

Books Available from Anacortes Museum

<u>Books at Anacortes Museum</u>	<u>Author</u>	<u>Price</u>	
<i>Anacortes Images</i>	Bret Lunsford	\$23.50	The "Images of America" series celebrates the history of the country's neighborhoods, towns and cities. Using compelling vintage photographs, each installment presents stories that shaped a community's character. "Anacortes" offers a concise introduction followed by 200 lively images -- one or two per page -- described in interesting and detailed captions.
<i>Bridgeside</i>	Dick Fallis	\$20.50	Selected stories of Dick Fallis, Skagit County historian.
<i>Bijaboji</i>	Betty Lowman Carey	\$25.00	Betty Lowman was 22 years old in June 1937 when she climbed into her beloved red dugout canoe Bijaboji and set out on a journey from Puget Sound (Guemes Island) to Alaska. Traversing some of the most treacherous waters on earth, the journey would have been a risky act for an extreme adventurer in any era; for a young woman in the conservative 1930s, it was a venture of almost unimaginable daring. Betty pulled it off, and now, 67 years later, she accomplishes an equal feat--a book of pure adventure.
<i>Chechacos All</i>	Margaret Willis	\$20.50	Americans of the Skagit region, the earliest white settlers, timber and logging, mining and fishing, agriculture, the railroads, and territorial and post - statehood post offices in the region.
<i>Croatian Fishing Families of Anacortes</i>	Bret Lunsford	\$30	From salmon fishing on Northwest purse-seine boats to crabbing for the deadliest catch, an old country seafaring tradition finds a new home in this maritime history featuring original interviews and nearly 200 rare photographs of the fishermen of the North Pacific Coast.
<i>Discovering Marine Mammals</i>	Nancy Field, Sally Machlis	\$6.00	From the Discovering Nature series of books. Content is appropriate for elementary ages and includes stickers.
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<i>Even Seagulls Cry</i>	Agnes Rands	\$16.25	Anacortes native grew up in logging camps in Washington. This book is a non-fiction sequel to <i>Where the Huckleberries Grow</i> about life in the logging camps. This book covers life on the homefront during WWII.
<i>The Exploration of Whidbey, Fidalgo and Guemes Islands</i>	Terry Slotemaker	\$14.00	History of the early exploration of Juan de Fuca's inland sea and European explorers who visited the coast of Fidalgo and Guemes Islands and the coast of Washington between 1790 to 1840s.

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<i>Ferries of Puget Sound</i>	Steven Pickens	\$21.50	Ferryboats have been a way of life on Puget Sound since settlers first arrived there. From the wooden Mosquito Fleet to the sleek art deco Kalakala, the ferries of Puget Sound serve as a cultural icon to visitors and locals alike. Running from Point Defiance to Sidney, British Columbia, the Washington State ferry system is the single largest tourist attraction in the state, with 28 routes and 23 million riders annually. Images of America series.
<i>Fidalgo Fishing</i>	Terry Slotemaker	\$18.00	History of fishing industry in Anacortes.
<i>First Views</i>	Theresa Trebon	\$20.00	An Early History of Skagit County 1850 - 1899. Focus on Fidalgo Island.
<i>From the End of 9th Street</i>	Phyllis Ennis	\$12.00	Childhood memories of life on 9th Street in Anacortes. (Out of print - check if copies available)
<i>Geology of Fidalgo Island</i>	Terry Slotemaker	\$18.00	Layman's guide to local geology includes maps.
<i>Lance Burdon: A Photographic Journey</i>	Nancy Werner Mathews	\$35.00	The photographic career of Lance Burdon began at the dawn of the 20th century. Along the way of this photographic journey we are allowed to share in the stories that underlie the images, providing a deeper look at Washington State's northwest pioneer life through the eras of early farming, boom town schemes and their inevitable bust. For all of the courageous exploration and tragedy, the story resembles Annie Dillard's <i>The Living</i> , supplemented with beautiful prints that are comparable to Lance's photographic contemporary, Darius Kinsey.
<i>Heritage of a Snag Boat</i>		\$8.00	W.T. Preston Snag Boat
<i>Let's Discover San Juan Islands</i>	Linnell Diamond; Marge Mueller	\$5.25	Children's Activity Book - elementary ages
<i>Logs to Lumber</i>	Terry Slotemaker	\$18.00	History of logging and lumber industries in Anacortes
<i>Lost at Sea</i>	Patrick Dillon	\$20.50	Story of the tragic loss of the <i>Americus</i> and <i>Altus</i> crabbing vessels in 1983. "Delving into the mysterious tragedy of the <i>Americus</i> and <i>Altair</i> , acclaimed journalist Patrick Dillon vivifies the eighty-knot winds, subzero temperatures, and mountainous waves commercial fishermen fight daily to make their living, and illustrates the incredible rise of the Pacific Northwest's ocean frontier: from a father-and-son business to a dangerously competitive multibillion-dollar high-tech industry with one of the highest death rates in the nation. "
<i>Native American Wives of San Juan Settlers</i>	Karen Lamb Jones	\$19.50	Traces local family roots and First Nation heritage.
<i>Pacific Schooner Wawona</i>	Harriet Trace DeLong	\$18.00	Built in 1897 in Fairhaven, California by noted Scandanavian shipwright Hans Ditlev Bendixsen, the <i>Wawona</i> was one of the largest three-masted schooners built in North America. Designed to carry lumber from Washington State to California and more distant ports, the <i>Wawona</i> sailed with a mimimal crew and without ballast for the Dolbeer & Carson Lumber Company.
<i>Perfect Port</i>	John Killingworth	\$20.00	Video documentary about Anacortes

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<i>Salmon Cookbook</i>		\$3.00	
<i>Shipbuilders, Sea Captains & Fishermen</i>	John Follansbee	\$19.00	Discover the history of the three-masted schooner <i>Wawona</i> and the quirky adventures of her captains and crews in the North Pacific. <i>Shipbuilders, Sea Captains, and Fishermen</i> reveals the innovations of <i>Wawona</i> 's builder, H.D. Bendixsen. Capt. Ralph E. "Matt" Peasley, "the big overgrown kid," became the most famous ship captain in America. Capt. Charles Foss called on the heavens for a breeze by wearing his wife's hats. And the crew caught hundreds of tons of cod in the stormy Bering Sea while secretly fermenting shipboard wine with canned fruit and sourdough starter. Complete with detailed illustrations, historical photographs, and great stories, <i>Shipbuilders, Sea Captains, and Fishermen</i> recreates a world that ended with the last sailing ships.
<i>Skagit County Grows Up</i>		\$20.50	Skagit Valley Historical Society.
<i>Skagit County Washington</i>		\$20.00	
<i>Skagit Settlers - 1890 to 1920</i>	Margaret Willis	\$20.50	Compiled by Skagit County Historical Museum. 750 historical photos, life in western Washington State from 1890-1920, detailed accounts of logging, railroad, people, homes, law & order, faith, fashion and formalities, etc.
<i>Two Hands and a Shovel</i>	Jack Hartt and Sam Wotipka	\$20.00	An illustrated exploration of the work of the Civilian Conservation Corps at Deception Pass State Park.