

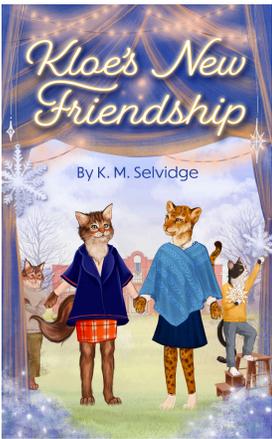


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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

Local Resident Releases New Young Adult Book, Helping Kids Find Confidence and Friendship

OAKLAND, CA — Expound Publicity is pleased to announce the release of *Kloe's New Friendship*, a heartfelt new young adult book written by K.M. Selvidge, featuring by Kateryna Meleshchuk.



Kloe returns for a new semester at Main Street Junior High alongside her friends Ginger and Terry. But when a new student, Jilly, joins the class, Kloe finds new connections, unexpected challenges, and gains fresh perspective on what it truly means to be a friend.

When secrets are shared and feelings get hurt, Kloe learns valuable lessons about trust, forgiveness, and resilience.

Through relatable situations and charming dialogue, *Kloe's New Friendship* resonates with young readers' daily experiences, and inspires them to find the confidence to embrace their true selves.

"My intent is for readers to see a reflection of themselves in my work," says Selvidge. "Oftentimes, growing up is hard to navigate. But with the tools this book provides, kids can handle whatever comes their way with confidence."

Selvidge is the author of the award-winning young adult book *Kloe's New Start*. *Kloe's New Friendship* is the second book in this series, inspired by her three cats and her own childhood experiences. Selvidge is a former dancer, actress, and non-profit executive. She partners with a local animal shelter, donating a portion of her book proceeds to support their work.

Find more information about the author on her [website](#).

Kloe's New Friendship (ISBN: 979-8218824587) is available on Amazon, Barnes & Noble and where books are sold.

To set up an interview, reading, signing, or for information regarding *Kloe's New Friendship*, please contact info@expoundpublicity.com.

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