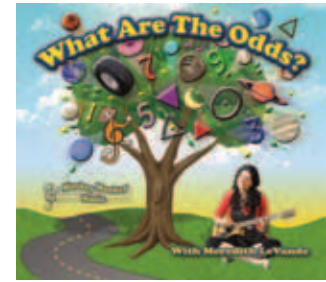
jumps around in Pillowland. The kids were excited and recognized The Laurie Berkner Band right away from Nick Jr. They were dancing and playing along with “Shake Your Body Down”. “Where is the Cake?” is a fun song about a missing birthday cake. I am sure the catchy lyrics will be chanted at their next birthday party. (ages 2 – 6).

www.laurieberkner.com

Monkey Monkey Music the Videos with Meredith LeVande - DVD

What are the Odds? With Meredith LeVande - CD

Meredith LeVande heads the project known as *Monkey Monkey Music*. Sixteen videos recently began airing on KGVU-TV, Grand Rapids, MI and will soon be broadcast throughout the country. Each of her videos speaks to children in its own distinct way. Some are animated; some are a combination of animation and live action,



while others are exclusively live action. What they all share is Meredith LeVande’s playful and heartfelt connection to children, whether exploring New York’s Chinatown in “Chinatown,” traveling across the country in “Let’s Fly,” searching for a musical note in “Where Is It?,” or learning about odd numbers in “What Are the Odds?” “Jump High” had the 4 year olds asking me to hit repeat as they jumped around the living room with my 1 year old trailing behind copying. “What are the Odds?” is a fun and educational song that will have your children “odd experts” in no time. Can’t say enough about how much fun the DVD and CD are. (ages 2 and up).

www.monkeymonkeymusic.com

Cousins Jamboree, Hope Harris - CD



With a 2011 Parents’ Choice® Silver Honor Award for her new CD *Cousins Jamboree* proudly in hand, independent children’s musician Hope Harris is all set to share her music with the world! Rocking songs, whimsical songs, heartfelt songs, and soon-to-be sing-along-songs combine on this 16-track album of Hope Harris originals and arrangements, each one set with imagination, style, and country warmth. Her cover songs like the lovely ‘Down in the Valley,’ or ‘Five Little Monkeys,’ sit well next to her finely crafted originals. This lively CD had my children dancing and singing along! “Five Little Monkeys” was the favorite song of all the kids! This CD is pure audio joy! (ages 3 – 10)

www.hopeharris.com