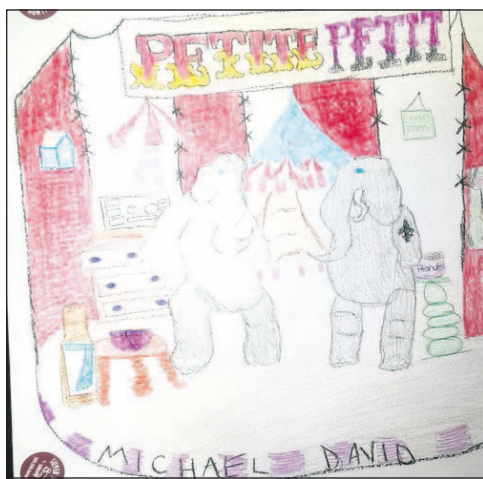




# Silver Salmon Grille's coloring contest entries

The Silver Salmon Grille has a coloring contest each year, giving customers a chance to show off their artistic talents. Here are some of the entries in this year's contest that was held Feb. 24.



## BOOK REVIEW

# Pacific Northwest waters hold hidden gems

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When you think about underwater photography, do you immediately imagine bathtub-temperature water, tropical reefs swarming with brightly colored fish, sharks prowling the crystal clear waters? And what images come to mind when you think about Pacific Northwest waters? Cold, murky, teeming with plankton and drab inhabitants?

**BOOK**  
"Beneath Cold Seas: The Underwater Wilderness of the Pacific Northwest" By David Hall University of Washington Press

You couldn't be more wrong. Internationally renowned photographer David Hall first discovered the Pacific North-

west's unique and beautiful underwater vistas in 1995, and spent the next 15 years documenting plants, fish, invertebrates and mammals found nowhere else. The result is "Beneath Cold Seas: The Underwater Wilderness of the Pacific Northwest." From the majestic lion's mane jellyfish to the playful harbor seal and colorful sockeye salmon, Hall uses his phenomenal talent to bring these creatures out of the murky depths and into the

spotlight, with jaw-dropping, eye-popping results. Far from just a coffee table book, Hall includes vignettes about his subjects that put his readers in the center of the action and illustrate the delicate balance of life in West Coast waters. His approach is simple: If readers can see the incredible beauty and diversity that exists not only in the world's tropical locales but in their own backyard, they will be more likely to take steps to preserve it.

