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Xtreme Monsters: Beasts

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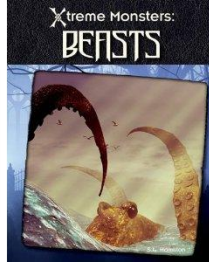
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Hamilton, S. L.. *Xtreme Monsters: Beasts*. ABDO, 2011. ISBN 9781616134679. \$27.07. 32 p.

Reviewer: Laurien Clay

Reading level: Primary, Intermediate

Rating: Dependable

Genre: Informative; Informational books;

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From the footprints of the abominable snowman to the waving tentacles of the kraken, tales and sightings of strange creatures continue to abound throughout the world. Modern discoveries and rational explanations can prove some to be fiction. Nevertheless, humans can only probe so far with their science and technology. As such, some proposed proofs of the existence of some of these unusual beasts cannot be discredited.

Hamilton, author of *Xtreme Monsters: Werewolves*, has produced another solid book in his supernatural series. Like *Werewolves*, it contains a glossary and index along with a wide array of pictures and enough facts to engross the attention of any young reader with interest in the world of the unexplained. This book would correlate well with a lesson on uncommon or mythological animals and would make a good addition to any library shelf.

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