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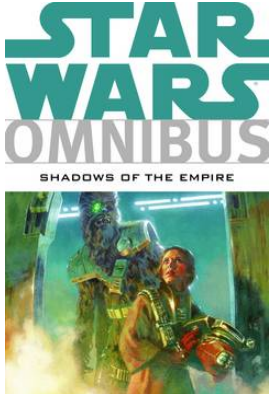
Welcome to Sealight Books' Update Sheet for **September 2009**.





Orders are preferred before 6pm Tuesday September 29th but will happily be accepted after.

These titles are advance solicited and will be printed sometime during/after November.

Highlighted Titles (marked with a ⌘) are books we suggest for library collections or that have been recommended by reputable sources such as online or magazine reviews. Some titles may be selected as they feature in upcoming films.

Earlier volumes in the series listed on the Update Sheet are available for order.

<b>Title, Description &amp; Collection Recommendation</b> Release dates are estimated for US release and are only a guide	Price Australian Dollars	Picture Actual covers may vary	Order Quantity
<p><b>STAR WARS ADVENTURES: LUKE SKYWALKER AND THE TREASURE OF THE DRAGONSNAKES</b> ⌘</p> <p>Tom Taylor (W) and Daxiong (A)</p> <p>On sale Jan 20 FC, 80 pages TPB, <b>Junior Fiction ISBN: 1595823476</b></p> <p>The movie The Empire Strikes Back shows us only a small portion of Luke Skywalker's Jedi training under the tutelage of Master Yoda. In this story, witness a never-before-seen part of that training as Luke is given the task of finding—and retrieving—an object guarded by the deadliest creatures on the swamp world of Dagobah: the monstrous dragonsnakes! SEP090035</p>	\$15.95		
<p><b>STAR WARS: THE THRAWN TRILOGY</b> ⌘</p> <p>Mike Baron (W), Olivier Vatine (A), Fred Blanchard (A), Terry Dodson (A), Edvin Biukovic (A), and others</p> <p>On sale Jan 6 FC, 420 pages HC, 6" x 9" <b>Young Adult Fiction ISBN: 1595824170</b></p> <p>Five years after the fall of the Empire, Luke Skywalker is the first in a new line of Jedi Knights. Han Solo and Princess Leia have married, together assuming many burdens of the New Republic's government. But across the galaxy lies a dying part of the Empire—all the more dangerous near death—and it has just discovered something that could bring it back to life! The last of the Emperor's warlords, Admiral Thrawn, is ready to destroy the New Republic—and the odds are stacked heavily against Luke, Leia, and Han!</p> <p>Star Wars: The Thrawn Trilogy collects the adaptations of Timothy Zahn's Heir to the Empire, Dark Force Rising, and The Last Command. This Star Wars hardcover edition is a must have! New cover by Dave Dorman! SEP090038</p>	\$79.95		
<p><b>STAR WARS OMNIBUS: SHADOWS OF THE EMPIRE</b></p> <p>Steve Perry (W), Michael A. Stackpole (W), John Wagner (W), Timothy Zahn (W), Carlos Ezquerro (A), John Nadeau (A), Kilian Plunkett (A), Ron Randall (A), and others</p> <p>On sale Jan 27 FC, 408 pages TPB, <b>Young Adult Fiction ISBN: 1595824340</b></p> <p>Beginning with Shadows of the Empire, Luke, Leia, and Chewbacca are determined to foil Boba Fett's plan to deliver carbonite-encased Han Solo to Jabba the Hutt. But these heroes are up against more than they realize. Darth Vader searches for Luke, hoping to turn him to the dark side, and a new threat, Xizor, the ruthless leader of the criminal organization Black Sun, seeks to gain the trust of the Emperor by killing Skywalker and overthrowing Vader! Then, in Shadows of the Empire: Evolution, a beautiful humanoid—previously an assassin for Xizor—searches to find her human side as Luke Skywalker tracks her across the galaxy, determined to bring her to justice! And finally, in Mara Jade: By the Emperor's Hand, the Emperor's personal assassin carries out her last mission, determined to succeed despite the death of her Master—even if it costs her life!</p>	\$49.99		

<p><b>CHOBITS OMNIBUS EDITION</b>  <b>CLAMP (W/A)</b>  <b>On sale Jan 27 B&amp;w, 720 pages TPB, Adult Fiction ISBN: 1595824510</b>  Some people buy their personal computers based on style . . . and in near-future Japan, the hottest style for your "persocom" is shaped like an attractive android! Poor student Hideki, fresh off the farm and trying to get into a Tokyo university, has neither money nor a girlfriend—then finds a persocom seemingly discarded in an alley. Taking the cute robot home and activating it, Hideki finds her affectionate, but amnesiac, able only to say the word "Chi"—and so he names her.  But who is this strange new persocom in his life? Instead of being his digital assistant, Hideki finds himself having to teach Chi how to get along in the everyday world, even while he and his friends try to solve the mystery of her origins. Is she one of the urban-legendary Chobits—persocoms built to have the riskiest functions of all: real emotions, and free will? SEP090040</p>	<p>\$49.99</p>	<p>CLAMP    Chobits  ちよびつ</p>	
<p><b>SUPERGIRL: COSMIC ADVENTURES IN THE EIGHTH GRADE TP</b> ⌘  <b>Written by Landry Q. Walker Art and cover by Eric Jones</b>  <b>On sale December 23 • 144 pg, FC, Junior Fiction ISBN: 1401225063</b>  It's an all-ages extravaganza as young Supergirl meets Belinda Zee, a new junior high adversary, in this title collecting the 6-issue miniseries. And that's just the start of the fun that includes super-powered pets and cosmic adventure!</p>	<p>\$25.99</p>		
<p><b>THE SECRET SCIENCE ALLIANCE AND THE COPYCAT CROOK GN</b> ⌘  (W/A) Eleanor Davis  <b>HC, 6x9, 160pgs, FC Junior Fiction ISBN: 1599903962</b>  Supersmart Julian Calendar thinks moving to a new school will mean he can shed his nerdy image — but then he meets Ben and Greta, two secret scientists like himself. The three form a covert club, complete with a high-tech lair. There, they work on projects like the Stink-O-Meter, the Kablovsky Copter, and the Nightsneak Goggles. All that tinkering comes in handy when the trio discovers an evil scientist's plan to rob a museum. Can three inventors, armed with their wacky creations, hope to defeat this criminal mastermind? (C: 0-1-2) NOTE: This item may be available through other retail outlets before shipping to comic book specialty shops.</p>	<p>\$21.95</p>		
<p><b>THE INCREDIBLES: CITY OF INCREDIBLES TP</b> ⌘  (W) Mark Waid, Landry Walker (A) Marcio Takara  <b>SC, 6x9, 112pgs, FC Junior Fiction ISBN: 1608865037</b>  It's the already legendary Incredibles story written by acclaimed writers Mark Waid and Landry Walker collected in one place! Baby Jack-Jack, everyone's favourite super-powered toddler, battles a nasty cold! Hopefully the rest of the Parr family can stay healthy, because the henchmen of super villains are rapidly starting to exhibit superpowers! Can The Incredibles discover the cause of both outbreaks before the city is left in total shambles?</p>	<p>\$19.99</p>		
<p><b>THE MUPPET SHOW: THE TREASURE OF PEG-LEG WILSON TP</b> ⌘  (W/A) Roger Langridge  <b>SC, 6x9, 112pgs, FC Junior Fiction ISBN: 1608865045</b>  Scooter discovers old documents which reveal that a cache of treasure is hidden somewhere within the theatre, and when Rizzo the Rat overhears this, the news spreads like wildfire! Can Kermit keep everyone from tearing the theatre apart? And just who is Peg-Leg Wilson, and what's his connection to the Muppet Show stage? Find out in this hilarious collection from celebrated creator Roger Langridge!</p>	<p>\$19.99</p>		

<p><b>TSUBASA VOLUME 24 GN</b>  (W/A) CLAMP  SC, 208pgs, B&amp;W <b>Young Adult Fiction</b> ISBN: 0345517156  After a brutal battle in the world of dreams, Syaoran has earned a moment's rest. Yet, there is no time to tarry as his quest to save Princess Sakura continues!  ****PREVIOUS VOLUMES AVAILABLE****</p>	\$21.99		
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<p><b>ANGEL: AFTER THE FALL, VOL. 2 TPB</b>  Joss Whedon, Brian Lynch (w) • John Byrne, Tim Kane, David Messina, Stephen Mooney and Nick Runge (a) • Alex Garner (c)  TPB • FC • 104 Pages <b>Young Adult Fiction</b> ISBN: 1600103936  First Night begins! What happened on the very night Los Angeles went straight to hell, the incident that ended the Angel television series with such a shocking cliff hanger? Why did the team go their separate ways? And how did Connor rise up to become one of Hell's greatest champions? SEP090874  ****PREVIOUS VOLUMES AVAILABLE****</p>	\$35.99		
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